“This seminar is essential for incoming freshman. As a new student I had so many questions about college and I didn’t know who to ask. The FYE seminar answered all my questions and taught me even more in the process.

(Freshman Spring 2012)
Welcome new Trojans! We know that there's nothing quite like your first year of college. New challenges and opportunities await you! This is an exciting time, but it can sometimes be a little scary, too. That's why VS University College created the First Year Experience (FYE) at Virginia State University. FYE Program is here to help you make a smooth and successful transition to college life. Participating in all the FYE program seminars will help you build a foundation of success that will support you during your first year at VSU, and all the way to graduation!

About the FYE Program

The program provides opportunities for first year students to become active integrated members of the university and develop skills needed for academic and personal success. It involves students in activities that complement academic learning.

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This excellent first year experience seminar teaches strategies for academic success like critical thinking, time management, test-taking, and how to work effectively with other students. This seminar will develop your awareness of campus resources and help you to make effective personal, academic and career goals.

It is required all new freshman participate in the FYE seminars during their first week and their freshman year at Virginia State University.

Making a smooth transition into college life is an important step toward achieving success. Virginia State University’s First Year Experience Program (FYEP) assists first time college students with getting started on the right path to an enriched first year experience.