YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

Penguin PREVIEW DAY

Friday, February 16, 2024 • 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

We’re GLAD you’re HERE!

Look inside for the details, and choose what you’d like to do on your day at YSU.

EVENT Overview

8:00 a.m.
Early Bird Tours of Campus
Departing from the WATTS. The last tour will leave at 8:15 a.m. to be back in time for the morning activities (does not include the residence halls or apartments).

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.
Check-in and Opening Activities at the WATTS.

9:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Welcome and learn about the day’s activities.

10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Academic College Sessions
Volunteers will escort you to the college of your interest. (Majors List on page 8).

11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Activities Around Campus
Tours of campus, residence halls and apartments. Take a tour of the Rec Center, learn about Admissions and Financial Aid and enjoy lunch.

Accepted Fall 2024 Students
Make sure to attend our special admitted student session to learn about the next steps in the process of becoming a YSU Penguin.

YSU College Credit in High School Transition Session
Are you a senior and either a current or former YSU College Credit Plus student or a Youngstown Rayen Early College student? If so, join us for a session discussing the transition to continue your education at YSU.
Early Bird Tours
Early walking tours of the campus provided by the Office of Admissions will begin at 8:00 a.m. The last early tour will leave at 8:15 a.m. to be back in time for the morning activities. The tour does not include the residence halls and apartments. Residence hall and apartment tours will take place starting at 11:15 a.m. in the Cafaro Lobby on the second floor of Kilcawley Center – see page 5 for more details.

First Things First
When you arrive at the WATTS, please be sure to check in and get lanyards, name tags, and other goodies for yourself and your guests. Then look around and enjoy the following activities. This time is jam-packed with things to see and experience.

Explore our Academic Colleges & Honors College
Speak with representatives from YSU’s academic colleges. See how your interests can lead to a major you’ll love and a fulfilling career. All majors offered at YSU are listed on page 8. Then learn about the requirements to be accepted into our Honors College and the opportunities available to you. Get in there and ask questions. Everyone participating is here just for you!

YSU Penguin Experience
Visit the YSU Penguin Experience from the YSU Division of Student Affairs. Take part in our fun activities — you may win a prize! Meet our staff and learn about the many services and activities sponsored by our division, then take a selfie with our crazy YSU Penguin props. Meet students from a variety of our student organizations.

Are you unsure about your major, career direction or how to secure employment?
The Office of Career Exploration and Development can help you. Stop by our table in the WATTS today. We help students in all areas of career decision-making, from exploring to securing a satisfying career. We’re here for you from the student’s first through senior year. Also, attend our session for exploratory students starting at 10:00 a.m.

Talk about YSU
Speak with staff from our Office of Admissions, Financial Aid and Scholarships, First Year Student Services and many other offices. Learn about our services, our students and what YSU has to offer you.

A Warm Welcome
The YSU Marching Pride will open the program followed by an official Welcome Address from President Bill Johnson. Then stay tuned for some information about the day. When we adjourn, volunteers will guide you to your next destination within the YSU Colleges.

Visit the Bookstore all day - see the back page of the program for an opportunity to receive a discount!
Beeghly College of Liberal Arts, Social Sciences & Education

STARTING LOCATION: KILCAWLEY CENTER, SCHWEBEL LOUNGE

Visit the Beeghly College of Liberal Arts, Social Sciences and Education on facebook.com/ysubclasse or Twitter: @ysubclasse

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  EDUCATION MAJORS
BREAKOUT LOCATION: BEEGHLY HALL, MCKAY AUDITORIUM

Following a Welcome by the Dean, you will be escorted to Beeghly Hall where you will take part in an interactive discussion about our licensure programs, Education student organizations, field experiences, and study abroad opportunities. Education faculty, staff, students, and alumni look forward to showcasing our diverse opportunities.

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.  LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCE MAJORS
BREAKOUT LOCATION: KILCAWLEY CENTER, SCHWEBEL LOUNGE

Here is your opportunity to discover the benefits of being a major within the Liberal Arts and Social Science area. Find out what programs our college has to offer and how they will prepare you for leadership roles and build the skills that employers are searching for in the next generation.

Cliffe College of Creative Arts

STARTING LOCATION: BLISS HALL, SPOTLIGHT THEATER

Visit the Cliffe College of Creative Arts on Facebook facebook.com/ysucliffe

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Join us in the Cliffe College of Creative Arts to learn more about our outstanding programs and meet faculty, staff, and students. You’ll also get to explore our state-of-the-art facilities—you’ll go backstage in our theatre design and build shops, see our cutting-edge equipment and multiple exhibition spaces for art students, and tour where our music students practice, perform, and create. The Cliffe College of Creative Arts (CCCA) is a dynamic component of the Youngstown State University campus and a major regional arts resource. We invite you to discover how we can enhance and enrich your own artistic and educational journey and prepare you for a career you love!
Meet in the Chestnut Room of Kilcawley Center for a warm welcome to The Bitonte College of Health and Human Services. Learn about the majors and programs within our college and what makes the Bitonte College of Health and Human Services unique. Afterward, visit with faculty, staff, and students from the college, take a tour of our labs and facilities, receive information on specific majors and programs, and see what BCHHS has to offer. The job outlook for graduates majoring in one of our many programs is amazing! Explore our programs—meet our faculty and staff—learn about becoming part of our Living Learning Community — and discover why BCHHS is a great choice for your future!

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Join faculty, staff, and students in the STEM College to learn more about our programs and services. Tour open labs and learn about your majors of interest. Representatives will be on hand to tell you more about co-op and internship opportunities as well as STEM scholarships. Learn why YSU STEM is a great choice for your college education!

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Join faculty, staff, and current students from the Williamson College of Business Administration (WCBA) to learn about the WCBA Experience. During this interactive session you will hear about our majors, class projects, professional development programs, academic advising, student leadership organizations, internships, and career readiness focus. You will see how the WCBA is preparing the next generation of leaders in the professional world.

**Explore your future with the Office of Career Exploration & Development**

10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.
KILCAWLEY CENTER, PRESIDENTS' SUITE

**UNDECIDED ON YOUR MAJOR?**

Come talk with advisors from the Office of Career Exploration and Development to learn how we can help you in creating a roadmap for the future. This session will outline the services that CE&D offers to Exploratory Undecided majors.
TOURS
11:15 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.
KILCAWLEY CENTER, CAFARO LOBBY, 2ND FLOOR
(Elm Street Entrance)

Walking Tours of Campus
Walk through our beautiful campus. Come join us for a tour with a knowledgeable tour guide from the YSU Office of Admissions. Tours leave every 15 minutes. Last tour begins at 1:00 p.m.

Residence Hall and Apartment Tours
Our traditional residence halls (Cafaro House, Lyden House and Kilcawley House) will be open for you to visit. Go for a tour and see why they are some of the nicest in the state! Stop by our table in Kilcawley Center, 2nd floor, Elm Street entrance, and a guide will take you there.

Representatives from the various campus apartments will also be available the day of the event to answer questions, discuss rates and offer tours of their facilities.

Melnick Medical Museum Tour
This museum, located in Cushwa Hall (Room B241), is dedicated to the history of health sciences and features unique equipment such as a large yellow Iron Lung machine from 1952, a wooden x-ray machine from the late 1920s and replicas of old medical and dental offices. A new exhibit examines the relationship of class, housing and health in Youngstown. Tours are self guided and staff is available to answer questions.

Tour The Rec Center
11:15 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

See all that Campus Recreation has to offer during a guided tour of Andrews Student Recreation and Wellness Center. Visit our facility to see the 53 ft climbing wall, Indoor Track, Group X studio, Strength and Conditioning area full of state-of-the-art equipment, multi-purpose Sports Forum, Racquetball Court and Spinning Studio, Wellness Resource Center, and don’t forget our Meditation Room!

Current students have access to the Rec, including all programs and services beginning the first day of the enrolled semester.

Check out our upcoming programs, events, Group X schedule, hours of operation and full list of policies and procedures on the Campus Recreation website at https://ysu.edu/campus-recreation
LUNCH

Use your food voucher you received at check-in for your complimentary lunch in the Kilcawley Center Food Court (1st Floor) from 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Presentations at 11:45 a.m.

Fall 2024 Accepted Student Session
KILCAWLEY CENTER, CHESTNUT ROOM (1ST FLOOR)
11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Have you already applied and been accepted to Youngstown State for Fall 2024? If so, congratulations! Attend this session to learn all about the next steps you need to take to become a YSU Penguin.

Admissions and Financial Aid Presentation
KILCAWLEY CENTER, ATTORNEY DANIEL L. ROSSI SEMINAR ROOM (2ND FLOOR)
11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Learn about the application process and required credentials along with the deadlines you will need to meet. High school seniors, you can begin the process today. You will also hear about the financial aid process and scholarship opportunities at YSU.

YSU College Credit in High School Transition Session
KILCAWLEY CENTER, PRESIDENTS’ SUITE (2ND FLOOR)
11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Are you a senior in high school and either a current or former YSU College Credit Plus student or a Youngstown Rayen Early College student? If so, join us for a session discussing the transition to continue your education at YSU.

Transfer Student Session
KILCAWLEY CENTER, JONES ROOM (2ND FLOOR)
11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Learn about the admissions and financial aid processes along with scholarships for transfer students.
Complete the Survey

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
KILCAWLEY CENTER, CAFARO LOBBY
2ND FLOOR (ELM STREET ENTRANCE)

COMPLETE the Survey
We want to know what you thought about Penguin Preview Day! Enjoy the day’s events and before you leave, be sure to fill out our electronic or paper survey.

Get Your SCHOOL EXCUSE

Pick up between 12:45 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
IN KILCAWLEY CENTER, BRESNAHAN RECEPTION ROOM (2ND FLOOR)
In order to obtain your excuse for today’s program, you must present your Penguin Preview Day name tag from your lanyard you received at check-in during the opening event.

Make It Official

APPLY TODAY FOR FALL 2024
Scan the QR Code below to begin your application:

Or go to apply.ysu.edu and click the dropdown that best describes your application type.

Rather apply in person?
Admissions staff will be available in the Bresnahan Reception Room (just outside of the Cafaro Lobby) on the second floor of Kilcawley Center from 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. to assist you!
## Undergraduate Majors, Certificates and Tracks Offered

### THE BEEGHLY COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS, SOCIAL SCIENCES & EDUCATION

**Anthropology (B)**
- Associate of Arts (A)
- Comparative International Studies (C)
- Early Childhood Associate PreK (A)**
- Early Childhood Education/Primary Intervention Specialist (B)
- Integrated Language Arts Education (B)
- Integrated Mathematics Education (B)
- Integrated Sciences Education (B)
- Integrated Social Studies Education (B)
- Middle Childhood Education (B)
- Lang. Arts & Math Track (B)
- Lang. Arts & Science Track (B)
- Lang. Arts & Social Studies Track (B)
- Math & Science Track (B)
- Math & Social Studies Track (B)
- Science & Social Studies Track (B)
- Special Education (K-12)/Integrated Lan Arts (7-12) (B)
- Special Education (K-12)/Integrated Social Studies (7-12) (B)
- English (B)
- French Language (C)
- General Studies (B)
- General Studies Completion Program** (B)
- Geospatial Science & Technology (C)
- Historic Preservation (C)
- History (B)
- Philosophy (B)
- Political Science (B)
- Public Management Track (B)
- Pre-Law (B)
- Psychology (B)
- Physical Therapy Track (B)
- Sociology (B)

### THE CLIFFE COLLEGE OF CREATIVE ARTS

- Studio Art (B)
- Interdisciplinary Studio Art Track (B)
- Music Education (B)
- Instrumental (B)
- Instrumental Jazz (B)
- Choral (B)
- Music Performance (B)
- Instrumental (B)
- Jazz (B)
- Music Recording (B)
- Piano (B)
- Voice (B)
- Theatre (B)
- Musical Theatre Track (B)
- Theatre Studies (B)
- Theatre Studies Film/Video Track (B)

### THE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS

- Astronomy/Physics (B)
- Biochemistry (B)
- Biological Sciences (B)
- Biological Sciences BaccMed Track (B)
- Chemistry (B)
- Computer Science (B)
- Data Analytics (C)
- Chemical Engineering (B)
- Civil & Construction Engineering Technology (A,B)
- Civil Engineering (B)
- Electrical Engineering (B)
- Biomedical Track (B)
- Computer/Digital Track (B)
- Electrical Engineering Technology (A,B)
- Mechanical Engineering (B)
- Mechanical Engineering Technology (A,B)
- Environmental Science (B)
- Forensic Science (B)
- Anthropology Track (B)
- Biology Track (B)
- Chemistry Track (B)
- Forensic Science (C)
- Geology (B)
- Information Technology (A,B)
- Mathematics (B)
- Accelerated BS/MS in Mathematics Track (B)
- Molecular Biology & Biotechnology (C)
- Physics (B)
- Physics/Astronomy (B)
- Pre-Medical Programs
  - Pre-Dentistry (B)
  - Pre-Medicine (B)
  - Pre-Optometry (B)
  - Pre-Osteopathy (B)
  - Pre-Pharmacy (B)
  - Pre-Veterinary (B)

### THE WILLIAMSON COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

- Accounting (B)
- Business Administration (A,B)
- Business Economics (B)
- Communication Studies (B)
- Interpersonal/Organizational Track (B)
- Persuasion Track (B)
- Social Media Track (B)
- Enterprise Resource Planning (C)
- Finance (B)
- CFP Track (B)
- Financial Management Track (B)
- Human Resource Management (B)
- Journalism (B)
- Sports Information Track (B), Leadership (C)
- Management (B)
- Supply Chain Track (B)
- Marketing (B)
- Professional Selling Track (B)
- Multimedia Communication (B)
- Sports Broadcasting Track (B)
- Non-Profit Leadership (C)

### THE BITONTE COLLEGE OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

- Allied Health** (B)
- Applied Gerontology (C)
- Criminal Justice (A)
- Criminal Justice* (B)
- Dental Hygiene (B)
- Dietetics
  - Didactic Program in Dietetics (B)
  - Food & Nutrition Graduate Track (B)
- Exercise Science (B)
  - Graduate Prep Track (B)
  - MAT Track (B)
  - MPH Track (B)
- Health Information Systems (C)
- Homeland Security (C)
- Medical Laboratory Science (B)
- Medical Laboratory Science Online Completion** (B)
- Medical Laboratory Technology (A)
- Nursing ADN (A)
- Nursing (B)
  - RN–BSN Completion** (B)
- Police Training Basic (C)
- Polysomnography (C)
- Public Health* (B)
  - 4+1 MPH Track**
  - Respiratory Care (B)
  - Respiratory Care Completion Track** (B)
  - Social Work (B)

### Also Available:
- Physical Therapy doctoral program (DPT)
- tracks available in biology, psychology and exercise science graduate track
- Individualized Curriculum Programs
- Honors College
- Military Science (ROTC)
- The BaccMed program is a restricted program with separate application
College Credit Plus (CCP) is a dual enrollment program for 7th–12th graders. Students earn college credit while taking classes at their high school, online or on campus. CCP may shorten the time it takes to earn a degree and provides a significant savings on future tuition.

This program is **NO COST** to most students!

**Student admission requirements:** 2.0 overall, unweighted GPA, 2.0 Core GPA, ACT Composite Score of 17 and meet at least one college readiness benchmark.

*Note: Admission to CCP does not guarantee enrollment in any college course. Students meet course placement requirements through ACT/SAT or university placement exams.*

Interested in starting to earn college credit while in high school? Sign up with your school counselor **by April 1!**

**Application days take place February or March at your school.**

To learn more, visit [www.ysu.edu/CCP](http://www.ysu.edu/CCP) or call 330-941-2447.