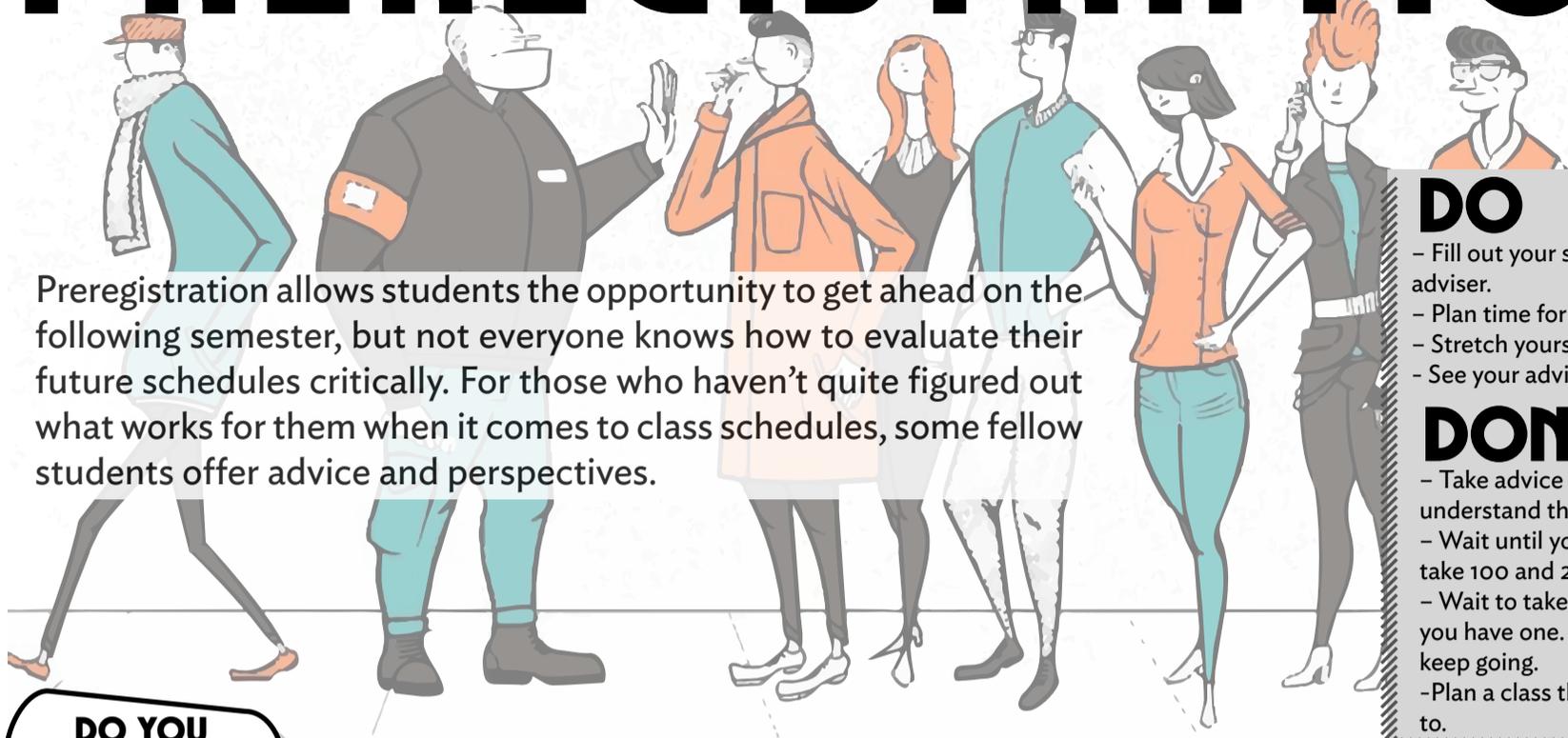


PREREGISTRATION

by Sidney Sieber



Preregistration allows students the opportunity to get ahead on the following semester, but not everyone knows how to evaluate their future schedules critically. For those who haven't quite figured out what works for them when it comes to class schedules, some fellow students offer advice and perspectives.

DO

- Fill out your schedule before you see your adviser.
- Plan time for work.
- Stretch yourself in the classes you take.
- See your adviser!

DON'T

- Take advice from someone who doesn't understand the requirements of your major.
- Wait until your junior and senior years to take 100 and 200 level Core classes.
- Wait to take your language requirement if you have one. Start as early as possible and keep going.
- Plan a class through lunch unless you have to.

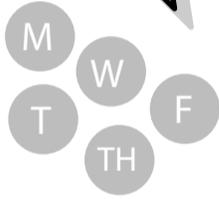
DO YOU PREFER TTH BLOCK CLASSES OR MWF CLASSES? WHY?

"I do MWF classes because the classes are in smaller increments, and you can process information better, rather than sitting through a super long class and having your brain be fried."

Emily Hammett | Freshman, Fashion Design

"I personally don't have a preference. I generally don't want more than one [block class] in a day if I can help it, though."

Kristen Hall | Junior, Studio Art



WHAT ARE SOME CLASSES YOU WOULD RECOMMEND TAKING YOUR FIRST FOUR SEMESTERS OF COLLEGE?

"If you play an instrument, I highly recommend band! It's a lot of fun, but a lot of work too. It's nice to take a break and play some music with some wonderful people."

Andrea Bell | Sophomore, Orchestral Instrument Performance

"Most people, especially freshmen, don't know what they want to do after college. I recommend taking hard classes that push you to grow and figure out what you're called to do in life. I learned nursing wasn't for me, because I faint at the sight of blood, but I found out that I would like to improve the health care system through business."

Karina Denisenko | Junior, Health Sciences

DO YOU PREFER MORNING CLASSES OR AFTERNOON CLASSES?

"Morning classes. [Morning classes give me] motivation to get up and to get going. [I] finish earlier and have more time in the afternoon."

Nathanael Winslow | Senior, Engineering

"I prefer morning classes because I can take my classes early and then focus on homework or studying in the afternoon."

Madison Floyd | Freshman, Journalism and Mass Communication



WHAT CLASS OR CLASSES WOULD YOU RECOMMEND EVERYONE TAKE AS AN ELECTIVE?

"Absolutely choir. You make so many friends and it builds such a community."

Joanna Scoggins | Sophomore, English/Journalism and Mass Communication

"Chemical and Physical Science with Dr. Robert Lee. It's a hard class, but Dr. Lee is an extremely helpful teacher who makes you want to work hard."

Bethany Riley | Sophomore, History

DO YOU LIKE SCHEDULING YOUR CLASSES THROUGHOUT THE DAY, OR CONCENTRATING THEM ALL TOGETHER IN MORNING OR AFTERNOON?

"I like [classes] back to back, so I get them over with at one time."

Hannah Peterson | Sophomore, Elementary Ed

"I like my classes spread out because I get breaks from sitting still. It's just nice to switch up what you're doing [so] that life doesn't get boring."

Cathryn Gallione | Staff GA, Biblical Counseling



"I recommend that people take Incarnation & the Humanities. It's a super cool Bible class about worldview that's applicable to anyone."

AJ Steenhoek | Junior, Computer Science/ Electrical Engineering

"[For communication electives] I totally recommend Nonverbal Communication and Public Speaking. Nonverbal [helps] more in deepening the interpersonal communication. Public Speaking class [helps] improve confidence and [you] learn tactics for effective public speaking."

Steve Choi | Senior, Communications