



Welcome!

The University of Texas Permian Basin is excited to serve as the host campus for the UIL Student Activities Conference. We want your experience to be memorable. Below is the information you will need for the event.

Arrival on Campus

The UT Permian Basin Welcome Center will open at 9 am. All sessions will begin at 10 am and will conclude at 2 pm. Buses can drop off students at the Welcome Center and park in the library parking lot (please refer to the campus map). Parking passes are not required.

Finding Your Sessions

Sessions will be located in the Mesa Building, Student Activities Center (SAC), the Kirk Human Performance Center, Science and Technology Building, Dunagan Library, and Courtyard. Please refer to the campus map or ask one of our volunteers for assistance.

On-Campus Dining

Snacks and beverages may be purchased at any of our dining cafés. The University will provide coffee, light snacks, and water at no cost throughout the day. A hospitality room will be available for the presenters.

Meals may be purchased at the Residence & Dining Hall, the Falcon Café in the library, and The Eatery in the SAC. See the menu below.

The Mesa Market (Starbucks) on the 2nd floor of the Mesa Building provides a variety of snacks and beverages for purchase.

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| Falcon Meal Deal | | |
| \$8 (includes beverage) | | |
| \$6 (no beverage) | | |
| Chicken Street Tacos | or | Cheeseburger |
| Elote in a cup | | Homemade chips |
| Cookie | | Cookie |

Schedule a UT Permian Basin Campus Tour!

Learn more about our campus and all the benefits we offer including Falcon Free! Participants can register online for a brief campus tour at

<https://admissions.utpb.edu/register/?id=22bce122-879b-4cd2-90e6-7a1f4dd3ea58>



University Bookstore

The bookstore will be available in the gym for merchandise purchases. Please feel free to visit their website at www.bkstr.com/texas-permianbasinstore/home.

UTPB Makerspace in the J. Dunagan Library

The Makerspace is a place for collaboration and creativity where making, learning, exploring, and sharing is easy and fun. The innovation lab features a laser cutter, embroidery machine, vinyl cutter, and 3-D scanner. If you are interested in learning more about the Makerspace, the information can be found on the session agenda.

Campus Police

The UT Permian Basin Police Department is located in the Mesa Building by the Welcome Center. The staff is available on a 24-hour basis for assistance on campus and the Communications Center non-emergency number is 432.552.2786.

Lost Items

Lost items will be turned in at the Welcome Center.

Elevator

At the current time, we have one operational elevator in the Mesa Building that has a capacity of 3000 pounds. We apologize in advance the second elevator is currently under renovation. For those who are physically able, we would appreciate your consideration in using the stairs.

Discover Odessa and Hotel Accommodations

Visit the Odessa Chamber of Commerce website at discoverodessa.org to view dining, hotel, and event opportunities in our community!

Host Hotel Accommodations

The MCM Elegante Hotel is the host hotel and is ready to accommodate your stay. They are located across the street from the campus for your convenience. To book your hotel room(s) please use code **UIL UTPB** to receive the discounted rate of \$79.99 for standard rooms.

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Questions?

If you have any questions as you are planning for your visit, please contact Delma Lay at 432.552.2551 or lay_d@utpb.edu.