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Howdy is a portal with information students need to successfully navigate through their college career at Texas A&M University at Galveston.

In order to login to **Howdy**, you will first need to have a NetID and password created within the system.

Along the top of the Howdy webpage, there is a bar of various tab pages offering information to students. As a student you will use the **My Record tab** very often to keep track of your degree, register for classes, and really take ownership of your education!

In the Registration - Galveston channel, you will prepare & register for classes.

Registration - Galveston	Options ▾
<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Registration Time Assignment - GV◦ Search Class Schedule◦ Add or Drop Classes⊕ Registration Status◦ Distance Education Location Update◦ Lab Safety Acknowledgment◦ Math Placement Exams⊕ Book Prices	

Each student will have an individual time assignment when registration opens based on classification and honors. Here you will find the day and time of your **Registration Time Assignment**.

Search Class Schedule lets you look up the semesters, days, & times in which courses are offered. You can also register for courses here once your time ticket opens.

In **Add or Drop Classes**, you can register for multiple courses at once by adding multiple CRNs to the workshop. You can also edit your schedule once classes have been added.

The **Lab Safety Acknowledgment** must be accepted EVERY semester. Once it has been accepted, do not hit the back arrow. If a course requires this acknowledgment and it has not been accepted, you will get a "Student Attribute Restriction" error when trying to register.

The Grades and Transcripts channel houses important information from your student record.

Grades and Transcripts	Options ▾
<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Grades⊕ Important Note About Grades⊕ Duplicate Diplomas⊕ Official Transcript◦ Unofficial Transcript◦ Unofficial Transcript (PDF)◦ Holds◦ Test Scores◦ Credit By Examination◦ TSI and Core Curriculum	

You can view your midterm and final **Grades** for the current term.

You can order an **Official Transcript** and view **Unofficial Transcript**.

It is important to check your **Holds** every semester to see if anything is preventing registration for the upcoming term.

You can accept or decline any AP, CLEP, DSST, IB, and SAT II **Credit by Exam** you brought in. Decisions are final so talk to an advisor first.

In the Degree Evaluation channel, keep track of your progress towards your degree. Own your education!

It is a good idea to **View Degree Evaluation** every semester to ensure you are on track. It lets you track your progress towards the requirements of your major. You can select 'What-If Analysis' to see your progress towards any other A&M major you might be considering.

If you receive any sort of financial aid, be sure you check **Courses Counting for Financial Aid and Veteran Benefits** once you have registered. Only courses counting towards your degree plan can be funded by financial aid.

Transfer Course Equivalency lets you search outside institutions to learn whether a course will transfer into your degree for credit.

Degree Evaluation	Options ▾
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Application for GraduationView Degree EvaluationCourses Counting for Financial Aid and Veteran BenefitsExcess Credit Hours RuleUpper Level Business ApplicationAccumulated Doctoral HoursTransfer Course Equivalency	

Undergraduate Degree Planner Options

- [Undergraduate Degree Planner](#)
- [Undergraduate Degree Planner Guide \(PDF\)](#)
- [Degree Planner FAQ](#)

The **Undergraduate Degree Planner** is a tool that all Texas A&M University students are required to complete each year after their first year. This course planning tool helps facilitate timely completion of your degree. Once you have planned your four year curriculum, you must submit it and get it approved by your academic department. It is due each fall semester until graduation, starting the fall of your second year. Failure to submit it will result in a registration hold on your account.

The **Purchase Optional Services - Galveston Campus** channel allows you to purchase additional services at TAMUG. Here you can purchase meal plans, parking permits, & sports passes. You can also find information about textbooks for your classes.

Purchase Optional Services - Galveston Campus Options

- [Meal Plan Selection](#)
- [Parking Permits - You can sign up for Parking Permits here!](#)
- [Sports Pass](#)
- [Textbook Information](#)

The **Academic Support Services** channel provides links to additional resources from around campus that can help you navigate your college career.

Academic Support Services Options

- [Academic Calendar](#)
- [Assessments & Placement Testing](#)
- [Library](#)
- [Maritime Journal Password List](#)
- [Supplemental Instruction / Tutoring](#)
- [TAMUG Writing Lab](#)
- [TAMUG TutorTrac](#)

TAMUG TutorTrac is used to view and schedule appointments for academic advising, coaching, writing lab, supplemental instruction, and tutoring.

The **Academic Resources - Galveston** channel provides access to an array of additional resources.

The **Catalog** contains important information, including the Academic Calendar, degree requirements for each major, & descriptions for all A&M courses. You are accountable for completing the degree requirements listed in the catalog from your first year at A&M, unless you have worked with your department to make adjustments or change catalogs.

Academic Resources - Galveston Options

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- Graduate Education
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- Academic Programs

Other **Howdy** Tools:



eCampus



Email



SSO



Help



Logout

Professors use **eCampus** for posting course materials and pertinent information regarding that semester's courses. Many professors will use this system to track grades and send out updates, so be sure to stay connected!

Your TAMU **Email** is used for all official university correspondence. Be sure you check it regularly for time sensitive information. You will be held responsible for knowing information that will be sent to your official email address, including course requirements and academic status updates.

Check out the tutorial at **Help** if you would like additional information on navigating your Howdy portal.

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