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Through their WINGS Student Center, they will:
- Track the status of their application
- Pay the $100 enrollment deposit
- Pay the $75 housing deposit and complete the housing contract
- View information about Financial Aid
- Sign up for START
- Register for classes
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**COURSE CATALOG**

The course catalog can be found at catalog.uwlax.edu.

Sample degree plans can be found under each major in the catalog. These degree plans give students an idea of what their time at UWL will look like.

**CREDIT BY EXAM**

We publish the information about our policies for accepting AP, IB and CLEP credits through our Credit by Exam guide, available at www.uwlax.edu/admissions/ap/clep-credit.

**SCHOOL COUNSELOR WEBSITE**

This website is designed for school counselors and families. It provides the most recent information and an option to sign up for the UWL High School Counselor e-Newsletter at: www.uwlax.edu/admissions/school-counselors-and-families.

**TRAVEL BEYOND LA CROSSE**

CAR – If students do not have a car and need a ride, they can check the Facebook virtual rideshare groups. Students who have cars and would like riders to share expenses will post their destination there.

TRAIN – Amtrak serves La Crosse with daily service to Minneapolis and Chicago on the Empire Builder. Visit www.amtrak.com for detailed schedule information and ticket prices.


**AIRPLANE** – Delta and American Airlines serve the La Crosse area. The La Crosse Municipal Airport is located on French Island, just off I-90 on La Crosse’s north side.

**VISITING CAMPUS**

Visits can be scheduled at www.uwlax.edu/visit

Contact Luke Themmesch at themmesch@uwlax.edu to request a visit to your high school.

**CAMPUS CLOSE-UP**

Each day provides information on admission guidelines, academic programs, financial aid, residence life, extracurricular activities, and what students think about UWL.

Dates for 2017-18 are:

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