Jump Start 2022 FAQs

1. What is Jump Start and why am I in this program?

Jump Start provides students the opportunity to connect with other first-year students and create a unique support system by establishing relationships with Academic Advisors, professors, and classmates. You will also have the opportunity to complete 6 Summer credits which will help you progress toward your graduation requirements.

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

You may contact the Office of Undergraduate Admissions directly at admissions@fau.edu or 561-297-3040 to discuss a change of entry request further.

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

You will select which courses you would like to take when you complete your Online Advising (called EZ Advising). Your assigned Academic Advisor will provide you with course recommendations and comments on your 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.

Please note: If you are a Pre-Business or Science major that places into Intermediate Algebra or College Algebra, you are required to take a math course in the Summer.

Additionally, all students will be enrolled into a fully online, 0 credit SLS course, SLS1410: FAU iSucceed. 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 https://www.fau.edu/academicsuccess/).

5. Do I register myself for my Summer courses?

Once you complete your online advising through the EZ Advising process you will be assigned an Academic Advisor. Your Academic Advisor will register you for TWO courses, one IFP course (to be determined by your major and math placement score as described in question #4 above) and SLS1410. You will register yourself for the second IFP course from a select list of courses in consultation with your Advisor.

6. Will my courses be in person or online?

The IFP course that your Academic Advisor registers you for will be in person. The second course that you register for can be in person or online based on availability. Note: SLS1410: FAU iSucceed is a fully online course.
7. **Are there deadlines to register for Jump Start?**

As long as you have cleared your holds, your Academic Advisor will register you for TWO courses. ONE IFP course (to be determined by your major and math placement score) and SLS1410. You will register yourself for the second IFP course from a select list of courses in consultation with your Advisor.

All Summer registration requirements, including completion of online advising and the removal of holds must be completed by **June 6th** to secure your seat.

8. **I applied for Summer so that I could take certain classes. Why do I have to take these courses? Can I appeal to someone to take the classes I want?**

If you have any additional questions or concerns about your Summer course recommendations, please contact your assigned Academic Advisor.