TIMELINE & CHECKLIST for Undergraduate International Students (Freshman/First-Year and Transfer)

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Hooray! You have been admitted to UMN.

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You have completed your ISSS Check-in.

- Update your U.S. home/mailing address in MyU

- Register for full-time courses if you haven’t yet

You have received a mid-semester email from ISSS.

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You have arrived in the USA!

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You have an AI registration hold.

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This will activate your SEVIS record within 10 days.

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ACTION: If you have any questions.

Email isssnew@umn.edu if you have any questions.