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University Parent Media works closely with institutions around the country to bring together the most relevant, timely information into one all-inclusive resource.

We have published this guide with the mission of helping you easily navigate the university and its surrounding community. Ultimately, we hope these resources help nurture your connection and involvement in your student's college years!

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- Hang on to your Guide! Inside you'll find information that's useful all-year long, including important phone numbers, web sites and calendars.
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# Welcome to New Mexico State University

Hello, to new and returning Aggie Families!

Families are often the best advisors students have, and this guide can help you answer some of your student's questions. It contains information on many of the resources that can help your student successfully navigate through NMSU. Our services are diverse and address issues as wide ranging as career exploration, tutoring, learning skills, health, wellness, study abroad, and financial literacy.

These services help students stay on top of academics and find ways to join the NMSU community. You can also stay in touch with what is happening on campus through The Student Guide to NMSU at [your.nmsu.edu](http://your.nmsu.edu). We also have a Family hotline you can subscribe to at <https://mailman.nmsu.edu/mailman/listinfo/family-hotline>.

As students transition to college, we will share mentoring them with you. The advice we give them is simple:

Attend class regularly.  
Get involved in the NMSU community.  
Introduce yourself to your professors.  
Get help early if you encounter difficulties.

Please feel free to bring any concerns you might have to our attention, and welcome to the Aggie Family!

**Bernadette Montoya**  
Vice President for Student Affairs  
and Enrollment Management  
[vpdss@nmsu.edu](mailto:vpdss@nmsu.edu) ■

# Important Registration Facts

Fall 2011 registration should be completed by making payment arrangements with the Business Office and paying all past due balances by the following deadlines, or reserved classes could be cancelled. See late registration section in class schedule for procedures if classes are cancelled. During late registration, payment is due at the time of registration.

## Tuition Payment Options

Your student's education is an investment that can be challenging for families. NMSU's Payment Plan allows students to divide fall and spring tuition charges into four monthly payments to make the payments more manageable. All debt not paid by the last day to register will automatically be placed on a payment plan and be assessed a \$20.00 fee (by August 29).

## Refund of Tuition and Fees

Refund percentages are based on semester charges, not amount paid. Students officially withdrawing or dropping courses during the Fall 2011 semester are eligible to receive a refund as follows:

### Students who drop at this time can get this portion refunded:

On or before September 2, 2011: 100%  
September 3 - 18, 2011: 50%  
September 19 - September 30, 2011: 25%  
All refunds are applied toward amount owed. The refund schedule above applies when courses are dropped and a tuition adjustment is necessary. For a full explanation of refund policies, visit [www.nmsu.edu/~uar/index.html](http://www.nmsu.edu/~uar/index.html).

## Residency

The last day to submit completed petitions to the Registrar's Office for resident tuition or residency tuition waivers is August 31, 2011.

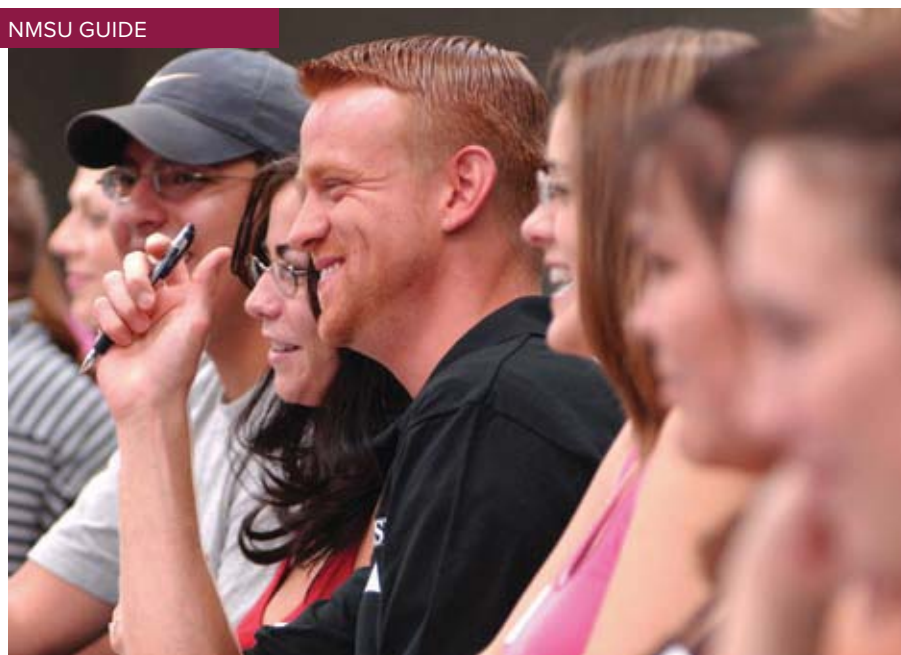
## Degree Application

Students finishing degree requirements in Fall 2011 must submit applications to the Registrar's Office or apply online at [www.nmsu.edu/~registra](http://www.nmsu.edu/~registra) by August 26, 2011. After August 26, 2011, a \$25.00 late fee will be assessed. No Fall 2011 degree applications will be accepted after September 30, 2011.

Student Record Confidentiality Form  
To ensure that directory information will not be released, a request must be filed in the Registrar's Office.

## Schedule Changes

1. Drop/add forms with instructions for making schedule changes are available at your dean's office or advising center.
2. Any schedule changes may affect your financial obligation to the University.
3. The last day to ADD a course or CHANGE a grading option is August 29, 2011.
4. The last day to DROP a course (not recorded on academic record) is August 29, 2011, (except those carrying a designated date). \*\*
5. Students may drop their last course via the web through August 29, 2011. After this date official withdrawal procedures must be completed at the Registrar's Office.
6. The last day to Withdraw from a course (except those carrying a designated date) is October 11, 2011. The grade of "W" will be recorded on the academic record. \*\* ▶



**Withdrawing from the University**

1. Withdrawing begins at the Registrar's Office, in the Educational Services Building, (575) 646-3413.
2. The last day to withdraw from all courses is November 11, 2011. \*\*
3. Students who do not officially withdraw from a course or the University may receive failing grades and will be liable for all tuition and fees. Students may be required to repay a portion of financial aid received.

\*\* Courses listed in the schedule with designated dates will have different

drop or withdrawal dates. Consult your dean's office or advising center.

**Grade Availability**

Fall 2011 grades are available at [my.NMSU.edu](http://my.NMSU.edu) after December 15, 2011.

**Academic Sanctions**

Students placed on academic warning, probation, or suspension during the end of term grading process will be mailed a notification. Students placed on suspension will have pre-registered courses for future semesters cancelled and applicable refunds made by the Business Office. ■

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# News & Events

**Aggie Welcome and Orientation**

Starts August 14, 2011

<http://newstudentprograms.nmsu.edu/awo>

All new students are invited to attend events that are designed to orient them to university life at NMSU. Events include a wide array of speakers, information fairs, scavenger hunts, and social events that will help students learn about their new home. NMSU President Dr. Barbara Couture will welcome new Aggies to the campus with a BBQ (families welcome) and Freshman Convocation.

**Homecoming**

October 27 - 29, 2011

[www.asnmsu.com](http://www.asnmsu.com)

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Homecoming, promises to be anything but boring. With a large array of events, including reunions for the classes of 1951 and 1961, the traditional homecoming parade and football game, the NMSU community will have plenty to do during Homecoming 2011. For more information call (575) 646-3616.

**Scholar Dollar\$**

<http://scholarships.nmsu.edu>

A website that allows students to fill out one electronic form to be considered for all scholarships for which they are eligible, instead of filling out an application for college scholarships and another application for general scholarships. ►

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**your.NMSU.edu**<http://your.nmsu.edu>

New students have access to a comprehensive “New Student Orientation” website. Offering answers to frequently asked questions and information about services for all students (including those at a distance), the website is designed to help students become familiar with key resources at NMSU. In addition, [your.nmsu.edu](http://your.nmsu.edu) connects students to classmates, student organizations, and campus services through an enhanced student directory system that helps students find more relevant opportunities so they can fully engage in campus life.

**Social Media**[www.nmsu.edu/socialmedia](http://www.nmsu.edu/socialmedia)

Social Media sites are a great way to keep informed of what’s happening around campus and stay in touch with your student. NMSU has a presence on many popular social networks, such as Twitter, Facebook and YouTube. For a complete list of departments and pages, visit the NMSU Social Media website.

**Facebook**[www.facebook.com/newmexicostateuniversity](http://www.facebook.com/newmexicostateuniversity)

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YouTube

[www.youtube.com/newmexicostateu](http://www.youtube.com/newmexicostateu)

More news and events are available from the NMSU News Center ([newscenter.nmsu.edu/](http://newscenter.nmsu.edu/)) and NMSU Auxiliary Services ([www.nmsu.edu/~auxadmin/](http://www.nmsu.edu/~auxadmin/)) ■



# Tips for Parents

We encourage you to keep in communication with your student throughout his or her college experience.

The presence of a supportive family can significantly improve the chances that your student will make responsible decisions. Keeping open lines of communication, being honest, and expressing your pride along with your expectations will make it more likely that your student will feel comfortable coming to you if something goes wrong. ■

# Health, Wellness & Safety

New Mexico State University offers a wealth of resources to keep your student’s health, both physical and mental, at optimal levels.

**The Activity Center**

Corner of Locust St. and Stewart St.  
(575) 646-2907

[recsport@nmsu.edu](mailto:recsport@nmsu.edu)<http://recsport.nmsu.edu/ac>

The Activity Center (AC) is available to full-time students, and part-time students who have purchased an AggieFit membership. The AC offers facilities such as a weight room, elevated indoor jogging track, racquetball courts, aerobics room, cardio room (including exercise bikes and treadmills), ping pong tables, a rock climbing wall, and basketball/volleyball courts. Intramurals, outdoors recreation, and Fitness/Wellness programming are also available. Published semester open recreation and weight room hours are available at the center.

**Aquatic Center**

Corner of Jordan St. and Stewart St.  
(575) 646-3518

[danois@nmsu.edu](mailto:danois@nmsu.edu)<http://recsport.nmsu.edu/nat>

The Natatorium is NMSU’s aquatic resource center. It provides the venue for intercollegiate sports, intramural sports and recreational swimming. The Natatorium is available to full-time students, and part-time students who have purchased an AggieFit membership.

**Campus Health Center**

(575) 646-1512

[aggiefit@nmsu.edu](mailto:aggiefit@nmsu.edu)<http://wellness.nmsu.edu/shc>

The Student Health Center offers outpatient primary health care with a staff of physicians, nurse practitioners, and ▶

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other health care professionals. Medical specialty services include nutrition and mental health services. Pharmacy, laboratory, and X-ray services are also available. Services are available to full time and part-time students with valid NMSU ID and verification of enrollment.

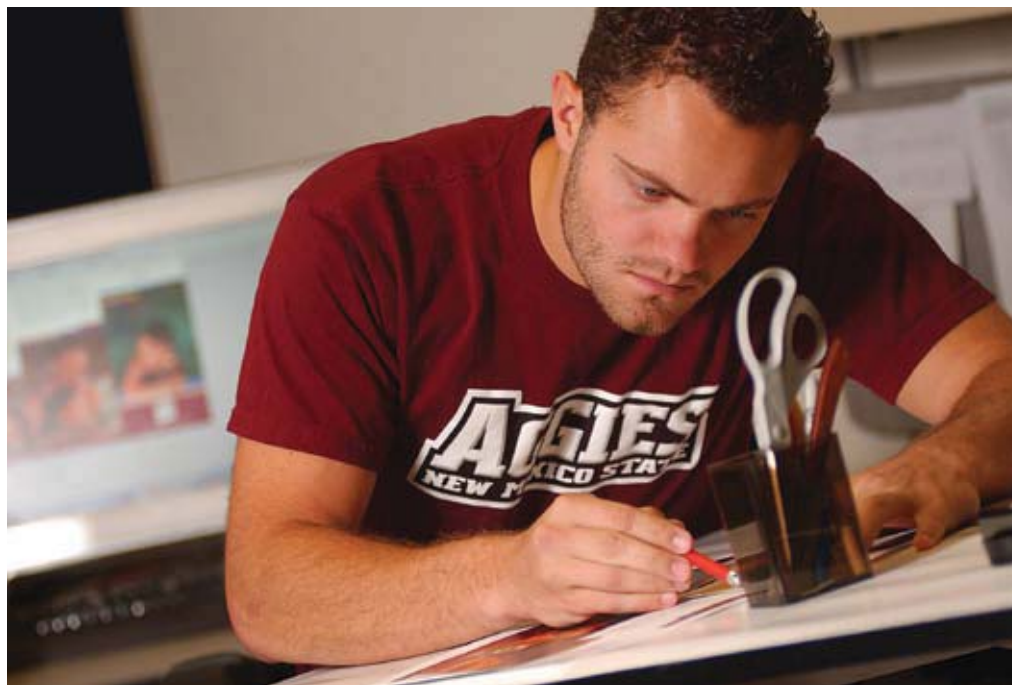
### Counseling Center

Garcia Annex, Room 100  
(575) 646-2731

[counsel@nmsu.edu](mailto:counsel@nmsu.edu)

[www.nmsu.edu/~counsel/ccindex.html](http://www.nmsu.edu/~counsel/ccindex.html)

The Counseling Center has licensed counselors and psychologists to assist students. The Center is open from 8 to 5 and offers scheduled appointments and evening groups. Services are free to NMSU students, are confidential, and can include individual counseling, group counseling, and crisis



assistance. The state of New Mexico legally recognizes that communication between a counselor and his/her client is privileged and confidential.

### Environmental Health and Safety

Academic Research C, 1620 Standley Ave  
575-646-3327

[www.nmsu.edu/~safety](http://www.nmsu.edu/~safety)

NMSU's Environmental, Health and Safety Office is responsible for facilitating University safety by implementing programs that serve the students, employees and clients within the state. The objectives of NMSU's safety policy are to prevent personal injury or death, to reduce costs caused by inadequate safety procedures and to reduce environmental pollution.

### NMSU Fire Department

Corner of Wells St. and Research Ave.  
(575) 646 - 25193

[www.fire.nmsu.edu](http://www.fire.nmsu.edu)

The NMSU Dept. of Fire & Emergency Services (DFES) provides emergency response for the NMSU main campus and routinely responds to aid other departments in Doña Ana County and the

City of Las Cruces. DFES also provides fire prevention and various forms of public education related to emergency services.

### Social Work Services

Garcia Annex, Room 100  
(575) 646-7338

[http://wellness.nmsu.edu/shc/social\\_work.html](http://wellness.nmsu.edu/shc/social_work.html)

Social Work Services help connect students to resources on campus and in the community. Whether it's childcare, tutoring, food, or other basic needs, Social Work Services works with students to help get basic needs met so that academics are not impacted.

### WAVE Program

(575) 646-2813

[peered@nmsu.edu](mailto:peered@nmsu.edu)

[www.nmsu.edu/~wave](http://www.nmsu.edu/~wave)

The Wellness, Alcohol and Violence Education Program (WAVE) is a harm reduction program which educates students on issues of personal safety and well-being. WAVE's Peer Educators provide students with information and strategies regarding alcohol use and the prevention of sexual assault and other forms of interpersonal violence. ■

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# Student Support

**NMSU offers many programs and services to help your student succeed in college.**

## American Indian Program

American Indian Student Center  
(575) 646-4207

[amerind@nmsu.edu](mailto:amerind@nmsu.edu)

[www.nmsu.edu/~aip](http://www.nmsu.edu/~aip)

American Indian Program offers supplemental academic advising and guidance, scholarships, student orientation, a peer mentor program, cultural and social events, resource materials, a computer lab and support for four student organizations. All students are eligible to use these services.

## Black Programs

Garcia Annex, Room 135  
(575) 646-4208

[www.nmsu.edu/~blackpro](http://www.nmsu.edu/~blackpro)

Black Programs provides counseling and academic assistance; maintains a library of Black Studies materials, sponsors cultural and social events for students, and assists with job placement and job referrals. All students are eligible to use services.

## Campus Tutoring Services

2nd floor Zuhl Library, at the SSC  
(575) 646-6050

<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/zuhl/tutoring/>

Free, face-to-face tutoring is offered on a walk-in basis at the Zuhl Library in the Student Success Center. All tutors are undergraduate students who have mastered the content areas in which they tutor. Tutoring is also available online. Visit our website for a complete listing of tutoring times and available subjects.



## Chicano Programs

Garcia Annex, Room 138  
(575) 646-4206

[lqutzspc@nmsu.edu](mailto:lqutzspc@nmsu.edu)

[www.nmsu.edu/~chicano](http://www.nmsu.edu/~chicano)

Chicano Programs promotes and empowers student success through education and development of cultural literacy. Services include advocacy for academic, financial, and life issues. Chicano Programs also offer the use of a computer lab/lounge. Chicano Programs provides support to thirteen Hispanic student organizations. All students are eligible to use services regardless of ethnicity or race.

## Crimson Scholars

Conroy Honors Building, Room 104  
(575) 646-2542

<http://honors.nmsu.edu/crimson-scholars>

The Crimson Scholars Program is a benefits and recognition program for academically superior students who have a cumulative 3.5 GPA and are taking three or more credits per semester. Crimson Scholars receive a number of benefits. You do not need to apply to be a Crimson Scholar. At the beginning of each semester that you qualify as a Crimson Scholar, you will receive an email message confirming your status.

## Cross-Campus Advising

2nd floor Zuhl Library, at the SSC  
(575) 646-6050

<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/zuhl/advising>

Cross-Campus Advising is intended to assist and streamline processes that students encounter when they explore majors, seek connection within a college, or need assistance navigating administrative procedures. This office facilitates students moving between colleges to complete a program of study leading to an academic goal. Cross-Campus Advising collaborates with college and career advisors. Cross-Campus advisors connect students, person-to-person, to other supportive personnel at New Mexico State University.

## Distance Education

Milton Hall Room 185  
(575) 646-4692 or (800) 821-1574

<http://distance.nmsu.edu>

New Mexico State University provides comprehensive distance learning opportunities to meet diverse educational and professional needs anytime, anywhere. Distance Education allows students physically remote from the campus and/or instructor to continue in their education. Students with limiting schedules also benefit from the freedom of distance education. For more information on courses and majors offered at a distance, see the website.

## Information & Communication Technologies

ICT Building, room 140  
(575) 646-1840

<http://ict.nmsu.edu/csc>

ICT Customer Service provides assistance for NMSU's voice, video, data, network and Information Technology. The ICT Helpdesk in Room 140 also provides walk-in support for many common software and desktop computer issues.

## Indian Resource Development Program

Gerald Thomas Hall, Rm. 263  
(575) 646-1347

<http://aces.nmsu.edu/academics/ird>

The Indian Resource Development (IRD) program aims at enhancing tribal students' academic experiences. The IRD helps tribal students through a variety of professional development activities. The IRD frequently collaborates with tribes and tribal agencies on projects creating access for tribal communities to the University.

## Math Success Center

Walden Hall, Room 101  
(575) 646-5743

[www.math.nmsu.edu/msc](http://www.math.nmsu.edu/msc)

The Math Success Center provides tutoring for all math undergraduate courses, with a special focus on services for students enrolled in Math 111, 120, 121, or 190. Tutoring services are conducted in Room 101. For information about the Math Placement Exam, please see the website.

## my.NMSU.edu

<http://my.nmsu.edu>

my.NMSU.edu is a one-stop site where students can not only check their nmsu.edu emails, but they can also register for classes, check on the status of their application for student employment, view their grade history and check on the status of their financial aid.

## Office of Study Abroad

Garcia Annex, Room 238  
(575) 646-5107

<http://studyabroad.nmsu.edu>

The Office of Study Abroad helps NMSU undergraduate and graduate students to find international study programs for which they may earn NMSU credit and prepares them to travel abroad safely. The Office also helps incoming international exchange students to adjust to living and studying at NMSU. ►

### Red to Green Money Management Program

Zuhl Library, 2nd Floor  
(575) 646-6050

<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/zuhl/red-to-green>

Red to Green offers financial literacy workshops and in-person meetings to help students overcome and avoid financial barriers that may prevent them from completing a college degree. Topics include helping students learn how to get money for school, how to use budgeting, savings and credit wisely, and how to protect themselves from identity theft. All students are eligible to use these services.

### Student Success Center – Hardman

Hardman Hall, room 210  
(575) 646-3136

<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/hardman>

The SSC-Hardman offers walk-in visits

and appointments to help students with valuable skills such as study strategies, test preparation and memory and concentration. Students also receive assistance with standardized tests such as the GRE, MCAT and LSAT. Finally, the center coordinates the Freshman Year Experience (UNIV 150) and Peer Education (UNIV 350). All students are eligible to use the services.

### Student Success Center – Zuhl

Zuhl Library, 2nd Floor  
(575) 646-6050

<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/zuhl>

The Student Success Center Zuhl (SSCZ) provides several services to enhance academic achievement including free online and in person tutoring, Cross-Campus Advising to help students with course registration, departmental advising contacts, and general questions about NMSU administrative procedures and financial literacy information through the Red to Green Money Management Program.

### Student Accessibility Services

Corbett Center, room 244  
(575) 646-6840, (575) 646-1918 (TTY/TTD)  
<http://www.nmsu.edu/~ssd>

Student Accessibility Services is committed to providing reasonable accommodations for qualified students in accordance with state and federal laws. SAS offers a variety of services to students with documented physical, learning, or psychological disabilities. Students must bring in documentation supporting the needed accommodation, fill out our Student Information Form, and meet with the SSD Coordinator before accommodations can be made.

### Student Training & Resources

<http://ict.nmsu.edu/~training/student>  
The Student Training and Resources site is your one-stop source for information

and instruction about technology at NMSU. This site can be used as a starting point for new students to get a quick overview of the services and technologies that NMSU has to offer. In addition, the site can be used as a reference for computing-related questions.

### Testing Services

Garcia Annex, Room 235  
(575) 646-1921

[www.nmsu.edu/~testserv](http://www.nmsu.edu/~testserv)

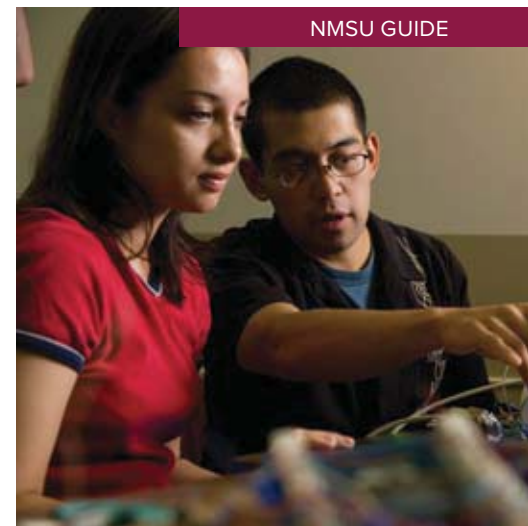
NMSU Testing Services provides information about and administers standardized tests, including many graduate admissions tests (GRE, MCAT), as well as the CLEP and the GED. Students are offered a variety of exams in a setting free of distractions. Services are available from 10:00 am–noon and 1:00–3:00 pm, Monday through Friday.

### Veterans Programs

Garcia Annex 144  
(575) 646-4524

[www.nmsu.edu/~va](http://www.nmsu.edu/~va)

The NMSU Veterans Programs Office connects NMSU students and the Veterans Administration Regional Office. Veterans Programs accepts and submits applications for approval of educational benefits to veterans and dependents, certifies students who are taking required courses, and ensures that files meet VA regulations.



### Weekend Courses through the College of Extended Learning

Milton Hall room 185  
(575) 646-5837

<http://extended.nmsu.edu/weekend>

Weekend courses at NMSU are designed to serve students who are unable to take classes during the week because of work or family responsibilities, new and returning students, or anyone wishing to take classes for personal enrichment.

### Writing Center

Clara Belle Williams Hall, Room 102  
(575) 646-5297

[www.nmsu.edu/~english/resources/writingcenter.html](http://www.nmsu.edu/~english/resources/writingcenter.html)

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# Career and Employment

NMSU provides several services to help students find student employment as well as plan for their future career.

## Career Exploration Center

Garcia Annex, 1st Floor, NE Corner  
(575) 646-2241

[www.nmsu.edu/~counsel/career](http://www.nmsu.edu/~counsel/career)

The NMSU Career Exploration Center helps students with career planning, interest assessments, career information, information on majors, career counseling, and choosing a major. Students are encouraged to come to the Career Exploration Center to discuss career plans and how their major fits into those plans. Career counseling is free for NMSU students and confidential.

## Career Services

Garcia Annex, Room 224  
(575) 646-1631

<http://careerservices.nmsu.edu>

Career Services provides guidance for career planning to include career advising, resume and cover letter review and mock interviews. The office coordinates career fairs and on-campus recruiting. Information on work-integrated learning opportunities through student employment, internships and cooperative education (co-op) is available. Personal assistance is available through appointment or walk-in. All students and alumni are eligible to use the program and services. All candidates are encouraged to register in AggieCAREER Manager.

## Student Employment — Career Services

(575) 646-1631

[hireNMSU@nmsu.edu](mailto:hireNMSU@nmsu.edu)

<http://careerservices.nmsu.edu/ven>

Regular student employment is designed



to assist students in obtaining jobs that help with college costs and provide students with career-related work where possible. Career Services administers these student employment opportunities. Undergraduate applicants must be degree seeking, enrolled in a minimum of twelve graded credit hours fall and spring semesters, and maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average. Graduate students must be degree-seeking, enrolled in a minimum of nine graded graduate credit hours fall and spring semesters, and maintain at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average.

## Work-study—Office of Financial Aid and Scholarships

(575) 646-4105

[finaid@nmsu.edu](mailto:finaid@nmsu.edu)

<http://fa.nmsu.edu/ws.html>

Work-study provides students with employment to help with college costs and can provide valuable work experience. Eligibility for most work-study is determined from the FAFSA. NMSU also contracts with off-campus agencies to employ work-study students 10 to 20 hours a week. Job announcements are posted at the beginning of each semester and are continually updated (<http://fa.nmsu.edu/postings>) ■



# Campus Life

NMSU has a lot to offer your student outside the classroom. By getting involved, your student can create his or her own unique and memorable college experience.

## ASNMSU

2nd Floor Corbett Center  
(575) 646-4415

[www.asnmsu.com](http://www.asnmsu.com)

ASNMSU is NMSU's student government. The organization provides a wide variety of services including Aggie Transit and Student Legal Aid Program (SLAP) and funds many extracurricular organizations. New students can get involved early through the Roadrunner Internship Program.

## Campus Activities

Corbett Center Room 235  
(575) 646-3200

<http://campusactivities.nmsu.edu>

Campus Activities offers out of the classroom involvement — an essential complement to the student's academics. Leadership and personal growth opportunities are offered through student organizations, activity programming, Greek Life, and National Student Exchange. This office also coordinates activities and events through the Activity Registration process, administers the University Sales and Solicitation Policy, serves as liaison to the InterFaith Council and is responsible for the Student Handbook.

## Campus Dining

Corbett Center, Room 130  
(575) 646-4801

[www.nmsu.edu/~dining](http://www.nmsu.edu/~dining)

Campus Dining offers a dining membership that provides unlimited entry into Taos Restaurant located on the lower level of Corbett Center Student Union. Campus Dining also provides multiple dining options within Crossroads Food Court inside Corbett Center, at the College Canteen inside the Health & Social Services building, and at the Aggie Snack Bar inside Gerald Thomas Hall. Campus Dining also provides gourmet catering and operates the University Club restaurant located on the third floor of the Stan Fulton Athletics Center.

## Housing and Residential Life

Educational Services Building, Suite H  
(575) 646-3202

[www.nmsu.edu/~housing](http://www.nmsu.edu/~housing)  
[housing@nmsu.edu](mailto:housing@nmsu.edu)

Housing and Residential Life provides a variety of on-campus housing including residence halls, apartments, townhouses, and single-family homes. Professional and student staff are accessible and specifically trained to handle personal, emotional, and academic issues. ►

### Parking Department

Barnes & Noble Bookstore (southwest corner of University Ave. and Jordan St.) (575) 646-1839

[parking@nmsu.edu](mailto:parking@nmsu.edu)

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### Student ID Cards

Corbett Center, room 137  
(575) 646-4835

[idsvs@nmsu.edu](mailto:idsvs@nmsu.edu)

[www.nmsu.edu/~idsvs](http://www.nmsu.edu/~idsvs)

All regularly enrolled students are required to have an NMSU identification (ID) card. Students must present a valid ID card to access campus facilities, services

and privileges such as the Activity Center and Natatorium. Your student's ID card contains his or her Aggie Cash account and dining membership plan, serves as a library card and provides building access if they live in a campus residence facility that requires card access.

### Student Judicial Affairs

Corbett Center, Suite 230  
(575) 646-1732

<http://success.nmsu.edu/judicial.html>

SJA investigates and adjudicates cases of non-academic student misconduct and works with the University to ensure consistency with regard to student discipline matters. SJA develops policies for the Student Code of Conduct, student rights and responsibilities, and discipline-related policies and procedures. The office maintains student records relating to academic and non-academic misconduct as well as databases of publications relating to student conduct issues. ■

# Student Code of Conduct

[www.nmsu.edu/~vpsa/SCOC/intro.html](http://www.nmsu.edu/~vpsa/SCOC/intro.html)

**The freedom of individuals to inquire, study, evaluate, and gain new understanding and maturity is essential and must be protected against suppression. Dissent plays a vital part in the role of the University. However, freedoms cannot be protected or exercised in a university that lacks order and stability. Students at New Mexico State University main campus and branch campuses at Alamogordo, Carlsbad, Doña Ana, and Grants have an obligation to uphold the laws of the larger community of which they are a part.**

The intent of this Code is to ensure that students at the University neither lose their rights nor escape the responsibility of citizenship. While the activities covered by the laws of the larger community and those covered by NMSU's rules may overlap, it is important to note that the community's laws and NMSU's rules operate independently and therefore do not substitute for each other. NMSU may pursue enforcement of its own rules whether or not legal proceedings are underway or in prospect, and may use information from third party sources (such as law enforcement agencies and the courts) to determine whether University rules have been broken. Membership in the NMSU community does not exempt anyone from local, state or federal laws, but rather imposes the additional obligation to abide by all of NMSU's regulations. It is the personal responsibility of every member of the campus community not only to protect his/her own rights, but to respect the rights of others, and to behave in a manner conducive to learning and/or living in an educational environment.

Just as individuals within the community have a responsibility to adhere to a code of prescribed behavior, the institution assumes the obligation of clearly codifying and fairly enforcing the same. New Mexico State University upholds

the belief that those who do not conform to established standards set forth in this Code of Conduct must be held accountable for their actions. Therefore, the purpose of the Code of Conduct is to inform the student body of the rules and regulations that are essential to the normal operation of this University. ■

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**Accounts Receivable**  
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**Activity Center**  
(575) 646-2907  
[www.nmsu.edu/~recsport](http://www.nmsu.edu/~recsport)

**Alumni Relations**  
(575) 646-3616  
<http://alum.nmsu.edu>

**American Indian Program**  
(575) 646-4207  
<http://nmsu.edu/~aip>

**Aquatic Center**  
(575) 646-3518  
<http://recsport.nmsu.edu/nat>

**ASNMSU**  
(575) 646-4415  
[www.asnmsu.com](http://www.asnmsu.com)

**Athletics—Ticket Office**  
(575) 646-1420  
<http://panam.nmsu.edu/tickets>

**Black Programs**  
(575) 646-4208  
[www.nmsu.edu/~blackpro](http://www.nmsu.edu/~blackpro)

**Bookstore**  
(575) 646-4431  
[www.nmsubookstore.com](http://www.nmsubookstore.com)

**Campus Activities**  
(575) 646-3200  
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**Campus Health Center**  
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**Campus Tutoring Services**  
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**Career Exploration Center**  
(575) 646-2241  
[www.nmsu.edu/~counsel](http://www.nmsu.edu/~counsel)

**Career Services**  
(575) 646-1631  
<http://careerservices.nmsu.edu>

**Chicano Programs**  
(575) 646-4206  
[www.nmsu.edu/~chicano/](http://www.nmsu.edu/~chicano/)

**Corbett Center Student Union**  
(575) 646-4530  
<http://ccsu.nmsu.edu/>

**Counseling Center**  
(575) 646-2731  
[www.nmsu.edu/~counsel](http://www.nmsu.edu/~counsel)

**Computing Help (ICT)**  
(575) 646-1840  
<http://ict.nmsu.edu/ict/csc>

**Crimson Scholars**  
(575) 646-2542  
<http://honors.nmsu.edu/crimson-scholars/>

**Cross Campus Advising**  
(575) 646-6050  
<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/zuhl/advising/>

**Distance Education**  
(575) 646-4692 or  
(800) 821-1574  
<http://distance.nmsu.edu>

**Financial Aid & Scholarships**  
(575) 646-4105  
<http://fa.nmsu.edu>

**Fire Dept**  
(575) 646-2519  
<http://fire.nmsu.edu>

**Housing & Residence Life**  
(575) 646-3202  
[www.nmsu.edu/~housing](http://www.nmsu.edu/~housing)

**ID Card Services**  
(575) 646-4835  
[www.nmsu.edu/~idsvs](http://www.nmsu.edu/~idsvs)

**Library**  
(575) 646-6910 (Zuhl)  
(575) 646-3101 (Branson)  
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**Math Success Center**  
(575) 646-5743  
<http://math.nmsu.edu/msc>

**Parking Office**  
(575) 646-1839  
[www.nmsuparking.com](http://www.nmsuparking.com)

**NMSU Police**  
(575) 646-3311  
[www.nmsupolice.com](http://www.nmsupolice.com)

**Office of Study Abroad**  
(575) 646-5107  
<http://studyabroad.nmsu.edu>

**Pan American Center**  
(575) 646-4413  
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**Phonebook**  
<http://phonebook.nmsu.edu/>

**Social Work Services**  
(575) 646-7338  
[http://wellness.nmsu.edu/shc/social\\_work.html](http://wellness.nmsu.edu/shc/social_work.html)

**Student Accessibility Services**  
(575) 646-6840, (575) 646-1918 (TTY/TTD)  
[www.nmsu.edu/~ssd](http://www.nmsu.edu/~ssd)

**Student Judicial Affairs**  
(575) 646-1732  
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**Student Success Center – Hardman**  
(575) 646-3136  
<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/hardman>

**Student Success Center - Zuhl**  
(575) 646-6050  
<http://ssc.nmsu.edu/zuhl>

**Testing Services**  
(575) 646-1921  
[www.nmsu.edu/~testserv](http://www.nmsu.edu/~testserv)

**Undergraduate and Graduate Catalogs**  
<http://catalog.nmsu.edu>

**University Registrar**  
(575) 646-3411  
[www.nmsu.edu/~registra](http://www.nmsu.edu/~registra)

**Veterans' Programs**  
(575) 646-4524  
[www.nmsu.edu/~va](http://www.nmsu.edu/~va)

**WAVE Program (Wellness, Alcohol & Violence Education)**  
(575) 646-2813  
[www.nmsu.edu/~wave](http://www.nmsu.edu/~wave)

**Weekend Courses through the College of Extended Learning**  
(575) 646-5837  
<http://extended.nmsu.edu/weekend>

**Writing Center**  
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## FALL SEMESTER 2011

Campus Housing Opens	Sunday	August 14
Fall Convocation	Tuesday	August 16
Instruction Begins	Thursday	August 18
Late Registration	Thursday	August 18
Deadline for Filing Degree Application (Students meeting requirements at end of fall)	Friday	August 26
Deadline for Registration/Course Addition	Monday	August 29
Labor Day Holiday	Monday	September 5
Last day to Drop Course with "W" (Except courses carrying designated dates)	Tuesday	October 11
Last day to Withdraw from University	Friday	November 11
Thanksgiving Holiday for Students	Monday-Friday	November 21-25
EXAM WEEK	Monday-Friday	December 5-9
Last Day of Classes	Friday	December 9
Commencement	Saturday	December 10
Campus Housing Closes	Saturday	December 10

## SPRING SEMESTER 2012

Campus Housing Opens	Sunday	January 15
Martin Luther King Holiday	Monday	January 16
Spring Convocation	Tuesday	January 17
Program/Registration for New Students	Wednesday	January 18
Instruction Begins	Thursday	January 19
Late Registration	Thursday	January 19
Deadline For Filing Degree Application (Students meeting requirements at end of spring)	Friday	January 27
Deadline for Registration/Course Addition	Monday	January 30
Last Day to Drop Course with "W" (Except courses carrying designated dates)	Monday	March 12
Spring Break	Monday-Friday	March 19-23
Spring Holiday	Friday	April 6
Last day to Withdraw from University	Friday	April 20
EXAM WEEK	Monday-Friday	May 7-11
Last Day of Classes	Friday	May 11
Commencement	Saturday	May 12
Campus Housing Closes	Saturday	May 12

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