

What Freshmen Fear Most

This list of some of the most common fears expressed by college freshmen was drawn from real life. Which do you think are the greatest concerns? Could you add to the list? We want you to do both. First, place a check beside any item that you feel is a major problem among freshmen. Then use the lines at the bottom to add more "freshman fears" which you believe ought to be on this list. Which fears can FSUS 100 address, and how can it help erase them?

- I will not have enough money to do all the things I want to do.
- I will not be able to manage my time for studying, sleeping, meals, etc.
- I will have difficulty meeting friends.
- I will have difficulty in relationships.
- I will become depressed and this will affect my ability to make good grades.
- College will be too difficult for me.
- I don't feel I belong in college.
- I will disappoint my parents because of my low grades.
- I will have trouble getting along with my roommate.
- I will get lost on such a huge campus.
- I will have difficulty finding a major I like.
- I will choose a major which is not suited to my skills or interests.
- I will become homesick, and this will affect my grades.
- I will not be able to develop proper study habits, and this will affect my grades.
- I will have trouble understanding the professor, and this will affect my grades.
- I will be looked upon by others as an inferior person.
- I will be too shy to express my true feelings to others.
- I will be tempted to cheat to get good grades.
- I will not appear as sophisticated as other freshmen.