**NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CHECKLIST**

1. Complete your ISSS checklist in iTerp using [this link](#) and check out all our pre-arrival activities.

2. Pay your SEVIS fee

3. Make your visa appointment
   - Needed if you do not have a valid F-1/J-1 visa in your passport

4. Log onto Canvas and start your online ISSS orientation
   - Access starts on June 1, 2023

5. Sign up for any academic orientations
   - Undergraduate students: mandatory orientation to sign up for classes
   - Graduate students: check with your department

6. Read the ISSS “Tip of the Week” for helpful information and attend “Beyond Immigration Workshops”
   - Tips of the week and webinars start June 6, 2023 and are delivered via email every Tuesday

7. First day newly admitted students can arrive inside the U.S.
   - July 22, 2023

8. Complete your ISSS documents check after your U.S. arrival
   - Use the 2nd checklist to complete your documents check

9. Attend ISSS Welcome Week | August 22-24
   - Check for orientations and meetings for other groups you are part of (athletics, graduate school, teaching assistants, exchange students, etc.)

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