

A·S·I a great beginning

The objective of the ASI program is to help students make a successful transition from high school to college. The ultimate goal of ASI is to provide each student an opportunity to graduate from the university. Through ASI, students participate in a cohort group, learning from dedicated faculty and staff committed to creating an environment that supports life-long learning.



summer program

ASI is a six-week summer program in which the participants live in a residence hall, eat their meals at the Student Union, and attend classes during the week. There are additional workshops and activities on Fridays and occasionally on the weekends.



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Applications accepted until spots are filled.
We highly encourage interested students to submit applications before April.
Applications received after spots are filled will be put on wait list.



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Who qualifies?

Students interested in attending the ASI must have a need for support to successfully complete a college education and identify as being from one or more of the following groups:

1. First generation college student (neither parents earned a bachelor's degree)
2. Historically underserved population (African American, Native American, South-Asian American, and Latinx/Hispanic)
3. Economically disadvantaged

Submitting an application for admission to the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse is a requirement for participation. Students will also complete an ASI application and be interviewed prior to acceptance into the program. Applications for ASI are accepted until program capacity is reached (usually 15-20 students).

cost/financial aid

The cost of tuition, room, and board is approximately \$3,700 (subject to change) for Wisconsin and Minnesota residents and is approximately \$5,400 (subject to change) for out-of-state residents attending the summer program. Students who demonstrate financial need by filing a Free Application for Federal Student AID (FAFSA) before February 15th (UWL priority deadline) may have some or all of their summer expenses covered by financial aid, in addition to their fall semester financial aid award (See high school guidance counselor for the FAFSA or visit www.fafsa.ed.gov). Students who do not demonstrate financial need, who do not successfully complete the program, or who choose not to attend UWL in the fall will be required to pay the full cost of the program from their own resources.

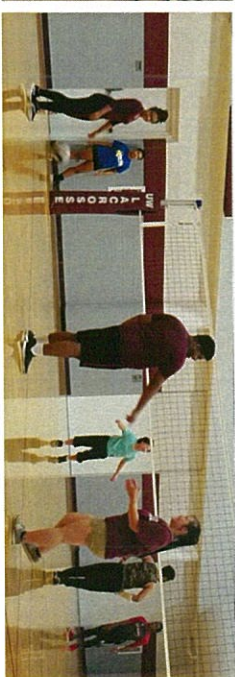
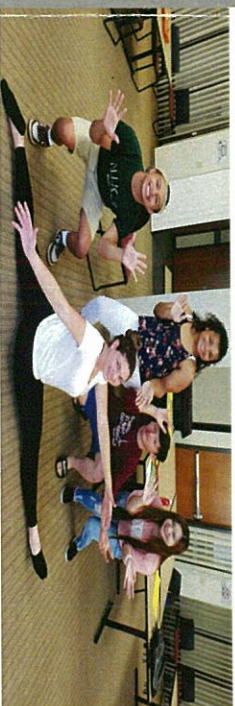
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"I would definitely recommend this program because it is so helpful and not all upcoming students get to explore the school like ASI students do." (Former ASI student)

classes/credits

UWL classes form the core of the ASI summer program. In addition, there are scheduled tutoring sessions, skill development workshops, math assistance and informal group discussions on personal development and student issues. Participants who successfully complete the coursework can earn five to eight semester hours of university credits which count toward their general education requirements and their grade point average.



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General Education Courses	
Sociology 110	3
Communicating Effectively 110	3
Reading Development 105	2
Math Studies Workshop	0

Courses Subject to change

successful completion of ASI

Students enrolled in ASI as a condition for fall admission need to successfully complete the program in order to continue as a UWL student. "Successful completion" means that students must earn acceptable grades (2.0 GPA), participate in required activities outside of class, including mandatory tutoring sessions and workshops among other events, and attend classes consistently. ASI students must also adhere to all guidelines outline in the UWL Student Handbook, specifically, the rules governing conduct on university lands, Chapter UWS 18.

why attend?

Students want to make the most of their college experience, but where do they begin? They can get off to a great start with the Academic Success Institute. This unique experience can give students a head start in exploring the issues most important to their success. ASI can be a great beginning to a successful college career. The ASI program is built on relationships, early intervention, one-on-one counseling, as well as commitment to student's success. Students participating in the ASI program will truly receive a good foundation for their university experience.