

May 1, 2017

Dear newly admitted student,

Congratulations and welcome to the family! We have a special opportunity to share with you. As an incoming EOP freshman at Binghamton University, you are the recipient of an EOP scholarship to attend the summer Binghamton Enrichment Program (**BEP 2017**). Here you will earn up to eight Binghamton University credits and two general education requirements toward your degree! Your scholarship covers the cost of your housing, meals, books, tuition and fees. While other students will pay over \$5,000 to earn college credits during the summer, BEP 2017 is **FREE** to you! The program dates are Wednesday, July 5 – Friday, August 4, 2017. We are going to jumpstart your college experience at Binghamton!

To begin your journey on this fast-track and secure your space, please complete the following:

Requirement #1: Register for the **FREE** EOP Orientation and Parent/Guardian Meeting. Choose ONE of the orientation dates and reserve your space **online at eop.binghamton.edu**

1. Saturday, June 3rd Binghamton University, Old Union Hall, University Union
2. Friday, June 9th, SUNY Welcome Center, 18th Floor, 33 West 42nd St
3. Saturday, June 10th, SUNY Welcome Center, 18th Floor, 33 West 42nd St.

***The EOP Orientation is the only orientation that you need to attend. Register online today!**

Requirement #2: College requires a lot of paper work. It is necessary to complete all forms to get you registered for your 8 credits this summer, and for your fall courses as well. Students must complete and submit the following:

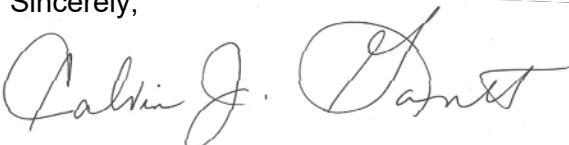
- *BEP Emergency Contact and Parental Consent Form
- *Summer Food Service Program Form
- *Complete your immunization and medical history at **myhealth.binghamton.edu**
(Your Dr. Signature is required on your medical history records)
- *Send your FINAL High School Transcript to Binghamton admissions (**signed with graduation date*)

Complete online, mail to office or bring completed forms to the EOP Orientation. Submission deadline for all forms: June 30, 2017.

Please contact Ms. Chris Lee with any questions at 607-777-4772 or clee@binghamton.edu as soon as possible. We look forward to meeting you. See you soon!

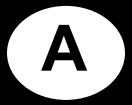
Please note that failure to attend orientation or complete any of these requirements will result in your NOT attending Binghamton University.

Sincerely,



Dr. Calvin J. Gantt
EOP Director

DETAILS FOR REQUIREMENT #1: EOP ORIENTATION & PARENT/GUARDIAN MEETING



Believe us when we say, this program will make a great impact on your success at Binghamton University and beyond!

It is mandatory for all new students to attend BEP 2017 from July 5 – August 4, 2017 but first everyone must attend the EOP Orientation and Parent Meeting. We ask that at least one parent/guardian, or other family member attend with you. The orientation and BEP are REQUIRED if you plan to attend Binghamton University.

Select which orientation you want to attend and register online to reserve your space at eop.binghamton.edu

Options:

- 1. Binghamton University, Old Union Hall, University Union**
Saturday, June 3, 2017 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
- 2. SUNY Welcome Center, 18th Floor, 33 West 42nd St**
Friday, June 9, 2017, 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM
Or
Saturday, June 10, 2017
 - 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM or
 - 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Students **MUST** register for the 2017 EOP Orientation and Parent/Guardian Meeting to reserve their space. **Register online at eop.binghamton.edu**. Directions are included in this packet. Please note: The available space in NYC is limited. EOP will take registrations on a first come-first served basis, until all spaces are filled. Light refreshments will be available.

There is no cost to register, you are responsible for making your **own transportation arrangements** to the Orientation and Parent Meeting. Families attend the June 3rd session, may be eligible for a discounted charter bus ride to Binghamton. See the EOP Orientation Form on our website.

At the 2017 EOP Orientation and Parent Meeting:

1. EOP students and parent/guardians will learn the details about the mandatory summer program (BEP 2017, July 5th - August 4th) including course descriptions, on-campus housing information, safety and guidelines, academic advising, tours and more!
2. Every EOP student will **take (1) Diagnostic Math Assessment**. Scores will be used to help us place you in appropriate summer and fall courses.
3. Each EOP student will be introduced to their assigned EOP Counselor who will be their one-on-one contact for your entire Binghamton University enrollment.

PLEASE BRING:

a graded writing assignment (**paper that has been turned in for an assignment in high school*)
a pencil and a pen. (**no calculators are necessary*)

all completed forms for the EOP summer program/BEP, and any other Binghamton forms

Please note that failure to complete any of these requirements will result in your **NOT attending Binghamton University.**



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Check your BINGHAMTON email frequently!

Mailing Address: EOP • PO BOX 6000 • Binghamton, NY 13902

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EOP STUDENT PARENTAL CONSENT FORM

Students attending Binghamton University are generally considered independent adults, and parental consent for medical care for those under 18 years of age are not routinely required. This information will be added to your EOP student record and referenced by our staff throughout the summer. Should any of this information change, please notify the EOP Office as soon as possible.

"I, _____ pursuant to the authority vested in me as
Parent/Guardian of:

Student name: _____

B-number: _____

Student Date of Birth: _____
(Month/day/year)

do hereby authorize the medical staff upon consultation with a practicing physician or surgeon to exercise for me and on my behalf, all rights and duties with reference to consenting to appropriate medical, psychiatric, and surgical treatment, anesthetics, medicines and hospitalization, including care and treatment deemed necessary for the emergency care of my child during the 2017 Binghamton Enrichment Program, July 5th – August 4th, 2017."

CONSENT OF PARENT/GUARDIAN FOR MEDICAL / EMERGENCY TREATMENT

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Relationship to student: _____

Best number to reach contact: _____ Alternate # _____

STUDENT'S HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION

Company: _____ Policy #: _____

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EOP EMERGENCY CONTACT AND AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE FORM

Student

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ (Month/Day/Year)

Please list any Special Medical Needs or Requests we should be aware of:

If applicable, please list prescribed medications:

Please list any allergies to food, medicine or other.

STUDENT CONSENT TO RELEASE INFORMATION

Should the need for medical attention arise, I, _____, (Student Name) hereby authorize release of any health information pertinent to my well-being and provision of care and treatment to the appropriate EOP professional staff. Consent regarding services received is for the purpose of ensuring adequate treatment and follow-up care. Health care professionals include, but are not limited to, providers at local hospitals/walk-in clinics, Decker Student Health Services Center, and the University Counseling Center, as well as others with pertinent information regarding my well-being.

*I understand that authorizing the aforementioned release is voluntary and not a condition for treatment, nor admission to Binghamton University. I have the right to revoke this authorization at any time, in writing, to the Educational Opportunity Program Office at Binghamton University.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____
(If student is under 18 yrs of age)

Get to the NEXT LEVEL with BUEOP!



Activate your Binghamton University email account
@ password.binghamton.edu



Choose an EOP Orientation and show up, on time! Join us on June 3rd at Binghamton, or June 9th or 10th in NYC.
Reserve your space online at our site
eop.binghamton.edu



Reserve your housing for the fall! **No deposit** necessary for EOP students!

Go to: reslife.binghamton.edu ***Find out how much your housing will cost at <http://www.binghamton.edu/residential-life/housing/rates.html>



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DIRECTIONS TO SUNY WELCOME CENTER

June 9 OR 10, 2017 · 33 WEST 42nd STREET; 18th Floor

Travel by Train



The B, D, F and M trains stop across the street at 42nd Street and Sixth Avenue. The 7 train stops at 42nd Street and Fifth Avenue (outside the front door of the New York Public Library). The A, C, E, N, Q, R, S, 1, 2 and 3 trains are one block west at Times Square. The 4, 5 and 6 trains are two blocks east at Grand Central Terminal.

Travel by MTA bus

The M42 (crosstown) and M104 (Upper West Side) stop nearby. Express commuter bus lines provide uptown service on Madison and Sixth Avenue and downtown service on Fifth Avenue.

Travel by Car

From the northwest (upstate New York), the New York Thruway (I-87 and I-287) leads to Manhattan's east and west sides.

From the northeast (New England), the New England Thruway (I-95) also leads to the east and west sides.

From the south (NJ, MD, etc.) the New Jersey Turnpike leads into the Holland Tunnel to lower Manhattan, or the Lincoln Tunnel to midtown Manhattan.

DIRECTIONS TO BINGHAMTON UNIVERSITY

June 3, 2017 · 4400 Vestal Pkwy East, Binghamton, NY, 13902

Traveling by Car - Addresses for GPS:

Binghamton University 4400 Vestal Pkwy East, Binghamton, NY, 13902

From the north:

From Route 81 South, take Exit 4S to merge onto NY-7 South toward Binghamton. Drive 0.4 miles then continue onto NY-363 South/North Shore Drive. After 1.6 miles merge onto NY-434 West/State Street via the ramp to Vestal. Drive 3.5 miles and turn left into the main entrance.

From the west:

Follow Route 17 East to Exit 70 South. Follow Route 201 and the Binghamton University signs, crossing bridge to Route 434 East. The main entrance to campus is your first right (Glenn G. Bartle Drive). *Regular routes that do not avoid the blasting area and may face slowdowns or stopped traffic at certain times of the day include the following:*

From metropolitan New York:

- **Tappan Zee Bridge:** Follow Route 87 North, then take the Harriman Exit to Route 17 West. Take Route 17 West to Exit 70 South. Follow Route 201 and the Binghamton University signs, crossing bridge to Route 434 East. The main entrance to campus is your first right (Glenn G. Bartle Drive).
- **George Washington Bridge:** Follow I-80 West to Route 380 North. Proceed on Route 380 North to I-81 North to Route 17 West. Take Route 17 West to Exit 70 South. Follow Route 201 and the Binghamton University signs, crossing bridge to Route 434 East. The main entrance to campus is your first right (Glenn G. Bartle Drive).

From the south:

Follow I-81 North to Route 17 West, then take Route 17 West to Exit 70 South. Follow Route 201 and the Binghamton University signs, crossing bridge to Route 434 East. The main entrance to campus is your first right (Glenn G. Bartle Drive).

From Albany:

Proceed on I-88 West to I-81 South to Route 17 West to Exit 70 South. Follow Route 201 and the Binghamton University signs, crossing bridge to Route 434 East. The main entrance to campus is your first right (Glenn G. Bartle Drive).

By Bus:

Greyhound and Shortline/Coach USA and MegaBus all make stops in Binghamton, NY on a daily basis. Travel time is approximately 3 hours. Please check with the company for the schedule and departure times.

***Once your bus arrives at the Binghamton Bus Depot/Travel Center, there is a Blue Binghamton University charter bus that will shuttle students and families to campus for free and back at the conclusion of the day.**