

# NEW PARENT & FAMILY NEWSLETTER



OFFICE OF  
**NEW STUDENT  
PROGRAMS**

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## Kizer's Important Messages:



*Reminder: Your student should be checking their Central Email daily!*

*Links to sign up for Orientation and Information about the following will be in their email: Course Selection Questionnaire, FAFSA, Housing and Health forms!*

**Contact New Student Programs with any questions at  
[Orientation@ccsu.edu](mailto:Orientation@ccsu.edu) or by calling 860.832.1234**



## New Student Checklist for Summer 2025!

- ☒ Apply to Central
- ☒ Get Accepted
- ☐ Activate BlueNet & Multi-factor authenticator
- ☐ Complete a FAFSA
- ☐ Apply for On-Campus Housing and a Meal Plan (if Applicable)
- ☐ [SIGN UP FOR ORIENTATION](#)
- ☐ Complete Course Selection Questionnaire
- ☐ Complete Central Health Services Form
- ☐ Send in Final High School Transcript to Admissions-  
[admissions@ccsu.edu](mailto:admissions@ccsu.edu)
- ☐ Upload your Photo for your Student ID
- ☐ Register your vehicle

### Central Health Services Form Requests

As a reminder, new students must submit a completed Connecticut State University Health Services form to Student Wellness Services. Forms can be found by visiting the [Student Wellness Services web page](#)

- Please refer to the instruction sheet or [this web page](#) for more information about the form, including supporting documentation and vaccination records.
- You also may obtain the form and upload supporting documents by visiting the [Medicat Portal](#). Allow 3-5 business days after submitting your information, then use the Medicat Portal to check your status.

Contact Student Wellness Services: 860-832-1925 or [sws@ccsu.edu](mailto:sws@ccsu.edu)

**Orientation dates for Summer 2025 have been announced and are posted [here](#). Sign-ups for First-Year Orientations are open now- sign-up quickly before spots fill up!**



### Planning to attend the 2-Day Orientation? Want to know what your student should bring?

For first year students planning to attend the 2-Day Orientation program- please refer to the following [Reslife Move-In Guide](#) to learn about what your student can expect and what items to bring to prepare to stay overnight!

## Billing & Payment

All bills are electronic, and students are notified by email when they are posted.

Bills are due on July 15 for the Fall semester

In order to view and pay your bill, students need to activate their BlueNet UserID and password at **Central Accounts Management**. Be sure to have your student make the payment by the due dates to avoid any late fees or holds on their account.

Payments can be made in Cash, eCheck, Credit Card, Personal Check, Cashier's Check or Money Order, TransferMate (International Student Payments) and/or Wire Transfer. For more information on **Payment Methods**.

For step-by-step guidance on making a payment, please visit Bursar's **Instructions** page.

For further inquiries contact: **The Bursar's Office** at (860) 832-2010 or email billing-bursars@ccsu.edu

## Math & Writing Placement

Math and writing classes are required to graduate, and must be taken within a student's first year at Central. Academic advisors base class placement on SAT/ACT scores or Central placement test scores. If your student has not sent us their scores, they still can. If they have not taken the SAT or ACT, they must complete the Writing and Math placement tests.

Students should Complete the Course Selection Questionnaire (CSQ) to determine if they need to take the Math or Writing Placement ! Please remind your student to check their Central email for a message titled, "It's time to start planning your Fall 2025 academic schedule!", which includes the CSQ.

**Questions? Contact Undergraduate Advising Services at**  
**ccsuadvising@ccsu.edu**  
**or (860) 832-1614**

## FERPA

### What is FERPA:

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a federal law that affords parents the right to have access to their children's education records, the right to seek to have the records amended, and the right to have some control over the disclosure of personally identifiable information from the education records. When a student turns 18 years old, or enters a postsecondary institution at any age, the rights under FERPA transfer from the parents to the student .

A **FERPA FORM** at Central Connecticut State University (CCSU) is a document used to manage the privacy of student education records. It also allows students to authorize CCSU to release their records to specific individuals or organizations

**We ask that the students take the lead to initiate this form.**



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