Central Connecticut State University

Instructions for Completing the Fall 2010 New Student Registration Form

Please read all of the following information carefully!

You should read all of the enclosed information carefully prior to going on-line to complete your First-Year Student Registration Form. In addition to this instruction page, you will need to understand the information included on the page entitled “Mathematics, Writing, and Foreign Language Mathematics Requirements at CCSU.”

Registering for your Academic Advising and Registration Day

A very important step in beginning your education at CCSU is your attendance at an Academic Advising and Registration Day, scheduled for this summer. The available dates are: Tuesday, June 22nd, Thursday, June 24th, Tuesday, June 29th, Thursday, July 1st, Thursday, July 8th and Tuesday, July 13th.

As you prepare to attend your Academic Advising and Registration Day, we would like you to let us know a little about yourself – your academic interests, previous learning experiences, expected extracurricular activities and time constraints. Please complete the on-line First-Year Student Registration Form as carefully and accurately as possible. It is important that you complete this form yourself, expressing your own interests and preferences, since it will be used to prepare your preliminary schedule of courses for the Fall 2010 semester.

Fall 2010 Course Scheduling

Student schedules are prepared in the order in which the First-Year student registration forms are received, so it is in your best interest to complete and submit this form as soon as possible (the First-Year Student Registration form will become available in late April) to increase your chances of receiving as many of your course and time requests as possible, within the limitations of course and time availability. You will receive your preliminary course schedule on your Academic Advising and Registration Day. You will have an opportunity on that day to make adjustments and finalize your schedule after you learn more about your curriculum.

Considering a Major

In order to earn a degree, a student must choose a major and complete the courses required in the program. The best time to declare a major depends on the student. Some students come to Central Connecticut State University with well-defined educational plans and begin taking courses in their major right away. Many students, however, are uncertain of what major to choose and need time to formulate their academic goals. If you are uncertain of what major to choose, select Undecided when asked for your major. All students begin their first semester working with an advisor from the Center for Advising and Career Exploration (CACE), prior to moving to their chosen “major” department/school.

Within the on-line registration form, you will find drop-down menus for the various schools at CCSU, as well as the possible majors and minors available within each. Your choice from these menus will determine the advisor who will create your preliminary schedule. You can learn more about each of the CCSU majors by clicking on the “Academics” link found at the top of the CCSU home page at www.ccsu.edu.

Completing the On-line First-Year Student Registration Form

Once you have carefully read all of the information in the First-Year Guide, please go on-line to register for your Academic Advising and Registration Day. To complete the First-Year Student Registration Form go to www.ccsu.edu and click on “CentralPipeline”, access your account and then click on First-Year Student Registration Form. You will receive an e-mail confirming your attendance after we have processed your registration form.

We look forward to welcoming you to campus this summer!