Dear Members of the Yale Class of 2027 and incoming Eli Whitney and transfer students,

As you prepare to join us on campus, keep in mind the dates and information related to course selection for fall 2023 indicated below. Your residential college dean and first-year counselor (FroCo) will review this information with you in more detail after you arrive. You can also find helpful information about academic advising on the Yale College Dean’s Office First-Year and New Student Resources page, and be sure to review the messages from the Office of Undergraduate Education sent this summer by the Office of First-Year Affairs.

Reviewing Course Information and Pre-planning

- The Yale College Programs of Study (YCPS), the undergraduate catalog, contains detailed descriptions of majors, links to course listings, and academic policies.
- View course listings in Yale Course Search (YCS).
- Many introductory courses taken by first-year and new students require a placement test.
- Some courses require an application (as indicated in the course listing) or other action before the term begins. In early August, refer to the Preference Selection and Limited Enrollment Courses page for information and deadlines.
- Yale Hub is your one-stop resource for academic and campus information.

Registering for Classes

You will create your official course schedule and enroll in classes using a registration worksheet in YCS.

- **August 8, 8:00 a.m. (Tuesday)** – Preference Selection opens for students to rank their choice of multi-section course offerings and limited enrollment seminars.
- **August 14, 5:00 p.m. (Monday)** – Preference Selection closes. Results automatically push to student registration worksheets when registration and add/drop period open.
• **August 28, 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Monday)** – Registration worksheets open in YCS for first-year and new students to enroll in courses.

• **August 29, 8:00 a.m. (Tuesday)** – Add/drop period opens, 8:00 a.m.

• **August 30 (Wednesday)** – Fall classes begin.

• **September 5, 5:00 p.m. (Tuesday)** – Add/drop period ends.

More detailed registration related information will be provided closer to the August course enrollment dates. In the meantime, helpful resources and instructions can be found on the [University Registrar’s Office registration website](mailto:). We recommend familiarizing yourself with YCS worksheet icons and error messages.

Best wishes for the remainder of your summer. We look forward to seeing you on campus.

Sincerely,

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