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## Online Student Orientation



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Welcome to SHSU Online! If you are like most new online students, you are ready to begin your online education but may also have a few questions prior to your first semester. No problem, we are here to help!

#### Blackboard

Your Online Classes Are Delivered Through Blackboard

While you may login to Blackboard prior to the start of the semester, your online classes will not be listed until the first day of class. To login to Blackboard use your SHSU user name and password:  
<http://shsu.blackboard.com>

[Blackboard 101 \(PDF Document\)](#)

#### Getting Started in Your Online Class

Prior to beginning your first day of online classes, it is important to make sure that you understand the technical requirements. Please review the [technical requirements for online learning](#). If you are new to Blackboard, take a minute to work through the "Getting Started" section of Blackboard. To do this, login to <http://shsu.blackboard.com> and click the "Getting Started" tab in the top right-hand corner of your screen.

#### Student Resources

Online students have many resources available to ensure success! Visit our [student resources page](#) for a list of services and tools that may help you in your online courses.

- Our Technical Team is located on the main SHSU campus and is staffed year round (excluding

holidays) Monday-Saturday from 7am-Midnight.

- You can reach the Technical Team by email at [delta@shsu.edu](mailto:delta@shsu.edu) or by phone at 936.294.2780. ([Technical Support Information Sheet](#))

#### SHSU Orientation - Undergraduate Students

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If you are new to SHSU, online orientations are available for online undergraduate students who cannot attend an orientation at the SHSU campus. If you are an undergraduate student who wishes to view the online orientation, please submit an email to Jesse Bernal at [jessebernal@shsu.edu](mailto:jessebernal@shsu.edu) and request the online orientation.

If you are able to attend the SHSU Freshman Orientation Event at the Main SHSU Campus... we will see you there! The SHSU Online team will be hosting several orientation sessions throughout the orientation event.

#### SHSU Orientation - Graduate Students

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If you are new to SHSU, online orientations are available for online students who cannot attend an orientation at the SHSU campus. [Visit the online orientation for new graduate students.](#)

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