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Step 1 : Create linkblue Account

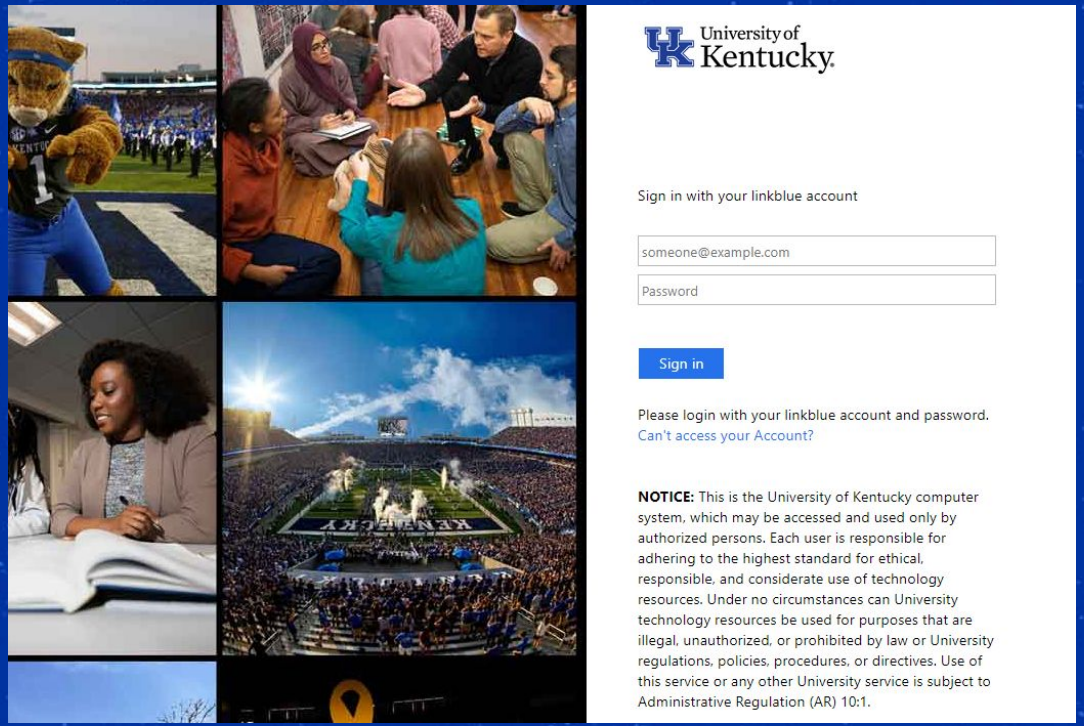
If you have not already created your linkblue account, please do so at **newstudent.uky.edu**. You will create your username and password then continue to setting up your student email address.

For assistance setting up your linkblue account, please call UK ITS at 859-218-4357

Step 2 : Sign in to myUK

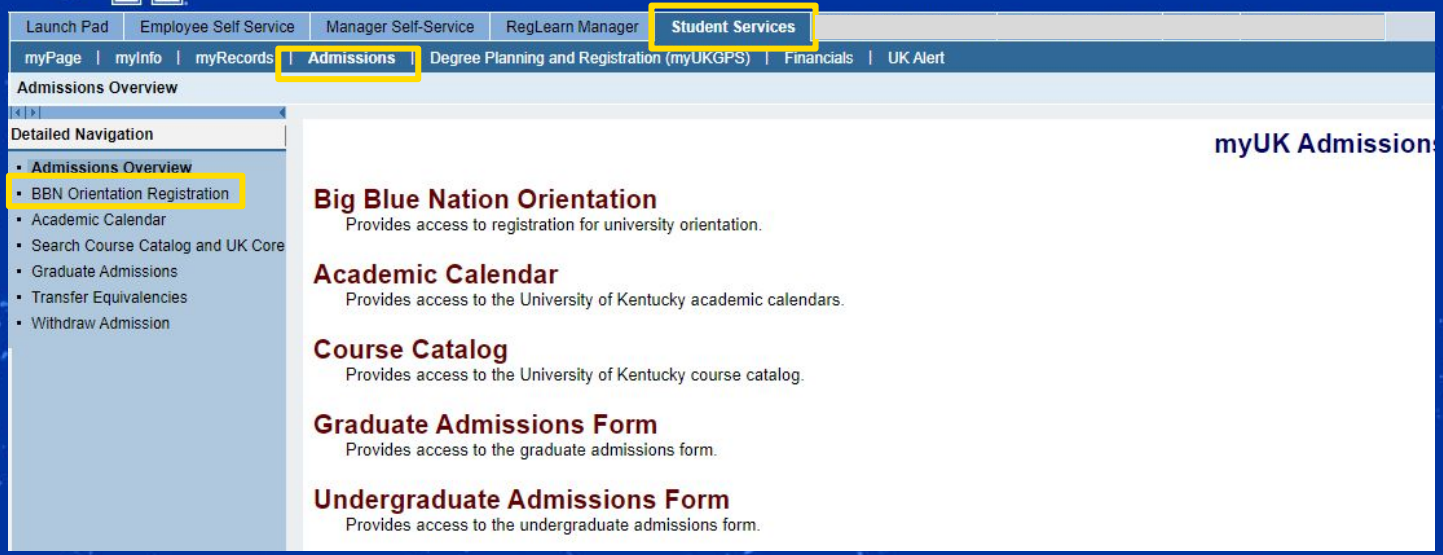
Go to **myUK.uky.edu** and sign in with the linkblue username and password that you created in the Account Manager.

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

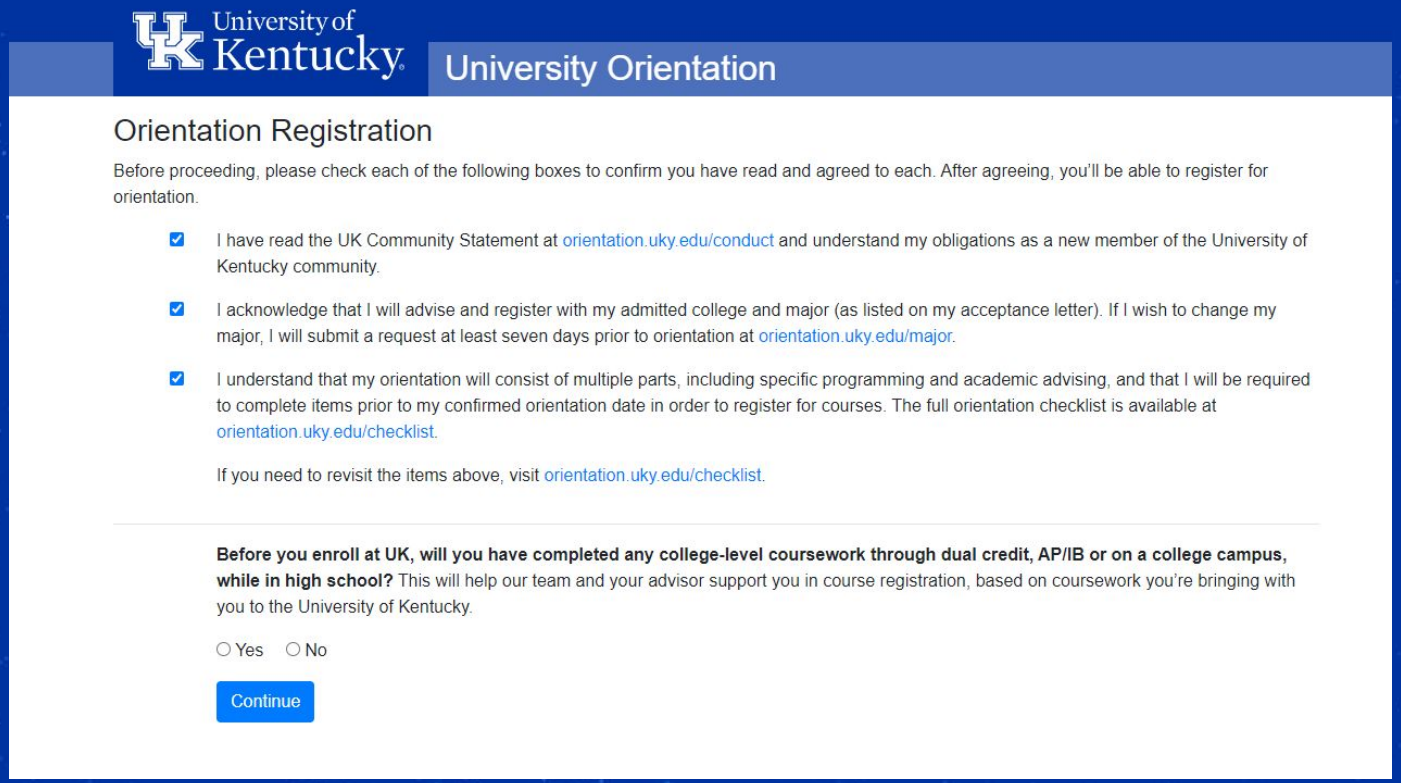


Within myUK, click:

1. Student Services (Disregard the **Not an Active Student** note)
2. Admissions
3. **BBN Orientation Registration** link

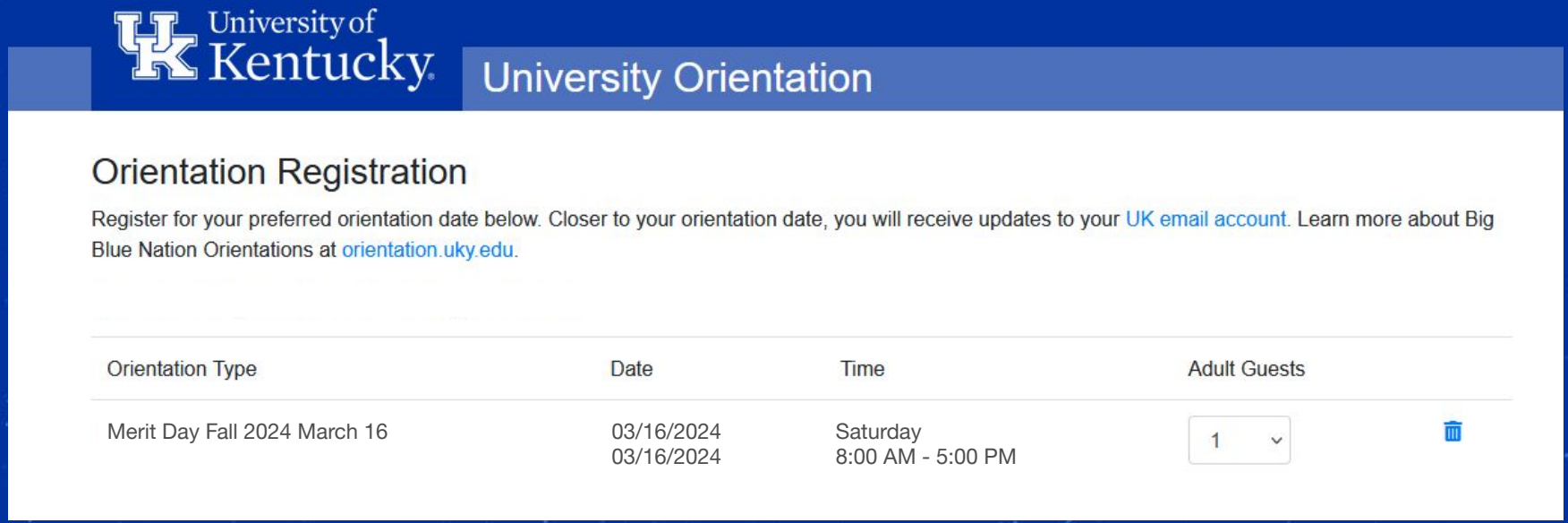
Step 4: Confirm and Agree

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.



Step 5: Select Date

All available dates within the Merit Day 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).



Merit Day attendees: you will pay your tuition prepayment ($125) and orientation fee ($125) when selecting a Merit Day date to confirm your spot at Merit Day! Attending Merit Day replaces the need to later register for and attend a BBN Orientation in the summer.

You may bring up to two guests with you ($30 fee required per guest).

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.

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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.

Orientation Type	Date	Time	Adult Guests
Merit Day Fall 2024 March 16	03/16/2024 03/16/2024	Saturday 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	1

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

Photo Upload Instructions

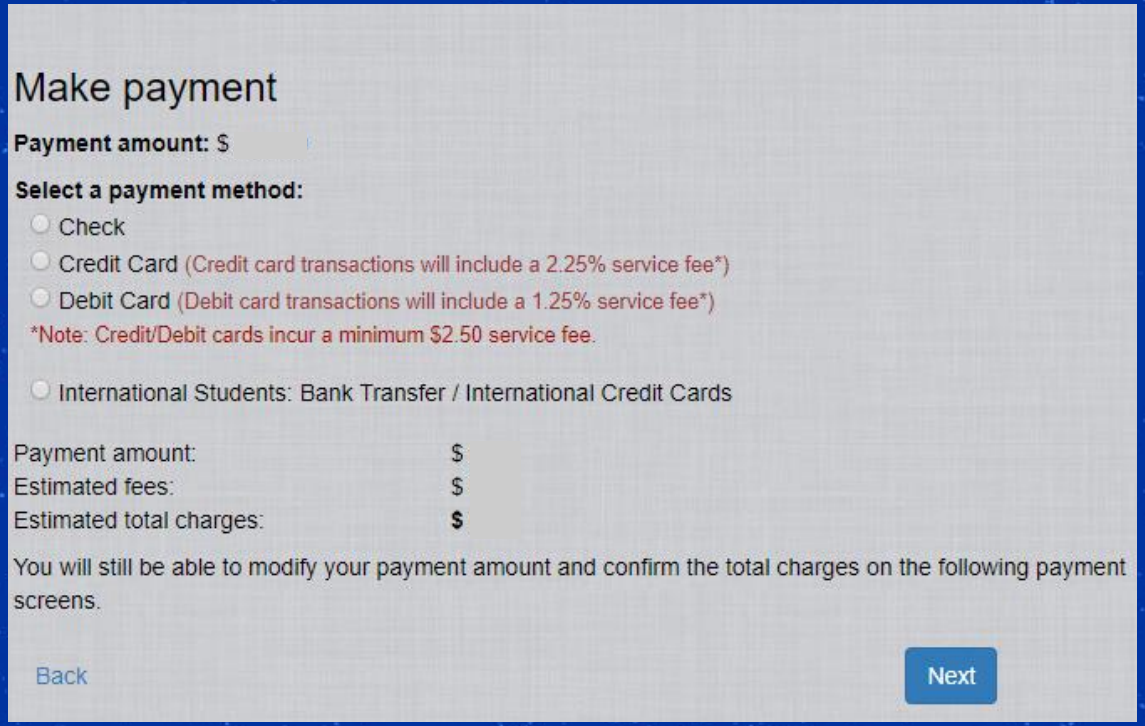
Step 7: Payment

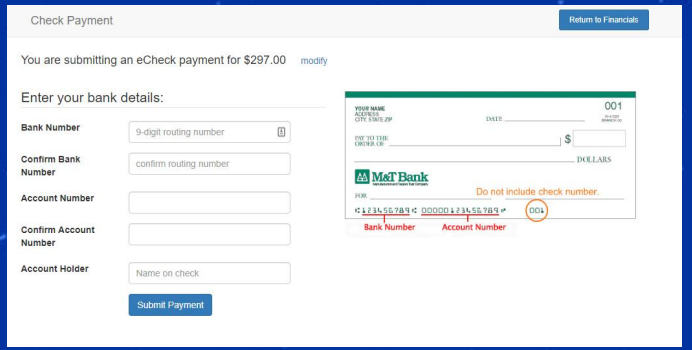
You will have the option to pay via three methods: Check (electronic checks only), credit card or debit card.

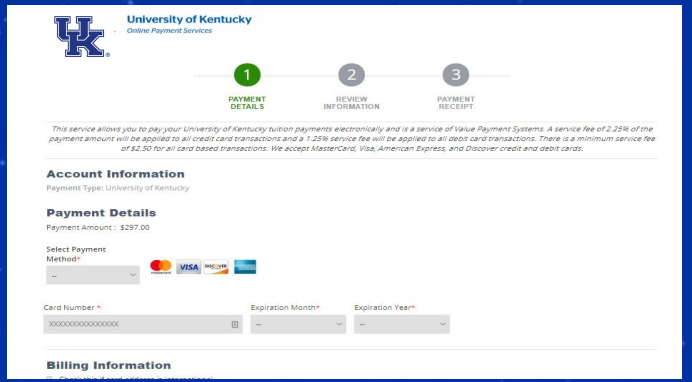
Please note the small service fee included for paying by card.

Select your preferred method and click “Next” to continue to entering payment information.

Payment information screen appearance varies by payment method.



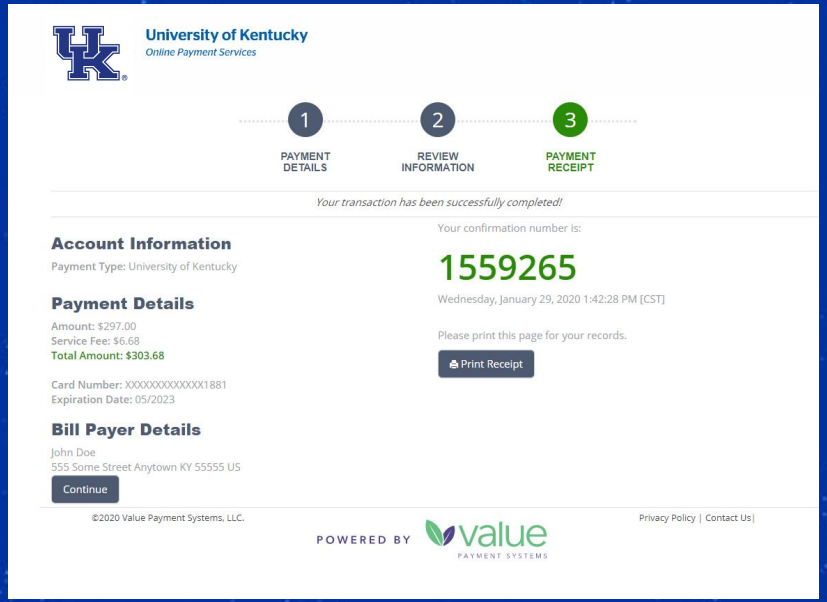


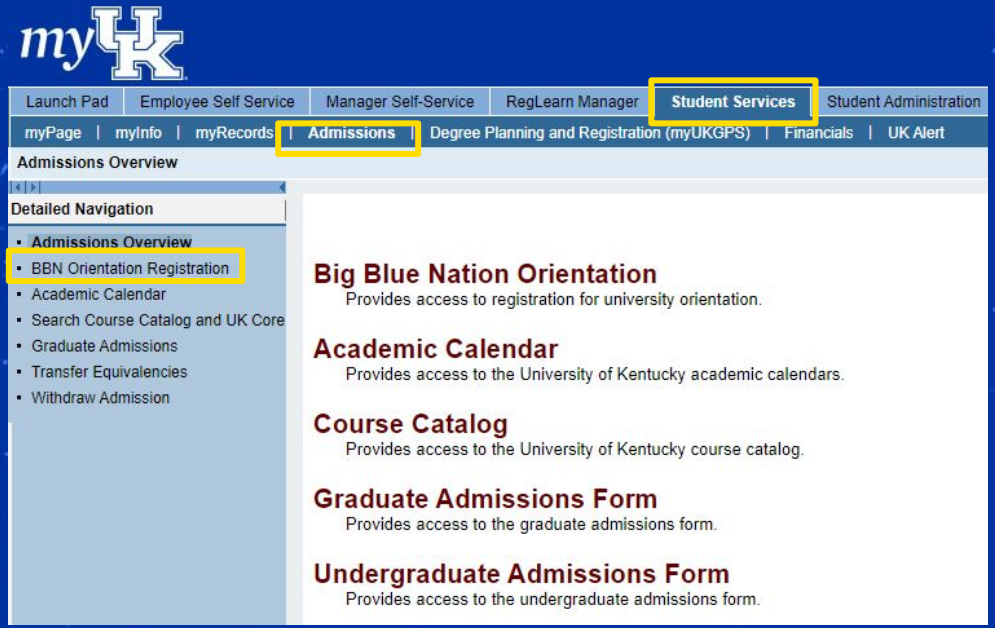


Step 8: Confirmation

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 Merit Day!

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