

Texas A&M Action Plan Resources

The Career Center

Location/Website: Koldus 209; careercenter.tamu.edu

Description: The Career Center has a Career Advisor for every major who can help with the job/internship search process, resumes, cover letters, interviewing, going to professional or graduate school, and so much more. They also have a Career Advisor for students who are questioning their major and/or career, and Career Advisors that work specifically with freshmen and sophomores. To make an appointment with a Career Advisor, call 979-845-5139.

Relevant Resources: The Career Center provides a self-assessment called SIGI3. SIGI3 is an online assessment that is free, and can help you learn more about yourself and possible careers you might like. To take SIGI3, type in tx.ag/sigi3 into your web browser. Additionally, you can learn more about Texas A&M majors, and the types of careers they can lead to at majors.tamu.edu.

Transition Academic Programs

Location/Website: 3rd floor of Hotard Hall; tap.tamu.edu

Description: Transition Academic Programs', also known as General Studies, is TAP's temporary, transitional major designed to accommodate students needing one or two semesters to complete coursework necessary for entrance into a specific major course of study.

Relevant Resources: Transition Academic Programs gathers all the requirements that must be completed before you can apply to change your major. Visit the "Change of Major" page for information: tap.tamu.edu/Change-of-Major2. The Explore Program will be able to help you identify realistic majors that match your interests and personality. Visit this website to learn more: tap.tamu.edu/Programs/Explore-101.

Counseling & Psychological Services

Location/Website: Student Services Building, located on Military Walk across from Memorial Student Center (MSC); caps.tamu.edu

Description: Counseling & Psychological Services (CAPS) offers a variety of services to students, including group counseling, individual counseling, workshops, couples counseling, career counseling, and limited psychiatric services. Our services are goal-oriented and brief in nature. In your first appointment, you and a counselor will work together to determine an appropriate service based on your specific needs. To learn more about these resources visit: caps.tamu.edu/services

Relevant Resources: CAPS offers major and career exploration tools including the following: Strong Interest Inventory and Myers-Briggs Type Indicator workshops; Focus 2, which is a self-guided, interactive career planning program; and individual career counseling. To learn more about CAPS' career counseling services visit: caps.tamu.edu/services/career-counseling.

Libraries

Location/Websites: 5 library locations around campus. For locations and hours, visit: library.tamu.edu

Description: Texas A&M University Libraries serves both the research and study needs of students and faculty across campus. Online research collections and services include Get it for me and AskUs, thousands of books and journals, subject guides and more. Study space and additional research help can be found in any of the libraries located across campus.

Relevant Resources: The Libraries have books and databases to help with career and major exploration, including a dedicated research guide here: tamu.libguides.com/CareerResources. Subject Librarians are also available to help you learn how to use the Libraries' resources.

Academic Success Center

Location/Website: Rudder Tower, 9th Floor; asc.tamu.edu

Description: The ASC provides comprehensive resources that help all Aggies achieve their academic goals and realize their academic potential. These resources include, but are not limited to, academic coaching, transfer student peer mentors, supplemental instruction, and tutoring.

Student Activities

Location/Website: John J. Koldus Student Services Building, Suite 125 studentactivities.tamu.edu

Description: Student Activities is home to a number of areas that provide programs and services to students and student organizations including Student Government Association, Fish Camp, Fraternity and Sorority Life, the Leadership and Service Center, and over 1,000 student organizations.

Disability Resources

Location/Website: Student Services Building, located on Military Walk across from Memorial Student Center (MSC); disability.tamu.edu

Description: Disability Resources offers accommodations coordination, evaluation referral, disability-related information, assistive technology services, sign language interpreting and transcription services for academically related purposes.

Relevant Resources: Career Resources: disability.tamu.edu/resources/career

Multicultural Services

Location/Website: Suite 2200 in the Memorial Student Center (MSC); dms.tamu.edu

Description: The Department of Multicultural Services goal is to assist underrepresented students transition to Texas A&M University while providing academic and educational services for all students. This is accomplished by providing leadership opportunities and intentional programming that inform, educate, engage, challenge, and enhance students' development and global perspectives.

Relevant Resources: dms.tamu.edu/engagement

Corps of Cadets

Location/Website: Military Sciences Building; corps.tamu.edu

Description: The Corps of Cadets leadership training program develops well-educated leaders of character who are prepared for the global leadership challenges of the future.

Relevant Resources: ROTC Scholarships: corps.tamu.edu/academic-advantage/#militaryscholarships

International Student Services

Location/Website: Room 110 in the Pavilion, next to Evans and Annex; iss.tamu.edu

Description: The mission of ISS is to facilitate international students' admittance to the United States, to assist international students' transition to life in the United States and at Texas A&M, to promote interactions between the U.S. and international populations, and to provide services necessary to meet the special needs of international students.

Relevant Resources: International students are provided with counseling and information in the areas of immigration, employment, financial issues, medical insurance, adjustment to the U.S., and income taxes.