# SELF-SERVICE STUDENT COURSE PREREGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS Effective with preregistration for Spring 2026

## **#1)** Add course sections to your schedule for approval by your advisor

Before beginning this step, write out your course schedule on paper using the online PDF course schedule utilizing your major checksheet. Make sure the section numbers and times are accurate.

To begin entering your courses select Course Catalog [Screen Shot #1]

- Notice that you see a red warning message at the top right of the screen. This is an indicator message letting you know that you are only permitted to enter your courses. Your advisor must give the thumbs up to each course before you can complete the registration process.
- You are now ready to enter your courses. On the top right of the screen you will see a search for courses box.
   Enter the name of the course you want to register for (Example: ENGL-101). You will then see the course you selected. Click the grey drop-down bar for the course and identify the specific section of the course you want to add for the spring 2026 term. Locate the specific section of the course you want to add and click "Add Section to Schedule" button. DO NOT CLICK ADD COURSE TO PLAN!! [Screen Shot #2]
- Verify the section details and click "Add Section" making sure you have selected the correct term
- Proceed until all of your sections have been added to your schedule
- After you have added courses to your schedule, go to Student Planning, select the Go to Plan & Schedule under the Plan Your Degree & Register for Classes section
- Select the term Spring Term 2026SP by using the right arrow to toggle over to the correct term
- Under the Schedule tab, you will see all of the courses you added appear on a Sunday-Saturday calendar grid At this point, if you see something that is incorrect, you can delete a course by clicking the x beside the name of the course. [Screen Shot #3] Note that the courses are in yellow and are in the planning stage.
- Please note any restrictions, holds or problems will be outlined in red in the upper right-hand corner of the screen.
- Courses that show on the grid that appear in <u>yellow</u> have been added to your plan, but have not yet been
  registered and approved. Courses that show in <u>red</u> indicate a time conflict or problem (prereq, etc.) and must be
  removed.

### #2) Have your schedule approved by your advisor

Once your classes have been entered into Self-Service, you are now ready to notify your advisor. Your advisor must now approve your courses. Notify your advisor either via email or by sending a request in Self-Service for a review. [Screen Shot #4]

In some cases, your advisor may want to meet with you to review your course schedule. Please contact your advisor to schedule an advising appointment and to receive further details on their process

# #3) Complete the registration process in Self-Service during your assigned time

Once your advisor has reviewed your schedule by giving the thumbs up to each course, YOU are now ready to register during your assigned registration window below. [Screen Shot #5] On the day your registration window becomes active, you will be able to click the Register button. Under the schedule tab on the calendar grid, courses that appear in green are registered. *PLEASE NOTE: Your advisor will no longer be registering you for classes, only approving your courses!* 

#### STUDENT PREREGISTRATION SCHEDULE

Fall 2025 New hours & All GR students 75+ earned credit HRS & GR students <75 earned credit hours & GR students Late Preregistration Monday, October 20 beginning at 7:30 am – Friday, October 24 at 10 pm Monday, October 27 beginning at 7:30 am – Friday, October 31 at 10 pm Monday, November 3 beginning at 7:30 pm – Monday, November 10 pm Wednesday, November 12 at 8:00 am and remains open thru finals

#### **HELPFUL HINTS**

#### **Financial Holds**

If you are on hold, you will not be permitted to preregister and you will receive a red flag notification in Self-Service.

# **Adding/changing courses**

If you are still within your preregistration time period, you may add or change courses via Self-Service with the approval of your advisor by following the instructions outlined above.

## **Course alternatives**

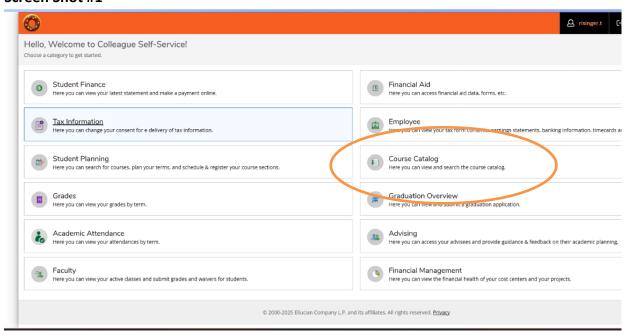
You are encouraged to list on your preregistration form several alternate courses in the event any of choices do not work out. In the event you have to remove courses or encounter issues, you can utilize alternates quickly when working with your advisor during the approval process.

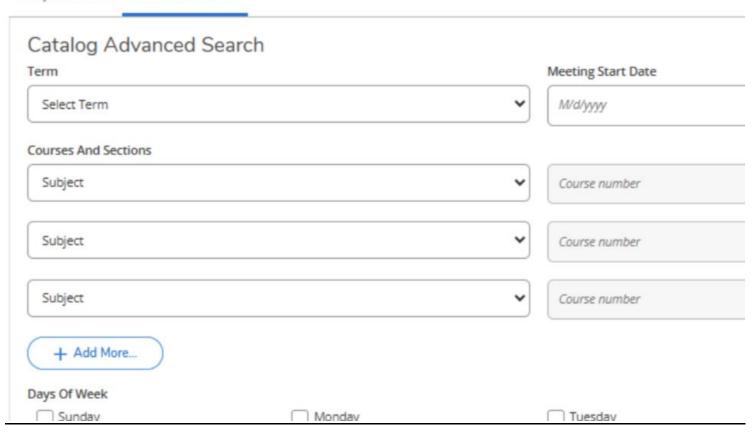
#### **Searching for Sections**

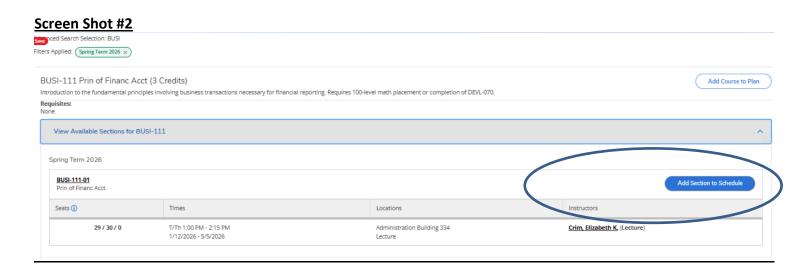
Self-Service gives you the option to filter courses by such as course day/time, department, course level (100, 200, 300, 400), instructor, etc. under the Search for Sections option. This option also indicates current enrollment information as well as prerequisites.

Last, please remember that this is only preregistration. ALL students must officially register on the designated registration date at the beginning of each term as outlined on the academic calendar.

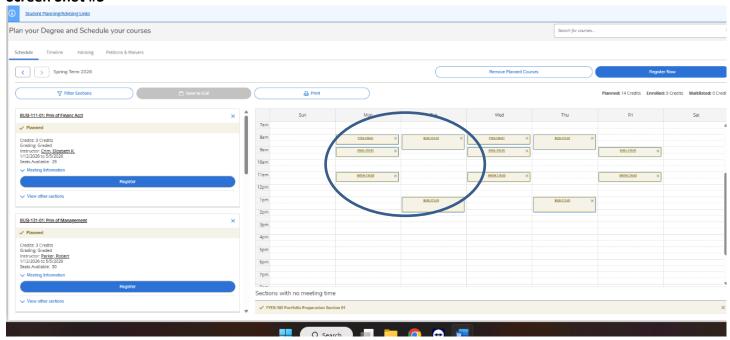
#### Screen Shot #1





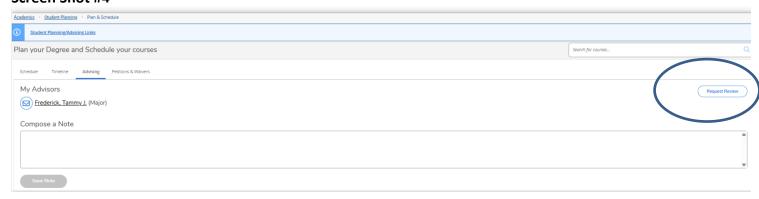


# Screen Shot #3



NOTE: Courses appearing in yellow on the calendar grid are in the "planning" stage. Once the courses are approved and registered, they will appear in green.

## Screen Shot #4



# **Screen Shot #5**

