

7. ARRIVAL AT COLLEGE AND REGISTRATION

After arriving on campus, visit the international student adviser, who is responsible for helping international students with social adjustment and practical matters. It is very important that you ask about registration procedures and meet with your academic adviser. You must register for classes as early as possible to ensure that you can enroll in the courses you wish to take.

Most colleges and universities have an orientation period before classes begin to help acquaint new students with the school and with campus life. Some have a special orientation program for international students as well. These programs provide an invaluable introduction to American study and academic life and we strongly encourage you to participate.