



Accepted to UMES? – Check Off Each Task You Complete!

- Celebrate your admission! **Congrats!!**
- Confirm your enrollment** by clicking the link in your [FutureHawk Portal](#).
- Check your admission letter for your UMES **Student ID Number**. Save it!
- Receive your **Form I-20**. (*Once you commit to UMES and travel with your UMES Form I-20, we expect you to enroll in UMES.*)
- Pay your **SEVIS I-901 fee** at [Dept of Homeland Security - Form I-901](#).
- Schedule a **student visa interview** at your local embassy or consulate.
- Set up your UMES account and email** with your Student ID at [New Account](#).
- Get required **immunizations** and return your **Health Forms** to the Health Center. This [Health and Immunization Form](#) is required. (International students are required to have health insurance.)
- Complete your **housing reservation** online using the following steps:
 - Log into your [MyUMES Portal](#) on a computer (not a mobile device)
 - Click on the Hawkville icon (the maroon bed/house icon) and login.
 - Complete the correct application and pay the \$300 deposit with a debit/credit card.
- Make **travel arrangements** to arrive in the US **AND** arrange for **airport transportation** to arrive on campus on Move-In Day. (Verify your MOVE-IN Day.)
- Register for the **International UMES New Hawk Day (Orientation)** **AND** the **Center for International Education (CIE) International Orientation** through your [FutureHawk Portal](#).
- Review how to stay **IN COMPLIANCE** with [Immigration Services](#). ([F-1 Visa & Regulations](#)). **Failure to continue financial support from the student and sponsor(s) will result in non-compliance with the University and Immigration Services leading to you returning to your home country or even termination of your Form I-20.**
- Find a **Roommate**. If you're looking for a roommate, download the [ZeeMee app](#). You will be added to the UMES community to chat with other prospective students also searching for a roommate.

Take the Next Step. Congratulations again for joining the Hawk family! If you have questions, please reach out to Ms. Jabrea Hinmon (jmhinmon@umes.edu).