Check out these videos for some advice from your Eagle Guides:

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Checkouts will begin on August 17th. Watch for an email from Textbook Rental Services during the first week of August. It contains important information about the textbook rental program—which means you've already paid for (at least the majority of) your educational needs as a UW-La Crosse undergraduate student. Undergraduate Textbook Rental Services are dedicated to making your academic journey as smooth as possible.

To secure a spot with Student Support Services, click here. If you answered yes to any of those questions, you might be eligible to be a Student Support Services Ambassador. Are you a first-generation student (neither parents or guardians have completed a four-year college degree)? If so, you could qualify for additional resources and support. Apply for Student Support Services today! For more information, email cglbert@uwlax.edu.

If you have questions about placement testing, contact the Testing Coordinator at regionaltesting@exams.wisc.edu. Haven't taken your UW Placement tests yet? They're available online as untimed, unproctored exams that you can take at your convenience 24/7. There's still time to get ready. Visit the Testing Coordinator's website to find the right test(s) for you and learn how to get started.

If you have questions about accessing the UW Placement test website, contact the Testing Coordinator at regionaltesting@exams.wisc.edu. Log into the registration system using your UW student email address and password. Fill out the registration form. The UW System will email you an 8-digit registration number that you will need to complete the exam.

Find step-by-step instructions on how to log in and take the test. It will contain a link to the exam, your username, and password. For OS classes, the class is all online but there will be times when virtual meetings will take place. For in-person classes, the class will have an on-campus component. All classes will have an academic year start date. Some classes will have an on-campus start date. The specific dates you will need to attend will not be known to you until the semester begins. To learn more about the hybrid model, contact the academic advisor for your college or major. The hybrid model is different from regular online classes that first-year students are more likely to take. And, our faculty are committed to providing high-quality instruction and support to all students.

For more information about our current availability, contact the Testing Coordinator at regionaltesting@exams.wisc.edu. To get the most out of your placement testing experience, visit the Testing Coordinator's website to find the right test(s) for you and learn how to get started. Contact the Testing Coordinator for assistance. UW Placement Testing is a great way to improve your academic performance and get closer to the event.

UWL is filled with involvement opportunities through student organizations, volunteerism, and campus events that hold your attention. See where you excel. Those experiences will help you prepare for life after graduation. We are here to help!

Liberal education is not only the launchpad for your future job, but also a foundation for a life-long learning experience. We encourage you to engage on campus.

Decisions are still being made about how we will reopen this fall, so keep an eye out for updates. We are so excited you've chosen to be a Blazer! We know you are academically prepared and we are ready to help you succeed.

Access to resources is important. Here are five tips to help you begin preparing for your first year of studies:

1. Identify and start to develop your major and minor.
2. Engage on campus.
3. Get to know yourself.
4. Find a mentor or advisor.
5. Find a book for class? Ask a librarian! Our librarians are all happy to help you find information about our current availability. For more information about our current availability, contact the Testing Coordinator at regionaltesting@exams.wisc.edu.

WE ARE ABLE TO OFFER ALL OF THESE SERVICES VIRTUALLY IF NEEDED!