BIG BLUE NATION Orientation
Step 1 : Create linkblue Account

If you have not already created your linkblue account, please do so at newstudent.uky.edu. You will create your username and password then continue to setting up your student email address.

For assistance setting up your linkblue account, please call UK ITS at 859-218-4357.
Step 2 : Sign in to myUK

Go to myUK.uky.edu and sign in with the linkblue username and password that you created in the Account Manager.

Please note that Google Chrome and Mozilla Firefox are the only web browsers compatible with myUK. Using Safari, Internet Explorer or Microsoft Edge will lead to compatibility issues.

For accessibility issues within the myUK portal, please contact ITS at 859-218-4357 or 218help@uky.edu
Step 3: Navigate to Orientation Registration

Within myUK, click:

1. Student Services (Disregard the Not an Active Student note)
2. Admissions
3. BBN Orientation Registration link
Step 4: Confirm and Agree

By checking these boxes, you acknowledge that you agree to the UK Community Statement, will meet with your advisor, and are aware of all parts of the BBN Orientation process.

Orientation Registration

Before proceeding, please check each of the following boxes to confirm you have read and agreed to each. After agreeing, you’ll be able to register for orientation.

- I have read the UK Community Statement at orientation.uky.edu/conduct and understand my obligations as a new member of the University of Kentucky community.
- I acknowledge that I will advise and register with my admitted college and major (as listed on my acceptance letter). If I wish to change my major, I will submit a request at least seven days prior to orientation at orientation.uky.edu/major.
- I understand that my orientation will consist of multiple parts, including specific programming and academic advising, and that I will be required to complete items prior to my confirmed orientation date in order to register for courses. The full orientation checklist is available at orientation.uky.edu/checklist.

If you need to revisit the items above, visit orientation.uky.edu/checklist.

Before you enroll at UK, will you have completed any college-level coursework through dual credit, AP/IB or on a college campus, while in high school? This will help our team and your advisor support you in course registration, based on coursework you’re bringing with you to the University of Kentucky.

- Yes  
- No

Continue
Step 5: Select Date

All available dates within the orientation selection process automatically correspond with your enrollment status (freshman, transfer, etc.), your academic term (e.g. fall) and your admitted college (e.g. Communication and Information).

**Freshmen enrolling in the fall semester:** you will pay your tuition prepayment ($125) and orientation fee ($125) when selecting an orientation date to confirm your spot in the class! You may bring up to two guests with you ($30 fee required per guest).

**Transfer and readmitted students, as well as freshmen starting in the summer or spring semester:** you will be assessed your orientation fee of $25 on your first tuition statement.
Step 6: Add Optional Fees

You may have the opportunity to add adult guests to in-person orientations. This guest fee covers guest meals, parking, and programming. **You also have the option to pre-purchase your Wildcard ID.** By checking the box, you will be able to skip the line and get your card upon your arrival on campus.

### Orientation Registration

Register for your preferred orientation date below. Closer to your orientation date, you will receive updates to your UK email account. Learn more about Big Blue Nation Orientations at orientation.uky.edu.

You are currently enrolled in the following conference:

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### Wildcard ID

Avoid the long lines to get your **Wildcard ID**. Submit your payment now, and your ID will be ready for you to pick-up during your orientation. ID cost is $20.00

- Payments are non-refundable
- If you haven’t submitted a photo please submit one via GET once the payment has processed
- Any questions please contact the ID office at 859-257-1378

**YES!** Pay now and avoid the lines
Step 7: Payment

You will have the option to pay via three methods: Check (electronic checks only), credit card or debit card. Please note the small service fee included for paying by card.

Select your preferred method and click “Next” to continue to entering payment information. Payment information screen appearance varies by payment method.

Make payment

Payment amount: $

Select a payment method:

- Check
- Credit Card (Credit card transactions will include a 2.25% service fee*)
- Debit Card (Debit card transactions will include a 1.25% service fee*)

*Note: Credit/Debit cards incur a minimum $2.50 service fee.

- International Students: Bank Transfer / International Credit Cards

Payment amount
Estimated fees:
Estimated total charges:

You will still be able to modify your payment amount and confirm the total charges on the following payment screens.

Back Next
Step 8: Confirmation

Once you have submitted payment, you will see a payment receipt verifying your registration for the selected orientation.

No email is automatically sent, but you can verify your preferred date by returning to the registration link from myUK. Your registered date will display when you click the link.
Congratulations!

You’ve taken a big step toward becoming a Wildcat! We look forward to seeing you at your BBN Orientation!