

Academic Success Pathway 2021 FAQs

1. What is the Academic Success Pathway (ASP) and why am I in this program?

The Academic Success Pathway (ASP) is intended to give students a strategic start with academic success in their first semesters in college. Students are offered admission to Summer or Fall based on their overall academic profile.

Students offered admission for the Summer term will complete 6 credits in Summer term 3 and continue into Fall as a **part-time** student (minimum 9 credits and maximum of 11 credits). Additionally, all students will be enrolled into a fully online 0 credit SLS course, SLS1410: College Success Strategies. In this course you will learn about yourself, FAU, and what it takes to be a successful college student (learn more about this class at fau.edu/academicsuccess).

2. Can I move out of this program if I have new test scores or have improved my GPA?

Per the Undergraduate Admissions office, students are offered admission to Summer or Fall based on their overall academic profile. The entering term is not negotiable.

3. When will I know what classes I can take?

You will select which courses you would like to take when you complete your EZ Advising. Your assigned Academic Advisor will provide you with course recommendations and comments on your EZ Advising form based on your major, math placement score, and pending AP/IB/AICE/Dual Enrollment credit.

4. Are there specific classes I have to take?

Yes. Your selection will be based on your major requirements, credit you have earned (or may earn) through AP/IB/AICE/Dual Enrollment, and class availability.

Summer ASP students will register themselves for two IFP courses (6 credits) from a select list of courses in consultation with your Advisor on your OARS form.

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5. Do I register myself for my Summer courses?

Your Academic Advisor will register you for SLS1410. You will register yourself for two IFP courses (6 credits) from a select list of courses in consultation with your Advisor.

6. Are there deadlines to register for ASP?

As long as you have cleared your holds, your Academic Advisor will register you SLS1410. You will register yourself for two IFP courses (6 credits) from a select list of courses in consultation with your Advisor.

Please note, all Summer registration requirements, including completion of online advising and the removal of holds must be completed by June 4th to secure your seat.

7. Do I need to meet specific criteria in the Summer to continue enrollment at FAU in the Fall term?

Yes. Students admitted in the Summer must satisfy all of the stated ASP requirements in order to be eligible to continue in the Fall:

- Register for and complete 6 credit hours of IFP coursework.
- Register for SLS1410: College Success Strategies-0 credit hours (fully online).
- Earn a minimum 2.0 GPA

8. What happens if I don't attend FAU in Summer?

Per the Undergraduate Admissions office, students are offered admission to Summer or Fall based on their overall academic profile. The entering term is not negotiable.