

RED RAIDER FAMILY WEBINAR SERIES



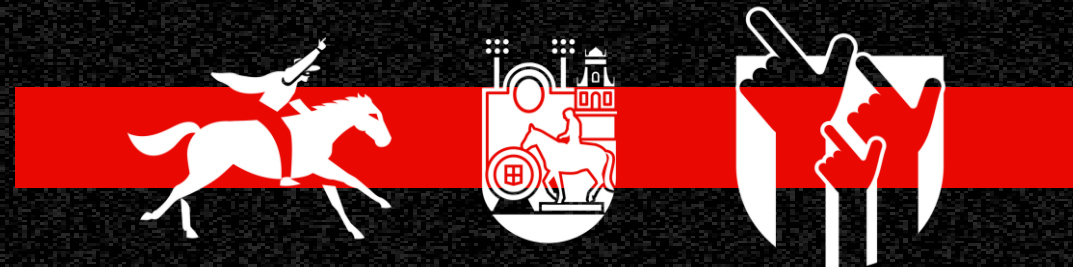
Finishing Touches

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Parent & Family Relations

IN TODAY'S WEBINAR

- Staying Connected
- Housing/Hospitality/Tuition Reminders
- Student Health and Wellness
- Academic Success Reminders
- Student Success Specialists
- Family Weekend





Connect With Us

- Parent & Family Relations is your support team on campus!

Supporting your Student From a Distance

- Active Listening
- Ask, “How would you handle that? Or “Who can you talk to about...?”
- Remember, it takes time for students to adjust and make connections



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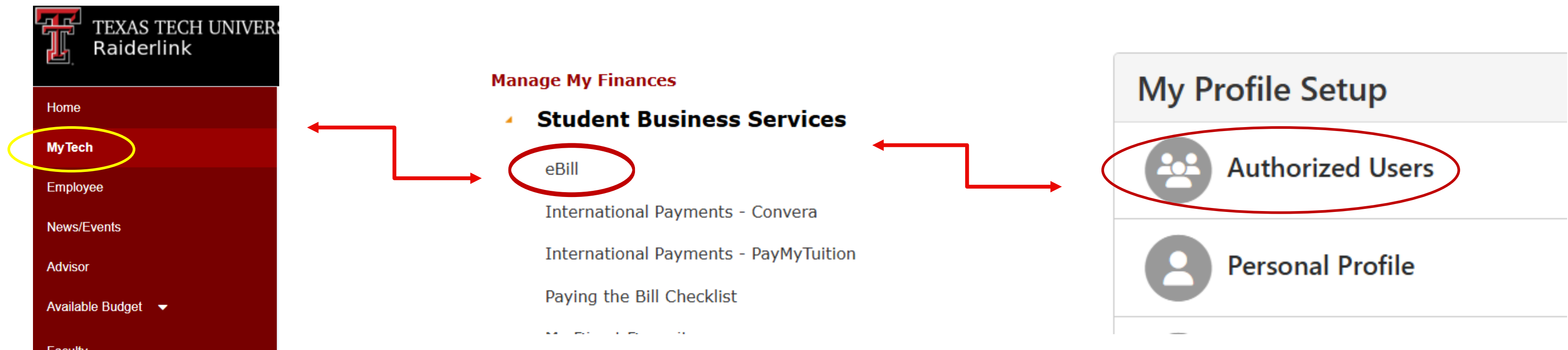
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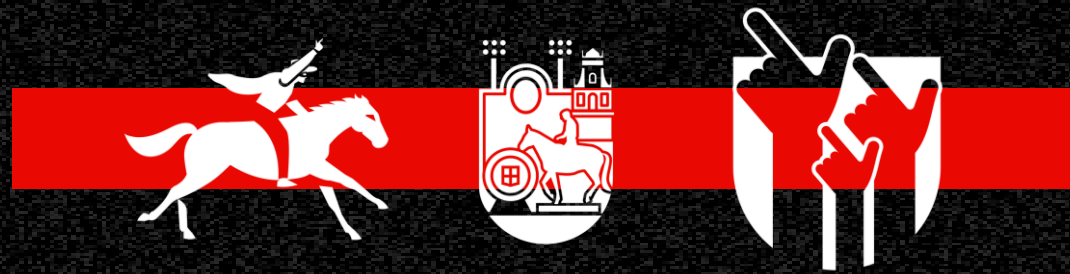


TUITION BILLING REMINDERS

Visit www.sbs.ttu.edu

- Tuition payment or enrollment in a tuition payment plan is due **August 20th, 2025**
- Have your student set you up as an **Authorized User** to view/pay the bill or enroll in a payment plan yourself
 - Students log into RaiderLink, and navigate to MyTech, then Student Business Services under “Manage my Finances.”
 - Then they’ll click “Ebill” and “Authorized Users”.
 - They will need your email address to get you set up.





MEAL PLAN CHANGES

- Save the date –The last day to make a change to your student's meal plan is the 20th class day of the semester – **September 22nd**
- Dining bucks can be added at any time.
- Encourage your student to make the most of their meal plan by taking advantage of the Fresh Plate All-You-Care-To-Eat facility.
- Visit www.hospitality.ttu.edu for more information. Here, students can:
 - Review dining options all over campus
 - View hours for all dining facilities
 - View “Smart Choices” nutritional information
 - Manage their dining bucks and keep track of what they’re spending



WELLBEING TALKING POINTS

- Importance of getting “rest”
- Healthy food choices
- Use the Rec Center!
- Feeling not so great? Make an appointment with Student Health Services



STUDENT HEALTH AND WELLNESS RESOURCES

- Student Health - www.depts.ttu.edu/studenthealth
- Student Counseling Center – counseling.ttu.edu
- RISE – www.rise.ttu.edu
- TechThrive - <https://www.ttu.edu/techthrive/>
- TTU Crisis HelpLine (806) 742-5555



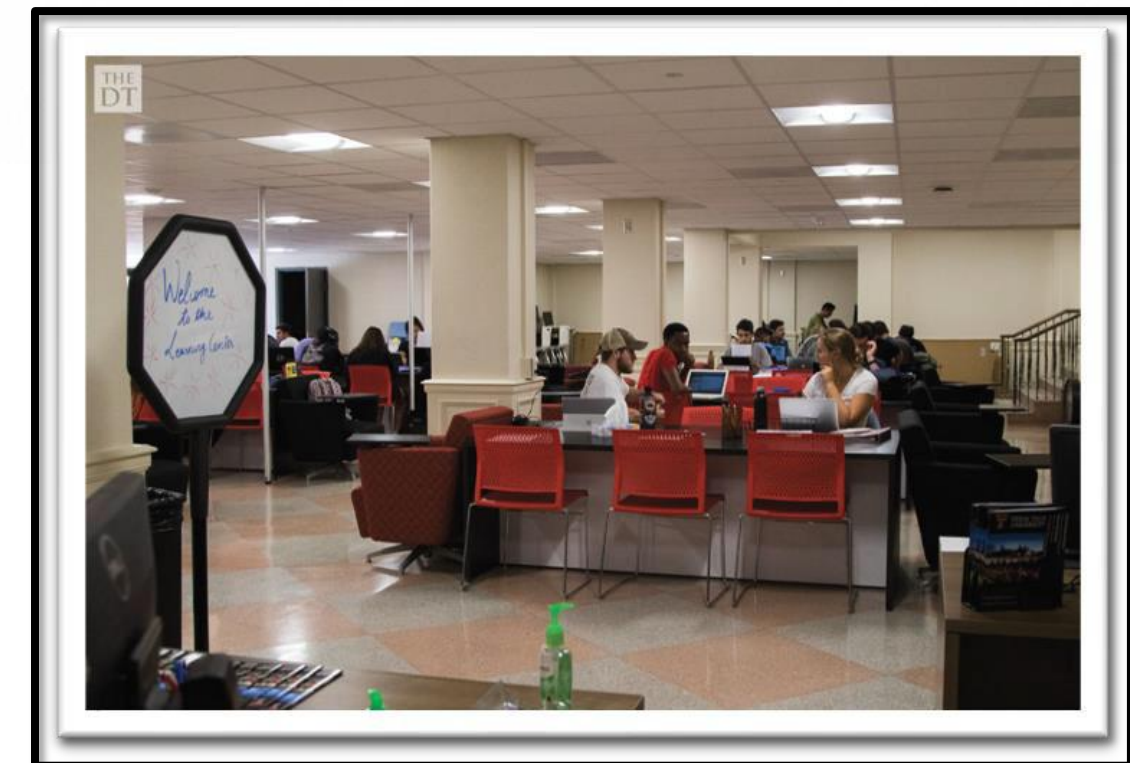
Navigating Academics

- Review and know their course syllabi - deadlines, assignments, exam and finals information are found here!
- Using a planner/phone/calendar to keep up with due dates, exams, etc.
- Staying engaged with online courses
- Utilize your Student Success Specialist and Advisors

ACADEMIC SUCCESS RESOURCES

- The Learning Center - www.depts.ttu.edu/soar/lc
- Undergraduate Writing Center - www.depts.ttu.edu/provost/uwc/undergraduate/
- Student Disability Services - www.depts.ttu.edu/sds
- University Coaching - <https://www.depts.ttu.edu/ucsa/UC.php>

Go to class!



STUDENT SUCCESS SPECIALISTS

- Focused on supporting your student's success both in and out of the classroom
- Someone who is here to listen and help with time management, finding resources, getting involved on campus, etc.
- Embedded in each academic college
- Appointment availability on Raider Success Hub

Find your Student's Success Specialist:

<https://www.depts.ttu.edu/studentengagement/successspecialists.php>



MOVE-IN AND HOUSING REMINDERS

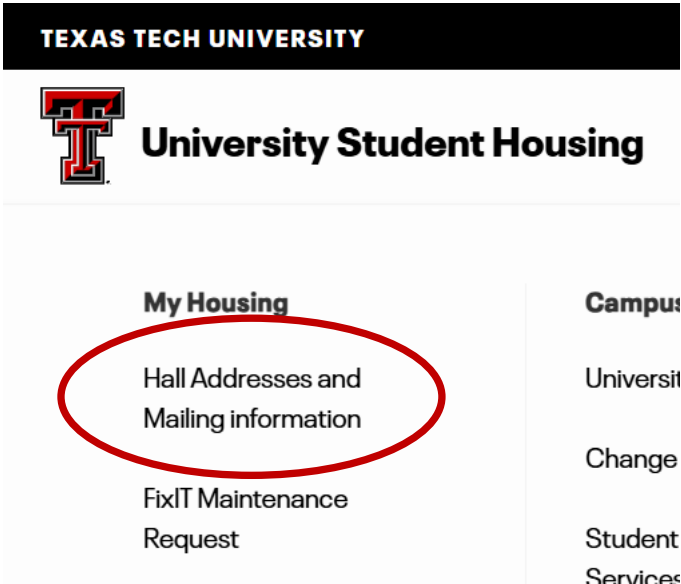
- For last minute move-in information review the “What to Bring” and “What Not to Bring” lists on the Tech-In page:
<https://www.depts.ttu.edu/housing/techin-techout.php>
- FixIT request form located on the housing webpage –Go to www.housing.ttu.edu and click “Current Residents” and then “Fixit Maintenance Request”
- Use the Mailing Address Generator to send your student mail and packages! Go to www.housing.ttu.edu and click “Current Residents” and then “Hall Addresses and Mailing Information”





MAILING PACKAGES TO YOUR STUDENT

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Mailing Address Generator

The address label will appear below. Fill out the form and click "Generate Mailing Address."

Student's Full Name:

Student's Hall:

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Student's Room Number:

Student's Bedspace:

Unknown

How are you sending the package?

United States Postal Office

Generate Mailing Address >



REFUEL & REFRESH

WITH PARENT & FAMILY RELATIONS

AT THE NATIONAL RANCHING HERITAGE CENTER

THURSDAY, AUGUST 21 FROM 2-5PM

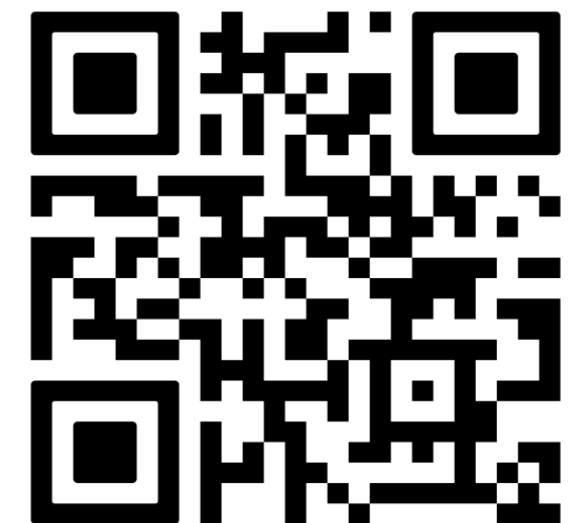
FRIDAY, AUGUST 22 FROM 2-5PM

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23 FROM 10AM- 2PM



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Academic Innovation
& Student Success





FAMILY WEEKEND AND FAMILY DAYS

- **Family Weekend** at Texas Tech has been a tradition since 1936. Family Weekend 2025 will be **October 24-26, 2025** (Texas Tech vs. Oklahoma State; kickoff TBD)
- ***Football tickets are sold out!***
- Options:
 - Get tickets on SeatGeek
 - Attend another football weekend!
 - There's lots to do besides the game. See the full schedule on our website. Visit **go.ttu.edu/familydays**
 - Visit whenever it's convenient for your family! See our Family Days Calendar for suggestions of what to do while you're in town – link is on our Family Weekend page





FAMILY WEEKEND SCHEDULE HIGHLIGHTS

SCHEDULE

01.00PM-05.00AM	Day in the Life of an Architecture Student Hosted by Huckabee College of Architecture
04.00-06.00PM	Treats, Tours, and Family Fun Hosted by College of Arts & Sciences
05.00-07.00PM	Alumni & Reception Panel Hosted by J.T. & Margaret Talkington College of Visual And Performing Arts
06.00-08.00PM	Davis College Family Night Host by Davis College of Agricultural Sciences
04.00-06.00PM	Red Raider Family Block Party @Drane Hall Hosted by Parent & Family Relations

FRIDAY



SCHEDULE

TBA	TCVPA Football Tailgate Hosted by J.T. & Margaret Talkington College of Visual And Performing Arts
TBA	Texas Tech Parents Association Tailgate Party Hosted by Texas Tech Parents Association
TBA	Football vs. Oklahoma State Hosted by TTU Athletics
TBA	Raider Alley Tailgate and Music Performance

SATURDAY



Questions?

Use the Zoom Q&A feature

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**How did we do?
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