You are about to embark on an exciting new part of your educational journey. Congratulations!

College comes with exciting opportunities and challenges. Many aspects of college will be new to you. The Strategies for Success Program is designed to help you start out—and continue—on the road to academic success.

Strategies will provide you with a tool kit of skills to help you make the transition to UML. The program will also provide you with a road map to campus services and resources that can help you achieve your academic goals as you make progress toward your degree.

As a Strategies participant, you will meet University faculty and staff from your college, professionals you can continue to rely on while you are at UMass Lowell. They will share insights, tips, and techniques that will give you an academic head start, and introduce you to the department resources that will support your success in the future.

Strategies for Success is a one-day program held at UMass Lowell. The cost of $40 covers meals and all workshop materials.

Strategies for Success is presented by The Centers for Learning and Academic Support Services (CLASS). CLASS was established in 1986 to improve the quality of students’ academic experiences at UMass Lowell. The Centers have received national attention for the innovative approach to academic support services and the unique partnership that the Centers have with faculty. All of the programs are continually revised to improve the quality of services offered and meet the changing needs of students at Lowell. Faculty determine priorities for funding and study the effectiveness of the program.

The Centers for Learning currently operates 11 instructional and drop-in computer labs across campus. One-on-one and group tutoring is available for 75 courses. During the most recent year, CLASS was used 250,000 times by UMass Lowell students.

Online tutoring is available for Physics, Calculus, and Chemistry.

You can learn more about the Centers for Learning and Academic Support Services at http://www.uml.edu/class.
By attending Strategies for Success you will benefit from:

• Getting to know your faculty members;
• Knowing what to expect in your courses;
• Becoming familiar with course syllabi and expectations;
• Learning skills that help with note-taking, time management and reading comprehension;
• Understanding how to access the University’s electronic information system;
• Increasing awareness of academic policies and procedures;
• Meeting current students who will share insights on life at UML.

Strategies for Success sessions are conducted on North Campus of UMass Lowell from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Programs are organized by colleges and majors so that information is focused on specific areas of study. Plan to attend on:

**Tuesday, August 14, 2012:** If you are majoring in Art, Criminal Justice, Economics, English, History, Cultural Studies, Music (not SRT), Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, or Undeclared Liberal Arts.

**Wednesday, August 15, 2012:** If you are majoring in Engineering*, Sciences, or Sound Recording Technology.

**Thursday, August 16, 2012:** If you are majoring in Engineering*, Management, or Health & Environment.

A confirmation letter will be sent to you with check-in time, location, and parking instructions.

If you have questions, please contact Suzanne Gamache at CLASS at (978) 934-2947 or find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/StrategiesForSuccessProgramAtUMassLowell

*In order to accommodate the large number of Engineering students, two sessions are offered. Please select the date which is your first choice. Depending on the number of registrants, you may be asked to attend the alternate section.

**Students with special dietary or mobility needs should call (978) 934-2947.** Please include a check for $40 per participant payable to: University of Massachusetts Lowell.

**Please return your check and registration form to:**
CLASS — UMass Lowell
308 Southwick Hall, 1 University Avenue, Lowell, MA 01854

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