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## Alma Mater: "All Hail to Austin Peay"



All Hail our Alma Mater,
All Hail to Austin Peay,
Forever faithful to thy standards will we ever be,
We love thy campus beauty, serene in dignity,
And so we proudly sing this song in praise of thee,
All Hail, All Hail,
We sing in praise of thee,
We love our Alma Mater,
All Hail to Austin Peay.

Words and Music by Dr. Aaron Schmidt, professor of music and band director, 1956-87

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# THE PEAY PICKUP

In a partnership with the Clarksville Transit System (CTS), APSU provides students, faculty and staff free transportation around campus via the Peay Pickup and free transportation around the city on CTS buses.

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## » RIDE CLARKSVILLE CITY BUSES FREE! «

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#### **CLARKSVILLE TRANSIT SYSTEM**

430 Boillin Lane Bus Info: 931-553-2429 Main Office: 931-553-2430 www.cityofclarksville.com

#### THE PEAY PICKUP

Parking & Transportation Office **Shasteen Building** Bus Info: 931-221-7275 (PARK) www.apsu.edu/police/bus



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## IMPORTANT ACADEMIC CALENDAR DATES CLARKSVILLE CAMPUS

Full Spring Semester 2023

## **Full Fall Semester 2022**

Aug. 22	Classes Begin *Online courses visible in	Jan. 8	Last day to pay/confirm classes for
	the D2L online classroom		preregistered students; classes will be
Aug. 22-26	Late registration		dropped for nonpayment and/
Aug. 26	Last day to add a class		non-confirmation at 9 p.m.
Sept. 4	Last day to drop without record	Jan. 16	Last day to receive 100% fee adjustment;
Sept. 5	Labor Day Holiday - University closed		Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday -
Sept. 6	Last day to receive 75% adjustment		University closed
Oct. 10	Fall Break — No classes at Clarksville campus or	Jan. 17	Classes begin
	Fort Campbell campus		*Online courses visible
Oct. 11	Fall Break — No classes at Clarksville campus		in the D2L online classroom
Oct. 13	First eight-week (Session A) classes end	Jan. 17-21	Late registration
Oct. 19	Second eight-week (Session B) classes begin	Jan. 21	Last day to add a class
	*Online courses visible	Jan. 30	Last day to drop without record
	in the D2L online classroom	Feb. 1	Last day to receive 75% fee adjustment
Oct. 24	Last day to drop with an automatic "W"	Mar. 1	Last day to apply for August 2023 graduation
Oct. 24-28	Priority advising and preregistration for	Mar. 5-11	Mid-semester; Spring Break - no classes
	currently enrolled students for Spring 2023	Mar. 7	First eight-week (Session A) classes end
Oct. 27	Last day to receive 25% fee adjustment	Mar. 15	Second eight-week (Session B) classes begin
Nov. 1	Last day to apply for May 2023 graduation		*Online courses visible
Nov. 11	Veterans Day - No classes		in the D2L online classroom
Nov. 23-27	Thanksgiving Holiday - No classes	Mar. 20-24	Priority advising and preregistration for
Nov. 24-27	Thanksgiving Holiday - University closed		currently enrolled students for summer
Nov. 30	Last day of classes		and fall 2023
Dec. 1	Study day	Mar. 24	Last day to receive 25% fee adjustment
Dec. 2-8	Final exams	Mar. 27	Last day to drop with an automatic "W"
Dec. 9	Commencement	Apr. 7	Spring Holiday - University closed
		Apr. 26	Last day of classes
		Apr. 27	Study day
		Apr. 28-May 4	Final Exams
		May 5	Commencement
		July 1	Last day to apply for December 2023
			graduation

## **DISCLAIMER:**

Calendar dates were accurate at the time of printing, but may be subject to change throughout the year. Please visit www.apsu.edu/registrar/acadcal for more information.



#### Letter from the President



Dear student:

Welcome to Austin Peay. You are now a Governor, which means you're part of a network of students, faculty, staff and alumni that is dedicated to your success! For nearly a century, our campus has provided a safe, nurturing home for generations of students to discover who they are and where they belong in this larger world.

Austin Peay — both at the Clarksville campus and the Fort Campbell campus — is a place where talents are discovered, careers are launched and memories are forged. Please make the

most of your time here. Get involved in campus life, make new friends, and challenge yourself to step outside of your comfort zone. Make the 2022-23 academic year a time of wonderful new experiences; make it the foundation of the life you want. Have a great year, and if you see me or my wife, Kirsten, please make sure to say hello.

Let's Go Peay!

Mike Licari, APSU president

#### The Basics

#### **Gov. Austin Peay**

Austin Peay was governor of Tennessee and a favorite son of Clarksville. Peay signed a law establishing Austin Peay Normal School on April 26, 1927. Although Austin Peay State University has a 95-year history, institutions of higher learning have occupied the campus since 1806.

#### **Campus Information**

Austin Peay State University consists of more than 75 buildings on three sites occupying 637 acres. These sites include the Clarksville campus downtown, the Fort Campbell campus and the Environmental Education Center.

Austin Peay continues to be a leader in growth among public universities in Tennessee. We serve students from every region of Tennessee, many of the 50 states and several countries.

#### The Govs

In the infant years of intercollegiate competition, Austin Peay's athletic representatives were often called "Normalites" or "Warriors." The present "Governors" tag surfaced around 1937, probably as a tribute to Gov. Austin Peay.

## **Contact Information**

Austin Peay State University 601 College St. Clarksville, TN 37044 Telephone: 931-221-7011 Toll Free: 1-877-861-APSU Email: gov@apsu.edu www.apsu.edu

Office Hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday

## **History**

Austin Peay State University is located on an urban campus that, for more than 216 years, has been used for educational purposes, and on which the buildings of seven colleges have stood:

Rural Academy, 1806-1810 Clarksville Academy, 1825-1848 Montgomery Co. Masonic College, 1851-1854 Mount Pleasant Academy, 1811-1824 Masonic College, 1849-1850 Stewart College, 1855-1874

Southwestern Presbyterian University, 1875-1925

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The University began as Austin Peay Normal School when it was created as a two-year junior college and teacher-training institution by Act of the General Assembly of 1927 and named in honor of Gov. Austin Peay, who was serving his third term of office when the school was established. In 1939, the state board of education authorized the school to inaugurate a curriculum leading to the Bachelor of Science degree. The degree was first conferred on the graduating class at the 1942 Spring Commencement. By Act of the Tennessee Legislature of Feb. 4, 1943, the name of the school was changed to Austin Peay State College. In 1951, the state board authorized the College to confer the Bachelor of Arts degree and, in 1952, to offer graduate study leading to the degree of Master of Arts in Education. It evolved over the decades into a college before eventually becoming a university in 1967. Today, Austin Peay has transformed into a major regional provider of higher education, with the University now offering two doctoral degrees — a Doctor of Education (Ed.D.) in educational leadership and a Doctor of Psychology (Psy.D.) in counseling psychology.

During its history, 11 presidents and four acting presidents have served the institution:

John S. Ziegler, 1929-1930 Halbert Harvill, 1946-1962 Joe Morgan, 1963-1976 Oscar C. Page, 1988-1994 Sal D. Rinella, 1994-2000 Sherry L. Hoppe, 2001-2007 Alisa R. White, 2014-2020 Philander P. Claxton, 1930-1946
Earl E. Sexton (Acting), September-December 1962
Robert O. Riggs, 1976-1987
Richard G. Rhoda (Interim), July-October 1994
Sherry L. Hoppe (Interim), 2000-2001
Timothy L. Hall, 2007-2014
Dannelle F. W. Whiteside (Interim), August 2020-March 2021

Michael J. Licari, March 2021 - present

#### **Mission Statement**

Austin Peay State University is a mission-driven, community-minded institution that provides transformational experiences through innovative, creative, and scholarly activities. We welcome and inspire an inclusive community of learners to make a positive impact regionally and globally.

#### **Vision Statement**

We will be the region's university of choice for those seeking to improve their lives. We will achieve this vision through student-centered teaching, unique developmental opportunities, and our focus on innovative research, and public service.

#### Values

We are a collaborative community that values personal growth and life-long engagement through the promotion of integrity and academic excellence.

- Academic Excellence by providing meaningful and practical learning opportunities with highly qualified and dedicated faculty and staff.
- Integrity by maintaining an honest, fair, and credible environment.
- Community by fostering learning in an environment where all are welcomed and valued.
- Personal Growth by providing the knowledge, tools, and resources for all Governors to reach their full potential.
- Life-Long Engagement by providing services, programs, and experiences that promote loyalty, pride, and mutual support.
- **Collaboration** by enriching our local, regional, and global communities through value-added programs, strategic partnerships, and meaningful service.

## Fight Song: "Smash! Bang!"



Smash! Bang! To victory
Go the Governors of Austin Peay
Clash! Clang! It's misery
For the minions of the Enemy
Fight on and
Smash! Bang! to Score Again
For it's ready, set 1, 2, 3!
Smash Bang! Biff Bam! Clash Clang! Rim Ram!
Dash along to Victory!
Let's Go Peay!

#### **Govs Creed**

"As a member of the Austin Peay State University community, I will agree to act with personal and academic integrity while interacting with my fellow students, faculty and staff members. I will charge myself to be accountable in all phases of interaction. I will respect the dignity of all persons and will appreciate and celebrate a climate of diversity. I will contribute to the greater good of the community. I will take pride in Austin Peay State University."

— Established by the SGA Student Tribunal in 2008

### **IMPORTANT: About This Handbook**

The policies, procedures and programs of APSU are continually reviewed. Every effort is expended to ensure this handbook represents accurate information at the time of publication, but it cannot be guaranteed that information contained herein will not change. This handbook does not constitute a contract between the University and the student. APSU may cancel or revoke any part of this handbook without notice. The University reserves the right to make changes as required or as needed to dates, programs, events, policies and regulations and rules, as well as determine the effective date for such changes. Failure to read this handbook does not exempt students from following regulations, requirements, procedures and policies described herein.

SEE THE CLARKSVILLE CAMPUS MAP ON THE INSIDE BACK COVER.



#### **ACADEMIC**

## Academic Affairs, Browning 109, 931-221-7676

The Office of Academic Affairs provides leadership, professional development, services, and resources to promote a dynamic teaching and learning environment, grounded in academic excellence. Under the leadership of the Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs, the Office of Academic Affairs focuses its efforts on the achievement of the goals and objectives set forth in the University's strategic plan. Ultimately, the office strives to enhance student success at Austin Peay through the quality of our academic programs, the distinction of our faculty, and the innovation of our academic support services.

The office oversees the University's colleges and academic programs including College of Arts and Letters; College of Behavioral and Health Sciences; College of Business; Martha Dickerson Eriksson College of Education; College of Graduate Studies/Research; College of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM); Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell; Felix G. Woodward Library; Enrollment and Student Achievement; Academic Strategic Initiatives and Foundation Engagement; Center for Extended and International Education; and Office of Senior Vice Provost and Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs.

## Academic Alert, Marks 123, 931-221-6555

Academic Alert is a web-based, early-alert system used to notify students on how to address problems they may be having in class. Alerts are submitted by faculty members who are concerned that a student is in academic jeopardy due to issues such as poor class attendance, tardiness, lack of participation, incomplete assignments and/or poor performance on quizzes and tests. Alerted students are notified through APSU email and asked to contact the Academic Recovery Office to discuss the alert; students may also receive a phone call, a letter or additional emails from the academic recovery staff. Recommendations to support and enhance the opportunity for academic success of alerted students may include tutoring, improving study skills and/or personal counseling. For questions regarding an academic alert, please stop by Marks 123, call (931) 221-6555 or email academicalert@apsu.edu.

## **Academic Honesty**

Austin Peay State University strives to promote values and attitudes that are reflective of solid academic character and integrity. All students are expected to complete their own work, conduct research and author assignments independently of others (unless specifically authorized to work together by your respective faculty). Academic integrity is the cornerstone of any student's educational experience. When students participate in behavior that is considered academic misconduct, the scholarly value of their education is diminished.

Academic misconduct is defined as the following:

- **Plagiarism.** The adoption or reproduction of ideas, words, statements, images or works of another person as one's own without proper attribution.
- **Cheating.** Using or attempting to use unauthorized materials, information or aids in any academic exercise or test/ examination. The term academic exercise includes all forms of work submitted for credit or hours.
- Fabrication. Unauthorized falsification or invention of any information or citation in an academic exercise.
- **Facilitation or Collusion.** Assisting or attempting to assist another to violate a provision of the institution's Code of Student Conduct regarding academic misconduct.

Students should be aware that a violation of the University's Academic Misconduct Policy can result in disciplinary action which could include failure for an assignment, failure for an entire course, probation, suspension or expulsion from the

University. If students are not certain whether a practice would be considered academic misconduct, they should always consult their instructor.

For additional information, see Student Academic Misconduct Policy: 3:005.

## **Appealing University Decisions**

Any student may appeal the assessment, application, calculation, collection or interpretation of any University fee, charge, deposit or refund. Please refer to the appeals section of this book for processes on filing an appeal on pages 90-91.

## APSU Ann R. Ross Bookstore, 328 College Street, 931-221-6705, www.apsubookstore.com

Operated and managed by Barnes & Noble College, the bookstore provides course materials and other items to support students' academic career, including study guides, notebooks, backpacks, electronics, spirit items, apparel and much more. Services Offered:

- · Price match
- Rentals
- Charge to Financial Aid and/or VA/Voc Rehab during certain dates

The Clarksville campus bookstore includes a Barnes & Noble café serving Starbucks, close parking options, visitor parking, traffic light/crosswalk, and other general services.

The bookstore also provides services at the SSG Glenn H. English Jr. Army Education Center at the Fort Campbell Center.

## Cancellation and Withdrawal from Class, 931-221-7150

Not attending class does not remove the student from the class, relieve students from their financial obligations, or entitle them to a refund. Students who withdraw before the first day of class will not incur tuition liability. Students receiving financial aid should meet with the financial aid counselor prior to withdrawal. Students will be responsible for charges in accordance with the refund schedule on the academic calendar.

Students who confirmed their registration must withdraw officially from the University if they decide not to attend APSU. Official withdrawals must be completed online in AP OneStop. For questions regarding withdrawals, please contact the Office of the Registrar at 931-221-7150.

Withdrawal from the University may require repayment of financial aid, loss of lottery scholarship eligibility, and/or loss of VA benefits. Official withdrawals are completed online in OneStop.

#### **Class Attendance**

Students are expected to attend class regularly, to participate in class and to be prepared with assignments. The University requires faculty to report students who have never attended or who stopped attending class. The impact of class attendance on the final grade is within the purview of the teaching faculty, and faculty will inform class members of their attendance policies through a course syllabus distributed at the beginning of the semester or term. Irregular attendance may result in a referral to the Academic Recovery Office (Academic Alert). Unless the student is officially representing the University off-campus, the discretion of the instructor determines the action regarding missed exams or work. Class absenteeism that results in the grade of "FA" (failure, stopped attending and reported within 14 days of the last date of attendance) or "FN" (failure, never attended and reported within the first 14 days of class) may adversely affect the student's time status, and financial aid repayment of lottery scholarship and/or veteran's benefits. Grades of "FA" are awarded for courses when a student stops attending class and the grade of "FN" is awarded for courses when a student never attends the class.

### **Full-Time Class Load**

The basic unit of all college work is the "semester credit hours." For undergraduate students, twelve (12) semester hours for Fall or Spring semester is a full-time load in determining such things as veteran status, financial aid, and insurance eligibility.

To determine your eligibility for Clarksville campus and our Fort Campbell campus, please visit the Financial Aid website at www.apsu.edu/financialaid. However, the usual load for a full-time undergraduate student is at least 15 semester hours. Because the summer term is approximately one-third the length of the semester, the workload for one course is three times as heavy. APSU strongly recommends students register for no more than six (6) semester hours in each summer term. Graduate students who enroll for eight (8) hours during the semester are considered full-time.

## **Computers and Printing**

For a listing of computer labs and information, go to https://www.apsu.edu/information-technology/helpdesk/computerlabs. Computers are available for use in the Woodward Library. The Pharos Print Center in the Woodward Library enables students to send print jobs quickly and securely from any computer or mobile device to any library printer. Students have two hours to retrieve the print job once it has been submitted. To release the print job on the print station, students will need their Govs ID. Students have limited, preloaded funds for printing on their Govs ID each semester. For information refer to the Pharos Printing Guide in the Library.

#### Dean's List

At the end of each specific semester/term a list of honor students, known as the Dean's List, is published.

To qualify for this distinction the student must earn at least 12 credit hours with a minimum semester/term GPA of 3.50 in an individual term OR any combination of consecutive Spring terms OR any combination of consecutive Fall terms.

Courses taken on the Pass-Fail grading system will not be included in hours earned for purposes of the Dean's List.

## Distance Education (Online Classes), McReynolds, 216, 931-221-6625

Distance Education supports learning, teaching, and technology in the online environment which impacts all courses —online, hybrid, face-to-face, etc. Our staff manages and provides resources and training on several technologies used while learning at APSU including the D2L online classroom, Tutor.com online tutoring, Zoom web conferencing, Examity and Honorlock online proctoring, YuJa media management, SmarterMeasure Learning Readiness Indicator, and Turnitin academic writing integrity tools.\* Students may encounter one or more of our supported tools in any course. Besides direct support to students, we also collaborate with faculty to improve course quality, technology integration, and design.

Distance Education staff can assist you with any of the technologies listed above or with general questions about online learning. Our support desk, Distance Education Support, can be reached Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. at online@apsu. edu, 931-221-6625, or in McReynolds 216. Additionally, our Distance Education website, www.apsu.edu/online, has a wealth of information including an introduction to online courses guide, technology training resources, FAQ, helpful tips, and much more.

### **Important Tips to Get Started**

Access to courses in D2L will begin two business days before the official start of classes. Log into your online courses the first day and continue to check them daily. Online courses are not self-paced; courses begin and end on specific dates and class work has assigned deadlines. Refer to the course syllabus posted within each course for more information about the course format and deadlines. Stay up-to-date on assignments. As an online learner, it is your responsibility to manage your time

and keep track of assignment due dates. Reach out to faculty and use academic support resources as much as needed to stay successful in your courses. Stay connected with APSU and your online classes by downloading the Peay Mobile and D2L Pulse apps.

\*Turnitin notice and information for students: Turnitin provides instructors with the tools to prevent plagiarism, engage students in the writing process, and provide personalized feedback. Individual instructors determine whether Turnitin is used in their courses and for which assignments. When used, Turnitin is integrated into the D2L online classroom and processes assignments that are submitted through the D2L Assignments tool. All required papers may be subject to submission for textual similarity review to Turnitin for the detection of plagiarism. All submitted papers will be included as source documents in the Turnitin.com reference database solely for the purpose of detecting plagiarism of such papers. Use of the Turnitin.com service is subject to the Usage Policy posted on the Turnitin.com site. If you have general questions about Turnitin, please contact Distance Education at online@apsu.edu. If you have questions about the use of Turnitin within a course, please contact the instructor.

## Graduate School/College of Graduate Studies, McReynolds 119, 931-221-7662

Austin Peay State University offers numerous graduate degrees and certificate programs that afford greater career opportunities and global reach. Across the country, graduate degrees are increasingly becoming commonplace expectations for highly sought-after careers. APSU's graduate programs will empower students with knowledge and skills for an aggressive and entrepreneurial mindset for ever-changing industries.

Advantages to consider: Many online programs can be completed in one year; no specific undergraduate degree requirement for some graduate programs; no GRE or GMAT requirements for selected programs; some programs offer eightweek sessions; small class sizes allow for personalized learning; quality faculty members are committed to ensuring student success and graduate students enjoy collaborative relationships among peers while pursuing educational and professional goals. Graduate programs of study include Executive Certificate, Master of Arts, Master of Science, Professional Science Masters, Certificate and Doctoral degrees.

Financial opportunities are available to reduce the cost of investing in your education, including the Diversity Fellowship Grant and Graduate Assistantships. In addition to participating in valuable teaching, research and work opportunities, graduate assistants receive tuition assistance and stipends. For more information on graduate programs and financial assistance, visit www.apsu.edu/grad-studies.

## Graduation, Registrar's Office, Ellington 316, 931-221-7150

Students who will complete all degree requirements must apply for graduation. Visit www.apsu.edu/commencement for detailed information about graduation and application for degree deadlines.

## Honors Program, Honors Commons, Memorial Health Building, 931-221-7403

The Honors Program is designed to challenge students with an interdisciplinary curriculum, and provide opportunities for creative exploration and intellectual development as well as friendship with high-achieving peers. The program requires motivated students to fulfill a minimum of 25 hours of honors designated courses, including a senior thesis. There is also a non-thesis option. Admission to the program requires a 3.5 GPA or 25 ACT score. Students in the Honors Program must maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25. To apply, visit: https://www.apsu.edu/honors/apply.

Honors Program students have some scholarship opportunities, 24 hour a day access to the Honors Commons which includes computers, printers, study areas, a classroom, a library, and areas for students to meet and socialize. For more information, visit www.apsu.edu/honors or contact Dr. Tim Winters at honors@apsu.edu or 931-221-7403.

## Learning Resource Center/Tutoring, Marks 124, 931-221-6550

The Learning Resource Center focuses on helping students succeed. The LRC offers free peer tutoring on most core courses (undergraduate), workshops on select topics throughout the semesters, and test-preparation workshops including the GRE and other standardized tests.

## Library, Information and Checkout Desk: 931-221-7346

The Woodward Library provides services and support for all your information needs. Students can log in to the library from any location with internet access. Students have access to computers in the Library Information Commons and computers in the Library Instruction Room when it is not in use for instruction.

The library has laptops and MacBooks for use in the building. Other services available are free book checkout, reserves, group study rooms and study space, interlibrary loan, document delivery, self- service scanners, microfilm/ fiche copiers, and specialty collections such as the Dorothy Dix Collection and Clarksville photographs. The library also offers a lactation room for mothers and houses the Writing Center, Printing Services and Starbucks.

Librarians can help you find, evaluate and use information necessary for completing papers and research assignments. Research assistance is available in person (appointments recommended), via online chat and email and on the phone. Student instruction is a major focus of the library's services that include online tutorials, library instruction classes and one-on-one instruction. The library provides access to a wealth of print and electronic information via the library website at library.apsu. edu.

## OneStop, onestop.apsu.edu

Students may register, pay fees, add or drop classes, view grades, check APSU email, request student transcripts and obtain information on admissions, financial aid, veteran services, housing, testing, opportunities, important dates, official communication and more by accessing OneStop. To log in, go to onestop.apsu.edu and enter your APSU username and APSU password. Students may access Self Service through OneStop by clicking on the "Web Self Service" tab.

If you have trouble logging in, contact the GOVSTECH Help Desk at govstech@apsu.edu or call 931-221-4357 (HELP). Please check OneStop regularly for important Austin Peay announcements and information.

## **Program Licensure Disclosure**

Effective July 1, 2020, the Department of Education has enacted Regulation 34 CFR 668.43 (a) (5) (v) requiring colleges and universities to disclose licensure program eligibility in all U.S. States and Territories. A comprehensive listing of licensure programs offered at APSU and the appropriate state licensure information and supporting links can be found at the web address at the end of this section.

Students should be aware that licensure and certification requirements vary from state to state and are subject to change. Licensing agencies or boards also may have requirements in addition to an earned degree. APSU has listed each program and if it currently meets or does not meet the requirements for licensure for each US state or territory at the below link. APSU recommends that students who are not Tennessee residents or who plan to seek licensure or certification outside the state of Tennessee contact the appropriate licensing agency or board before they enroll in an academic program designed to lead to

licensure or certification and discuss their plans with an adviser.

Students seeking a degree in one of the APSU programs found at the following link need to disclose any updated address information to the University within 14 days of relocation. This disclosure will allow APSU to update information in student records and notify the student about licensure or certification requirements relevant to the student's new state or territory of residence.

For additional information please visit https://apsu.edu/program-licensure-disclosures/index.php

## Registrar's Office, Ellington 316, 931-221-7150

The Office of the Registrar, located in the Ellington Building, maintains student academic records (courses, grades, GPA, transcripts, course substitutions, change of majors, etc.) and coordinates registration. They offer a variety of student services, including registration assistance, verification of enrollment, loan deferments, transcript services, address and official name changes, questions related to graduation and course transfer equivalency. If you have any questions or comments, please contact them at registrar@apsu.edu or call 931-221-7150.

The Office of the Registrar is also responsible for the following:

- FERPA release form allows students to authorize the release of confidential academic, financial aid, discipline and student account information otherwise protected by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) to designated persons. These designated persons will have access to the student's grades and progress reports, certain disciplinary records and other information related to academic progress, financial aid and student financial accounts. Students may go to www.apsu.edu/registrar/forms and click on"FERPA: Student Release of Confidential Information Form."
- Official withdrawal is ONLY completed if the student is dropping all classes for the semester. The withdrawal process is completed in OneStop by clicking the 'Drop All Courses for a Selected Term/Semester' link.
- Enrollment verification for insurance, scholarship, tax or personal purposes can be requested by students in OneStop.
- Privacy hold/release forms are completed if the student would like a privacy hold on their account. With this hold, the
  University cannot release any student information or registration status to anyone. The form is at www.apsu.edu/
  registrar/forms/ and click on "Privacy Hold/Release Form."

## **Registration and Advisement**

Students are assigned a faculty or professional adviser at the time of initial enrollment. Students can see their academic adviser's name in OneStop on the academic advising page. The adviser helps students clarify personal goals, career options, courses of study, program requirements and educational needs. While the adviser assists the student to identify and assess the alternatives and the consequences of academic decisions, academic choices rest with the students. Each department and college has policies specific to advisement. Students who have not declared a major will be assisted in choosing an academic focus and appropriate core courses by student success coordinators. Freshmen will be assigned to a professional academic adviser, either in their College or with Student Success. Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors will be advised by the department of their declared major.

Currently enrolled students may use this checklist as a brief summary of registration requirements. During or before the designated preregistration period:

- Students will receive priority registration information by APSU email. The student should then schedule an appointment with their academic adviser.
  - Once a student has been advised, they will be able to register through AP OneStop starting on their designated date.

• Prior to preregistration, students should check AP OneStop (onestop.apsu.edu) for any registration holds. All registration holds must be removed prior to preregistration. There are several types of holds that can prevent a student from preregistering. Some of these holds include, but are not limited to:

Type of Hold

Financial Aid debt

Office of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships

Balance due to the University

Graduate maximum hours

Health Services fees due

Library fines/overdue books

Traffic fines

Office to Contact

Office to Contact

Office to Contact

Student Account Services

Student Account Services

Library

Student Account Services

- Students should access OneStop (onestop.apsu.edu) to register in accordance with their first registration date as indicated in the priority preregistration email.
- After preregistration, students may make adjustments to their schedules through AP OneStop. Any adjustment made to
  a schedule after the date fee statements are printed will not appear on the statement, but for verification, students may
  check their current schedules in AP OneStop.
- After registering, students must meet the fee payment deadlines and confirm their classes or classes will be dropped.

## Student Success, McReynolds 102, 931-221-6643

Student Success assists freshmen transition into college academic life. Student Success offers professional academic advising to all incoming and current freshmen except Business and Nursing majors. In addition to freshmen academic advising, the office currently oversees the following programs: APSU 1000 Freshmen Seminar, College Possible Success Coaches, and the Peer Leader program. Peer Leaders are upperclassmen that are assigned to APSU 1000 and PASS 0900 courses to assist students with the transition to college life.

Student Success is located in McReynolds Room 102 and can be reached at (931) 221-6643 or studentsuccess@apsu.edu.

## Student Research and Innovation, McReynolds 118, 931-221-7881

The mission of the Office of Student Research and Innovation is to support the incorporation of research training in the areas of business, education, humanities, social sciences and STEM into the APSU experience as a means to engage, retain and promote students and their success. Our purpose is to connect students with different opportunities that will help them pursue research and creative activities. The Office of Student Research and Innovation arranges several research events which include various research projects completed by our undergraduate students, graduate students, and faculty members. For more information about research opportunities, visit www.apsu.edu/osri.

## Study Abroad and International Exchange, International White House, 325 Drane St., 931-221-6851

The Office of Study Abroad and International Exchange prepares APSU students to be knowledgeable about the world, gain experience with intercultural communication, and become equipped with skills necessary to succeed in an international society. The office also serves incoming international students and scholars.

Studying abroad is an opportunity to explore the world and gain resume-building experience while earning college

credits. These experiences allow students to acquire knowledge of the world and to grow both academically and personally. Programs range from one week to a full year and can take place in the fall, winter, spring, and summer semesters. Students can participate in faculty-led, consortium, third-party, or exchange programs.

Students will earn between three to eight APSU credit hours on short-term programs (1-6 week programs). Students will earn at least 12 credit hours if studying abroad or away (U.S. exchange program) for a semester. Some programs offer service-learning or volunteering opportunities.

APSU students can also benefit from international programs by participating in the Bridge Program. The Bridge Program is a peer-mentor group that consists of both international exchange and domestic students enrolled at APSU. It is designed to help international exchange students explore American culture and history while teaching First Friends (domestic students) about the culture and history of their countries.

Find out more about our programs, scholarships and the experiences of student participants by visiting www.apsu.edu/study-abroad-exchange or by emailing internationaled@apsu.edu.

## Testing Services, Ellington 207, 931-221-6269

The Academic Testing Center offers a variety of tests, including ACCUPLACER, ACT On Campus, CLEP, MAT, TEAS, and ProV certification exams. The center is also a fully funded DSST test center, offering DSST exams for free for eligible active-duty military members. Information regarding other tests not offered at APSU such as Praxis, GRE, LSAT, and MCAT is available at the testing center. For more information or to schedule a testing session, visit www.apsu.edu/testing.

## Transcripts, Ellington 316, 931-221-7150

Students may request their academic transcript online through AP OneStop at onestop.apsu.edu, by mail or in person at the Office of the Registrar, Ellington building, room 316. An electronic PDF transcript may be requested directly through Parchment. For more information, please visit www.apsu.edu/registrar.

## TRiO Student Support Services, Ellington 337, 931-221-6142

TRiO Student Support Services is a federally funded program established to provide Pell Grant eligible, first-generation and/or disabled college students with individual academic services and a supportive environment. In order to participate in TRiO Student Support Services, one or more of the following must be met based on the legislative requirements of the U.S. Department of Education: family income meets published federal guidelines (Pell Grant eligible), neither parent earned a four-year college degree (first generation), referred by the Student Disability Resource Center (disabled) or the student must demonstrate an academic need for services and must have the potential to benefit from the services.

Application forms are available in the Ellington Building, Room 337, or visit www.apsu.edu/sss to download an application. All services of TRiO Student Support Services are free to eligible participants.

## Tutoring, 931-221-6550

The Learning Resource Center provides FREE tutoring to currently enrolled APSU students. Email learningctr@apsu.edu or call 931-221-6550 to schedule a time with a tutor. The Learning Resource Center has partnered with Distance Education to offer free online tutoring to all undergraduate students. Online tutoring is available 24/7. Visit www.apsu.edu/onlinetutoring for more information.

## **FINANCIAL**

#### **CHECK YOUR FINANCIAL AID STATUS**

### **Eligibility**

You may review your financial aid eligibility by following the steps below:

- 1. Go to onestop.apsu.edu.
- 2. Log in to AP OneStop using your username and password.
- Select "Web Self Service."
- Select "Financial Aid and Veterans Affairs."
- 5. Select "Eligibility."
- 6. From the drop-down menu, select the aid year for which you are checking eligibility. There are three tabs that will help you understand your eligibility. These tabs are explained below:

## • Student Requirements

- Unsatisfied student requirements will need to be addressed as soon as possible. Unsatisfied student
  requirements are the No. 1 reason financial aid does not post to your student account. Not all students
  will have requirements; however, it is important that you check often.
- Satisfied student requirements will allow you to view whether the submitted documents are being reviewed, completed or denied.

#### Holds

Common holds are loan defaults, satisfactory academic progress violations and transfer monitoring holds. You will
need to clear any holds on your account before your financial aid can be processed. Financial Aid holds will not keep
a student from being able to register for courses.

### Academic Progress

The status of academic progress is based on your academic performance for each academic year you are enrolled.
 Hindered progress toward the completion of your program of study or poor academic performance can affect your Financial Aid eliqibility.

## **Accept your Financial Aid Award Offers**

- 1. Click on "Financial Aid and Veterans Affairs" tab.
- Select "Award."
- 3. Select the "Award for Aid Year."
- 4. From the drop-down menu, select the aid year for which you are accepting aid.
- Select "Accept Award Offer."
- 6. Use the drop-down menu to "Accept" or "Decline" each award amount or change the amount you are requesting. Keep in mind this is the amount for the entire academic year, and will be split evenly between Fall and Spring semesters.
- 7. Once you have entered your decisions, select "Submit Decision."

#### **Report Additional Resources**

1. If you are receiving outside aid not listed on your award letter, you must complete the Additional Resources Form. Examples include outside scholarships, discounts or benefits.

- 2. The form is located at www.apsu.edu/financialaid/forms/online-forms.php.
- 3. Failure to report additional financial aid may result in an overaward and require you to pay back any excess funds you receive that exceed your cost of attendance.

#### **Course Choice Counts for Financial Aid**

For federal and state financial aid to pay for courses in the major, minor or other degree requirements, the course must be part of the program of study in the Degree Works system in AP OneStop. The U.S. Department of Education is requiring students enroll in courses that fulfill degree requirements. It is important for students to talk to their academic adviser to ensure they are enrolling in courses required for their degree. For more information, visit www.apsu.edu/cpos.

## Financial Aid and Scholarships, Ellington 216, 931-221-7907

Financial aid is available in the form of scholarships, grants, loans and work-study. Federal government, the state of Tennessee, lending institutions, private agencies and postsecondary institutions may offer financial aid assistance. Most federal- and state-funded financial aid programs are awarded on the basis of proven financial need. Need is defined as the difference between the cost of attendance and the Expected Family Contribution (EFC). The EFC is determined from the FAFSA using a standard formula established by the U.S. Congress. Financial aid does not always cover the cost of books.

It is each student's responsibility to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) online at www. studentaid.gov after Oct. 1 prior to the upcoming academic year. Other required forms may be obtained online at www.apsu. edu/financialaid. The student must reapply each academic year for financial aid.

## Types of financial aid

- Grants: Based on financial need (exception: Teach Grant) and normally do not have to be repaid.
- Student Loans: Borrowed money that must be repaid beginning six months after graduation, or if no longer enrolled at half-time status. For more details, visit www.studentaid.gov.
- Parent PLUS Loan: Borrowed money that must be repaid beginning immediately from the time funds are disbursed or other payment plans are available.
- Federal Work-Study: Based on financial need. Student works on campus up to 20 hours per week.
- Scholarships: For information please visit the scholarship website at apsu.edu/scholarships.

#### **Other Important Loan Information**

- Students may accept their federal student loans on AP OneStop.
- Parents interested in borrowing a Parent PLUS Loan may apply and see more information at www.studentaid.gov.
- The master promissory note is required by the Department of Education for both student and parent loans.
- Entrance counseling is required before loan can be disbursed to the student's account.

#### **Satisfactory Academic Progress for Federal Aid**

 Academic progress is evaluated at the end of the spring term each academic year. Satisfactory academic progress must be met in order to be eligible for financial aid.

- Students must maintain good academic progress in order to continue eligibility for financial aid, to include loans.
- Students can lose eligibility to receive aid based on poor grades or attendance.
- Review Satisfactory Progress guidelines at www.apsu.edu/financialaid/ sat\_prog.php.

#### **Enrollment Status**

Undergraduate Students

• Full Time = 12+ hours

• 3/4Time = 9 to 11 hours

HalfTime = 6 to 8 hours

Less than Half Time = 1 to 5 hours

Graduate Students

• Full Time = 6+ hours

3/4 Time = 4 to 5 hours

HalfTime = 3 hours

Less than Half Time = 1 to 2 hours

NOTE: If students are awarded financial aid for full-time and drop to 3/4 or part-time, they may be billed for the difference.

#### Verification

- The federal government randomly selects financial aid application files for verification of FAFSA data.
- Students may be asked to provide the following:
  - 1. IRS tax return transcripts or signed 1040 Tax Returns for parent and/or student
  - 2. Various verification worksheets
  - 3. Other information
- The student's financial aid cannot be finalized until all verification documents are received.

## Veterans Education Benefits Office (VEBO), 931-221-7760

Veterans Education Benefits Office assists active-duty service members, veterans, reservists, Guardsmen and family members with U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs education benefits, VA Veteran Readiness & Employment (VA VR&E) program, and other services. VEBO is located at the Ellington Student Services Building, room 202, (931-221-7760). Students may contact VEBO for assistance with VA education benefits, VA VR&E program, and other services.

## Payment Information, Student Account Services, Ellington 101/107, 931-221-6285

If students preregister, the bill is electronically sent to their AP email address approximately six to eight weeks prior to the first day of classes. Payment for the semester is due by the date shown on the bill (usually the first week of August for fall and the first week of January for spring). If tuition is not paid by the due date, classes will be dropped, students have to re-register for classes and a \$50 late fee will be assessed. Dropped classes are not always available when re-registering. A copy of the tuition statement is available in OneStop.

Charges on the bill remain the student's obligation unless they properly withdraw from the University. If students withdraw before the first day of class, they will not incur tuition liability. After the first day, students will be responsible for the charges in accordance with the fee adjustment schedule. Not attending class does not relieve the student from their financial obligation or entitle them to a refund. Students who have confirmed their registration must withdraw officially from the University if they decide not to attend. Withdrawals are handled by the Office of the Registrar at (931) 221-7121 or online at www.apsu. edu/registrar. See www.apsu.edu/sas for important dates. For appealing University fee decisions, visit www.apsu.edu/appeals.

Payments may be made online via OneStop or in person (cash or check) at the cashiers'windows in Ellington from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Checks/money orders should be made payable to Austin Peay State University. The student's name and A-Number should be listed on any check, money order or correspondence. Installment plans are available during the fall and spring semesters.

#### **Discounts**

The most common discounts are for dependents of public school teachers and state employees, retired state employees and for retired school teachers. If you are eligible for a discount, forms must be submitted by the last day of late registration. Students receiving financial aid deferments must turn discount forms in to the cashier's windows by the last day of late registration. A new form is required each term. The fee discount program is not retroactive. For more information, visit www. apsu.edu/sas.

## Student Account Services, Ellington 101/107, 931-221-6285

Student Account Services is responsible for handling student accounts, which includes fee payments, placing charges and credits on accounts, answering inquiries about accounts, processing discount forms, as well as preparing and disbursing student refund/balance checks. The office also prepares bills for student accounts and is responsible for the collection of past due accounts. The responsibilities of the office include accounting and reporting functions for Accounts Receivable.

APSU's Student Account Services provides and maintains the official University accounting records and related systems of internal control in accordance with accounting principles, University policies and the requirements of the University Board, the federal government and external funding sources.

#### **Confirmation of classes**

Confirmation is necessary to prevent a student's classes from being dropped. Even if a student's account shows a zero or credit balance, they must complete the confirmation process to retain their classes. Students may confirm their classes by logging on to AP OneStop at onestop.apsu.edu. See page 60 for step-by-step instructions.

## **Student Employment on Campus**

## **General Campus Employment**

On-campus employment, also known as general campus employment, is part-time work advertised by University departments. **Students apply for general campus jobs through their Career Services Jobs4Govs account at www. apsu.edu/careers/jobs4govs.** To be eligible, students must be enrolled at least half-time, apply via Jobs4Govs, and be selected for an open position. Student employees may be hired for a maximum of two jobs at any given time and are not to exceed 20 total work hours per week. Student employees are considered temporary, part-time employees. Students are not eligible to work until they have completed the required Human Resources paperwork and been provided a work start date. Contact Career Services at careerservices@apsu.edu or call 931-221-6544 to learn more.

## **Federal Work-Study Student Employment**

Federal Work-Study is an employment program funded by the federal government to promote and encourage part-time employment of students to assist the University and its surrounding community. Federal Work-Study provides job placement for eligible students to earn money to assist with paying for educational expenses. Federal Work-Study is not available to pay registration, tuition, or fees. Repayment of income earned through the Federal Work-Study employment program is not required.

To apply and determine Federal Work-Study eligibility, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at fafsa.ed.gov each year after Oct. 1. The priority deadline for campus-based aid is March 1 of each year. (March 1 is the date by which students' financial aid files and all required documents are completed).

If you are awarded and choose to accept Federal Work-Study, accept the award within 14 days in AP OneStop. The Office of Student Financial Aid and Scholarships will be in touch with you to assign you to work in a department. For questions about Federal Work-Study placements, call 931-221-6256.

Direct deposit your earnings by accessing Web Self-Service and entering your setup information. Select the "Employee" tab, "Pay Information," Direct Deposit Allocation" and "Update Direct Deposit Allocation." Enter your financial institution information into the available fields. Confirm that the information is correct and select "Save." For assistance, contact Payroll at 931-221-7465.

## Tennessee HOPE Lottery Scholarship, Financial Aid and Scholarships, Ellington 216, 931-221-7907

### To maintain HOPE eligibility:

- FAFSA: Completing the FAFSA is the only way to apply, and must be submitted each year.
- Oct. 1: FAFSA opens at www.fafsa.gov.
- Maintain the enrollment status for which you were awarded. For example, if awarded for full time, you must maintain full-time enrollment.
- Please speak to the Office of Financial Aid before changing your enrollment status to prevent unexpected award cancellation.
- Courses must be counting under course choice counts to be eligible for Tennessee Hope Lottery Scholarship funding.
- TELS GPA reviewed at 24, 48, 72, 96 and 120 attempted hours.
- Must maintain required TELS GPA to remain eligible.
- Strict appeal process most cannot be appealed if scholarship is lost, it is typically lost for the remainder of a student's enrollment.
- Seek tutoring assistance immediately if struggling academically.
- Students are responsible for knowing and understanding criteria for retaining the scholarship(s).
- Go to www.apsu.edu/scholarships/tn-education-lottery-programs/dont-lose-hope for additional information.

## Tennessee Promise at APSU, Financial Aid and Scholarships, Ellington 216, 931-221-7907

To remain eligible for the Tennessee Promise at APSU, students must complete the following:

- Admitted to APSU seeking an associate degree.
- This scholarship may be used for up to five semesters of assistance, provided continuing eligibility is met.
- The Tennessee Promise service hours must be completed each semester by the deadline to remain eligible (please refer to TSAC Tennessee Promise checklist).
- Although the Tennessee Promise Scholarship is considered a last-dollar scholarship, it does not pay last dollar when
  utilized at a four-year institution. The scholarship only covers the average state community college costs of tuition and
  mandatory fees not met by gift aid from the Pell, TELS (including the HOPE scholarship, Access Grant, Aspire Scholarship,
  etc.) or TSAA programs.
- If a student's gift aid amount exceeds the average community college tuition and mandatory fees, the student will not be eligible for a Tennessee Promise Scholarship payment at Austin Peay State University.
- Enrolled full time, which is 12 credit hours or more for undergraduate students. Courses must be counting under course choice counts to be eligible for Tennessee Promise funding.
- Students participating in athletics must declare a bachelor's degree, per NCAA regulations, and are not eligible for the Tennessee Promise Scholarship.

## Tennessee Reconnect (Nontraditional Student Scholarship), Financial Aid and Scholarships, Ellington 216, 931-221-7907

- Tennessee Reconnect is a last-dollar grant for adults to earn an associate degree. For more information, visit www.apsu.
   edu/scholarships/tennessee-reconnect or contact Financial Aid and Scholarships.
- Although the Tennessee Reconnect Scholarship is considered a last-dollar scholarship, it does not pay last dollar when
  utilized at a four-year institution. The scholarship only covers the average state community college costs of tuition and
  mandatory fees not met by gift aid.
- Courses must be counting under course choice counts to be eligible for Tennessee Reconnect funding.

## Tuition and Fees, Student Account Services, Ellington 101, 931-221-6285

For current tuition and fee information, see www.apsu.edu/sas.

## STUDENT LIFE

## Adult, Nontraditional & Transfer Student Center (A.N.T.S.), Morgan University Center Room 111, 931-221-6854

The Adult, Nontraditional & Transfer Student Center (A.N.T.S.) provides support programs and resources for transfer students, adult learners, and nontraditional students.

The A.N.T.S Center creates a variety of programs from educational to family-friendly events. The center also supports commuting students who may need some of the comforts their campus-resident peers have, such as a refrigerator, toaster oven, or microwave. A.N.T.S. has test exam study books, umbrella check-outs for rainy days and a lactation space. Students can request after-hours access to the center for a quiet study space at night or on the weekends. Located in the Morgan University Center, Room 111, the center has a computer lab, study support materials and a professional college counselor to answer questions and provide support. Follow A.N.T.S. on social media to stay updated with programs and resources- Facebook @ antscenter, Instagram @antscenter and Twitter @antscenter.

## Wilbur N. Daniel African American Cultural Center, Clement 120, 931-221-7120

The Wilbur N. Daniel African American Cultural Center (WNDAACC) was founded in 1991 and was named in honor of the first African-American male student to graduate from APSU. The center, in Clement Building, Room 120, hosts a wide variety of educational programs. The center supports student learning with a checkout (borrowing) program for students needing technology for classes such as Tl-83 calculators, laptops, MacBooks, netbooks and more than 1,600 library resources. All students are welcome to stop by for a snack, to study, relax, connect with other students, watch TV or play games.

The Achievers & Scholars program assists African-American males who are classified as freshmen and transfer students up to 29 hours by connecting them to resources at the institution. This program helps integrate academic, social and supportive components to engage the participants in the APSU community, aid retention of these students, ensure their graduation and connect them to graduate school or professional opportunities. Visit www.apsu.edu/aacc for more information.

#### **APSU Alumni Relations**

The Office of Alumni Relations strives to facilitate a lifetime connection of alumni, students, faculty, staff, and friends with APSU and each other. We create relevant services, programs and events that increase the visibility of the University and foster lifetime engagement, loyalty, pride and support for APSU.

The APSU National Alumni Association (NAA) is the central organization connecting and serving all alumni, friends, faculty and staff of the Austin Peay State University family. Through periodic e-newsletters and events and programs like Homecoming, Candlelight Ball and alumni travel, we help alumni stay connected to their alma mater and the APSU network. To learn more, visit alumni.apsu.edu or contact us at alumni@apsu.edu or 931-221-7979.

## Athletics, www.LetsGoPeay.com, Dunn Center 227, 931-221-7904

Let's Go Peay! Austin Peay Athletics is a huge part of campus life. An NCAA Division I program and member of the Atlantic Sun Conference starting July 1, 2022, Austin Peay fields 16 varsity programs that have compiled 45 regular-season championships and 27 tournament titles. Admission is free for all Clarksville Campus students to all regular-season home events with a valid Govs ID. Students and families are encouraged to follow the Austin Peay Athletics social media accounts on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter, @LetsGoPeay, for the latest information.

## Govs Dining, Morgan University Center 216, 931-221-7474

Govs Dining provides several retail locations and an all-you-can-eat residential dining option making dining on campus convenient. Multiple meal-plan options are available for resident and commuter students. From the Caf with multiple food options to branded choices (ChikFilA, Papa Johns and Einstein Bros.) in the Morgan University Center Food Court to Starbucks in the library, SUBWAY and The Terrace, there is a location to meet students' needs. Visit the Govs Dining website for the latest menus, hours and events: govsdining.sodexomyway.com or Like and Follow your way to everything delicious with @govsdining on Facebook and Instagram.

## **APSU Email System (Office 365)**

APSU email through the Office 365 system is the official means of communication to students at APSU. Correspondence between the University and students will be sent to the students' email accounts; other email accounts will not be used. Students should check their APSU email account on a regular basis. To check APSU email, visit onestop.apsu.edu.

## Campus Police/Public Safety, Shasteen 133, 931-221-7786

Austin Peay State University Department of Public Safety is a full-time law enforcement agency. The Public Safety Department and police station, located in the Shasteen Building, is open for walk-in service or calls for service by telephone 24 hours a day, seven days a week. All police officers are certified by the Tennessee Peace Officer's Standard Training Commission (P.O.S.T.) and must meet the same requirements as all law enforcement officers in the state. Officers patrol the campus by various means and works closely with city, county, state and federal agencies to ensure the safety of the University community. **Crime statistics are available online at www.apsu.edu/police/crime.** 

The Public Safety/Campus Police staff strives to meet the needs of the diverse groups of the University. It is the goal of the department to maintain and provide an environment free of fear that is conducive to learning, not only in the classroom, but also in the University community. It is the department's goal to enforce the laws of the state of Tennessee, the rules and regulations of Austin Peay State University without regard for nationality, race, creed, color, gender or sexual orientation and enforce the laws of the state of Tennessee and the rules and regulations of Austin Peay.

## **Emergency Calls to Campus Police**

The department's dispatcher can be reached 24/7 at 931-221-7786 both on and off campus. **Call 911 in an emergency.** 

## **Rave Guardian App**

Download the Rave Guardian app, which allows students, faculty and staff to quickly and conveniently communicate with

APSU Campus Police. This app ties in with our text messaging/email system so you can add mobile numbers and additional emails in the app.

## Emergency Telephones, or "Blue Boxes"

Emergency telephones are found in numerous locations around campus. If you have an emergency, simply press the button on the callbox. This will immediately connect you with a dispatcher. They will send the appropriate agency to respond to your call. You can also utilize emergency telephones to request the security escort service.

## Emergency Text Message Warning System: RAVE Alert (must opt in)

Austin Peay State University offers Rave Alert/AP Alert, an emergency text message warning system that enables designated APSU officials to send an alert about an imminent emergency via text message. Students must opt in to receive the emergency notifications by providing his/her cell phone information, as described at getrave.com/login/apsu or through the Rave Guardian app. This emergency text-messaging system provides another means for members of the University community to be notified regarding weather-related closings and emergencies.

#### **Motorist Assistance Program (MAP) Services**

The Motorist Assistance Program (MAP) can come to your rescue, and best of all, it's free. The Public Safety Division provides a variety of services to assist motorists at Austin Peay. Public Safety provides this service 24/7.

- Jump-Start: Provided to those vehicles with a "dead" or weak battery.
- **Gas:** An officer will provide a gas can and transportation to a service station in order that you may pay for gasoline for your vehicle.
- Water: Provided for a vehicle that has overheated.
- **Wrecker:** Should you need a wrecker, Public Safety will contact the service of your choice and wait with you until your tow arrives. Public Safety is not responsible for the cost of the tow.

## Security Escort Service, 931-221-7786

For the safety and convenience of the campus community, APSU Public Safety provides a security escort service within the confines of the Clarksville campus. The security escort service operates 24/7. To request the service, phone 931-221-7786.

## **Crime Prevention Programs and Presentations**

The Public Safety Division offers crime prevention and safety-related programs to the University community. In addition, programs and information are available to the local and regional communities as part of our outreach initiatives. Crime prevention and safety programs are available upon request.

Students can report anonymously to police, via text, picture message or online through the Rave Guardian app.

## Career Services, Morgan University Center 210, 931-221-6544

Career Services assists students in planning for life after college whether that's entering the workforce or continuing with graduate school. The office offers one-on-one career counseling and assessments that help students with the career decision-making process. Students can access "What Can I Do With This Major?," a tool that shows the many career possibilities available to particular majors. The office assists students with resume development and mock interviews, as well as job and internship search strategies. Career Services offers workshops for students throughout the academic year that cover a variety of career-related topics.

Students have access to APSU on-campus positions and national, regional and local employment by signing in to their Jobs4Govs account. Through Jobs4Govs, students can apply for jobs and internships and publish their resume for employers to view. The office also hosts many networking and on-campus recruitment events, including career fairs, for students to discuss opportunities with employers and hand out resumes. All services are free for students and alumni. For more information, visit www.apsu.edu/careers.

## Community Engagement & Sustainability/Food Pantry, 322 Home Ave., 931-221-6590

Community Engagement and Sustainability provides students with opportunities to connect their academic and personal growth to the betterment of their community. Students can benefit from an array of community engagement programs, including alternative break trips, ENGAGE living community, days of service, volunteer opportunities and the Save Our Students Food Pantry and free thrift shop. Students also have the opportunity to enhance their education with the hands-on experiences of service-learning courses coordinated through the center.

The S.O.S. Food Pantry supports students through troubling times by helping fight hunger. The campus community supports and supplies the food pantry through donations. Students who find themselves in need can fill out an online food request form at www.apsu.edu/volunteer/sos-food-pantry and pick up groceries at 322 Home Ave. Students will need their APSU student identification card to receive food.

Sustainability is the capacity to balance the present needs of people, the economy and the environment, while protecting the needs of future generations. Since 2008, the Sustainable Campus Fee has funded over 50 projects to make APSU a greener campus. These projects include the Technology Building solar panels, the APSU Greenway, electric vehicle charging, and the Sundquist LED lighting conversion. Recycling bins are available in every building on campus, and students are encouraged to dispose of waste responsibly. To learn more visit www.apsu.edu/sustainability/ or contact herrono@apsu.edu.

## Little Govs Child Learning Center, 637 N. Eighth St., 931-221-6234

The Little Govs Child Learning Center provides full-time and part-time child care services for children ages 2 to 5 years of APSU students, staff and faculty as well as children in the community. The center enhances the growth, development, and performance of APSU students and other parents by maintaining a campus children's center whose primary objective is to promote the continuous well-being of the children and adults it serves through programs and services that meet their social, emotional and cognitive needs.

The center is licensed by the Tennessee Department of Human Services with a 3-Star Quality Rating and is a Gold Sneaker Facility. Visit www.apsu.edu/clc for more information.

## Counseling Services, Ard Building, 931-221-6162

Student Counseling Services is located in the Ard Building at 524 College Street. Patients are seen in Student Counseling Services in person and may also be seen via telehealth if the need arises. Students are encouraged to call (931) 221-6162 for more information and/or to book an appointment.

Services include individual and group counseling and address a variety of issues, including adjustment to college, depression, anxiety, relationship issues, stress, alcohol and drug abuse, and other issues. Care is provided by professionals from a variety of fields, including counseling, social work, marriage and family therapy, and clinical psychology. Our diverse professional staff offers a variety of therapeutic styles and areas of expertise, and we pride ourselves on helping students find just the right therapist, either here or in the local area, to meet their needs.

Student Counseling Services operates out of a brief therapy model, with students being eligible for up to 12 counseling sessions per year, with need and suitability for services assessed at intake. Students also have access to counseling sessions through our "Let's Talk" program. Each semester an updated "Let's Talk" schedule is posted on our website at www.apsu.edu/counseling. All currently enrolled APSU students are eligible for our services, which are confidential and free of charge.

For up-to-date information about appointments and services, please visit www.apsu.edu/health-and-counseling/counseling.

**Emergencies:** during normal business hours, mental health emergencies may be directed to the Ard Building. After business hours: mental health emergencies may be directed to Campus Police at (931) 221-7786 or by calling 911.

## Associate Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, Morgan University Center 206, 931-221-7341

The Associate Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students is an advocate for student interests, a resource for questions and assistance, and the primary contact for student emergencies. The Dean of Students is responsible for overseeing the student disciplinary/judicial process through the Code of Student Conduct. The code provides students with a comprehensive document that explains the rights and responsibilities of students who are enrolled at Austin Peay State University.

Anyone who enrolls at APSU is entitled to all rights granted to him/her by the Constitution of the United States and is entitled to the full protection of the law. Apart from those rights and duties enjoyed by nonstudents, enrollment in the University carries with it special privileges and imposes special responsibilities. The University has established regulations and certain due process procedures essential to an atmosphere of mutual respect that is sensitive to the rights of all individuals. The Code of Student Conduct can be found on page 72 of this Student Handbook & Calendar. Additionally, a complete listing can be found online at www.apsu.edu/student-affairs/dean-of-students. The Dean of Students also advises the Student Government Association.

## Student Disability Resource Center, Morgan University Center 114, 931-221-6230

The Student Disability Resource Center provides advocacy and academic assistance to students with physical, mental or learning disabilities enrolled at APSU. The center promotes self-reliance through education and improvement. The center coordinates reasonable accommodations for registered students, and serves as a liaison for students with areas across campus.

#### **Requesting Accommodations**

It is the responsibility of the student to register with the Student Disability Resource Center and request accommodations. To begin the process, please visit www.apsu.edu/disability. In addition to the application, SDRC will need supporting documentation. Students may contact the office for guidelines pertaining to specific documentation. Accommodations are academic adjustments that apply to access materials in alternate formats, adjustments to exam conditions, such as extended time or taking an exam in a minimal distraction area, as well as having a notetaker.

#### Services

The Student Disability Resource Center coordinates services with the available community resources, such as community and regional high schools, TRiO Student Support Services, Academic Support and Academic Alert, VetSuccess and vocational rehabilitation (VR). The office also coordinates other accommodations deemed necessary, such as extended time on tests, physical access, alternate format texts, note-taking, special seating, interpreter service, enlarged print and special-testing settings/conditions.

SDRC provides:

**Alternative Format & Assistive Technology Orientation Programs:** The alternative format program provides books and materials in an alternative format such as eText, Daisy, MP3, Braille, tactile graphics and more. The assistive technology program offers individual and group orientation to the various assistive technology software and devices available through SDRC and APSU.

**Notetaker Program:** SDRC utilizes volunteer student note takers to fill note-taking requests in classes. Students can check their APSU email to see if a note taker is needed in one of their classes and make a difference in the daily lives of students while earning up to 45 volunteer service hours in tandem with their academic course.

## Fraternity & Sorority Affairs, Morgan University Center 112, 931-221-6840

Sororities and fraternities have a history on campus dating back to the early 1970s. These organizations are rooted in founding principles that foster academic achievement, student involvement, community service and lifelong friendships. Fraternities and sororities are groups of men and women who come together to form a personal network of individuals with similar ideas, interests and a mutual pursuit of a well-rounded college education.

Advantages of membership include:

- A support group to help make the adjustment to college easier
- · Scholastic resources to help students achieve their academic goals
- · Leadership skills acquired through hands-on experience
- Encouragement to get involved and maximize potential on campus
- · Opportunities for active participation in community service projects

Most chapters require a high grade-point average for initial membership into the organization. To participate in fraternity or sorority recruitment/intake, one must be enrolled full time (12 credit hours) and a 2.5 college GPA, if applicable, is required by Fraternity & Sorority Affairs. Each fraternity and sorority chapter has its own requirements for membership regarding GPA.

All fraternities and sororities have strict policies regulating the consumption of alcohol and are provided education around social event management. All fraternities and sororities are held accountable to the Office of Fraternity & Sorority Affairs risk management guidelines, their national organization regulations and Tennessee state laws.

The costs of membership go toward the inter/national fees, chapter operating expenses and social functions. Financial obligations differ among individual chapters. New members can expect to pay higher dues their first semester than in subsequent ones. There are payment plans available for students, as well as scholarships within the individual chapters. While participating in the recruitment/membership/intake process, make sure to ask about the financial obligations of membership.

Austin Peay State University has a zero-tolerance policy regarding hazing that is consistent with Tennessee state law. Hazing includes any activity that subjects members to harassment, ridicule, intimidation, physical exhaustion, abuse or mental distress. If you are asked to participate in inappropriate activities as a result of membership in a fraternity or sorority, you should contact the Office of Student Affairs at 931-221-7341. Calls will be handled in a discrete manner.

Individual chapters elect officers to manage the day-to-day operations of the organization. These officers are assisted by alumni who act as advisers. Each chapter is also is responsible to its national organization, which offers support, advice and direction through paid professional staff and regional volunteers. At APSU, the Coordinator for Fraternity & Sorority Affairs is a full-time staff member and serves as the primary university contact for the fraternity and sorority community.

For more information and for information on active chapters, please visit www.apsu.edu/greek-life.

## Govs ID Card Center, Morgan University Center, Room 207, 931-221-6617

The Govs ID Card is the official identification card for every student, faculty and staff member at APSU.

For Govs ID Card online photo submission go to https://apsu-sp.transactcampus.com/eAccounts/AnonymousHome.aspx. Students must carry their Govs ID card with them at all times while on campus. The Govs ID card ensures identification as a student with campus access. Students should never allow anyone else to use their Govs ID card.

It offers a convenient, easy and safe way to make purchases and use campus services. It is used as your library card, meal plan card and meal money, Govs Bucks, admittance to athletic events, admittance to activities and events, access card to residence halls, and use in vending machines.

Your Govs Card can be used as a declining balance card for on-campus purchases. There are two separate accounts on your

Govs Card: Govs Bucks and Dining Dollars. Govs Bucks can be deposited online to your eAccount at apsu-sp.transactcampus. com/eAccounts/AnonymousHome.aspx. Deposits may be made as often as needed. Deposited funds are available for immediate use. Dining Dollars come with the purchase of a meal plan and can be used at various campus meal locations. Dining Dollars will transfer from the fall semester to the spring semester only. Meals are valid only for the semester they were purchased. Govs Bucks will remain active as long as you are a current APSU student.

## GovsLEAD, Leadership Development, Morgan University Center 211, 931-221-7431

GovsLEAD connects students to leadership opportunities, educates on theory, builds skills and offers opportunities for leaders to showcase their strengths and experiences. Growing as a leader is a major aspect of the college experience. There are many great opportunities offered through Student Life & Engagement, including leadership workshops and events, soft skill development, a campuswide leadership conference and certification through a nationally accredited leadership society. For more information, check out the program online at www.apsu.edu/student-life/leadership or stop by the Morgan University Center. Room 211.

## GOVSTECH Help Desk, Morgan University Center Info Desk, 931-221-4357

The Office of Information Technology (OIT) provides the access for computer resources to the APSU community. Student resources, such as the GOVSTECH Help Desk, computer labs, usage regulation and multimedia classrooms, are all provided by the OIT. GOVSTECH Help Desk is the first point of contact for computing, email, networking, hardware/software, PC, Apple and printer problems at the University. University personnel will NEVER ask for your personal information or login information.

APSU has an agreement with Microsoft to provide Office to enrolled students for free, on their personal computers. This helps ensure students always have the latest version of Word, Excel, PowerPoint, OneNote and more, at no additional cost, for as long they're a student at APSU. Students may visit Office 365 Student on the GOVSTECH site and follow the on-screen instructions to get their complimentary Office software.

The largest computer lab is in the Woodward Library where Dell computers and printers are available for student use. Information about other computer labs can be found at www.apsu.edu/information-technology/helpdesk. Access to the University's technology resources is a privilege granted to students. Users are expected to use these resources responsibly. If you need assistance from the GOVSTECH Help Desk, call 931-221-4357, email govstech@apsu.edu or visit the GOVSTECH Help Desk in the Morgan University Center.

## Health Services, Ard Building, 931-221-7107

Boyd Health Services is located in the Ard Building at 524 College Street. All of our services require an appointment. If you need an appointment, the place to start is to call our office at (931) 221-7107. In most cases, you can get an appointment for the same day. If you cannot be given a same-day appointment, you will be referred to the next day first available appointment.

Services include acute illness care, treatment of minor injuries, preventative health screenings, mental health concerns, gynecological visits and family planning. In addition, we offer STD testing, strep screening, urinalysis, blood glucose testing, allergy injections, and immunizations. Care is provided by nurse practitioners and consulting physicians.

There is no cost for currently enrolled students to access medical services. Note: there are nominal charges for lab work, medications, and supplies and procedures required for treatment. Any such charges will be discussed with students in advance and will be billed to their account. Students also have the option of obtaining medications from the in-house dispensary or have a prescription electronically sent to and filled by a pharmacy of their choice.

#### .Hours

Closed for lunch: 12:00-1:00

Monday: 7:00-4:30

• Tuesday: 7:00-4:30

• Wednesday: 7:00-4:30

• Thursday: 7:00-12:00 (afternoons reserved for immunization processing, staff training, and administration)

Friday: 7:00-4:30Summer: 7:00-3:30

#### **Immunizations**

APSU adheres to vaccination requirements set forth by the Tennessee Department of Health. More specifically, the state of Tennessee requires all new and readmitted full-time students to provide proof of two immunizations with Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR) vaccines, which were administered on or after the first year of birth. Exemptions include students born before 1/1/1957, those students graduating from a Tennessee high school in 1998 or after, online-only students, medical contraindication verified by a healthcare provider, or religious exemption requiring a signed and notarized statement by the student that the vaccine conflicts with his or her religious tenets or practices. Also, as of July 1, 2011, two varicella (chickenpox) vaccines or proof of immunity will be required. Exemptions include students born before 1/1/1980, those students graduating from a Tennessee high school in 2016 or after, online-only students, medical contraindication verified by a healthcare provider, or religious exemption requiring a signed statement by the student that the vaccine conflicts with his or her religious tenets or practices. The student will not be allowed to register for classes until these requirements are met. Students who will be living in on-campus housing for the first time and are under the age of 21 must also provide proof of meningitis (Meningococcal conjugate or MenACWY) vaccine within the past five years. The student will not be allowed to receive the key to their room until this requirement is met. Further, the state of Tennessee mandates that each postsecondary institution provide information concerning Hepatitis B and Meningococal infection to all students entering the institution for the first time. Tennessee law requires that such students complete and sign a waiver form provided by the institution that includes detailed information about the diseases. Students under the age of 18 are required to provide a parent-signed copy of the waiver form to Boyd Health Services, P.O. Box 4655, Clarksville, TN 37044, or fax to (931) 221-7388. These requirements may be updated. Please contact Boyd Health Services for information.

## Housing/Residence Life & Dining Services, Miller Hall 121, 931-221-7444

Housing, Residence Life & Dining Services provides a quality living and learning environment for students housed in the University residence hall and apartment system. Housing staff is responsible for the oversight and management of residence services, campus food services, residence hall facilities and educational programming. The staff provides many opportunities for the development and enhancement of human relations skills, personal value systems and leadership skills. Living on campus includes academic and personal support, convenient location, Campus Police patrol 24/7 and live-in residence hall staff.

Resident students may also reside and participate in Living and Learning Communities, which are designed to bridge academics and campus living. Students should check the website to see available communities for the current academic year. For more information visit www.apsu.edu/housing.

The University Residency Policy requires all single freshmen students younger than 21 years old not residing with their parents or legal guardians must reside in University housing and participate in a University meal plan. All freshmen younger than 21 who choose to live off campus will need to complete a Freshman Residency Webform and return it to Housing/Residence Life and Dining Services no later than move-in day.

## Latino Community Resource Center, Morgan University Center 115, 931-221-6645

The LCRC serves as a place where Latino students can connect meaningfully with and take great pride in their heritage in a nurturing environment. The center is also dedicated to providing knowledge and programming about the historic and contemporary contributions, achievements, and social perspectives of Latino and Hispanic Americans. The center is equipped with a variety of amenities open to all students such as graphic calculators, laptops, a printer, and a quiet study room. All are welcome at the Latino Community Resource Center! Visit https://www.apsu.edu/student-life/lcrc/ for more information.

## **Media and News on Campus**

### Student Newspaper: The All State, www.theallstate.org

The All State is produced by students and publishes during the fall and spring semesters when classes are in session, in print and online at www.theallstate.org. The All State has served the APSU campus as its independent student news source since 1930. The All State is operated and produced by students who are advised by the Coordinator for Student Publications. One of its main purposes is to provide a forum for the expression of student opinion as well as disseminate relevant news to the APSU campus.

Enrolled students of any major or experience level may apply to join The All State staff, which includes reporters, photographers, editors, social media, multimedia, design, advertising sales representatives, a circulation manager and other positions. Applications are available online at www.apsu.edu/student-pubs. For more information, call 931-221-7376 or email studentpublications@apsu.edu.

The All State also operates several social media accounts that help students stay informed with breaking news happening on campus and around the area with articles, photos and videos. Follow them on:

Facebook: /TheAllState | Twitter: @TheAllState and #TheAllState | Instagram: @theallstate\_apsu | YouTube: /TheAllStateAPSU Radio: WAPX-FM/MAGIC 91.9

WAPX-FM, MAGIC 91.9 is a noncommercial outreach of the Department of Communication. MAGIC 91.9 operates 24/7 providing a wide variety of music, news, public affairs and sports programming for the Clarksville- Montgomery County community. Communication students work on-air, and use studio facilities to complete audio production assignments, as well as develop public service and public affairs programming for the station. Communication students also have the opportunity to work on-air as board operators, disc jockeys and sports announcers for Govs Sports. Students enrolled as a Major or Minor in Communication are eligible to participate in station activities. Dr. David von Palko is the General Manager of 91.9 FM. For more information, call 931-221-7205 or email vonpalkod@apsu.edu. Students are also welcome to check out the station Facebook page @wapxfm919.

#### **Television: APSU-TV**

APSU-TV features state-of-the-art digital studios with master control located on campus in the Music/Mass Communication building and sports broadcasting complex in the Dunn Center. APSU-TV broadcasts locally and throughout middle Tennessee and can be viewed on CDE Lightband 9, Spectrum 192 and U-Verse 99. APSU-TV offers locally-produced news, public affairs, entertainment shows, sports broadcasts and special events (including APSU Commencement broadcasts and local high school graduation ceremonies). Some programming is streamed online as well as showcased on our YouTube channel for viewing from any location. Students work as directors, on-air talents, producers and broadcast technicians.

APSU-TV produces all of its programming in High Definition and provides broadcast media and sports communication students an opportunity to work with video productions starting their freshman year. Kathy Lee Heuston serves as the general manager and Steve Sawyer serves as the operations coordinator. For more information, contact leek@apsu.edu or sawyercs@apsu.edu.

#### **Online**

The Office of Public Relations and Marketing posts official University news releases and statements at www.apsu.edu/news.

## Military Student Center, 426 College Street, 931-221-1685

The Military Student Center (MSC) provides support, programs and services for military-affiliated students and assistance with the transition from military life to college life. The center offers a welcoming space for study, relaxation and fellowship with like-minded students. The center serves as a hub for community partnerships and collaborations through support and services.

Located in the Newton Military Family Resource Center, the MSC also offers the Texts for Vets program which provides textbooks to students on loan free of charge. The loaned textbooks are possible through donations. The center includes a computer lab, student/peer coaching, a dining area and lounge for homework space or to relax.

The Newton Family Resource Center is a one-stop shop and provides full-time staff to help students resolve academic and personal issues. All the staff work closely with other campus offices such as Student Disability Resource Center, Financial Aid and Scholarships, Veterans Education Benefits Office (VEBO), Registrar's Office, Career Services, Counseling Services, VetSuccess On Campus, Veterans Upward Bound, Student Success, etc., to ensure the students' needs are being met. Visit the MSC or contact msc@apsu.edu or call 931-221-1685. For more information, please visit us at www.apsu.edu/msc/.

#### **Ministries**

At APSU, a student's spiritual growth can be part of the education and continued personal growth through participation in the activities of the campus ministries. Campus ministries at APSU are organizations of students who are dedicated to service to others. These students gather to enhance their religious experience, while helping create a positive atmosphere of diversity. Campus ministries sponsor spiritual, social and service programs.

For information about campus ministry organizations, contact Student Life & Engagement at 931-221-7431 or visit PeayLink at www.peaylink.com.

## Morgan University Center, MUC 207, 931-221-6617

The Morgan University Center houses the Post Office; coffee shop; the food court and cafeteria; Student Publications and The All State student newspaper; Student Government Association; Student Affairs; Associate VP for Student Affairs/Dean of Students/Deputy Title IX Coordinator; Student Conduct; Student Life & Engagement; Fraternity & Sorority Affairs; Student Affairs Programs and Assessment; Career Services; Adult, Nontraditional and Transfer Student Center; Latino Community Resource Center; Student Disability Resource Center; Peay Pod convenience store; and University Facilities. Student IDs are available in MUC 207, and reservations for MUC facilities can be made at austinpeayevent.emscloudservice.com/web.

## Parking, Shasteen Building, 931-221-7275

All vehicles parked on APSU's campus must be registered in the APSU parking portal. This includes both those who are affiliated with the university (student, faculty, staff) and those who are not affiliated (visitors). APSU uses License Plate Recognition to identify vehicles parked on campus. The cost of student parking is included in the student access fees.

You may access the parking portal at apsu.t2hosted.com. Your username is your APSU credentials without the @apsu.edu or @my.apsu.edu. Those who are not affiliated with the university will create a login by following the Guest Login link. Please note that authentication may take up to one minute.

Resident students park in their assigned lot, and commuter students must park in commuter parking lots.

The following represents the color-coding system for parking on campus:

Red: Faculty and StaffBlue: ADA AccessibleGreen: Commuters

• Silver: Residents including Emerald Hills and Two Rivers

• Black: Overflow, any valid APSU registration is authorized for this zone

\*Visitor and timed parking spaces will be labeled as such. The APSU parking regulations and map can be found at www.apsu.edu/parking.

## Post Office/Mailing Services, Morgan University Center, Room 121, (931) 221-6378

Students living in campus housing will have a pre-paid post office box/campus mailing address maintained in the campus Post Office for package and mail deliveries. Students who do not live on campus can rent a campus post office box for \$15 per semester. Student post office box and campus mailing address information is in the student's OneStop. Emails are sent to the student's APSU email address regarding new post office box assignments, package pickup, and other general office information. Students interested in receiving package delivery text alerts can call the office or sign up on the APSU Postal Services website.

Post Office/Mailing Services office operates as a full contract postal unit station with the U.S. Postal Service. Students can purchase forever stamps, mail letters and packages, purchase postal money orders, and the Post Office accepts pre-paid USPS, FedEx, UPS Ground, and DHL packages that are picked up by the carriers the next business morning. The Post Office accepts cash, check, and card payments. Office hours are Monday — Friday, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and closed on weekends, University Holidays, and inclement weather days. Campus mailboxes can be checked after hours during hours the Morgan University Center is open. For more information, go to the Postal Services website on the APSU homepage Austin Peay State University Post Office (apsu.edu) or call the office at (931) 221-6378 or (931) 221-6161.

## Govs Print (Printing Services), Library 124 (lower level of Library), 931-221-7187

Printing Services serves the printing, copying, binding and laminating needs of the campus and the local community.

Students can print a wide range of products — simple flyers, posters, banners, stickers, artwork, booklets and postcards using state-of-the-art digital printers at reasonable pricing. Printing Services is located in the library, room 124, on the lower level. For more information, please visit www.apsu.edu/printing or email govs-print@apsu.edu.

## ROTC, Memorial Health Building, 931-221-6156

Army ROTC (Reserve Officers' Training Corps) provides students with the leadership skills, training and experiences they need to become officers in the U.S. Army or be competitive in any professional field. Army ROTC is an elective curriculum students can take along with their required college classes. Along with leadership training, Army ROTC can pay for your college tuition, provided you qualify.

Because Army ROTC is an elective, students may participate during their freshman and sophomore years without any obligation to join the Army. Students who choose to participate in Army ROTC throughout their college careers will participate

in challenging physical and mental exercises to prepare to be commissioned as officers in the Army. Junior military officers are paid very competitively with respect to recent college graduates in numerous fields, receive full medical and dental benefits, have 30 days of paid vacation per year and have outstanding continuing educational opportunities, among many other benefits.

Students may join the ROTC program as freshman, sophomores, or juniors (two-year program) with the attendance of summer camp (30 days) the summer prior to fall of your junior year. Email Mr. Julius Kelley at kelleyj@apsu.edu or Julius.r.kelley.civ@army.mil for additional quidance.

## Student Affairs, Morgan University Center 206, 931-221-7341

Student Affairs provides opportunities for students to build alliances between the classroom and campus life and experience the excitement and responsibility that comes from being an active member of a community of higher learning. The vice president's office serves as an advocate for students and supports student learning, engagement and personal and professional development.

The vice president is responsible for the division of Student Affairs, including the Adult, Nontraditional & Transfer Student Center, Wilbur N. Daniel African American Cultural Center, Associate Vice President and Dean of Students, Career Services, Community Engagement and Sustainability, Fraternity & Sorority Affairs, Latino Community Resource Center, Housing/Residence Life & Dining Services, Little Govs Child Learning Center, Military Student Center, Student Conduct and Case Management, Student Life & Engagement, Student Affairs Programs and Assessment, Student Counseling & Health Services, Student Disability Resource Center, Student Publications and University Recreation. Students are always welcome in Student Affairs, and are encouraged to visit or call for assistance.

The departments in Student Affairs provide a variety of educational, social and engaging programs for students throughout the year. Student Affairs is also the home of the Austin Peay Parent & Family Association. Call Student Affairs if you need assistance at 931–221–7341 or visit Morgan University Center, Room 206. Stay connected with us on Facebook @ APSUStudentAffairs.

## Student Conduct and Case Management, Morgan University Center 206, 931-221-7341

Student Conduct and Case Management is responsible for the investigation and adjudication of violations of the Code of Student Conduct, working with students who are displaying signs of distress, and educational programs pertaining to sexual assault/domestic violence. The office works in concert with the AVP for Student Affairs and dean of students to ensure that our campus community is thriving in and out of the classroom setting. The office is committed to providing impartial and educational processes that foster the highest standards of ethical behavior, student learning and civic responsibility while promoting an environment that respects the rights of all students.

## Student Government Association, Morgan University Center 213, 931-221-7262

The SGA is the representative body of all students, and its mission is to enhance and improve the quality of student life. As a part of this mission, the SGA strives to provide programs and activities that encourage student leadership and participation on campus.

SGA is composed of the executive board, senate and student tribunal (judicial board). SGA has a total of 25 senators, six justices and four executive council members. Three freshmen and three graduate senators are elected in the fall. Three senators from the sophomore, junior and senior classes are elected each spring along with two students each from the colleges of Professional Studies, Business, Arts and Letters, Education and STEM. Also in the spring, the president, vice president and secretary are elected and the chief justice is selected by committee. SGA appoints students to serve on University standing committees.

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SGA holds regular meetings at 5 p.m. each Wednesday in MUC 307 that are open to the student body. For more information, contact SGA by emailing sqapres@apsu.edu.

#### Student Life & Engagement, Morgan University Center 211, 931-221-7431

The Office of Student Life & Engagement (SLE) strives to connect academic and out-of-class experiences through programming and leadership development creating a diverse and interactive learning community. For information about Student Life & Engagement, visit www.apsu.edu/student-life. The department sponsors a multitude of programs such as Homecoming, Family Weekend, Student Organization and Leader Awards, as well as diversity and awareness programs. Leadership programs are offered to meet the needs of every student. Students gain resume-worthy experiences through involvement and leadership experience. Visit PeayLink.com to connect to student organizations, involvement opportunities and events.

SLE provides leadership development programs for students at all levels of experience and interest. Leadership skills are in demand from employers and contribute to the overall development of successful students. SLE staff work with students, departments and organizations all over campus on leadership skill-building, communication skills, teamwork and personal development, and offer numerous opportunities to get students involved.

#### A few leadership opportunities include:

- GOVS LEAD (Leadership Education and Development): connects students to leadership opportunities, educates on theory, builds skills and offers opportunities for leaders to showcase their strengths and experiences.
- The National Society of Leadership and Success: NSLS is the nation's largest and only accredited leadership
  society. Membership is open to any APSU student. The NSLS provides a step-by-step program for members to build
  their leadership skills through participation at their campus. Upon completion of the required activities, members are
  inducted, receive their leadership certificate, and take their place among the top student leaders at their campus and
  across the country. Learn more by visiting www.apsu.edu/student-life/leadership/NSLS.
- **Ziegler Leadership Forum:** Each spring, SLE hosts a campus-wide leadership forum planned by a committee of students. Each forum includes an impactful professional speaker and multiple breakout opportunities. The event includes dinner, networking and free items for participants.

#### ${\bf SLE\ involvement\ opportunities\ include:}$

- Student Organizations promote leadership development, community spirit, activism, public service and social and
  cultural interaction. Organizations are student initiated and completely student led. There are more than 130 registered
  student organizations including honor societies, professional and service organizations, religious/faith-based groups,
  social fraternities and sororities, sport clubs and many more. Students gain resume-worthy experiences through
  involvement and leadership roles.
- Govs Programming Council is a student-led governance council that plans, promotes and executes entertainment
  and educational programs such as performances by comedians, lecturers and musicians, as well as movie showings,
  open mic nights and many other social activities. Members have the opportunity to develop leadership and
  organizational skills, meet a variety of people with diverse backgrounds, and host a variety of national and local
  entertainers while building their resume.

#### Student Publications/The All State, Morgan University Center 120, 931-221-7376

The Office of Student Publications collaborates with division departments on promotional projects and communications, produces the Student Handbook & Calendar, and other Student Affairs publications, and houses *The All State* student newspaper.

Writing, photography, design, leadership, multimedia and editing positions on The All State are open to application for any and all qualified students of any major. The department provides an area for students to gain resume-worthy experience, work samples, and build quality and practical skill sets in a unique and engaging environment. For more information about Student Publications, please visit www.apsu.edu/student-pubs.

#### University Recreation, Foy Fitness & Recreation Center 112, 931-221-7564

The University Recreation Department provides recreational and wellness programs at the 78,000 square-foot Foy Fitness & Recreation Center. The Foy Fitness & Recreation Center features a three-court gymnasium, an outdoor pool, a 10,000-square-foot fitness center with cardio machines, free weights, as well as pin-selected and plate-loaded machines, an indoor climbing wall with a large bouldering feature, racquetball courts, indoor track, fitness studios, personal training, indoor cycling studio, locker rooms with private showers and changing areas, and equipment rental. The Foy Fitness & Recreation Center is open extended hours and is one of the largest student employers on campus.

University Recreation, which is housed in the Foy Fitness & Recreation Center, offers a variety of fitness programs, aquatics programs, intramural sports, sports clubs, challenge course and more. The Govs Outdoors program provides adventures for all skill levels. Govs Outdoors has offered water rafting on the Ocoee, canoeing, hiking at Land Between the Lakes and backpacking in the Smoky Mountains. For future adventures, visit www.apsu.edu/recreation. The department also offers Junior Govs Summer Camp, a recreational day camp that promotes healthy lifestyles among children ages 5-15.

Currently enrolled Clarksville campus students access the facility with a valid Govs ID. Students not enrolled on the Clarksville campus may pay access fees to use the facility. Alumni, family and community members age 16 and older may access the facility and services with a membership and fees. For more information, call 931-221-7564 or visit www.apsu.edu/recreation.

#### VetSuccess On Campus/Military & VA Support, 426 College Street, 615-983-4354

VetSuccess On Campus at APSU is a comprehensive program offering adjustment counseling, support services, career counseling, peer-to-peer mentoring and tutoring, employment assistance and guidance on the full range of VA benefits and health services for veterans.

Located in the Newton Military Family Resource Center, the VetSuccess counselor works with the VA to develop highly innovative and targeted transitional programs, services and activities for veterans, military and family members with their transition to college life and to maximize their opportunities for success, both educationally and occupationally.

Please contact Christina Hicks at christina.hicks2@va.gov or call 615-983-4354 for assistance, or visit our website at https://www.apsu.edu/military/vet-success/index.php.







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## Service-Learning at APSU

# What is it?

"Service-learning is a teaching and learning strategy that integrates meaningful community service with instruction and reflection to enrich the learning experience, teach civic responsibility, and strengthen communities." (From Servicelearning.org)

## At A Glance

**37** 

Designated service-learning course opportunities for students

16

Academic departments offering service-learning courses

400

Students taking service-learning cour during an average semester

20

Nonprofit organizations benefiting each semester from student work

#### What Faculty Say:

**82%** 

**67%** 

**60%** 

Believe student service work has made a difference in the community

Think community work has helped focus specific areas of scholarship

Believe
relationships with
students were
enhanced because
of the community
work performed

#### AP Austin Peay State University

Community Engagement & Sustainability

#### **What Students Say:**

**82**%

Think service-learning has helped them see real-life application of coursework

**60%** 

Believe their course has helped to clarify career plans

64%

Think the service-learning experience has improved leadership skills

\$52,650
Value of volunteer work each

Value of volunteer work each semester

2,340

Average hours of volunteer time per semester

The mission of the Office of Student Research and Innovation is to support the incorporation of research training in the areas of **BUSINESS**, **EDUCATION, HUMANITIES,** SOCIAL **SCIENCES** and **STEM** into the **APSU** experience as a means to engage, retain and promote students and their success.

The Office of STUDENT RESEARCH and INNOVATION









Student Research and Innovation

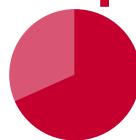
McReynolds 118, PO Box 4577 Clarksville, TN 37044 931-221-7881 www.apsu.edu/osri

## set yourself apart with an

# internship

## What is an internship?

An internship is a form of experiential learning where you integrate your classroom knowledge with real-world experiences.



68.3% of interns are offered full-time employment

at the same

company

# TOP SKILLS REQUIRED



problem-solving

analytical/quantitative

teamwork

written communication

## Why do an internship?

- You will learn industry and interpersonal skills that employers are looking for when hiring.
- An internship can build your network and open doors for future employment opportunities.
- There are more college graduates than ever before and an internship will help distinguish you in a competitive job market

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**Career Services** 

Sources: NACE 2022 Job Outlook Survey and 2022 Internship & Co-op Survey

Contact us for more information on how to get an internship and make the most of your experience!

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## **MILITARY STUDENT CENTER**

To better serve the needs of veterans, active-duty, reservists, national guardsmen, retirees, ROTC students and family members who attend the University. The center is open to all students. Military affiliation is not required.



#### THE MSC PROVIDES

- A computer lab with CAC readers.
- A dining area and lounge.
- Events include educational, informational and family-oriented programming.
- Student/Peer Coaching
- Texts for Vets relies on student textbook donations to provide textbooks for fellow students, free of charge. (First come, first served)

HOURS and LOCATION: 426 College Street. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. msc@apsu.edu | 931-221-1685

SOCIAL MEDIA Website: APSU.EDU/MSC Facebook: @APSUMSC Twitter: @APSUMSC

Military Student Center





## Military-Affiliated Student Resources

#### **Helpful Websites & Phone Numbers:**

#### Academic Calendar

www.apsu.edu/registrar/acadcal

#### ArmylgnitED Assistance

www.apsu.edu/apfc/armyignited.php | 931-221-1400

#### Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell

www.apsu.edu/campbell | 931-221-1400

#### **Career Services**

www.apsu.edu/careers | 931-221-6544

#### **Counseling Services**

www.apsu.edu/health-and-counseling l 931- 221-6162

#### **Financial Aid and Scholarships**

www.apsu.edu/financialaid | 931-221-7907

#### **Food Pantry**

www.apsu.edu/volunteer | 931-221-6120

#### Govstech HELPDESK (computer/network)

govstech.apsu.edu | 931-221-4357

#### **Health Services**

www.apsu.edu/health-and-counseling | 931-221-7107

#### Housing, Residence Life & Dining Services

www.apsu.edu/housing | 931-221-7444

#### Military-Affiliated Student Success Professional

www.apsu.edu/student-achievement/ | 931-221-6347

#### Military Student Center

www.apsu.edu/msc | 931-221-1685

#### Registrar

www.apsu.edu/registrar | 931-221-7150

#### ROTC

www.apsu.edu/rotc | 931-221-6156



#### **Student Account Services**

www.apsu.edu/student-account-services I 931-221-6285

#### **Student Disability Resource Center**

www.apsu.edu/disability | 931-221-6230

#### TN STRONG Act

www.apsu.edu/admissions/tn-strong l 931-221-6347

#### **Tutoring Center**

www.apsu.edu/Irc/tutoring | 931-221-6550

#### **Undergraduate and Graduate Academic Bulletins**

www.apsu.edu/registrar/bulletins

#### **Veterans Education Benefits Office (VEBO)**

www.apsu.edu/veterans-affairs | 931-221-7760

#### **Writing Center**

www.apsu.edu/writingcenter | 931-221-6559

#### **VetSuccess on Campus**

www.apsu.edu/military/vet-success/index.php l 615-983-4354

APSU proudly serves military-affiliated students and families through a variety of programs and services. The Newton Military Family Resource Center, the Military Student Center, and the office of VetSuccess offer resources, assistance and connections to support the success of our APSU military-affiliated community. The APSU Veterans Education Benefits Office provides services to assist military-affiliated students and family members with education benefits. At APSU the term military-affiliated students encompasses veterans, active duty, reservists, national guardsmen, retirees, ROTC students, and family members that attend the university.

## Visit apsu.edu/military for up-to-date information.

Note: This section is not all-inclusive, but a resource for quick links to frequently used services.

### **Military-Affiliated Student Resources**

#### **VETSUCCESS ON CAMPUS**

VetSuccess On Campus, in collaboration with U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, offers transitional programs and services including mentoring, counseling, tutoring and employment assistance. The VetSuccess counselor offers guidance on VA benefits and health services, and provides support to improve student success in academics as well as career goals.

#### **VETERANS EDUCATION BENEFITS OFFICE (VEBO)**

Veterans Education Benefits Office assists active-duty service members, veterans, reservists, Guardsmen and family members with U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs education benefits, VA Veteran Readiness & Employment (VA VR&E) program, and other services. VEBO is located in the Ellington Student Services Building, room 202, 931-221-7760, www.apsu.edu/veterans-affairs. Students may contact VEBO for assistance with VA education benefits, VA VR&E program, and other services.

#### **MILITARY STUDENT CENTER**

The Military Student Center supports military-affiliated students during the transition to college life and throughout their college experience. The MSC, located in the Newton Military Family Resource Center, provides:

- Texts for Vets program: provides textbooks to students free of charge.
- Green Zone training program: recognizes departments, staff and faculty who have been trained to be a resource and ally for military-affiliated students. Participants are identified by a Green Zone emblem located outside their office door or on their syllabus.

The center also hosts a variety of educational and engaging programs.

#### **ARMYIGNITED TUITION ASSISTANCE**

Army uniformed military personnel utilizing Military tuition assistance (TA) will access the ArmylgnitED portal to request tuition assistance for courses that you have already registered for in AP OneStop. Soldiers must have an approved Education Path with APSU and be approved for TA prior to the start of each term to ensure courses are financially covered. Assistance for ArmylgnitED Soldiers: please call 931-221-1400 or email apfortcampbell@apsu.edu.

#### TENNESSEE STRONG ACT (FOR NATIONAL GUARD)

Members of the Tennessee Army and Air National Guard may be eligible for state tuition assistance through the TN STRONG Act. APSU is an approved school for associate, bachelor's, and master's degrees. The STRONG Act funds up to 120 credit hours leading to a bachelor's degree and 40 credit hours toward a master's degree through a reimbursement process. Students must apply through the TNARNG website and be approved to receive tuition deferment each term. Students may apply upon guard enlistment and/or when Federal TA is exhausted within the DOD fiscal year. Students are solely responsible for submitting all required documents on time. For more information, visit www.tn.gov/military/programs-benefits/education-incentives/state-ta. For APSU assistance, please call 931-221-6347 or visit the Military Family Resource Center.

#### **TENNESSEE RECONNECT**

Tennessee Reconnect is a last-dollar grant for eligible Tennessee adults to earn an associate degree. Although the Tennessee Reconnect Scholarship is considered a last-dollar scholarship, it does not pay last dollar when utilized at a four-year institution. The scholarship only covers the average state community college costs of tuition and mandatory fees not met by gift aid. Courses must be counting under course choice counts to be eligible for Tennessee Reconnect funding. For more information, visit

**www.apsu.edu/scholarships/tennessee-reconnect** or contact Financial Aid and Scholarships.

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

To see scholarship opportunities, visit www.apsu.edu/msc/helpful-links/scholarships. This website includes a link to the Helping Heroes Grant, which is established and funded from the net proceeds of the Tennessee lottery and awarded to Tennessee veterans who were honorably discharged and are former or current members of a reserve or Tennessee National Guard unit. Check the university scholarship website for additional opportunities at www.apsu.edu/scholarships.

#### WILLIAM E. AND SADAKO NEWTON MILITARY FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

The Newton Military Family Resource Center provides support to military-affiliated students with applying for admission, accessing financial aid and maximizing use of educational benefits, selecting programs of study, registering for courses, supporting progress to graduation, and assistance securing employment after graduation. The center, located at 426 College Street, houses the Military Student Center, Career Services, Student Success, VetSuccess On Campus, Veterans Upward Bound, Military Advisor in Residence and community resources.

#### **CAREER SERVICES**

The Office of Career Services assists veteran and militaryaffiliated students with translating their military occupational

Visit apsu.edu/military for up-to-date information.

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## **Military-Affiliated Student Resources**

specialty (MOS) to civilian terms. Other services include resume development for both federal and non-federal jobs, guidance for job and internship searches, one-on-one career advising for interview preparation, and personal branding and salary negotiations. Career Services hosts career fairs each semester providing opportunities to network with employers, including those designated as veteran friendly. To schedule an appointment with a qualified career advisor, email careerservices@apsu.edu.

#### **TUTORING**

- The Learning Resource Center provides free tutoring to help students achieve their educational goals. Tutoring is offered in person and online to accommodate student schedules.
- In-person and online tutoring at the Clarksville campus
  can be scheduled by logging into Accudemia https://apsu.
  accudemia.net/ using your OneStop username and password,
  emailing learningctr@apsu.edu, stopping by Marks 124 or
  calling 931-221-6550.
- Free online tutoring is available 24/7 to undergraduate students through Tutor.com. Log into D2L, select the course in which you need help, click "Resources," then "Tutor.com 24/7." This will take you to Tutor.com, which will connect you with a tutor from across the country in the subject area that you need assistance with.
- The Writing Center, located on the main floor of the Woodward Library, provides free assistance with any paper. Tutors work with students on all types of written work regardless of writing style. Tutors can help with interpreting assignment instructions, identifying reliable sources, brainstorming and organizing ideas, preventing plagiarism and reviewing the writing process. Students may walk in, schedule an appointment by calling 931-221-6559 or visiting our website, or submit their paper for review using the TurnItIn system through D2L.

#### **ROTC**

Army ROTC (Reserve Officers' Training Corps) provides students with the leadership skills, training and experiences they need to become officers in the U.S. Army or be competitive in any professional field. Army ROTC is an elective curriculum students can take along with their required college classes. Along with leadership training, Army ROTC can pay for your college tuition, provided you qualify.

Because Army ROTC is an elective, students may participate during their freshman and sophomore years without any obligation to join the Army. Students who choose to participate in Army ROTC throughout their college careers will participate in challenging physical and mental exercises to prepare to be commissioned as officers in the Army. Junior military officers

are paid very competitively with respect to recent college graduates in numerous fields, receive full medical and dental benefits, have 30 days of paid vacation per year and have outstanding continuing educational opportunities, among many other benefits.

Students may join the ROTC program as freshman, sophomores, or juniors (two-year program) with the attendance of summer camp (30 days) the summer prior to fall of your junior year. Email Mr. Julius Kelley at kelleyj@apsu.edu or Julius.r.kelley.civ@army.mil for additional guidance.

#### STUDENT ACCOUNT SERVICES

Student Account Services provides student fee information, general payment guidelines, as well as installment plans. The office also oversees accounts receivable and the cashier's window. Fee deferments for students with VA benefits are requested through the Veterans Education Benefits Office (VEBO) at 931-221-7760.

#### **REGISTRAR**

The Office of the Registrar maintains student academic records and coordinates the registration process. The office provides transcripts, verification of enrollment, address and official name changes, and assistance related to registration, graduation and course transfer equivalency. Registration information, including grades, is available through AP OneStop.

#### MILITARY AND VETERAN GRADUATE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

The Military and Veteran Graduate Recognition Ceremony honors graduating active duty and veteran students during the "All Hail to Those Who Serve" ceremony. Graduates are presented with a special military coin and cord. For information, contact the Military Student Center.

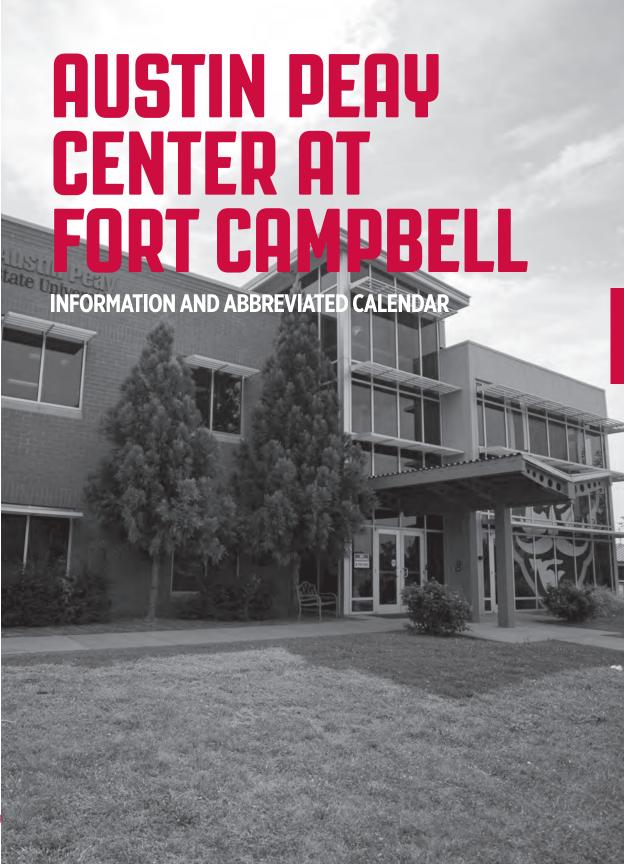
#### **APSU MILITARY ALUMNI CHAPTER**

Each year, the APSU Military Alumni Chapter provides financial assistance to military-affiliated students through several scholarships, including the Military Alumni Chapter Scholarship Endowment, the CSM(R) Sidney Brown Scholarship Endowment, the Mrs. Joyce Luster Scholarship Endowment, and the CW3 (R) Scott Schroeder Scholarship Endowment. The chapter also hosts an annual dinner to honor the military alumni who support APSU in many meaningful ways.

To learn more about the APSU Military Alumni Chapter, follow us on Facebook: @ApsuMilitaryAlumniChapter or contact the APSU Office of Alumni and Annual Giving at alumni@apsu.edu or 931-221-7979.

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## **Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell**

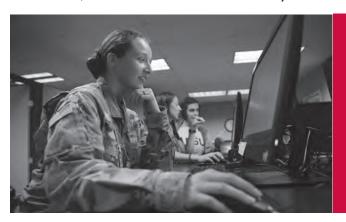
Buildings 202 and 203, Bastogne Ave., Fort Campbell, KY 42223

#### Anyone can take classes at the Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell.

Expand your skill set and enhance your career opportunities through the academic programs and convenient class schedules at the Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell.

Active duty military service members, veterans or civilians, can earn an associate, bachelor's or master's degree through 7 1/2-week courses that allow students to complete courses faster than traditional 16-week semesters.

Tuition discounts, waivers and credits are available for military service members who qualify.



#### CONTACT INFORMATION

Phone: 931-221-1400 Email: apfortcampbell@apsu.edu Website: www.apsu.edu/campbell

#### The Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell offers:

- Accelerated 7.5 week terms and 5 terms each year.
- Reduced tuition rate for uniformed military personnel and active duty dependents.
- Reduced fees for all students.
- Smaller classroom sizes.
- Easy access to classes. Nonmilitary-affiliated students receive a semester-long gate pass for easy entry.
- Full-time undergraduate enrollment is 6 semester hours.
- Day, evening, hybrid and online classes offered.
- Web-based courses allow completion of some degrees 100% online.
- Review of military transcripts for degree credits.
- Full time Student Success professionals available to navigate your degree.
- Offering General Education core classes for most majors.

For more information about degree programs offered, visit the website at www.apsu.edu/campbell or dial 931-221-1400.

## **Austin Peay Center at Fort Campbell Calendar**

Important dates for registration, fee payment

#### ABBREVIATED ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2022-23

FALL II 202	2: OCT. 19-DEC. 9	SPRING II 2	023: MARCH 15-MAY 5	
March 21	Open course registration for uniformed military personnel	Oct. 24	Open course registration for uniformed military personnel	
April 4	Open registration for all students	Nov. 7	Open registration for all students	
Oct. 12	Last day to pay fees and/or	March 8	Last day to pay fees and/or confirm	
	confirm classes by 9 p.m. or classes		classes by 9 p.m. or classes	
	will be dropped		will be dropped	
Oct. 18	Last day to receive 100%	March 14	Last day to receive 100% fee adjustment	
	fee adjustment	March 15	Classes begin *Online courses visible in	
Oct. 19	Classes begin *Online courses visible		the D2L online classroom.	
	in the D2L online classroom	March 15-19	Late registration	
Oct. 19-23	Late registration	March 19	Last day for late registration	
Oct. 23	Last day to receive 75% fee adjustment;	April 7	Spring Holiday, University closed	
	Last day to add a class	April 15	Last day to drop with "W"	
Nov. 1	Last day to apply for	May 5	Last day of classes; Commencement in the	
	May 2023 Graduation	•	Dunn Center	
Nov. 11	Veterans Day, University closed			
Nov. 16	Last day to drop a class with "W"			
Nov. 20	Last day to receive 25% fee adjustment			
Nov. 23-27	Thanksgiving Holiday, No classes	SUMMER III 2023: MAY 30-JULY 20		
	Nov. 23-27; University closed Nov. 24-27	March 20	Open course registration for uniformed	

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Oct. 24	Open course registration for uniformed				
	military personnel				
Nov. 7	Open registration for all students				
Jan. 8	Last day to pay fees and/or confirm				
	classes by 9 p.m. or classes				
	will be dropped				
Jan. 13	Last day to receive 100% fee adjustment				
Jan. 14	Classes begin *Online courses visible				
	in the D2L online classroom				
Jan. 14-18	Late registration				
Jan. 16	Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday,				
	University and Fort Campbell Center				
	closed, No classes				
Jan. 18	Last day to add a class				
Feb. 14	Last day to drop with automatic "W"				
Feb. 20	Presidents' Day, Education Center closed				
March 1	Last day to apply for Aug. 2023 Graduation				

Last day of classes

Last day of classes; Commencement in

March 20	Open course registration for uniformed military personnel
April 3	Open registration for all students
May 29	Last day to receive 100% fee adjustment
May 30	Classes begin *Online courses visible in
	the D2L online classroom
May 30-June 3	Late registration
June 3	Last day to add a class
June 19	Juneteenth, University closed
June 30	Last day to drop with "W"
July 1	Last day to apply for Dec. 2023 graduation
July 4	Independence Day, University closed
July 20	Last day of classes
Aug. 11	Commencement in the Dunn Center

**DISCLAIMER:** Calendar dates were accurate at time of printing, but may be subject to change throughout the year. Please visit www.apsu.edu/ registrar/acadcal for more updated information.

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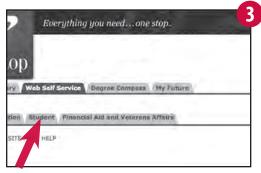
REMEMBER: You MUST do this every semester to keep your schedule.



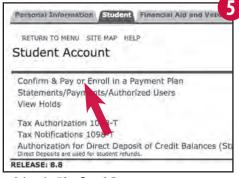
1. Login to **OneStop** at onestop@apsu.edu



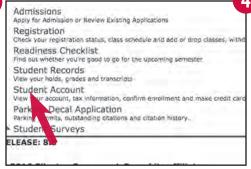
2. Click on the **Web Self Service tab** on the main OneStop screen.



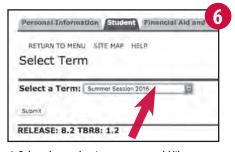
3. Click on the **Student link** under the Web Self Service main menu.



Select the "Confirm & Pay or Enroll in a Payment Plan" option.



4. Click on the **Student Account link**.



6. Select the academic term you would like to confirm. Click **Submit**. Carefully read and follow on-screen prompts to complete confirmation.

## **Check your grades online**

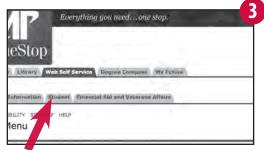
Use OneStop to check both midterm and final grades for your courses.



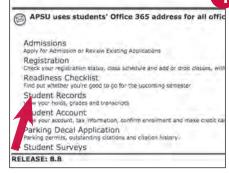
 Log in to your personal OneStop account at onestop.apsu.edu.



2. Click on the **Web Self Service tab** on the main OneStop screen.



Click on the **Student link** under the Web Self Service main menu.



4. Click on the **Student Records link**.



View Status of Transcript Requests View Student Information

- $5.\,Select\,either\,\textbf{Final}\,\textbf{Grades}\,or\,\textbf{Midterm}\,\textbf{Grades}\,option.$
- 6. Then **select the term.**

#### NOTE:

**Not all midterm grades will be posted.** If you have questions or are concerned about your grades, consult with your instructor. Free tutoring options on campus are available.

For information regarding tutoring and academic support, contact the Learning Resource Center at 931-221-6550, or send an email to learningctr@apsu.edu.





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online@apsu.edu

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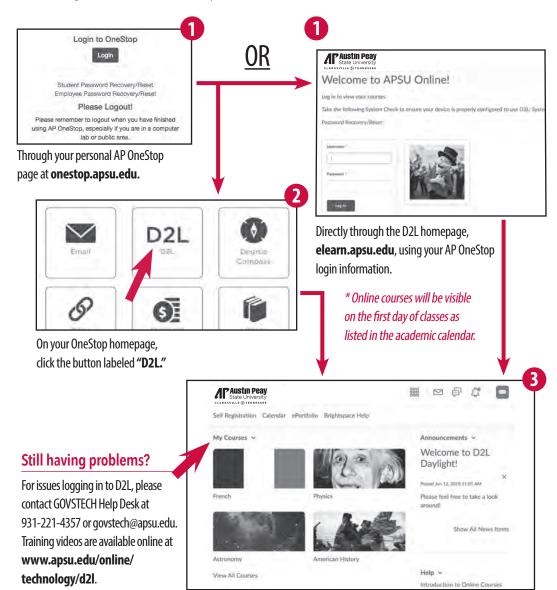
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## Log in to Desire2Learn (D2L)

Access online courses and online tutoring information.

You can log in to D2L in two different ways.



That's it. Your personal D2L page will appear with your classes in the center pane of the screen and you will be able to navigate your online classes easily.

## Set up and check student email

Check your APSU student email daily.



1. Log into your personal OneStop account at **onestop.apsu.edu**.



2. Click on the **"Email" tab** on the main OneStop screen.

#### NOTE:

The first time you select the "Email" icon in OneStop, you will be directed to the initial account setup page for your student email account. You will be asked for your password and you will re-enter your OneStop password. After completing all the necessary information, don't forget to press the "Submit" button. If you need further assistance, please visit the "Help" tab in OneStop or contact the GOVSTECH Help Desk at 931-221-4357 or email GOVSTECH@apsu.edu.

## Set up Wi-Fi

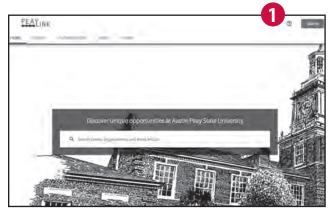
Stay connected almost anywhere on campus.

In order to have access to the APSU wireless, you must be registered for classes. To access the wireless network (called <u>APSU</u>), you must perform the following:

- 1. On your device, locate the wireless network named APSU.
- 2. Input the username and password:
  - a. Username: Your OneStop username (such as jdoe1)
  - b. Anonymous Identity (if prompted): Your OneStop username (such as jdoe1)
  - c. Password: Your OneStop password
- 3. When the security certificate pops up, click or tap Trust.

## Get involved using PeayLink

Gain experience and connect with student organizations and events.



PEALINK

HOME EVENTS ORGANIZATIONS

Use the navigation bar at the top to find the list of organizations or upcoming events to attend.

Go to **peaylink.com** to find the homepage of PeayLink, the hub of APSU's involvement and student organizations.



Using the "Organizations" tab, you can look through the list of organizations alphabetically or search by name.



You can also filter organizations by type (social fraternities and sororities, honor societies, professional organizations, etc.) using the "**Categories**" **tab** on the left.

#### **Get Involved**

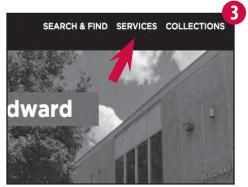
APSU has more than 130 active student organizations for students to join, ranging from professional organizations to social fraternities and sororities and honor societies. Participating in student organizations can improve your performance in the classroom and add valuable skills to any resumé.

## **Access the Woodward Library online**

Search, navigate a wide array of academic resources while on campus.



Go to **library.apsu.edu** to find the homepage of the Felix Woodward Library.



Use the tabs in the navigation bar to navigate databases of articles and published research, as well as other services and information the library offers.



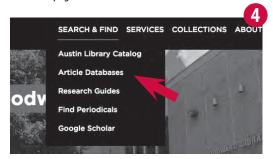
On the next page, select a subject under "All Subjects" to browse resources by subject area.

## Can't find what you need? ASK A LIBRARIAN DIGITALLY!

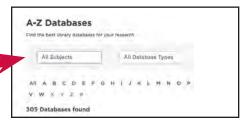
If you can't find what you need, consult with a librarian via phone, email, chat or text message using the "Ask a Librarian" button at the top right corner of the library homepage.



Use the search bar and menu tabs above the bar to locate resources you are looking for directly from the homepage.



To find scholarly articles and books, go to "Databases" under the "Search & Find" tab.



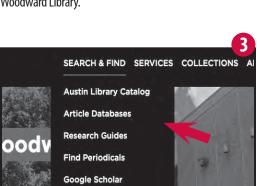


## **Access the Woodward Library off campus**

Access and use the Library from anywhere, anytime.



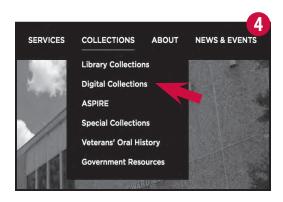
Go to **library.apsu.edu** to find the homepage of the Felix Woodward Library.





When accessing the library from an off-campus location, you will be prompted to log in. Your username information is your **last name** and your password is your "A" number.

Once logged in, you will be able to access and navigate the library's digital archives, databases and reserve print materials as if you were on campus.



The Woodward Library also offers "Digital Collections" under the "Collections" tab. There, you will find archived digital versions of APSU Yearbooks, Dorothy Dix Collection, *The All State* student newspaper and more.

## **Campus Safety and Security Information**

(931-221-7786) APSU has a full-service police department and security protocols.



**EMERGENCY BLUE LIGHTS** are located across campus. Pressing the emergency button activates alarm lights and connects you to campus police. A dispatcher will send the appropriate personnel to your aid.



**CAMPUS POLICE PATROL CAMPUS 24/7.** They are armed, trained and empowered with the same authority as city police.



**RAVE ALERT TEXT MESSAGES AND EMAILS** are sent to students, faculty and staff who have registered for the service whenever there is a threat on campus, including bad weather. Current students can register for the free service at **www.apsu.edu/police.** Your mobile provider will charge for these texts according to the terms of your plan. **DOWNLOAD THE RAVE GUARDIAN APP,** which allows students, faculty and staff to quickly and conveniently communicate with APSU Campus Police. You can also send **anonymous** texts or picture messages to Campus Police through the Rave Guardian App.



**SECURITY ESCORTS ARE AVAILABLE** to accompany students across campus 24 hours a day. Call 931-221-7786.



**CARD SWIPE TECHNOLOGY** ensures only students who live in a specific residence hall can gain entrance. Also, all residence room doors have peepholes.



**FREE MOTORIST ASSISTANCE** is available 24/7 to help students who need a jump-start, gas, towing service or other such aid. Call 931-221-7786.



**CRIME PREVENTION AND SAFETY PROGRAMS** are available to teach students how to avoid becoming a victim — and prepare them to act in an emergency. Programs include Personal Safety/ Active Shooter, Substance Abuse, Date Rape Prevention, Violence in the Workplace, Alcohol Awareness, Rape Aggression Defense, Traffic Safety/ Vehicle Safety and Operation ID. Other programs such as Identity Theft, Computer Mediated Communication and Domestic Violence Awareness are also available upon request.

APSU IS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING A SAFE AND SECURE CAMPUS ENVIRONMENT FOR EVERYONE.

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

Quick answers to some of the most asked questions.

#### Where can I receive student discounts?

Many places around Clarksville give discounts with a valid Govs ID, so always ask.

#### What are dining options and hours?

Visit the Govs Dining website for the latest menus, hours and events at govsdining.sodexomyway.com and like or follow @govsdining on Facebook and Instagram.

#### What is my "classification"?

The number of earned credit hours determines your classification.

Freshman: 0-29 credit hours

Sophomore: 30-59 credit hours

Junior: 60-89 credit hours

Senior: 90 & above credit hours

For more information on academic policies visit: www.apsu.edu/policy.

#### How do I calculate my GPA?

GPA is calculated by **Quality Points**  $\div$  **Quality Hours** = **GPA**. Example: 123 quality points  $\div$  48 quality hours = 2.563 GPA

#### How do I make the Dean's List?

At the end of each specific semester/term, a list of honor students, known as the Dean's List, is published. To qualify for this distinction, the student must earn at least 12 credit hours with a minimum semester/term GPA of 3.50 in an individual term OR any combination of consecutive Spring terms OR any combination of consecutive Fall terms. Courses taken on the Pass-Fail grading system will not be included in hours earned for purposes of the Dean's List.

#### What is the Undergraduate Bulletin?

This bulletin, also called the catalog, is where undergraduates can find the most updated information regarding Austin Peay academic requirements for degrees, graduation and other academic information. There is also a Graduate Bulletin for grad students. Visit: catalog.apsu.edu.

## What is Degree Works and why is it important?

Degree Works is an online tool tied to your student records designed to ensure you choose the right classes for your major. It's important to graduate on time. Not completing in four years will cost more in tuition, fees, living expenses, etc. Go to https://www.apsu.edu/degree-works/ for specific information.

Due to federal financial aid requirements, you could lose financial aid benefits such as scholarships, grants, VA and other financial benefits if you take courses that are not in your major.

If you take a class that is not part of your major, or Course Program of Study (CPoS: the federal term for the program) then you will see a reduction in aid benefits. To find out more, visit www.apsu.edu/cpos. Log in to AP OneStop, click on the "Degree Works" tile. You should also discuss with your adviser.

## I can't find the answer I need, who do I contact?

You can always call Student Affairs. Come by our office in the University Center, Room 206, email halliburtonl@apsu. edu or call us at 931-221-7341.



## AUSTIN PEAY STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT SUCCESS-MCREYNOLDS 102



GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CHECKLIST (42 HOURS)

Student			Student ID			
Advisor			Advisor E-mail		@apsu.edu	
Date			Registration Date	Registration Date		
	University Courses	work Require	ments and General Education Updated 04/2021	n Core (42 hou	urs)	
	Select one course	SOCIAL AN	D BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (6)	NATURAL SCIENCES (8)		
APSU	1000 (1) Freshmen Seminar		es from two different disciplines below.	Se	ect two courses with labs.	
HON	1000 (1) Intro to Univ Life	AAST	2200 (3) Intro African Amer Studies	ASTR	1010/1011 (4) Planetary	
PELP	1000(1) Freshman Seminar		1110 (3) Media & Social Institutions	ASTR	1020/1021 (4) Stellar	
CON	MMUNICATIONS (9)	CRJ	1010 (3) Intro to Criminal Justice	BIOL	1010/1011 (4) Intro Biol	
COMM		ECON	2000 (3) Contemporary Economics	BIOL	1020/1021 (4) Diversity Life	
ENGL	1010/1010E (3) Composition I	ECON	2100 (3) Principles of Macro	BIOL	1040/1041 (4) Human Biol	
<u>.</u>	Select one course	GEOG	1015 (3) Physical Geography	BIOL	1110/1111 (4) Gen Biology I	
ENGL	1020 (3) Composition II	GEOG	1035 (3) World Regional Geog 1	BIOL	1120/1121 (4) Gen Biology II	
HON	1045 (3) First Year Honors Seminar	GEOG	1045 (3) World Regional Geog 2	BIOL	2010/2011 (4) Hum Anatomy I	
HIMANIT	IES AND/OR FINE ARTS (9)	HHP	1250 (3) Wellness Concepts	BIOL	2020/2021 (4) Hum Anatomy II	
	Select one course	LDSP POLS	2100 (3) Foundations of Leadership 2000 (3) Intro to Politics	BIOL	2400 (4) Sustain Biodiv	
ENGL	2330/2330E (3) World Literature	POLS	2010 (3) American National Govt	CHEM	1010/1011 (4) Intro Chem I	
HON	2220 (3) Dialogues on Diversity	POLS	2040 (3) Intro Public Policy	CHEM	1020/1021 (4) Intro Chem II	
	nplete Option A or Option B:	POLS	2070 (3) International Politics	CHEM	1110/1111 (4) Gen Chem I	
	vo courses from different disciplines, only	PSYC	1030 (3) Intro to Psychology	CHEM	1120/1121 (4) Gen Chem II	
	h may be a foreign language course. Foreign Language sequence (1010 & 1020)	PSYC	1050 (3) Psyc Modern Culture	CHEM/	PHYS 1710/1711 (4)	
ART	1035 (3) Intro to Art	soc	1010 (3) Intro to Sociology		Intro Chemistry & Physics	
DANC	1200 (3) Intro to Dance	soc	1040 (3) Social Problems	GEOL	1040/1041 (4) Physical Geol	
MUS	1030 (3) Intro to Music	soc	2900 (3) Marriage & Family	GEOL	1050/1051 (4) Historical Geol	
MUS	2030 (3) World Music	SW	2110 (3) Intro to Social Work	PHYS	1010/1011 (4) Phys Wor	
MUS	2200 (3) Popular World Music	WGS	2050 (3) Intro W&G Studies	PHYS	1020/1021 (4) Phys Wor	
PHIL	1030 (3) Intro to Philosophy		• •	PHYS	2010/2011 (4) College Phys I	
PHIL	1040 (3) Intro to Ethics	<u>HI</u>	STORY (6)	PHYS	2020/2021 (4) College Phys II	
PHIL	2200 (3) Religion & World	HIST	Select two courses.	PHYS	2110/2111 (4) University Phys I	
THEA	1030 (3) Intro to Theatre	HIST	2010 (3) Early US 2020 (3) Modern US	PHYS	2120/2121 (4) University Phys I	
FREN	1010 (3) Intro French I	HIST	2030 (3) TN History	Major/Conso	ntration:	
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MATH	1010/1010E (3) Math					
	Thought & Practice					
MATH	1110 (3) Alg. Prob. Solv.					
MATH	1420 (3) Structure Math Sys II					
MATH	1530/1530E (3) Elements of Stats					
MATH	1710/1710E (3) Precalculus Alg					
MATH	1730 (4) Precalculus					
MATH	1810 (3) Elements of Calculus					
MATH	1910 (4) Calculus I					
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#### **AUSTIN PEAY STATE UNIVERSITY**

#### AN INTRODUCTION TO RULES, REGULATIONS AND POLICIES

This section of the APSU Student Handbook & Calendar includes important information about official campus rules, regulations, student rights, policies and guidelines that impact the academic and personal life of all APSU students. This listing does NOT include all regulations or policies, including those that are unique to specific departments, programs, student organizations or student groups. However, this collection represents an attempt to provide students with a reference to many of these documents in one central location.

It is the responsibility of ALL students to read and become familiar with ALL expectations that Austin Peay State University has for every student. Failure to abide by APSU regulations and policies may result in formal disciplinary actions, as outlined in the "Code of Student Conduct."

# RULES OF AUSTIN PEAY STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT AND STUDENT ORGANIZATION CONDUCT AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS CODE OF STUDENT CONDUCT

#### **Overview**

- (1) Austin Peay State University (APSU or University) students are expected to conduct themselves as law-abiding members of the community at all times. Admission to APSU carries with it special rights, privileges and responsibilities apart from those rights and duties enjoyed by non-students. In recognition of the special relationship that exists between APSU and its academic community, the APSU Board of Trustees has authorized the President of APSU to take such action as may be necessary to maintain University standards and preserve the integrity of APSU and its educational environment.
- (2) Pursuant to this authority and in fulfillment of its duties to provide a secure and stimulating atmosphere in which individual and academic pursuits may flourish, the Board has developed the following regulations, intended to govern student conduct on the APSU campus. The University is directed to implement policies consistent with APSU rules. Students are also subject to federal, state, and local laws and regulations. If a student's violation of such laws or regulations also adversely affects APSU's pursuit of its educational objectives, APSU may enforce its own regulations regardless of any proceedings instituted by other authorities. Violation of any section of these rules may subject a student to corrective measures by APSU whether or not such conduct violates state, local or federal laws.
- (3) For the purpose of these rules or accompanying policies, a "student" is any person who is admitted, enrolled and/or registered for credit or non-credit bearing courses or training or who may no longer be enrolled and registered, but participated in prohibited conduct while at APSU for any academic period. This will include any period which follows the end of an academic period through the last day for registration for the next academic period, and during any period while the student is under suspension from APSU. Finally, "a student" shall also include any person subject to a period of suspension or removal from campus as a sanction which results from a determination of a violation of the policies, rules, and regulations governing student conduct. Students are responsible for compliance with APSU rules at all times.
- (4) Corrective action may be taken against a student for violation of the policies, rules, and regulations:
  - (a) which occur on APSU owned, leased or otherwise controlled property;
  - (b) while participating in international or distance learning programs; and/or
  - (c) while off-campus, when the conduct impairs, interferes with, or obstructs any APSU activity or the mission, processes, and functions of APSU.
- (5) The University may enforce its own rules or policies regardless of the status or outcome of any external proceedings instituted in any other forum, including any civil or criminal proceeding.

- (6) These rules are applicable to registered student organizations as well as individual students. Registered student organizations are accountable for the conduct and actions of individual members of the organization while acting in their capacity as members of, or while attending or participating in any activity of the organization.
- (7) Confidentiality of Conduct/Corrective Process. Subject to the exceptions provided in law or regulation, including but not limited to, the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) and the Tennessee Open Records Act, a student's conduct files are considered educational records and are confidential.
- (8) The University is committed to respecting students' Constitutional rights. These rules or policies shall be interpreted in a way that does not violate a student's constitutional rights including without limitation, the rights protected by the First Amendment to the United States Constitution.

### Offenses

- (1) APSU may impose corrective action for any inappropriate student conduct that shows a disregard for the rights of other members of APSU's academic community or which endangers property or persons on APSU campus, or APSUcontrolled property.
- (2) Misconduct by individual students or registered student organizations is subject to sanction and includes but is not limited to the following examples:
  - (a) **Dangerous Conduct.** Any conduct, or attempted conduct, which poses a direct threat or endangers the health, welfare, or safety of others;
  - (b) Hazing. Any act of hazing on or off the University campus or APSU controlled property, by an APSU student, group of students or registered student organization. Hazing means any act by one (1) student acting alone or with others which is directed against any other person that endangers the mental or physical health or safety of that person, or which induces or coerces a person to endanger such person's mental or physical health or safety. Hazing is limited to those actions taken and situations created in connection with initiation into or affiliation with any organizations. Hazing does not include sanctioned athletic events or similar contests or competitions;
  - (c) **Discrimination, Retaliation and Harassment.** Any act against another individual or group in violation of University rules or policies, as well as federal or state laws prohibiting discrimination, harassment or retaliation;
  - (d) **Disorderly Conduct.** Any behavior which is abusive, obscene, lewd, indecent, violent, excessively noisy, disorderly, or which unreasonably disturbs or may reasonably provoke other groups or individuals (this may include, but not be limited to verbal abuse, nonverbal gestures and inappropriate behavior resulting from the use of being under the influence of alcohol or drugs), etc.;
  - (e) **Obstruction of or Interference with APSU Activities or Facilities.** Any intentional interference with or obstruction of any APSU program, event, or facility including, but not limited to the following:
    - 1. Any unauthorized occupancy of APSU or APSU-controlled facilities or blockage of access to or from such facilities;
    - 2. Interference with the right of any authorized person to gain access to any APSU or APSU-controlled activity, program, event or facility;
    - 3. Any obstruction or delay of a campus security officer, public safety officer, police officer, firefighter, EMT, or any University official in the performance of their duty; or
    - 4. Any form of disruptive behavior in the classroom, during any campus event; or activity or location on campus.
  - (f) Misuse of or Damage to Property. Any act of misuse, vandalism, malicious or unwarranted damage or destruction, defacing, disfiguring or unauthorized use of property belonging to APSU or property being used,

- rented, owned or leased by a student, by a group of students or officially registered student organization not owned by APSU;
- (g) Theft, Misappropriation, or Unauthorized Sale. Any act of theft, misappropriation, or unauthorized possession, use or sale of APSU property or any such act against a member or organization of the APSU community or quest of APSU;
- (h) Misuse of Documents, Information or Identification Cards. Any forgery, alteration of or unauthorized use of APSU documents, forms, records or identification cards, including the giving of any false information, or withholding of necessary information, failure to carry the APSU ID card at all times or to show it upon proper request;
- (i) **Firearms and Other Dangerous Weapons.** Any possession of or carrying, whether openly or concealed, with the intent to go armed, any firearm, explosive, explosive weapon, bowie knife, hawk bill knife, ice pick, dagger, slingshot, leaded cane, switchblade knife, blackjack, knuckles, tasers, stun gun or any other weapon of like kind, not used solely for instructional or school-sanctioned ceremonial purposes, in any APSU property or APSU controlled property, as prohibited by state law. It is also prohibited to use a weapon or instrument to simulate a weapon in acts that endanger or threaten any person;
- (j) Explosives, Fireworks, and Flammable Materials. The unauthorized possession, ignition or detonation of any object or article which would cause damage by fire or other means to persons or property or APSU controlled property or possession of any substance which could be considered to be and used as fireworks or ammunition:
- (k) Alcoholic beverages. The use and/or possession of beverages containing alcohol and/or public intoxication on APSU-owned or controlled property, violation(s) of any local ordinance or state or federal law concerning alcoholic beverages, on or off campus, or a violation of the terms of the APSU Drug-Free Policy Statement. It shall not be a violation for students twenty-one (21) years of age or older to consume alcohol within areas designated by the President where alcohol is permitted to be served. In addition, officially registered student organizations that sponsor events off campus, where alcoholic beverages are present and available for consumption, must adhere to all local, state and federal laws concerning alcoholic beverages and must follow APSU's Risk Management Guidelines for Student Organizations;
- (I) Drugs. The unlawful possession or use of any drug, controlled substance or drug paraphernalia (including, but not limited to, any prescription drug, stimulant, depressant, narcotic or hallucinogenic drug or substance, or marijuana), or sale or distribution of any such drug or controlled substance, or a violation of any terms of the APSU Drug-Free Policy;
- (m) **Gambling.** Participation in any unlawful gambling or gambling-related activities. Any permitted gambling or gambling-related activity, e.g. raffles, must also be operated under the auspices of APSU's Foundation;
- (n) **Financial Irresponsibility.** Failure to promptly meet financial responsibilities to APSU including, but not limited to, knowingly passing a worthless check or money order in payment;
- (o) **Unacceptable Conduct in Hearings.** Any conduct at an APSU hearing involving contemptuous, disorderly behavior, or the giving of false information:
- (p) **Failure to Cooperate with University Officials.** Failure to comply with directions of APSU officials acting in the performance of their duties;
- (q) **Violation of General Rules and Regulations.** Any violation of the general rules, policies and regulations of the University as published in an official APSU publication, whether in print or digital, including but not limited to, the failure to perform any required action or the performance of any prohibited action;
- Attempts and Aiding and Abetting the Commission of offenses. Any attempt to commit any of the
  offenses listed in this document, or the aiding and abetting of the commission of any of the offenses;

- (s) Violations of Local, State or Federal Laws. Any violation of local, state or federal laws or regulations proscribing conduct or establishing offenses, which laws and regulations are incorporated herein by reference;
- (t) **Violation of Imposed Sanctions.** Violation of a sanction officially imposed by an APSU official or a constituted body;
- (u) Violations of APSU Residence Hall or Apartment rules, policies or regulations. The violation of any rules, policies or regulations which appear in materials, distributed to resident students (i.e., housing license agreements, handbooks for resident students, etc.);
- (v) Sexual Harassment. An offense including acts of sexual discrimination, sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and/or stalking as defined in University policy or rules, as well as federal or state laws prohibiting said acts. All matters involving allegations of Sexual Harassment and covered under Title IX will be governed by the procedures set out in University policy and rules related to Title IX and handled by the Office of Equity, Access, and Inclusion, rather than the process specified herein;
- (w) **Smoking, Vaping and Tobacco Smoking.** Inclusive of electronic smoking devices and vapors, or other tobacco usage in all APSU buildings, grounds and state-owned or controlled vehicles is prohibited (except in otherwise designated areas as provided in applicable APSU rule or policy);
- (x) Animals. With the exception of service animals, emotional support animals, and animals used for academic research purposes, animals are prohibited on all APSU controlled properties except in designated housing areas. Students are required to provide the Office of Disability Services with medical documentation in requesting disability accommodations;
- (y) Filing a False Complaint or Statement. Any behavior whereby a student knowingly submits a false complaint or statement alleging a violation of these rules or policies by another student or student organization or APSU employee;
- (z) **Academic Misconduct.** Includes, but is not limited to plagiarism, cheating, facilitation, fabrication or collusion. For purposes of this section the following definitions apply:
  - 1. **Plagiarism.** The adoption or reproduction of ideas, words, statements, images, or works of another person or one's self without proper attribution.
  - Cheating. Using or attempting to use unauthorized materials, information, or aids in any academic exercise or test/examination. The term academic exercise includes all forms of work submitted.
  - Fabrication. Unauthorized falsification or invention of any information or citation in an academic
    exercise
  - 4. **Facilitation or Collusion.** Assisting or attempting to assist another to violate a provision of APSU's Code of Student Conduct regarding academic misconduct.
  - Unauthorized Distribution of Classroom Materials. Unauthorized distribution of classroom recording or other classroom materials. Sharing, posting or selling classroom information without approval from the instructor.
- (aa) **Unauthorized Duplication or Possession of Keys.** Making, or the possessing of any key for an APSU facility without proper authorization;
- (bb) **Litter.** Dispersing litter in any form onto the grounds or facilities of APSU;

- (cc) Abuse of Computer Resources and Facilities. Misusing and/or abusing computer resources including, but not limited to the following:
  - 1. Distribution or use of a student and/or another person's identification to gain access to APSU computer resources;

- Use of APSU computer resources and facilities to violate copyright laws, including, but not limited to the act of unauthorized distribution of copyrighted materials using university information technology systems;
- 3. Unauthorized access to a computer or network file, including but not limited to altering, using, reading, copying, or deleting the file;
- 4. Unauthorized transfer of a computer or network file;
- Use of computing resources and facilities to send abusive or obscene correspondence, images, video or audio files;
- 6. Use of computing resources and facilities in a manner that interferes with normal operation of the APSU computing system;
- 7. Use of computing resources and facilities to interfere with the work of another student, faculty member, or APSU official;
- 8. Violation of any published information technology resources policy or rule; or
- 9. Unauthorized peer-to-peer file sharing.
- (dd) Unauthorized Access to APSU Facilities and Grounds. Any unauthorized access or occupancy of APSU facilities and grounds is prohibited, including, but not limited to, gaining access to facilities and grounds that are closed to the public, being present in areas of campus that are open to limited guests only, being present in academic buildings after hours without permission, and being present in buildings when the student has no legitimate reason to be present;
- (ee) Unauthorized Surveillance. Making or causing to be made unauthorized images of a person in a location in which that person has a reasonable expectation of privacy, without the prior effective consent of the individual, or in the case of a minor, without the prior effective consent of the minor's parent or guardian, recognizing that the parent cannot consent on behalf of a child for criminal acts as provided in state law. This includes, but is not limited to, taking video or photographic images in shower/locker rooms, residence hall rooms, and restrooms, and storing, sharing, and/or distributing of such unauthorized images by any means; and/or
- (ff) Uncontrolled or Unsafe Rollerblading/Skateboarding/Other Coasting Device.
  Individuals are prohibited from using rollerblades/skateboards/coasting devices in an unsafe and/or reckless manner on the APSU campus and must comply with applicable APSU rule or policy.
- (3) Corrective action may be taken against a student or registered student organization for violations of the foregoing rules which occur on APSU property, or which occur off-campus when the conduct impairs, interferes with, or obstructs any APSU activity or the missions, processes and functions of APSU. In addition, corrective action may be taken on the basis of any conduct, on or off-campus which violates local, state or federal laws, which violate APSU rules or policies for student organizations, or which poses a substantial threat to persons or property within the APSU community. Each student shall be responsible for their conduct from the time of application for admission through the actual awarding of a degree including periods prior to or between semesters.
- (4) Conduct occurring while a student is registered or enrolled at APSU, but not discovered until after the awarding of a degree, is actionable under these provisions and may result in a retroactive sanction. Should a student withdraw from APSU with corrective action or academic misconduct action pending and not yet concluded, the student's record may be encumbered by the appropriate APSU office until the proceedings have been concluded.

# Academic and Classroom Misconduct

(1) The instructor has the primary responsibility for control over classroom behavior and maintenance of academic integrity, and can order the temporary removal or exclusion from the classroom of any student engaged in disruptive

- conduct or conduct that violates the general rules and regulations of APSU. Extended or permanent exclusion from the classroom, beyond the session in which the conduct occurred, or further corrective action can be affected only through appropriate procedures established by the Division of Student Affairs. Temporary removal or exclusion from the classroom by the instructor does not constitute a corrective suspension or expulsion.
- (2) Academic dishonesty includes, but is not limited to, plagiarism, the changing or falsifying of any academic documents or materials, cheating and giving or receiving of unauthorized aid in tests, examinations or other assigned work. Students responsible for academic misconduct, either directly or indirectly through participation or assistance, are responsible to the instructor of the class. Sanctions for academic misconduct will vary with the seriousness of the offense and may include, but are not limited to, a grade of "F" on the work in question, a grade of "F" in the course, reprimand, probation, suspension and expulsion. The student will be advised of their rights. The student may accept the instructor's finding, grade reduction, and/or other sanction and waive their right to a hearing. In the event a student believes they have been erroneously accused of academic misconduct, they may request a hearing. Hearings will be conducted pursuant to the procedures set forth in Part 5, Conduct Procedures, below. If the student is found responsible for the allegation(s) of academic misconduct, the grade as assigned by the instructor will stand. Should the hearing source find the student not responsible for the academic misconduct, the instructor will reassess the student's grade based upon the hearing source's findings. When necessary, grade changes will be made administratively.
- (3) Students may appeal a graded assignment associated with a finding of academic misconduct, as distinct from a student corrective action, through appropriate APSU academic grade appeal procedures. Courses may not be dropped pending the final resolution of an allegation of academic misconduct.
- (4) Disruptive behavior in the classroom (on ground or virtual) may be defined, but is not limited to, behavior that obstructs or interferes with the learning environment (e.g., repeated outbursts from a student which interferes with the flow of instruction or prevents concentration on the subject taught, failure to cooperate in maintaining classroom decorum, the presence of non-enrolled visitors in the classroom (including but not limited to minors), or the continued use of any noise or light- emitting device which disturbs or interrupts the concentration of others (e.g., disturbing noises from text messaging, cell phones, laptop computers, games, etc.).
- (5) Class attendance and punctuality requirements are established by the instructor through the syllabus for each course. Students are expected to attend class regularly and on time and are responsible for giving explanations/ rationale for absences and lateness directly to the instructor or each course in which they are enrolled. In cases where student absences are the result of emergency circumstances (e.g., death in the family, a student's serious injury or incapacitating illness), for which student(s) are unable to make immediate contact with the instructor, the student may contact the Student Affairs office for assistance in providing such immediate notification to instructor. However, the student remains responsible for verifying the emergency circumstances to the instructor and for discussing arrangements with faculty for possible completion of coursework requirements, if feasible.

# **Corrective Actions**

(1) APSU shall adopt and publish guidelines, providing notice of potential corrective actions consistent with these rules or policies applicable to both students and student organizations. The guidelines may include any appropriate corrective action subject to prior review by the APSU Office of Legal Affairs and approval by the Board of Trustees. Upon a determination that a student or student organization has violated any of the offenses set forth in these rules, policies, or guidelines, corrective action may be imposed, either singly or in combination, by the appropriate school officials. (Note: Records may be released only as authorized by state or federal law, including but not limited to final results of conduct proceedings for violations that include crimes of violence, as defined by Tennessee law, or nonforcible sex offenses may be released without consent as required by state law.)

- (2) Definition of Corrective Actions. The following provides a non-exhaustive list of possible sanctions with corresponding definitions:
  - (a) Restitution. Restitution may be required in situations which involve destruction, damage, or loss of property, or unreimbursed medical expenses resulting from physical injury. When restitution is required, the student or student organization is obligated by the appropriate authority to monetarily compensate a party or parties for a loss suffered as a result of violation(s). Any such monetary payment in restitution shall be limited to the actual cost of repair, replacement or financial loss;
  - (b) **Warning.** The appropriate APSU official may notify the student or student organization that continuation or repetition of specified conduct may be cause for other corrective action;
  - (c) Reprimand. A written or verbal reprimand or censure may be given to any student or student organization whose conduct violates any part of these rules and provides notice that any further violation(s) may result in more serious penalties;
  - (d) Restriction. A restriction upon a student's or registered student organization's privileges for a period of time may be imposed. This restriction may include, but is not limited to, the following: denial of the right to represent APSU in any way, denial of the use of APSU facilities and/or parking privileges, restriction of participation in extracurricular activities, restriction of organizational privileges including registration, and restriction of the transfer of academic credit from another institution;
  - (e) University Probation. Continued enrollment of a student or student organization on probation may be conditioned upon adherence to these rules or accompanying policies. Any student or registered student organization placed on probation will be notified of such in writing, either in hard copy or electronic format, and will also be notified of the terms and length of probation. Probation may include restrictions upon the extracurricular activities of a student or registered student organization. Any conduct in violation of these rules or accompanying policies while on probationary status or the failure to comply with the terms of the probationary period may result in the imposition of an elevated sanction:
  - (f) Suspension. If a student or student organization is suspended, he/she or the organization is separated from APSU for a stated period of time with conditions for readmission stated in the notice of suspension;
  - (g) Expulsion. Expulsion entails a permanent separation from APSU. The imposition of this sanction is a permanent bar to the student's readmission or a registered student organization's recognition by APSU. A student or registered student organization that has been expelled may not enter APSU property or facilities without obtaining prior approval from an appropriate university official with knowledge of the expulsion directive. This includes all non-credit and distance education classes and programs;
  - (h) Interim or Summary Suspension. As a general rule, the status of a student or student organization accused of violations of these rules should not be altered until a final determination has been made in regard to the charges. Interim or Summary Suspension may be imposed upon a finding by the appropriate APSU official that the continued presence of the accused on campus constitutes an immediate threat to the physical safety and well-being of the accused or of any other member of the APSU community or its guests, destruction of property, or substantial disruption of classroom or other campus activities. In any case of Interim Suspension, the student, or student organization, shall be given an opportunity at the time of the decision, or as soon thereafter as reasonably possible, to contest the suspension;

- (i) **Housing Probation.** A student or registered student organization placed on housing probation is deemed not to be in good standing with the housing community, and his/her continued residence is conditioned upon adherence to these rules and the Housing Contract. Any student or registered student organization placed on probation shall be notified in writing or via email of the terms and length of the probation. Probation may include restrictions upon the activities of the housing resident, including any other appropriate special condition(s). Any conduct of a similar or more serious nature in violation of the probation may result in suspension from housing;
- (j) Housing Suspension and Forfeiture. A student or registered student organization suspended from housing may not reside in, visit, or make any use whatsoever of a housing facility or participate in any housing activity during the period for which the sanction is in effect. A suspended student or registered student organization shall be required to forfeit housing fees (including any unused portion thereof and the Housing deposit). A suspended student or registered student organization must vacate the housing unit within forty-eight (48) hours. Housing suspension shall remain a part of the student's record;
- (k) Service to the University. A student or registered student organization may be required to donate a specified number of service hours to APSU, by way of performing reasonable tasks for the appropriate APSU office or official. This service shall be commensurate to the offense the student or registered student organization is guilty of violating (i.e., service to maintenance staff for defacing APSU property);
- Educational Program. A student or student organization may be required to participate in any
  educational programs relevant to the offense, to attend special seminars or educational programs, or to
  prepare a project or report concerning a relevant topic;
- Smoking and Clean Air Violation. There will be graduated fines imposed for smoking and clean air violations in accordance with APSU rules and policies;
- (n) Referral for Intervention, Assessment and/or Counseling. The student is mandated to visit the appropriate APSU official for an initial intervention and assessment which may be followed by required participation and a prescribed plan of action or treatment plan by an APSU or off campus provider. Release of information may be required. Parents or legal guardians may be notified in certain situations:
- (o) **Fines.** Penalties in the form of fines may be enforced against a student or a registered student organization whenever the appropriate hearing officer(s) or hearing body deems necessary. The sanction of fines may be imposed in addition to other forms of corrective actions. Failure to pay fines to the Business Office within two (2) weeks of the decision may result in further corrective action;
- (p) Letter of Apology. A student or student organization may be given the opportunity, under certain circumstances, to voluntarily apologize to APSU or its guests, another student or student organization, faculty or staff member, or any other affected party, either verbally or in writing, as an alternative or in addition to the imposition of other sanctions, for the behavior related to an offense;
- (q) Revocation of Admission, Degree, or Credential; and,

 Any alternate sanction deemed necessary and appropriate to address the misconduct at issue.

### **Procedures**

# (1) Hearing Options

- (a) Procedures conforming to the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act (UAPA). All cases falling under the purview of this rule which may result in (i) suspension or expulsion of a student or student organization from APSU for conduct related reasons, or (ii) revocation of registration of a student organization during the term of the registration are subject to the contested case provisions of the UAPA § T.C.A. 4-5-301 et seq. and shall be processed in accordance with the uniform contested case procedures adopted by the Board of Trustees, unless the student or student organization waives those procedures in writing and elects to have his or her case heard by either the University Hearing Board or an Administrative Hearing.
- (b) Cases which are not subject to the contested case procedures under the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act and cases in which a student or student organization has waived the contested case procedures in writing shall be processed in accordance with APSU Hearing Procedures. APSU has established two (2) alternate APSU Hearing Procedures:
  - 1. A hearing conducted by one (1) or more Student Affairs Administrators; or
  - A hearing conducted by the University Hearing Board. (Note: This option shall be available until
    the final ten (10) class days of each semester, or the final five (5) class days of the second
    summer term, during which time all hearings will be conducted by appropriate Student Affairs
    Administrators, except those subject to UAPA procedures as selected by the student or student
    organization.)
- (c) Cases which are not subject to the contested case procedures under the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act and which involve minor first offenses by students or student organizations may be discussed informally. In such cases, no formal record will be maintained in the conduct records of APSU. The Dean of Students or other designee, appointed by the Vice President for Student Affairs, shall note the name of the student or student organization involved in his/her personal records. The purpose of this notation is only to determine a student's or student organization's prior involvement in a minor offense, when and if a second offense occurs at a later date. If the student or student organization is subsequently involved in another violation of regulations, at the discretion of the hearing body, this Informal Record will become a part of the student's or student organization's Formal Conduct Records.
- (d) Alternative resolution methods may include, but are not limited to, mediation and/or negotiated resolutions.
- (e) Jurisdiction of Cases to be heard by Student Affairs Administrators:
  - 1. All formal cases involving incidents which occur in APSU residence halls and/or apartments and which involve on-campus residents shall be heard by the Residence Life staff or designee.
  - All other formal cases shall be heard by the Dean of Students, or appropriate designee, except in
    cases where such staff member is unavailable or has a bias toward either party in the pending
    case. In such cases the Vice President for Student Affairs shall assign one (1) or more Student
    Affairs Administrators to hear the case.

# (2) Commencement of Conduct Proceedings

- (a) A student or registered student organization accused of violating APSU policies, rules, or regulations shall be called before the Dean of Students or designee, appointed by the Vice President for Student Affairs, for a preliminary conference at which the student or registered student organization will be advised of the following:
  - 1. The charges against him/her/or organization;
  - 2. The rights afforded to the student or organization by the hearing procedures which are available;

- 3. The hearing procedure options available; and
- 4. The responsibilities of the student or registered student organization in the conduct procedures.
- (b) A student or registered student organization may waive the right to a preliminary conference and an oral explanation of the items listed in (2) (a) above.
- (c) Once advised of the hearing options, the student or registered student organization may elect to accept the finding and sanction from the Dean of Students or designee, or elect a hearing pursuant to UAPA (where appropriate), or a hearing before the University Hearing Board.
- (d) The election must be made within three (3) class days of receipt of notice of pending charges against him/ her or organization by completing, and signing, an Election of Procedure form and/or waiver form. Once the election is made, the decision is final and may not be changed during the course of the hearing.
- (e) Complaints related to discrimination or harassment will be investigated in accordance with applicable APSU policies and rules. If APSU determines that discrimination or harassment occurred that falls outside of the Title IX regulations or APSU's applicable rule or policy, the student or organization will be subject to the conduct procedures outlined in this rule and related policies.
- (f) This rule does not apply to matters that fall within the scope of Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972.
- (3) **APSU Hearing Rights.** These rights shall be afforded the accused student/organization in all APSU Hearings falling under the purview of this rule before the appropriate Student Affairs administrator or the University Hearing Board.
  - (a) The right to choose the desired hearing option. (This right must be exercised within three (3) class days of the presentation of charges. Note: This University Hearing Board option shall be available until the final ten (10) class days of each semester, or the final five (5) class days of the second summer term, during which time all conduct hearings will be conducted by appropriate Student Affairs administrators, except those subject to UAPA procedures.)
  - (b) The right to written notice, by United States mail, courier service, hand delivery to the permanent or local address on file for the student, or APSU email, of the time, place, and date of the hearing at least three
     (3) days in advance of the hearing. A justified delay may be granted. The right to at least a three-day notice may be waived in writing by the students and/or student organization.
  - (c) The right to a written statement of the charges in time and detail sufficient to enable the student/organization to prepare for a hearing.
  - (d) The right to be accompanied by an adviser of the student's/organization's choice, but such adviser participation shall be limited to directly advising the student/organization during the hearing.
  - (e) The right to a statement of the possible corrective actions that may be imposed as a result of a finding of a violation of the Student Code, at least three (3) days in advance of the hearing.
  - (f) The right to present witnesses in the student's/registered student organization's behalf and to question any witnesses presented. The student/organization is responsible for the attendance of any witnesses to be present on the student's/organization's behalf.
  - (g) The right to be informed in writing, delivered either by United States Postal Service mail, courier service, hand delivery to the permanent or local address on file for the student, or via email to the APSU email of the student or registered organization, of:

- 1. The final administrative decision.
- 2. The proper procedure for appeal.

- (h) The right to be provided copies, upon request and in accordance with APSU policies, rules, and guidelines, of all complaints, reports, witness statements and other written materials used in determining the charges.
- (i) In cases involving sexual misconduct, the right to the name of each witness APSU expects to present at the student conduct proceeding and those APSU may present if the need arises.
- (j) In cases involving sexual misconduct, the right to request a copy of APSU's investigative file, redacted in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974.
- (k) In cases involving sexual misconduct, the student's right to request copies of all documents, copies of all electronically stored information, and access to tangible information that APSU has in its possession, custody, or control and may use to support claims or defenses, unless the use would solely be for impeachment.
- (4) **Rights of Complainant and/or Respondent.** The APSU member (student, faculty or staff) who self-authors on their own behalf a complaint shall have the following rights:
  - (a) To be notified of their rights prior to making a statement and be provided a copy of any statements made in regard to the violation;
  - (b) To attend the hearing, submit a list of witnesses to be called to the hearing, to be given the opportunity to question all witnesses;
  - To have an adviser present during the hearing. Adviser participation shall be limited to directly advising the student/organization during the hearing;
  - (d) To be permitted to dismiss the complaint only up to the date of the hearing;
  - (e) To be notified of the outcome of the hearing, including the finding of responsibility and sanctions;
  - (f) In cases involving sexual misconduct, the right to obtain the name of each witness APSU expects to present at the student proceeding and those APSU may present if the need arises:
  - (g) In cases involving sexual misconduct, the right to request a copy of the APSU's investigative file, redacted in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974; and
  - (h) In cases involving sexual misconduct, the student/organization's right to request copies of all documents, copies of all electronically stored information, and access to tangible evidence that APSU has in its possession, custody, or control and may use to support claims or defenses, unless the use would solely be for impeachment.

# (5) APSU Hearing Procedures

- (a) Hearings before a Student Affairs Administrator. The appropriate Student Affairs Administrator shall act as hearing officer in the hearing, shall determine student's/organization's finding of responsibility and shall apply sanctions as appropriate. This administrator shall create the record which must include, but may not be limited to, evidence of witness testimony and any exhibit provided by any party, in addition to the technical record.
- (b) Hearings before the University Hearing Board. Procedures for the Board include the following:
  - The Hearing Board shall be composed of nine (9) persons: five (5) students, (two (2) automatically selected from the Student Tribunal Justices of the Student Government Association), and three (3) selected by SGA, two (2) faculty and two (2) administrators, all appointed by the University President, for a term of one (1) academic year. Additionally, student, faculty and administrator alternate members shall be selected to serve in the absence of regular members and shall be appointed by the University President for a term of one (1) academic year.
  - 2. The Chair of the Hearing Board shall be appointed by the University President.

- 3. A minimum of five (5) members of the Hearing Board are required to hear a conduct case, composed of at least two (2) students, one (1) faculty member, and one (1) administrator. The Hearing Board shall create the record which must include, but may not be limited to, evidence of witness testimony and any exhibit provided by any party in addition to the technical record.
- 4. The Dean of Students or designee shall train and advise all regular and alternate members of this Hearing Board in appropriate procedures.
- 5. The hearing shall be conducted consistent with the rights described above in paragraphs (3) and (4) of this rule.
- All hearings shall be closed unless the respondent and the complainant both elect in writing to have an open hearing.
- 7. Formal rules of evidence shall not be applicable. The adjudicating body may exclude evidence which in its judgment is immaterial, irrelevant, or unduly repetitious.
- 8. The standard of proof used for all cases is the preponderance of evidence.
- 9. The hearing source shall issue a written decision within three (3) class days after the conclusion of the hearing.
- 10. The student will be advised in writing via APSU email (and USPS mail if requested by the student) of the Hearing Board or Student Affairs Administrator decision and all sanctions imposed as a result of the conduct hearing.
- 11. Any sanction imposed shall be effective immediately upon written notification of the student/ organization unless the hearing authority deems a stay of such sanction desirable pending appeal.
- 12. In any case where the sanction results in separation from APSU, the decision shall be reviewed by the Vice President for Student Affairs or designee prior to notifying the Office of the Registrar and the academic department in which the student has been enrolled.

### (6) Appeals

- (a) The student may appeal decision(s) of the University Hearing Board or the Student Affairs Administrator. Appeals are made to the Vice President for Student Affairs or designee.
- (b) Student(s) or organization(s) may make an appeal within five (5) business days of the date notification of sanction imposed. Appeals must be in writing indicating the reason(s) for the appeal and submitted to the Student Affairs office.
- (c) Appeals shall be limited to the following reasons:
  - 1. Whether the proper procedures were followed in the hearing;
  - 2. Whether the appropriate standard of review was used in the hearing;
  - 3. Whether the sanction was appropriate for the violation; or
  - 4. New information, not available at the time of the original hearing, has become available which would substantially alter the outcome of the hearing.
- (d) Review shall be based solely on the hearing record and the written appeal documents submitted by the student.
- (e) Appellate Authority. The Vice President for Student Affairs, or designee, shall have the authority to do any of the following upon review of an appeal:

- 1. Uphold the finding of responsibility and sanction;
- 2. Uphold the finding of responsibility but adjust the sanction up or down;
- 3. Return the case for further consideration by the original hearing authority; or
- 4. Reverse the finding of responsibility.

- (f) The Vice President for Student Affairs or designee shall issue a written decision within five (5) business days after the appeal is heard.
- (g) The decision of the Vice President for Student Affairs or designee is final.

# (7) Student Organization Sanctions

- (a) Any registered student organization may be given a warning, reprimand, placed on probation, suspension, or restriction or may have its registration withdrawn by the Dean of Students, or by a Student Affairs Administrator appointed by the Vice President for Student Affairs. Such actions may be taken after having a hearing conducted in accordance with the procedures outlined in these rules for conduct procedures.
- (b) The contested case provisions of the UAPA will be used in the case of withdrawal of registration of an organization, unless those provisions have been waived in writing by an authorized representative of the student organization. Withdrawal of registration may be taken for any one (1) of the following reasons:
  - 1. The organization fails to maintain compliance with the initial requirements for registration;
  - 2. The organization ceases to operate as an active organization;
  - 3. The organization requests withdrawal; and
  - 4. The organization operated or engaged in any activity in violation of the policies, rules, and regulations of APSU, of any governing body, or federal or state laws.

### **Conflicts of Interest**

(1) Consistent with the Student Due Process Protection Act, T.C.A. § 49-7-1704, student disciplinary proceedings must include protection for respondents and complainants analogous to, and no less protective than, the conflict of interest provisions of T.C.A. § 4-5-30.

# **Traffic & Parking Regulations**

Traffic and parking regulations were recently updated and not available at the time of publication. Please review the updated parking regulations online at the parking website, **www.apsu.edu/parking**, or scan the following code.



# **Smoking/Clean Air Policy Enforcement**

- 1. A student found smoking in an unauthorized area can be charged with violating 2(q) of the APSU Code of Student Conduct which states: Violation of general rules and regulations. Any violation of the general rules and regulations of the University published in an official University publication, including the intentional failure to perform any required action or the intentional performance of prohibited actions.
  - (a) A student may be charged even if he/she puts the cigarette/cigar/etc. out seeing the student smoking in an unauthorized area is sufficient.

- (b) Students seen smoking in non-designated areas will be required to produce their APSU Govs ID Card upon request.
  - 1. If student does not have the Card on their person, he/she will be asked for an alternative picture ID.

    Student may be charged with 2(h) "Misuse of Austin Peay State University documents or identification.

    Any failure to carry the APSU ID card at all times or to show it upon proper request."
  - 2. If the student refuses to produce their APSU Gov's Card and/or another form of picture ID, then he/she may additionally be charged with 2(p) "Failure to cooperate with University officials. Failure to comply with directions of University officials in the performance of their duties."
  - 3. A student on the APSU property without any identification may be detained by Campus Police and/or denied access to the campus.
- (c) Students who are verbally abusive or threatening toward any person attempting to enforce the policy may be charged with additional violations such as 2(c) Harassment and/or 2(d) Disorderly Conduct.
- (d) A campus official or student observing the violation should complete a Disciplinary Complaint Form in the Student Affairs office.
- (e) Student may be charged for violation of the policy and fined as provided for in the Code under disciplinary sanction 2(o), Corrective Actions: "Fines. Penalties in the form of fines may be enforced against a student whenever the appropriate hearing officer(s) or hearing body deems necessary. The sanction of fines may be imposed in addition to other disciplinary sanctions. Failure to pay fines to the Business Office within two weeks of the decision will result in further disciplinary action." If the student pays the fine, then there is an inherent assumption that the student is pleading guilty and the hearing officer, as the chief judicial officer, is imposing the sanction.
- (f) There will be graduated fines automatically imposed for violation of the policy:
  - 1. First Offense: \$25
  - 2. Second Offense: \$50
  - 3. Third Offense or more: \$100 and referral for Formal Disciplinary Charges
- (q) A faculty or staff member found in violation of the policy will be subject to employee disciplinary procedures.
- (h) Nonstudents violating the Smoking/Clean Air Policy may be charged with trespassing.

### 2. Appeal Process

- (a) Upon receipt of a charge, a student has three class days to submit a written appeal. Appeals submitted after three days will not be considered.
- (b) To submit an appeal, contact the Student Affairs office at 931-221-7341.
- (c) The issuing official will be afforded the opportunity to comment on appeals before being presented to the appeal authority.
- (d) In addition to the Student Tribunal's authority to adjudicate traffic and parking violations, the Student Tribunal also shall hear and decide all cases involving the appeal of smoking violations by students. The Tribunal will consist of a minimum of three members and decide by majority vote.
- (e) The Tribunal will meet at a minimum every two weeks and report findings in writing to the student, the chief judicial officer and Student Account Services.

### **APSU CAMPUS SECURITY**

# **Security Policies and Procedures**

APSU maintains a 24-hour dispatch service accessible by telephone (931-221-7786), emergency (911) and is always open for walk-in service (Shasteen Building). Officers patrol the campus by automobile and on foot 24 hours a day. The department of public safety is open 365 days a year. Department regulations state that when a person applies for assistance or advice or makes complaints or reports, either by telephone or in person, all pertinent information shall be obtained in an official and courteous manner and will be properly and judiciously acted upon consistent with established departmental procedure.

The campus and facilities of the University are restricted to students, faculty, staff, guests, and invitees of the University, except when part or all of the campus, its buildings or facilities are open to the general public for an approved and designated time and purpose. Campus facilities include all on-campus buildings and off-campus buildings owned or controlled by the University or student organizations recognized by the University. For specific information on access to facilities and key control, refer to APSU Policy No. 4:007.

All persons using campus facilities, including faculty, staff, guests and invitees, shall be subject to all rules and regulations of the University, which are applicable to the conduct of students on campus and to all applicable federal and state laws and regulations. The Public Safety department conducts ongoing surveys of outdoor lighting and reports problems directly to the Physical Plant department.

The Department of Public Safety also conducts surveys of the campus for hazardous conditions and reports problems directly to the Physical Plant department. In addition, Public Safety personnel routinely report all unsafe or potentially unsafe conditions found to exist on campus. In the event of a hazardous or unsafe condition, steps are taken to ensure the safety of the University community. There are commissioned officers employed by the department of Public Safety. Their training consists of a basic police academy, which meets the requirements of the Tennessee Police Officers Standards and Training Commission and an annual in-service training session of 40 hours, which also meets Tennessee P.O.S.T. requirements.

APSU Campus Police are commissioned as peace officers by the president of APSU as provided by state statutes. The commission authorizes officers to enforce laws on the campus and provides officer status on University property and streets contiguous to the campus. Public Safety has a close working relationship with municipal, county, state and federal law enforcement agencies. The Clarksville Police Department offers close support by patrolling surrounding neighborhoods and may investigate major crimes on campus. The Military Police at Fort Campbell provides similar support at the APSU Center at Fort Campbell.

All members of the University community are encouraged to report all criminal activity and other suspicious activity to the department of Public Safety. Security awareness and reporting procedure presentations are made to all incoming students and new employees during orientation sessions. Should the University acquire any new facilities at remote locations that come under the purview of these laws, arrangements will be made with local law enforcement agencies to provide required crime statistics. These will be distributed annually to facility users to alert them to potential criminal activities. The Student Handbook contains a statement encouraging students to contact Public Safety regarding criminal activity. Other methods to encourage prompt reporting of criminal activity include distribution of newsletters, memorandums, newspaper articles, posters and other media. A list of off-campus student organizations and their addresses are provided regularly to the Clarksville Police Department. They have agreed to forward reports of any criminal activity at these locations to Public Safety at APSU. Crime prevention programs including a program to engrave identification numbers on valuable items, assault awareness presentations and videos providing information regarding methods to prevent crimes are used on a regular basis. Other information on crime prevention is regularly distributed to students and employees through newsletters, memorandums, campus newspapers and posters.

### **Campus Crime Statistics**

Statistics for all campus crimes will be published on an annual basis in the time frames required by federal and/or state law and will be available at the Office of Public Safety or online at www.apsu.edu/police/crime.

### **AUSTIN PEAY STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT RIGHTS**

# **FERPA and Confidentiality and Privacy of Student Records**

FERPA is the acronym for the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. Originally enacted in 1974 as part of a bill extending the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, FERPA was enacted as a series of civil rights legislation, designed to assert and protect the rights of students and their parents. Its primary purpose was two-fold: to assure parents of students' access to their education records and to protect such individuals' rights to privacy by limiting the transferability of their records without their consent.

# Can a school disclose information to parents in a health or safety emergency?

Yes. Austin Peay State University is permitted to disclose information from education records to parents if a health or safety emergency involves their son or daughter.

# Can parents be informed about students' violation of alcohol and controlled substance rules?

Yes. APSU is permitted to inform parents of students under the age of 21 of any violation of law or policy concerning the use or possession of alcohol or a controlled substance.

# Can a school disclose law enforcement unit records to parents and the public?

Austin Peay may disclose information from "law enforcement unit records" to anyone —including parents or federal, state, or local law enforcement authorities — without the consent of the eligible student. Many colleges and universities have their own campus security units, just as Austin Peay State University does. Records created and maintained by these units for law enforcement purposes are exempt from the privacy restrictions of FERPA and can be shared with anyone.

# When may a school disclose information to parents of dependent students?

Under FERPA, schools may release any and all information to parents, without the consent of the eligible student, if the student is a dependent for tax purposes under the IRS rules or if the student voluntarily provides the University with a waiver providing parents access to educational records.

# Can school officials share their observations of students with parents?

Nothing in FERPA prohibits a school official from sharing with parents information that is based on that official's personal knowledge or observation and that is not based on information contained in an education record. Therefore, FERPA would not prohibit a professor or other school official from letting a parent know of his or her concern about the student based on his or her personal knowledge or observation.

# How does HIPAA apply to students' education records?

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) is a law passed by Congress intended to establish transaction, security, privacy and other standards to address concerns about the electronic exchange of health information. However, the HIPAA Privacy Rule excludes from its coverage those records that are protected by FERPA at school districts and postsecondary institutions that provide health or medical services for students. This is because Congress specifically addressed how education records should be protected under FERPA. For this reason, records that are protected by FERPA are not subject to the HIPAA Privacy Rule and may be shared with parents under the circumstances described above.

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords students certain rights with respect to their education records. They are:

1. The right to inspect and review the content of and obtain copies thereof at a reasonable cost the student's education records within 45 days of the day the University receives a request for access.

Students should submit to the Registrar, dean, head of the academic department or other appropriate official, a written request that identifies the record(s) they wish to inspect. The University official will make arrangements for access and notify the student of the time and place where the records may be inspected. If the records are not maintained by the University official to whom the request was submitted, that official shall refer the student to the correct official to whom the request should be addressed.

The right of access of a student may not include access to:

- (1) Financial records of the parents of the student or any information contained therein;
- (2) Confidential letters and statements or recommendations concerning admission, employment or the receipt of an honor, which were placed in the records prior to Jan. 1, 1975, or concerning which the student has signed a waiver of access;
- (3) Administrative and educational personnel records ancillary thereto, which are in the sole possession of the maker thereof and which are not accessible to any person except a substitute;
- (4) Records of law enforcement officials;
- (5) Records relating exclusively to a person's employment at the institution when the person is not in attendance as a student of the institution; and records maintained by professional or paraprofessional health-related personnel which are made in connection with the provision of treatment of a student and not available to persons other than the health-related personnel.
- 2. The right to request the amendment of the student's education records that the student believes to be inaccurate, misleading, or otherwise in violation of the student's privacy rights under FERPA.

A student who wishes to ask the school to amend a record should write the University official responsible for the record, clearly identify the part of the record they want changed and specify why it is inaccurate or misleading. If the University decides not to amend the record as requested by the student, the University will notify the student of the decision and advise the student of his or her right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the student when notified of the right to a hearing.

3. The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent.

One exception which permits disclosure without consent is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the University in an administrative, supervisory, academic, research or support staff position (including law enforcement unit personnel and health staff); a person or company with whom the University has contracted (such as an attorney, auditor or collection agent); a person serving on the Board of Trustees; or a student serving on an official committee, such as disciplinary or grievance committee, or assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility. Upon request, the University discloses education records without consent to officials of another school in which a student seeks or intends to enroll.

4. The right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by Austin Peay State University to comply with the requirements of FERPA.

The name and address of the office that administers FERPA is: Family Policy Compliance Office, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20202.

# **Confidentiality and Privacy of Student Records**

FERPA requires that Austin Peay State University (APSU), with certain exceptions, obtain the student's written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from their education records. However, APSU may disclose appropriately designated "directory information" without written consent, unless the student has advised APSU to the contrary in accordance with APSU's procedures.

"Directory information" includes the following: the student's name, address, telephone listing, date and place of birth, major field of study, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, weight and height of members of athletic teams, dates of attendance, the most recent previous educational agency or institution attended by the student, and degrees and awards received by a student. The University provides each student the opportunity to restrict disclosure of the designated directory information. The student will be given this opportunity at the beginning of each academic term or must notify APSU in writing by the first day of classes for the semester in which they are attending. (Forms may be obtained from the Office of the Registrar.)

Information concerning educational records which is personally identifiable with a particular student, other than directory information, shall not be released to persons, agencies or organizations other than those herein described unless:

- 1. There is written consent from the student specifying the records to be released, the reason for the release and to whom the information is to be released, with a copy to the student, if requested, or
- 2. Such information is furnished in compliance with a judicial order or a subpoena, provided that advance notice of the receipt of the order of subpoena shall be provided to the student prior to compliance if possible. Personally identifiable education records may be released to other school officials of the institution, including members of the faculty, who have legitimate educational interests.

Visit https://www.apsu.edu/policy/ for the Confidentiality of Student Records Policy.

Additional APSU disclosures can be found at https://www.apsu.edu/about-apsu/institutional-disclosures.php. Upon request, the disclosure information can be provided in paper copy.

# Students' Rights and Responsibilities

Anyone enrolling at Austin Peay State University is entitled to all rights granted to him/her by the Constitution of the United States and is entitled to the full protection of the law. Apart from those rights and duties enjoyed by nonstudents, enrollment in the University carries with it special privileges and imposes special responsibilities. The University has established regulations and certain due process procedures essential to an atmosphere of mutual respect which is sensitive to rights of all individuals.

The APSU policies listed below can be found at www.apsu.edu/policy. If you have questions, please contact the Student Affairs office at 931-221-7341.

- 1. Students have the right to enjoy the educational opportunities afforded by the University without discrimination because of age, race, sex, sexual orientation, disability, veteran status or national origin.
- 2. Students are entitled to the right of due process as provided and explained by the University's Code of Student Conduct.
- 3. Students are entitled to freedom from unreasonable search and/or seizure regarding their person, their residence and their personal property.
- 4. Students have a right to privacy, including the maintenance of confidential records in accordance with the provision of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act as amended and as qualified by the Tennessee Public Records Act.
- 5. Students have the right of access to campus crime statistics and graduation rates, as defined by the Student Right-to-Know and Campus Security Act, as amended.
- Students have the right to affiliate with officially registered student organizations if the membership requirements of those organizations have been met and the right to establish through official procedures additional student organizations of their choosing.
- 7. Students have the right to participate in University governance through the Student Government Association, student organizations and representation on University committees.
- 8. Students have a right to peaceably assemble in accordance with federal, state, local and Austin Peay State University regulations.

- 9. Students have the right of reasonable access to the University campus and facilities.
- 10. Students have the right to expect:
  - a. A campus environment conducive to learning and working that is free of any racial, sexual or other form of harassment;
  - b. A drug-free University environment;
  - c. To not be required to believe or endorse a specific ideology or political viewpoint;
  - d. Accurate information concerning institutional services, regulations, policies and procedures in published form;
  - e. Sound and accurate academic advice, including such matters as courses required for graduation, course and program prerequisites and course sequence;
  - f. Reasonable notice of any changes in academic requirements for programs and assurance that such changes will not be made in a way that unduly impedes the academic progress of a student already enrolled;
  - q. Flexibility in course scheduling (by dropping and adding) or withdrawing within University guidelines;
  - h. Information about the various types of financial assistance available;
  - Freedom to evaluate courses, programs and services and provide input to appropriate segments of the campus administration; and
  - j. Classes to meet in various modalities as scheduled with minimal exception, and course and program requirements clearly stated.

# **Student Role/Participation in Institutional Decision Making**

Austin Peay State University recognizes that students should, and do, participate in institutional decision making. Through the advice of the Student Affairs staff and through Austin Peay State University policies, the University exercises responsibility in directing student activities and student organizations. The Student Government Association (SGA) is an active and vital organization that serves as a link between the student body and the administration. The SGA (of which all students are members) addresses student issues to the Administration on a regular basis and serves as a governing body through the executive officers, the SGA Senate and the Student Tribunal. The SGA president recommends student appointments for University standing committees, special committees and search and selection committees. These recommendations are made through the SGA adviser to the Provost. The student voice is an active component of the University's decision-making process.

### PROCEDURES FOR APPEALS AND COMPLAINTS

# **Procedures for appealing University decisions**

# <u>Fee adjustments for tuition-related university fees/charges, refunds, etc.</u>

The University's guideline explaining how to file an appeal for a fee adjustment is available online. Please read the acceptable reasons (www.apsu.edu/appeals) for which fee adjustments are made. If your situation meets the criteria outlined, complete the Appeal Form (www.apsu.edu/appeals) and submit to Student Achievement (SA). Supporting documentation must be sent to the SA office within five (5) business days of the submission of the appeal. The SA office will provide a decision in writing via email to the appellant's official APSU email account. Decisions of the SA may be appealed in writing to the Fee Adjustment Appeals Committee, which meets twice each fall and spring semester. The committee chairperson will provide a decision in writing via email to the appellant's official APSU email account. Appeals of adverse decisions made by this committee must be in writing to the Assistant Vice President for Finance and Administration. A written decision of matters appealed to that office will be sent to the student's official APSU email account. This concludes the fee adjustment appeals process.

Deadlines for Fee Adjustment Appeals:

- Fall Semester, Fall I FC and Fall II FC Terms: Feb. 15 of following year
- Spring Semester, Spring I FC and Spring II FC Terms: Oct. 15 of same year
- Maymester, Summer (Full), Summer I, Summer II and Summer III FC: Dec. 1 of same year

Appeals received after the stated deadlines will not be considered.

For assistance, please contact Student Achievement at 931-221-6540.

# **Admissions Appeals**

Any applicant who does not fulfill requirements for any category of admission may be asked to submit an Appeal for Further Review form at www.apsu.edu/admissions/admitted/Admission\_for\_Futher\_Review.pdf to be considered by the University's Committee on Admissions Standards (https://www.apsu.edu/governance/committees/AdmissionStandCom. php). For assistance, please contact the Office of Admissions at 931-221-7661.

# **Residency Appeals**

Students who have been classified as out-of-state for fee payment purposes may appeal their residency classification by completing the Residency Application. The completed form and supporting documentation must be submitted to the Office of Admissions, Ellington Lobby, for new students and to the Office of the Registrar, Ellington 316, for currently enrolled students. All appeals must be submitted prior to the beginning of the term for which the appeal is filed. Applications for the current term will not be accepted if the term has already begun. Students wishing to further appeal the decision of the Office of Admissions or the Office of the Registrar may do so by contacting the Office of the Registrar and requesting for the application to be reviewed by the Residency Appeals Committee.

For assistance, please contact the Office of the Registrar at 931-221-7150.

# **Traffic Fines/Citations Appeals**

Traffic fines and citations may be appealed through accessing the Appeal form found on the APSU Parking and Transportation website. For assistance, please contact the Parking and Transportation Department at 931-221-7275.

# **Housing, Residence Life and Dining Appeals**

Residence hall and dining charges may be appealed using the Housing Appeals Form (www.apsu.edu/appeals). The form must be printed, completed and submitted to the Housing Office located in Miller Hall.

For assistance, please contact Housing, Residence Life and Dining Services at 931-221-7444.

# **Grade Appeal Policy**

The purpose of the University's Student Grade Appeal policy is to hear students' grievances about the final grade awarded in a course or the method of evaluation. Students may appeal course grades in accordance with the Student Grade Appeal Policy, www.apsu.edu/policy. Once a degree has been posted to the transcript, the academic record is deemed complete and changes will not be made on grades earned prior to the posted degree.

Policy 2:040 details the procedure for appealing a grade. A student should first try to resolve the issue with the faculty member if possible. If this attempt is not agreeable, the student should then appeal in writing to the department chair in the area where the instructor is a member. The departmental assistant can provide information about the name of the department chair. If the situation is not resolved at this level, the student can then appeal to the dean of the college over that department. If the appeal needs to proceed further than the dean, the dean will forward the appeal to the Student Academic Grievance Committee https://www.apsu.edu/governance/committees/studgrev.php). The dean will notify the student in writing of the final decision of the student's appeal.

# Other non-academic grievances

The purpose of the University's Non-Academic Grievance policy is to hear students' grievances and complaints about the action and performance of University personnel in non-academic matters, to determine the validity of the grievance or complaint and to recommend resolution. See Policy 3:002 at www.apsu.edu/policy. For assistance, please contact the Student Affairs office at 931-221-7341.

# Complaint Resolution Policies and Procedures for Non-Tennessee Resident Students in State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement States (SARA)

Student complaints relating to consumer protection laws that involve distance learning education offered under the terms and conditions of the State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement (SARA), must first be filed with the institution to seek resolution.

Complainants not satisfied with the outcome of the Institution's internal process may appeal, within two years of the incident about which the complaint is made, to the Tennessee Higher Education Commission (https://www.tn.gov/thec/bureaus/student-aid-and-compliance/postsecondary-state-authorization/request-for-complaint-review.html).

For purposes of this process, a complaint shall be defined as a formal assertion in writing that the terms of SARA or the laws, standards or regulations incorporated by the SARA Policies and Standards (https://www.nc-sara.org/resources/guides) have been violated by the institution operating under the terms of SARA.

For a list of SARA member States, please visit the NC-SARA website (https://nc-sara.org/directory). Students residing in non-SARA states should consult their respective State of residence for further instruction for filing a complaint.

### Statement of Grievance and State Law Violations

Students should be aware that, should they have concerns or complaints about their program or their financial aid, this institution has a complaint procedure. (See Academic and Non-Academic Grievance Procedure contained herein.) To the extent possible, students should seek a resolution of such matters through the institution's complaint procedure before involving others. Under Tennessee's open records law, all or parts of complaints will generally be available for review upon request from a member of the public. Complaints of fraud, waste or abuse may be made by calling the Tennessee Comptroller's Hotline for Fraud, Waste and Abuse at 1-800-232-5454. Students or prospective students who wish to file a complaint related to accreditation may contact the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges. Please see below.

# **Complaints of Accreditation**

Austin Peay State University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award associate, baccalaureate, master's, education specialist, and doctorate degrees. Questions about the accreditation of Austin Peay State University may be directed in writing to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097, by calling 404-679-4500, or by using information available on SACSCOC's website (www.sacscoc.org).

### **APSU POLICIES & GUIDELINES**

# **Acceptable Use of Information Technology Resources Policy**

# **Purpose**

The purposes of this policy include:

- 1) To articulate the rights and responsibilities of persons using information technology resources owned, leased or administered by Austin Peay State University (APSU);
- 2) To protect the interests of users and APSU; and
- 3) To facilitate the efficient operation of APSU information technology systems.

### **General Information**

The primary purpose of Austin Peay State University's information technology resources is to enhance and support the educational mission of the University. Access to the University's technology resources is a privilege granted to University students, faculty, staff, contractors and approved guests. These resources include, but are not limited to, computer hardware, software, computer accounts, email accounts and local area networks, as well as connections to other computer networks via the internet. Users are expected to use these resources in a responsible manner.

### Restrictions

- A. All users shall comply with the APSU Policy 4:029, Acceptable Use of Information Technology Resources, which may be found at the following URL: (www.apsu.edu/policy). Said APSU policy (and any subsequent versions thereof) is hereby fully incorporated and made a part of this university policy.
- B. Information technology resources may not be used for the following:
  - 1) Entering, without authorization, into any account to use, read and transfer or change contents in any way;
  - 2) Impersonating/misrepresenting another individual's system account or email user name;
  - 3) Using information technology resources to interfere with the work of other students, faculty, staff or University officials;
  - Using information technology resources to send obscene, abusive, threatening, defamatory or harassing messages;
  - 5) Using information technology resources for activities not directly related to academic or research endeavors in such a way that it causes disruption in a University lab or classroom;
  - 6) Using information technology resources to interfere with the normal operation of University computing systems and connected networks including, but not limited to: introducing viruses, flooding the network with messages or unfairly monopolizing resources that result in the exclusion or significant disruption of others;
  - 7) Using University information technology resources for personal profit or commercial purposes;
  - 8) Using University or state-owned equipment or resources to access obscene or illegal material via the internet; or
  - 9) Using University information technology resources to illegally disperse or receive copyrighted or protected software or software resources;
  - 10) Using University information technology resources for any other activity not directly enhancing or supporting the educational purposes of the university.

### Consequences

Intentional failure to comply with this policy will result in action that may include suspension of user privileges or other disciplinary action, including suspension or expulsion from the University or termination of University employment. In addition, violations may result in referral for prosecution by local, state or federal authorities.

### **Privacy Considerations**

The University reserves the right to view or scan any file, email or software stored on University- or state-owned systems or transmitted over University networks. All users should be aware that email messages are written records that could be subject to review with just cause and may be subject to the Tennessee Public Records Act. When required by law, court order, or subpoena, email or computer files may be disclosed to the appropriate authorities.

# **Guidelines for Use of APSU Computer Labs**

# **Purpose**

This section describes the different types of computer facilities available, defines who may use these facilities and provides guidelines for acceptable use. These guidelines are intended to cover information which all facilities hold in common. Each facility may supplement these campus-wide guidelines with individual department or unit procedures or protocols to meet specific administrative or academic needs.

### **Violations of These Guidelines**

Disciplinary actions for violating any provisions of these guidelines shall be governed by the applicable provision of the APSU Code of Student Conduct.

Sanctions for violation of these guidelines may include revocation or suspension of computer access privileges in addition to any other sanctions permitted under the Code of Student Conduct and APSU policy on Information Technology Resources (www.apsu.edu/policy).

Violations of law may also be referred for criminal or civil prosecution. Resources covered by these guidelines include host computer systems, personal computers and workstations, computer peripherals, communications networks, software, removable media and files. The use of these resources is governed by federal and state law, as well as by Austin Peay State University policies and procedures. The University may monitor access to any of these resources in order to ensure security of its systems and networks and to enforce University policies.

# **Monitoring and Inspection of Electronic Records**

Electronic records sent, received or stored on computers or systems owned, leased, or administered by APSU are the property of Austin Peay. As the property of APSU, the content of such records, including electronic mail, is subject to inspection by APSU personnel. While APSU does not routinely do so, APSU is able and reserves the right to monitor and/or log all network activity of users without notice, including all email and internet communications. Users should have no reasonable expectation of privacy in the use of these resources.

# **Description of Facilities**

The locations of computer facilities, as well as each facility's guidelines, procedures, equipment and hours may be found on the GovsTech page under Student Resources.

In addition, this information shall be clearly posted inside and/or outside each facility.

Different types of computer facilities exist on this campus. Some APSU computer facilities are designated as open access, while some are specialized departmental facilities used for classes and, occasionally, function as open access. Some facilities have posted hours and are staffed by attendants, while others have no posted hours and are only opened as needed. Open labs include campus network and internet connections, which require a sign-in or identification procedure to ensure that only currently enrolled APSU students use the facility. Users should check each individual facility's procedures or protocols for specific information.

### **Users and Their Responsibilities**

Access to APSU's computer labs is limited to currently enrolled APSU students. Exceptions are made for APSU academic pursuits and approved workshops, seminars or other special events. Users are responsible for ethical use of APSU computer and technology resources, including both honesty in their academic pursuits and respect for others who share these resources. If requested, users should be prepared to sign in and/or may be requested to present a valid APSU picture ID when they enter a computing facility.

### **Guidelines for Use**

# A. Access to resources in computing facilities

Computers for individual use are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. APSU computing and networking resources are limited; therefore, the first priority should be the fulfillment of academic instructional objectives for students using the computer facilities. Users may be asked to justify the academic legitimacy of their activities to lab management. Users should be aware of state and federal laws governing the distribution and display of obscene materials (APSU Policy 4:029).

Students engaged in non-academic pursuits may be asked by attendants to relinquish machines for students who need to do work for their classes. Some computers are reserved for specific purposes because of special features such as an attached plotter or specialized software. These computers are clearly identified in each facility, and students needing those resources shall have priority on those machines.

# B. Care of computing and technology resources

Malfunctioning equipment should be reported immediately to the attendant or manager in charge of the facility. The consumption of foods and beverages, including bottled water, is prohibited except in designated areas. Computers are configured according to the needs of students and faculty/staff. Users must not change hardware or software configuration settings. Users who have suggestions for a hardware or software configuration change should speak to the person who manages the facility.

Users are expected to exercise good judgment when submitting printing tasks and take proper care of the computers, printers and all other equipment found in the facilities (see section C, below).

# C. Reducing wasteful use of paper and printing supplies

Users are expected to be conservative in their use of paper and to exercise discretion when printing documents to prevent waste of expensive printing materials. Because color cartridges are costly, users must be prudent when sending print jobs to color printers.

Users should submit the print command only once to avoid printing multiple copies of a document. Users should allow adequate time to ensure a successful print job before resending a print command.

Users who need multiple copies of a document must use a photocopying machine for duplication of documents. Coinoperated photocopiers are available in the Woodward Library (during library hours) as well as in the Printing Services center at APSU located on the first floor of the Woodward Library.

Users are urged to use the "print preview" command before submitting a print job. Blank pages that appear in the "print preview" result should be deleted before the print job is sent. Users should make sure they have sent their printing job to the correct printer. To do this, instead of immediately clicking on the printer icon, users should click the "File" command in the main menu toolbar and then select "Print," which will open the Print dialog box where settings can be checked and adjusted before sending a print command.

Users must only print materials of academic relevance or co-curricular significance. Users should notify the lab attendant if the printer has failed to respond correctly after the first print command. If users have submitted an incorrect print job, they should notify the lab attendant so that the attendant can attempt to cancel the job. Users should save personal email, webpages and any kind of academically irrelevant materials to removable media, such as jump/thumb drives, external hard drives, CD-R or CD-RW disks.

# D. Respect for others using the facilities

Those using the facilities should work quietly. Loud conversations and disruptive behavior disturb others who are trying to do academic work. Users may not encroach on others' use of computing or technology resources. Such activities include, but are not limited to, sending harassing messages, introducing viruses or anything else which damages software or hardware and misrepresenting one's identity in electronic communication. Persons who are disruptive in computer lab facilities will be asked to leave immediately. The lab attendant may summon the lab supervisor or the faculty advisor if a student refuses to leave. Campus security may be summoned to the facility if a user poses a threat to the safety of the facility. Repeated incidents of disruptive or harassing behavior will result in loss of computer use privileges.

### E. Skills needed to use APSU facilities

Campus computer labs are primarily self-service facilities. Users are responsible for learning the skills necessary to use the computer applications. Software documentation and manuals may be made available to users in some facilities. The lab attendant's responsibilities include (a) ensuring that users properly sign in and sign out when applicable; (b) troubleshooting hardware; (c) correcting printer malfunctions; and (d) enforcing these lab guidelines. In addition to these primary responsibilities, attendants may be able to provide limited assistance to users based on the attendant's knowledge of specific software.

# F. Software and data on APSU computer lab facilities

Only software owned by or licensed to Austin Peay State University shall reside on campus lab computers. All applicable copyright laws and licenses must be observed. No software or "freeware" shall be installed on any APSU lab computer without express permission from the facility manager. Users must save their work to removable media, such as jump/thumb drives, external hard drives, and CD-R or CD-RW disks.

### G. Obscene materials

The distribution and display of obscene materials is prohibited by the laws of Tennessee (see Tenn. Code Ann. § 39-1902). Obscene materials are defined under Tennessee law (see T.C.A. § 39-17-901(10)) as those materials which: a) The

average person applying contemporary community standards would find that the work, taken as a whole, appeals to the prurient interest; b) The average person applying contemporary community standards would find that the work depicts or describes, in a patently offensive way, sexual conduct; and c) the work, taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value. Federal law (18 U.S.C. 2252) prohibits the distribution across state lines of material involving the sexual exploitation of minors.

### H. Students with disabilities

Computers on campus are open for student use on a first-come, first-served basis. Some facilities provide stations for users with disabilities. When users identify themselves as disabled and request immediate access, they shall be given access to a designated station only if a vacant computer is available for the student who is being relocated.

# **Illegal Downloading**

All Austin Peay State University students, faculty and staff should be aware that it is illegal to acquire (via digital or other form of transfer) any copyrighted material unless you have legally purchased or have otherwise obtained the express permission of the copyright holder. Copyrighted material includes, but is not limited to, music, videos, books, images and software. With the advancement in technology and easy access via the internet to music, videos, books, images and software programs, and programs with which to copy the material, you may not be aware whether certain material may be legally copied or not. A helpful list of types of copyright-protected material and copyright laws can be found at www.copyright.gov.

# **Smoking Policy**

All smoking, vaping, and tobacco usage is prohibited on the APSU campus, except in designated locations. APSU promotes a healthy, sanitary environment free from tobacco smoke in University facilities, grounds and state-owned vehicles. Regardless of whether classes are in session, this policy prohibits smoking, vaping, and tobacco usage in all buildings, grounds and state-owned vehicles 24 hours a day, year round. People who want to use smoke-free tobacco products may do so 30 feet from each building exit and entrance. Smoke-free tobacco product use is prohibited in University buildings and state-owned vehicles. Employee violations of this policy should be reported to the appropriate supervisor. Student violations of this policy should be reported to the Office of Student Affairs. There shall be no reprisals against anyone reporting violations of this policy. (See APSU Policy 5:002 and campus smoking map at www.apsu.edu/map.)

# **Inclement Weather Policy**

During severe inclement weather, the University will remain open, classes will be held, and the faculty and staff will be expected to perform their normal duties. Unless a modified schedule or an official closing due to catastrophic conditions (such as loss of heat, power outage, etc.) is announced over RAVE Alert, the APSU website, radio or TV broadcasts, employees are expected to report for work and students are expected to attend class. In cases of severe inclement weather or hazardous roads, students are to exercise their own judgment in making decisions about class attendance. For more information, visit the APSU Emergency Management website at www.apsu.edu/emergency-management.

# **Student Medical Emergencies**

If you have a medical emergency on campus, call 911 immediately. Campus police will arrive and assist you in obtaining appropriate medical care.

# **Discrimination, Harassment and Affirmative Action**

Austin Peay State University is committed to a nondiscriminatory philosophy that extends to all constituents. To ensure the realization of this goal and be supportive of its educational philosophy, the University has developed a plan

for providing equal employment opportunity, as well as affirmative action for protected classes. In order for this plan to be effective, management at all levels must make positive contributions to implementing it. This affirmative action plan commits the University to comply with all pertinent legislation, regulations and executive orders in providing affirmative action, as well as equal employment opportunities.

Austin Peay State University does not discriminate against students, employees, or applicants for admission or employment on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, disability, age, status as a protected veteran, genetic information, or any other legally protected class in its programs and activities as required by Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and other applicable statutes and University policies. Austin Peay State University prohibits sexual harassment, including sexual violence.

The following persons have been designated to handle inquiries regarding the nondiscrimination policies: LaNeeca Williams, Chief Diversity Officer and Title IX Coordinator and Sheila Bryant, Director of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action and Deputy Title IX Coordinator, 418 College St., Clarksville, TN 37044, williamslr@apsu.edu or bryantsm@apsu.edu.

The following person has been designated to serve as the institution's Title IX Coordinator to monitor and oversee Title IX complaints: LaNeeca Williams, Chief Diversity Officer and Title IX Coordinator at 931-221-7690. Students may also contact the Deputy Title IX Coordinator, Sheila Bryant at 931-221-7178.

# **Reporting of Rape Allegations**

In compliance with the Robert "Robbie" Nottingham Campus Crime Scene Investigation Act of 2004, all APSU staff and faculty are required by law to report to APSU Campus Police, for investigation, any information they receive that any degree of rape or sexual assault has occurred on property owned or controlled by the University. The only persons granted an exception to this requirement to report allegations of rape to the police are licensed counselors and licensed medical professionals who have received a report of such allegations while performing their official duties as an employee of the University. Details of this act may be accessed via the APSU Campus Police website at www.apsu.edu/police.

# **The Federal Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act**

The Federal Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act and the Tennessee College and University Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act of 2002 require that whenever a sex offender becomes employed, enrolls as a student or volunteers at an institution of higher education in the state of Tennessee, he or she must complete or update the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI) sexual offender registration/monitoring form and deliver it to TBI headquarters in Nashville.

As defined in section 40-39-102 of the Tennessee Code, a "sexual offender" means a person who is, or has been, convicted in this state of committing a sexual offense or who is, or has been, convicted in another state or another country, or who is or has been convicted in a federal or military court, of committing an act which would have constituted a sexual offense if it had been committed in this state. A "sexual offense" means the commission of acts including but not limited to aggravated and statutory rape, sexual battery, sexual exploitation of a minor, aggravated prostitution and kidnapping.

Both acts designate certain information concerning a registered sexual offender as public information and therefore amend and supersede the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and other federal and state laws that previously prohibited the disclosure of such personal information. Because the laws require the publication of information pertaining to sexual offenders employed, enrolled or volunteering at an educational institution, said publication does not constitute grounds for a grievance or complaint under institutional policies or procedures.

# Sexual Assault/Domestic Violence/Dating Violence/Stalking

Under Title IX, and as a standard for the Code of Student Conduct, Austin Peay State University is committed to providing a safe learning and working environment. In compliance with federal law, specifically the Jeanne Clery Act (Clery Act) and the Campus Sexual Violence Elimination Act (SaVE Act), Austin Peay State University has adopted policies and procedures to prevent and respond to incidents of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence and stalking. These guidelines apply to all members of the APSU community (students, faculty, and staff) as well as contractors and visitors.

Austin Peay State University will not tolerate sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence or stalking in any form. Such acts of violence are prohibited by APSU policy, as well as state and federal laws. Individuals who the university determines more likely than not engaged in these types of behaviors are subject to penalties up to and including dismissal or separation from APSU, regardless of whether they are also facing criminal or civil charges in a court of law.

For more information on Sexual Harassment and Title IX Guidelines, visit www.apsu.edu/equity-access/titleix

# **Title IX Federal Law**

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. § 1681 et seq., is a federal law that prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex, or denies participation in any federally funded education program or activity. In conjunction with Title IX, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 protects individuals against sex discrimination (as well as discrimination on the bases of race, color, national origin, and religion) in employment.

Sex discrimination is defined as unequal treatment of individuals based on gender, and has many forms. Sexual violence is a form of sex discrimination, and is defined as any physical sexual act committed upon a person against the person's will or where/when the person is incapable of giving consent due to use of drugs or alcohol, or for other reasons. Sexual violence includes, but is not limited to sexual assault (non-consensual sexual intercourse and non-consensual sexual contact), dating violence, domestic violence, stalking, and retaliation.

### Title IX Coordinator

In accordance with Title IX guidance and regulations, Austin Peay State University has appointed LaNeeca Williams as the Title IX Coordinator. If you have experienced or have witnessed any form of sexual discrimination, including sexual violence, we encourage you to report the incident(s) to APSU Campus Police or the Title IX Coordinator at Williamslr@apsu.edu or by phone at (931) 221-7690.

The Title IX Coordinator is charged with the oversight and monitoring of APSU's compliance efforts. Austin Peay State University does not discriminate against students, employees, or applicants for admission or employment on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, disability, age, status as a protected veteran, genetic information, or any other legally protected class with respect to all employment, programs and activities sponsored by APSU.

For more information, or inquiries or complaints regarding the non-discrimination policies, including Title IX complaints, please visit www.apsu.edu/equity-access/titleix.

# **Community Health Emergency**

Austin Peay State University (APSU) is committed to providing faculty, staff, students, and visitors a safe environment. In the event of a community medical concern or emergency, please check APSU email and the APSU website for information and guidance. Boyd Health Services and Student Affairs will also provide information in these situations.

# **Drug and Alcohol Policy**

# **Policy on Alcohol and Other Illicit Drugs**

Austin Peay State University strictly prohibits the use, possession, or distribution of alcohol and other illicit drugs. See APSU Policy: 7:005, 3:006 and Code of Student Conduct.

### **Philosophy**

Austin Peay State University's fundamental purpose is to produce educated men and women equipped to use their abilities productively and wisely. The curricula and extra-curricular activities of the University are routes to intellectual maturity and means to the development of ideas, insights, values and competencies which form a permanent, personal capacity for thought and action. The University strives to provide an environment for students to construct their own education and to acquire the means of making self-education the rewarding enterprise of a lifetime, enabling them to become effective agents of social change. An environment free of the illegal or abusive use of alcohol or other drugs by members of the academic community encourages this educational development. Therefore, Austin Peay State University is committed to having a campus that is free of alcohol and other drug use.

In keeping with its primary purpose, Austin Peay will utilize educational strategies as its major approach to the problem of alcohol and other drug use. It is important, however, that everyone be aware that any member of the University community who uses illegal drugs or abuses any drug including alcohol may be subject to prosecution and punishment by the civil authorities and to disciplinary proceedings by the University. Austin Peay's interest in punishing offenders is not punitive but rather to establish clear limits of conduct for all members of the campus community. This policy does NOT punish people who seek rehabilitation. All information provided by people who voluntarily avail themselves of alcohol or other drug counseling or rehabilitation services will be confidential. It will NOT be used against the individual seeking assistance.

# **Policy on Substance Abuse**

It is the policy of this institution that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, acquisition, possession, or use of alcohol and illegal drugs on the APSU campus, on property owned or controlled by APSU, or as part of any activity of APSU is strictly prohibited.

Austin Peay is dedicated to the pursuit and dissemination of knowledge and, as such, expects all members of the academic community to behave in a manner conducive to that end. The highest standards of personal and professional conduct must be maintained by faculty, staff, and students. Illegal or abusive use of alcohol and other drugs by members of the University community adversely affects the mission of the University and is prohibited. Accordingly, Austin Peay State University adopts the following policy, consistent with federal, state, and local laws. The policy is intended to accomplish the following:

- 1. Prevent substance abuse through strong educational efforts;
- 2. Encourage and facilitate the use of counseling services and rehabilitation programs by those members of the University community who require assistance in stopping substance abuse; and,
- 3. Discipline appropriately those members of the University community who engage in illegal substance-related behaviors.

### **Educational Efforts to Prevent Substance Abuse**

In keeping with its primary mission of education, Austin Peay will conduct a strong educational program aimed at preventing drug abuse and illegal drug or alcohol use. Educational efforts shall be directed toward all members of the University community and will include information about the incompatibility of the use or sale of illegal substances with the goals of APSU, the health hazards associated with illegal drugs or alcohol use, the incompatibility of substance abuse with the maximum achievement of education, career and other personal goals and the potential legal consequences of involvement with illegal drugs or alcohol.

### Services to Prevent Substance Abuse

Those students, faculty and staff who seek assistance with a substance abuse-related problem shall be provided with information about alcohol and other drug counseling and rehabilitation services through APSU and also through community organizations. Those who voluntarily avail themselves of University services shall be assured that applicable professional standards of confidentiality will be observed.

### **Disciplinary Actions to Prevent Substance Abuse**

Students, faculty and staff are responsible, as citizens, for knowing about and complying with the provisions of Tennessee Code Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 4 that make it a crime to possess, sell, deliver or manufacture those drugs designated collectively as "controlled substances" in T.C.A. § 39-17-402 -- § 39-17-416. Any member of the University community who violates those laws is subject both to prosecution and punishment by the civil authorities and to disciplinary proceedings by the University.

It is not "double jeopardy" for both the civil authorities and the University to proceed against and punish a person for the same specified conduct. The University will initiate its own disciplinary proceeding against a student or employee when the alleged conduct is deemed to affect the interests of the University. Sanctions will be imposed by the University in accordance with this policy, Staff Handbook, Faculty Handbook, Code of Student Conduct and other appropriate University policies.

Students, faculty, and staff members of APSU with substance abuse problems are encouraged to take advantage of available diagnostic, referral, counseling and prevention services. However, employees and students availing themselves of these services will not be granted special privileges and exemptions from standard academic and student conduct requirements. Austin Peay will not excuse acts of misconduct committed by employees and students whose judgment is impaired due to substance use.

# **Employees**

(This includes regular and temporary employees, student employees and employees working at the University under the guidelines of federal contract or grant. Compliance with the policy is considered a condition of employment under the terms of the employment.)

As a condition of employment, each employee must abide by the terms of this statement and must notify the director of Human Resources of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction. Failure to provide this notification within five days after conviction will result in termination of employment. A conviction includes a finding of guilt, a plea of nolo contendere, or imposition of a sentence by any state or federal judicial body. Possible disciplinary sanctions for failure to comply with this statement, other than notification, may include one or more of the following: 1. termination; 2. suspension; 3. mandatory participation in, and satisfactory completion of, a substance abuse program or rehabilitation program; and 4. recommendation for professional counseling.

### **Students**

(This shall mean any person who is registered for study at Austin Peay State University for any academic period. A person shall be considered a student during any period that follows the end of an academic period which the student has completed until the last day for registration for the next succeeding regular academic period and during any period while the student is under suspension from the University.)

Possible disciplinary sanctions for failure to comply with the terms of this statement may include one or more of the following: 1. expulsion; 2. suspension; 3. probation; and 4. mandatory educational program.

In addition to the above, students may be required to participate in, and satisfactorily complete, a substance abuse program or rehabilitation program. Finally, in addition to imposed University sanctions, a student may be referred for criminal prosecution. As a condition for receiving federal Title IV financial aid, each student must certify that he/she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance and must notify the director of Student Financial Aid of any conviction within five days after such conviction. A student convicted of violating the regulation may lose his/her federally funded financial aid and may be subject to disciplinary action under the Code of Student Conduct.

For more information on APSU's alcohol and other drug philosophy visit: https://www.apsu.edu/student-affairs/dean-of-students/alcohol-and-other-drug-philosophy/index.php.

### **Parental Notification**

Austin Peay State University recognizes that students, parents, and the University are in a partnership in which each has the responsibility of promoting a healthy and productive educational experience. The University disciplinary process exists to provide corrective action that is educational and developmental, to protect the campus community, and to maintain an environment conducive to learning. Violations of the APSU alcohol and drug policy can detract from that learning environment. We believe parents can assist students in fulfilling their educational goals through the use of open dialogue.

T.C.A. § 49-7-146 requires Austin Peay State University to notify the parents or guardians of students under the age of 21 when those students are found responsible for alcohol- and drug-related offenses. In addition, the parent/guardian may be contacted in any instance in which the health or safety of the student has been threatened either through the student's own acts or the acts of others.

# **Drugs, Alcohol and Their Risks**

# Types of Drugs and Health Risks

**Schedule 1:** Heroin, LSD, peyote, mescaline, psilocybin (shrooms), other hallucinogens, methaqualone (quaaludes), MDA, ecstasy, and bath salts.

Health Risks: Psychologically and physically addictive; depression, withdrawal symptoms, convulsions, death, unpredictable behavior with hallucinogens; possible damage to unborn fetus.

**Schedule II:** Morphine, Demerol, codeine, Percodan, Percocet, fentanyl, Dilaudid, Seconal, Nembutal, cocaine, amphetamines, other opium, opium extracts and narcotics, methadone, hydrocodone, Adderall, Ritalin, PCP, and codeine-containing cough syrups such as Hycomine, and Tussionex.

Health Risks: Psychologically and physically addictive; withdrawal symptoms, convulsions, respiratory failure, frequent accidents; possible damage to unborn fetus; death; cocaine and amphetamines increase blood pressure which can lead to irregular heartbeat and death; amphetamines can cause agitation, increase in body temperature, hallucinations, convulsions, possible death.

**Schedule III:** Codeine containing medicine such as Fiorinal #3, Tylenol #3, Empirin #3, all anabolic steroids, ketamine, testosterone, and suboxone.

Health Risks: psychologically and physically addictive; potential liver damage, nausea and vomiting; dizziness, disorientation, shallow breathing, cold and clammy skin, coma, possible death; withdrawal symptoms — anxiety, tremors, insomnia, convulsion; possible damage to unborn fetus.

**Schedule IV:** barbiturates and stimulants, Valium, Talwin, Librium Equanil, Darvon, Darvocet, Placidyl, Tranzene, Serax, Ionamin (yellow jackets), Xanax, Soma, Ativan, Ambien and Tramadol.

Health Risks: Psychologically and physically addictive; drowsiness, withdrawal symptoms — tremors, abdominal and muscle cramps, insomnia, anxiety, convulsions, possible death; possible damage to unborn fetus.

**Schedule V:** compounds that contain very limited amounts of codeine, dihdrocodeine, ethlmorphine and atropine, such as Terpine Hydrate with codeine and Robitussin ACand Lomotil.

Health Risks: Psychologically and physically addictive; nausea, gastrointestinal symptoms, drowsiness, withdrawal symptoms—runny nose, watery eyes, panic, chills, cramps, irritability, nausea; possible damage to unborn fetus.

**Schedule VI:** marijuana, THC, hashish, hash oil, tetrahydrocannabinol.

Health Risks: psychologically addictive; increased risk of lung cancer, bronchitis, and emphysema; contributes to heart disease, fatigue, paranoia, possible psychosis; withdrawal symptoms insomnia, hyperactivity and decreased appetite; depression of the immune system; decrease sperm count in men and irregular ovulation in women.

**Types of Alcohol:** Unfortified wine is wine not more than 17% alcohol. Malt beer, 2 of 1% to malt beverage is beer, 2 of 1% to 6% alcohol. Fortified wine is wine not more than 24% alcohol. Spirituous liquor is distilled spirits or ethylalcohol, including spirits of wine, whiskey, rum, brandy, gin, etc. Mixed beverage is a drink composed in whole or part of spirituous liquor.

Health Risks: psychologically and physically addictive; respiratory depression; depression of the immune system; increase risk of heart disease, cancer, accidents, hypertension; brain damage; liver damage; damage to the unborn fetus; impotence at high dosage levels.

# **Alcohol and Other Drug Resources**

# **University Affiliated Resources**

- Campus Police, Shasteen, 931-221-7786
- Student Counseling Services, Ard 202, 931-221-6162
- Boyd Health Services, Ard 104, 931-221-7107
- Student Wellness and Prevention, Ard 125, 931-221-6226
- Housing/Residence Life and Dining Services, Miller 121, 931-221-7444
- Office of Student Affairs, Morgan University Center 206, 931-221-7341

### **Non-University Affiliated Resources**

### Self-Help Groups

Al-Anon of Middle Tennessee, www.middletnalanon.org

### **Hotlines**

- Crisis Call Line (Crisis211), 24 hour, 931-648-1000
- Drug Abuse Hotline, 24 hour, 866-475-4920
- SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) National Hotline, 24 hour, 800-662-4357

- Sexual Assault Center for Crisis & Support, 866-811-7473
- National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, 24-hour, 800-273-8255 or text "TN" to 74174
- TN Free Tobacco Quit Line, 800-QUIT-NOW (784-8669)

### **Treatment Center Locations**

### Chattanooga

- Council for Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services, 207 Spears Ave., Chattanooga, TN 37405, 423-756-7644
   Clarksville
- Buffalo Valley, Inc., 717 Cumberland Drive, Clarksville, TN 37040, 931-796-5427
- Centerstone, Eighth St., Clarksville, TN 37040, 931-920-7200
- Mental Health Cooperative, 871 Professional Park Drive, Clarksville, TN 37040, 931-645-5440
- Sexual Assault Center, 1725-I Wilma Rudolph Blvd., Clarksville, TN 37040, 931-241-4143

# Memphis

Comprehensive Counseling Network, 2150 Whitney Ave., Memphis, TN 38127, 901-353-5440
 Nashville

- Cumberland Heights, 8283 River Road Pike, Nashville, TN 37209, 615-356-2700
- Centerstone, 4525 Harding Pike, Suites 226, 235, 236, Nashville, TN 37205, 615-460-4080
- Meharry Medical College, 1005 Dr. D.B. Todd Jr. Blvd., Nashville, TN 37208, 615-327-6000
- Oasis Center, 1704 Charlotte Ave. Suite 200, Nashville, TN 37203, 615-327-4455
- Parthenon Pavilion Psychiatric Hospital, 2401 Parman Place, Nashville, TN 37203, 615-342-1450

- Samaritan Recovery Community, 319 S. 4th St., Nashville, TN 37206, 615-244-4802
- Sexual Assault Center, 101 French Landing Dr., Nashville, TN 37228, 615-259-9055
- Vanderbilt Behavioral Health, 1211 Medical Center Dr., Nashville, TN 37203, 615-327-7000



# Become An Upstander

Training the 1st Thursday of Every Month

Safety

**GOVS CARE** 

Sign Up!



Empowerment









# Finding Help for Mental Health

Mental health disorders are real, common and often treatable. It's okay to ask for help! Let Student Counseling Services be the first stop. Students are assessed and can receive up to 12 counseling sessions annually at no cost.

Let's Talk is a great option when you need a brief conversation and there are hours available Monday - Friday.

# Mental Health Resources

Student Counseling Services

@APSUHealthAndCounseling

To schedule an appointment, call

931-221-7107

or drop-in to a Let's Talk session.

For more information, visit:

www. apsu.edu/health-and-counseling

National Suicide Prevention

Lifeline:

1-800-237-TALK (8255)

Crisis Text Line:

Text "START" to 741741

SAMHSA's National Helpline: 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

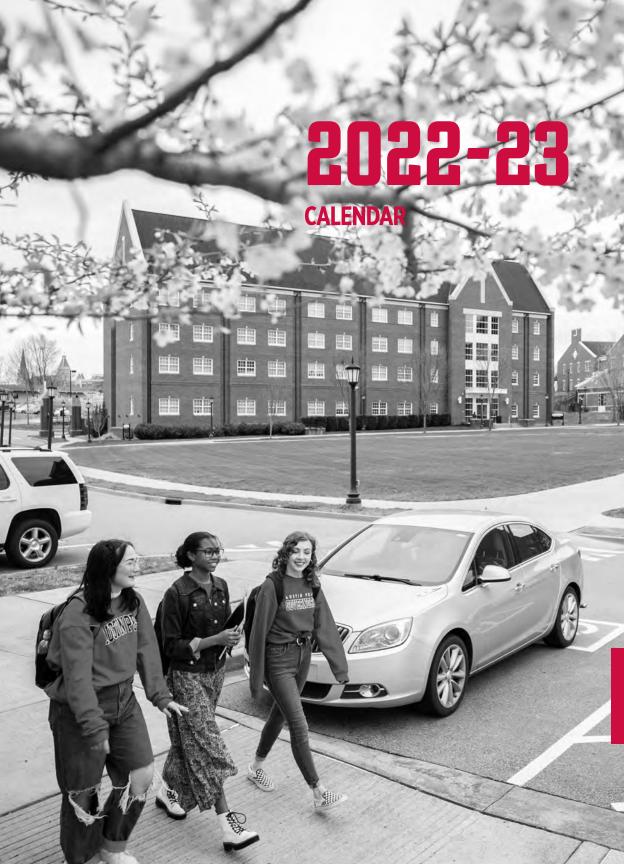
> Veterans Crisis Line 1-800-273-8255

Sexual Assault Center Hotline:

1-800-656-4673

Centerstone

# **NOTES**



# **AUGUST 2022**

MONDAY 15	
IMPORTANT DATES	
<b>TUESDAY 16</b>	
IMPORTANT DATES	
WEDNESDAY 17	
IMPORTANT DATES	

### **AUGUST 2022**

### **THURSDAY 18**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 19**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Freshman Convocation, 3:30 p.m., Dunn Center

Govs Programming Council (GPC): Glowchella, 8-11 p.m., Intramural Fields

### **SATURDAY 20**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Student Life & Engagement (SLE): Monocle Madness Carnival, 6 – 10 p.m., Lot behind Woodward Library

### **SUNDAY 21**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to receive a 100% fee adjustment

SLE: 9th Annual Gov Run, 3 p.m., Intramural Fields/ Campus

### **MONDAY 22**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

CLARKSVILLE CAMPUS: CLASSES BEGIN

\*Online courses visible in D2L online classroom

Late Registration: Aug. 22-26

Drive-In Movie, 7:30 p.m., Foy Parking Lot

### **TUESDAY 23**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

GreekFest, 5 p.m., location TBD

### **WEDNESDAY 24**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Late registration

NPHC Courtyard Wednesday, 11 a.m. -1 p.m. MUC Plaza

### **WELCOME BACK, GOVS!**

### **AUGUST 2022**

### Parking info: follow @APSUParking and @APSUPolice on Twitter

### **THURSDAY 25**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Late registration

SLE: Involvement Fair, 11 a.m.- 2 p.m., MUC Plaza

NPHC Yard Show, 7 p.m., MUC Plaza

### **FRIDAY 26**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to add a class

Roll Bounce, 6– 9 p.m., Red Barn

Military Student Center (MSC): Welcome Back to Class Lunch, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Newton Military Family Resource Center

### **SATURDAY 27**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Community Engagement & Sustainability (CES): Freshmen Service Project, 9 a.m.- 2 p.m., various locations

### **SUNDAY 28**

### **AUGUST 2022**

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IMPORTANT DATES	Check govsdining.sodexomyway.com for campus dining options, hours and menus
TUESDAY 30	
IMPORTANT DATES	
WEDNESDAY TO	
WEDNESDAY 31	
IMPORTANT DATES	
ANTS: Transfer Welcome Back Lunch and Trivia,	
12:30-2 p.m. MUC 111	

## GovsTech Help Desk- Tech Support: Visit the MUC Info Desk or email govstech@apsu.edu

### **THURSDAY 1**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to submit a fee waiver and/or discount form for Fall 2022

### **FRIDAY 2**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

SLE: Friday Football Frenzy, Noon, MUC Plaza

### **SATURDAY 3**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Govs Football vs. Presbyterian, Fortera Stadium, 6 p.m.

### **SUNDAY 4**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

CLARKSVILLE CAMPUS -Full fall: Last day to drop class without record

### **MONDAY 5**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Labor Day: No classes, University closed

### **TUESDAY 6**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to receive 75% fee adjustment for full fall term

SGA Elections, Online and MUC Lobby

### **WEDNESDAY 7**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

SGA Elections, Online and MUC Lobby

### **CHECK YOUR AP EMAIL DAILY**

### Family Weekend, Sept. 9-11

## Go to www.apsu.edu/student-life/familyweekend/ for more info

### **THURSDAY 8**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

SGA Elections, Online and MUC Lobby

### **FRIDAY 9**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

SLE: Family Weekend

### **SATURDAY 10**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

**FAMILY WEEKEND** 

Govs Football vs Mississippi Valley State, Fortera Stadium, 3 p.m.

### **SUNDAY 11**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

**FAMILY WEEKEND** 

MONDAY 12	LATINX HERITAGE MONTH, SEPT. 15-OCT. 15
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https://www.apsu.edu/student-life/lcrc/latinxheritagemonth

### **THURSDAY 15**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Latino Community Resource Center (LCRC): Latinx Heritage Month Kickoff, 6-8 p.m., MUC Lobby

### **FRIDAY 16**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 17**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SUNDAY 18**

### **MONDAY 19**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Homecoming Week Sept. 19-24

### **TUESDAY 20**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **WEDNESDAY 21**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **HOMECOMING WEEK, Sept. 19-24**

### For more information, visit www.apsu.edu/student-life/aphomecoming

### **THURSDAY 22**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 23**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 24**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Homecoming Parade, 10 a.m., College Street

Govs Football vs Eastern Kentucky, Homecoming, Fortera Stadium, 3 p.m.

### **SUNDAY 25**

MONDAY 26	LETTO TOLK, ONE ON ONE DRIFT TOLKO WITH A COUNCELOR
IMPORTANT DATES	LET'S TALK: ONE-ON-ONE BRIEF TALKS WITH A COUNSELOR Visit apsu.edu/health-and-counseling/counseling/lets_talk
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IMPORTANT DATES	
Career Services: Graduate School and Internship Expo,	
10 a.m 3 p.m.,	
MUC Ballroom	
WEDNESDAY 28	
WEDNESDAY 20	
IMPORTANT DATES	
Career Services: Graduate School and Internship Expo,	
10 a.m 3 p.m.,	
MUC Ballroom	

### **SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2022**

Drop-in & individual counseling available. Student Counseling Services, Ard Building, 524 College Street, 931-221-6162

### **THURSDAY 29**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 30**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 1**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SUNDAY 2**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

SGA: Mudbowl, 12:30-5 p.m., Dunn Bowl

MONDAY 3	
IMPORTANT DATES	
TUESDAY 4	
IMPORTANT DATES	
WEDNESDAY 5	
IMPORTANT DATES	
Clothesline Project,	
9 a.m4 p.m., MUC Plaza	

### **THURSDAY 6**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 7**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 8**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SUNDAY 9**

### **MONDAY 10**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

CLARKSVILLE and FORT CAMPBELL: Fall Break - No classes

### **TUESDAY 11**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

CLARKSVILLE CAMPUS: Fall Break - No classes

### **WEDNESDAY 12**

Fall Break, No classes, Oct. 10-11

### Free peer tutoring: Call 931-221-6550 or visit apsu.edu/Irc/tutoring

### **THURSDAY 13**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

First eight-week (Session A) classes end

### **FRIDAY 14**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 15**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Govs Football vs. Murray State, Fortera Stadium, 3 p.m.

### **SUNDAY 16**

### **MONDAY 17**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

ANTS: Transfer Student Week Oct. 17-21

### **TUESDAY 18**

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### **WEDNESDAY 19**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Second eight-week (Session B) classes begin \*Online courses visible in the D2L online classroom

### TRANSFER STUDENT WEEK

For more information, apsu.edu/ants or Peaylink.com

Events, students orgs, free food, & more: visit PeayLink at apsu.campuslabs.com/engage
visit reayLink at apsu.campusiabs.com/engage

### **THURSDAY 20**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### FRIDAY 21

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 22**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SUNDAY 23**

### **MONDAY 24**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to drop with an automatic "W"

Oct. 24-28: Priority advising and preregistration for currently enrolled students for Spring 2023

### **TUESDAY 25**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **WEDNESDAY 26**

<b>Priority registration week Oct. 24-28</b> Find Your Adviser: OneStop advising page.

### **CAREER FAIRS** For information, visit apsu.edu/careers/events

### **THURSDAY 27**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to receive 25% fee adjustment

### **FRIDAY 28**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

### **SATURDAY 29**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Govs Football vs Jacksonville State, Fortera Stadium, 3 p.m.

### **SUNDAY 30**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

SGA: GHOST, 2-5 p.m., APSU campus

### **OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2022**

### **MONDAY 31**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

ANTS: Nontraditional Student Week Oct. 31-Nov. 4

### **TUESDAY 1**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to apply for May 2023 graduation

### **WEDNESDAY 2**

Nontraditional Student Week

### **NOVEMBER 2022**

# For more information, visit **apsu.edu/ants** or PeayLink

### **THURSDAY 3**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 4**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SATURDAY 5**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SUNDAY 6**

### **MONDAY 7**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Career Services: School of Nursing Career Fair, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., MUC Ballroom

### **TUESDAY 8**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **WEDNESDAY 9**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

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# **VETERANS**

### **THURSDAY 10**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 11**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Veterans Day - No classes, University closed

### **SATURDAY 12**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **SUNDAY 13**

### **MONDAY 14 EXPLORE YOUR WORLD: IMPORTANT DATES TUESDAY 15 IMPORTANT DATES WEDNESDAY 16 IMPORTANT DATES**

### **NOVEMBER 2022**

# Visit apsu.edu/study-abroad-exchange

### **THURSDAY 17**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **FRIDAY 18**

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### **SATURDAY 19**

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### **SUNDAY 20**

### **MONDAY 21**

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### **TUESDAY 22**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

### **WEDNESDAY 23**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Thanksgiving Holiday: Nov. 23-27, No classes

# THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

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### **THURSDAY 24**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Thanksgiving Holiday, No classes, University closed

### **FRIDAY 25**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Thanksgiving Holiday, No classes, University closed

### **SATURDAY 26**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

No Classes: University closed

### **SUNDAY 27**

### MONDAY 28 IMPORTANT DATES

### **TUESDAY 29**

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### **WEDNESDAY 30**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day of classes

ANTS: Transfer & Nontraditional Graduation Reception, 6-7:30 p.m., MUC Ballroom B/C

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# FINAL EXAMS, DEC. 2-8

### **THURSDAY 1**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Study Day

### **FRIDAY 2**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Dec. 2-8 Final exams

### **SATURDAY 3**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

**SUNDAY 4** 

### **MONDAY 5**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

**Final Exams** 

For Wintermester calendar dates, visit www.apsu.edu/winter

### **TUESDAY 6**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

**Final Exams** 

LCRC: LCRC Graduation Recognition Ceremony, 5-7 p.m., MUC Ballroom

### **WEDNESDAY 7**

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Final exams

MSC: Military and Veteran Graduate Recognition Ceremony, 5-6:30 p.m., MUC Ballroom

FINAL EXAMS

# **CONGRATS GRADS!!!**

### **THURSDAY 8**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Final Exams

### **FRIDAY 9**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Commencement

### **SATURDAY 10**

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### **MONDAY 19** HAPPY HOLIDAYS **IMPORTANT DATES TUESDAY 20 IMPORTANT DATES WEDNESDAY 21 IMPORTANT DATES**

## **DECEMBER 2022**

# **HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

## **THURSDAY 22**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **FRIDAY 23**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Winter Break: University closed, Dec. 23-Jan. 2

## **SATURDAY 24**

IMPORTANT DATES

## **SUNDAY 25**

## **DECEMBER 2022**

## **MONDAY 26 IMPORTANT DATES** Winter Break: **University Closed TUESDAY 27 IMPORTANT DATES** Winter Break: **University Closed WEDNESDAY 28 IMPORTANT DATES** Winter Break: **University Closed**

## **DECEMBER 2022/JANUARY 2023**

# HAPPY NEW YEAR

## **THURSDAY 29**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Winter Break: University Closed

## **FRIDAY 30**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Winter Break: University Closed

## **SATURDAY 31**

IMPORTANT DATES

## **SUNDAY 1**

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## **THURSDAY 5**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

## **FRIDAY 6**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to pay/confirm classes, in-person, for preregistered students for Full Spring

## **SATURDAY 7**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

## **SUNDAY 8**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to pay/confirm classes for preregistered students; classes will be dropped for nonpayment and non/confirmation at 9 p.m.

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## **THURSDAY 12**

## **FRIDAY 13**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SATURDAY 14**

## **SUNDAY 15**

## **MONDAY 16**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to receive 100% fee adjustment

Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday - University closed

## **TUESDAY 17**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Classes begin
\*online courses visible in
the D2L online classroom

Late registration, Jan. 17-21

## **WEDNESDAY 18**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Late registration

# For parking info, follow **@APSUParking** on Twitter

## **THURSDAY 19**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Late registration

## **FRIDAY 20**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Late registration

## **SATURDAY 21**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to add a class

## **SUNDAY 22**

# **MONDAY 23 CHECK YOUR AP EMAIL DAILY IMPORTANT DATES TUESDAY 24 IMPORTANT DATES WEDNESDAY 25 IMPORTANT DATES**

# **CHECK YOUR AP EMAIL DAILY**

## **THURSDAY 26**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **FRIDAY 27**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day to submit fee waiver/discount form

## **SATURDAY 28**

IMPORTANT DATES

## **SUNDAY 29**

## **JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2023 MONDAY 30 IMPORTANT DATES** Last day to drop without record **TUESDAY 31 IMPORTANT DATES WEDNESDAY 1 IMPORTANT DATES** Last day to receive 75% fee adjustment

## **THURSDAY 2 IMPORTANT DATES FRIDAY 3 IMPORTANT DATES SATURDAY 4 IMPORTANT DATES SUNDAY 5 IMPORTANT DATES**

MONDAY 6	
IMPORTANT DATES	Events, students orgs, free food & more:
TUESDAY 7	
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## **THURSDAY 9**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **FRIDAY 10**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SATURDAY 11**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SUNDAY 12**

MONDAY 13	
IMPORTANT DATES	LET'S TALK: ONE-ON-ONE BRIEF TALKS WITH A COUNSELOR.  Visit apsu.edu/health-and-counseling/counseling/lets_talk
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## **THURSDAY 16**

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## **FRIDAY 17**

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## **SATURDAY 18**

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## **FRIDAY 24**

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## **SATURDAY 25**

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## **SUNDAY 26**

## **FEBRUARY/MARCH 2023**

## **MONDAY 27 WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT MONTH, IMPORTANT DATES March 1-31 TUESDAY 28 IMPORTANT DATES WEDNESDAY 1 IMPORTANT DATES** Last day to apply for August 2023 graduation Women's Empowerment Month, March 1-31

# MARCH 1 - Last day to apply for **August graduation**

## **THURSDAY 2**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **FRIDAY 3**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SATURDAY 4**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SUNDAY 5**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Mid-semester; Spring Break: No classes, March 5-11

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## IMPORTANT DATES

Spring Break: No classes

## **TUESDAY 7**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Spring Break: No classes

First eight-week (Session A) classes end

## **WEDNESDAY 8**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Spring Break: No classes

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# **Enjoy SPRING BREAK! No classes**

## **THURSDAY 9**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Spring Break: No classes

## **FRIDAY 10**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Spring Break: No classes

## **SATURDAY 11**

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## **WEDNESDAY 15**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Second eight-week (Session B) classes begin \*Online courses visible in the D2L online classroom

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IMPORTANT	email careerservices@apsu.edu, or call 931-221-6544
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## **MONDAY 20**

## IMPORTANT DATES

March 20-24, Priority advising and preregistration for currently enrolled students for Summer and Fall 2023

## **TUESDAY 21**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **WEDNESDAY 22**

PRIORITY REGISTRATION WEEK March 20-24

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## **THURSDAY 23**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **FRIDAY 24**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

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## **MARCH/APRIL 2023**

## **THURSDAY 30**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## FRIDAY 31

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SATURDAY 1**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **SUNDAY 2**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

SGA: Govs Games, noon-3 p.m. Intramural Field

## **MONDAY 3 IMPORTANT DATES TUESDAY 4 IMPORTANT DATES** April 4-6 SGA: SGA Spring elections, online and MUC Lobby **WEDNESDAY 5 IMPORTANT DATES**

SPRING HOLIDAY APRIL 7: University closed

## **THURSDAY 6**

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## **FRIDAY 7**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Spring Holiday - University closed

## **SATURDAY 8**

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## **SATURDAY 22**

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ANTS: Transfer & Nontraditional Graduation Reception, 6 p.m.-7:30 p.m., MUC Ballroom

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## **APRIL 2023**

Final Exams:	April	28-May	4

## **THURSDAY 27**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Study Day

## **FRIDAY 28**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

Final exams April 28-May 4

## **SATURDAY 29**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

**Final Exams** 

**SUNDAY 30** 

## **MONDAY 1**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Final exams

## **TUESDAY 2**

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## **WEDNESDAY 3**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Final exams

MSC: Military & Veteran Graduation Recognition Ceremony, 5-6 p.m., MUC Ballroom

FINAL EXAMS WEEK					

# **CONGRATS GRADS!!!**

## **THURSDAY 4**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Final exams

## **FRIDAY 5**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Commencement www.apsu.edu/ commencement/index.php

## **SATURDAY 6**

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## **SUNDAY 7**

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## **THURSDAY 25**

**IMPORTANT DATES** 

## **FRIDAY 26**

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Last day of May Session classes

## **SATURDAY 27**

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## **SUNDAY 28**

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Memorial Day,	
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# **MONDAY 19 IMPORTANT DATES** Juneteenth -University closed **TUESDAY 20 IMPORTANT DATES WEDNESDAY 21 IMPORTANT DATES**

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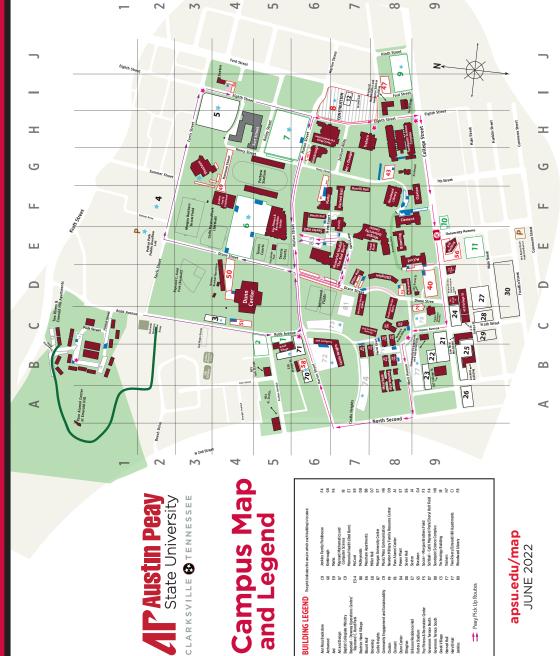


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