

# Back-to-School Checklist

## ACADEMIC PREPARATION:

- Register for classes
- Attend orientation
- Complete SmarterMeasure to assess and improve your readiness for learning
- Review class schedule and syllabus for each course

## TECHNOLOGY ESSENTIALS

- Access to a computer or laptop with the necessary software
- Stable internet connection
- Charger for all devices

## ORGANIZE AND PLAN

- Block off your calendar for class time
- Schedule study time on your calendar for each course
- Use a planner or calendar to track assignments, exams, and important dates

## IN THE CLASSROOM:

- Introduce yourself to your instructor and inform them if you need specific support; learn their preferred method of communication for providing assistance
- Make friends with other students; share notes, study together, and socialize to build a support network
- Ask questions and seek help when needed; don't be afraid to reach out
- Keep up with assignments, reading, and homework; try to avoid procrastination