



Organization of Adult Students Informative and Supportive

## Student Guide



# Welcome to the next step in your quest for a degree!

Are you an adult/commuter student? Has it been years since you were a college student? Are you nervous about classes and homework? Who can you turn to for help? OASIS!



OASIS is an adult, non-traditional student support group...and we are here to help. We send emails to you regarding OASIS get-togethers, campus events, and important information that is of interest to non-traditional students. We will get you involved and help make you feel more comfortable on campus and in the classroom. There is an online chat site available for those who want to register to participate.

## Helpful Tips:

### 1. Get to know your advisor.

Your advisor is going to be the single individual that will guide you to your goal of graduation and help you when you have problems.

### 2. You will need to get an EIU Panther Card or a School of Continuing Education Student I.D. Card.

- Fill out the Continuing Education ID request postcard.

Please note that if you already have an active Panther Card, you may not request a Continuing Education ID card.

### 3. Textbook Rental.

- EIU is 1 of only 4 campuses in the U.S. to offer book rental.
- Textbook rental is only \$9.95 per credit hour per book.

### 4. Reading Your Schedule.

- Week at a Glance provides you a week's "schedule" in a graphic format.

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91314 Clas  
4:00 pm-5:40 pm  
KLEM 1125

Class Type/No./Sect.  
Course No.  
Class meeting times  
Building & Room #

#### Building:

Coleman Hall

Lumpkin Hall

Old Main

Blair Hall

Physical Science

Life Science

Buzzard Hall

Doudna Hall

Klehm Hall

Lantz & McAfee

#### Course Study:

Communication,  
Foreign Language,  
History

Business

Math

Sociology,  
Cultural Studies

Geology,  
Psychology,  
Chemistry

Biology

Education,  
Journalism

Art, Music

Graphics,  
Industrial Arts

Physical Educa-  
tion, Health



## 5. Your First Day of Class.

- Bring your class schedule, textbook, a pen & a notebook.
- It will have an introduction to the course, meet your

instructor, receive a syllabus, and the requirements of the class.

We recommend you visit the campus before the first day of class to find the buildings and rooms in which their classes will be held.

## 6. Classroom Do's & Don'ts

These simple suggestions will help you to be a better student.

### DO...

- a. attend class on the first day.
- b. stay alert & take good notes.
- c. start assignments early.
- d. make sure your child will be properly cared for during class and have a back-up plan in case of sickness.
- e. your best.

### DON'T...

- a. hesitate to ask questions.
- b. bring your child to class.
- c. bring your cellular phone to class and leave it on.

For more information check out our web site:

<http://www.eiu.edu/~adulterd/bgs/oasis.php>

## IMPORTANT NUMBERS:

Booth Library	581-6072
Career Service	581-2412
Directory Assistance	581-5000
Disability Services	581-6583
Financial Aid	581-3714
Health Services	581-3013
ITS Help Desk	581-4357
Records Office	581-3511
School of	
Continuing Education	581-6644
	1-800-446-8918
Student Accounts and	
Billing	581-3715
Textbook Rental	581-3626
Transfer Relations	581-2120
UNIVERSITY POLICE	581-3213

## MY ADVISOR:

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