Now we are ready to pick some classes. I am majoring in Management in the College of Business and we’re going to build my first semester class schedule together.

A normal semester schedule will include 15-16 hours in order to graduate in four years. This means about five classes per semester.

Consider adding either a First Year Seminar (UCO 1200) or an ENG 1000 (if you don’t already have credit for this course). Remember, almost everyone will need to take these courses sometime in their first year. Transfers bringing in more than 30 hours do not need to take UCO 1200.

Consider adding a few classes from the themes you have chosen. Use your First Year Course Guide to determine if there are specific themes or Gen Ed courses required for your major.

Review the Other Notes on the First Year Course Guides to determine if there are additional courses you should be taking. Some majors don’t have Freshman Level courses, so you may be focusing on Gen Ed entirely in your first semester.

Remember, before selecting a Quantitative Literacy course, determine what math or statistics is required for your program of study. If you are unsure of your major, you may want to wait and take a math in later semester.

By now, you should have a list of 5 or more classes that you want to take. Make sure you have a few alternate classes from your major or themes in case the class you want is full.

Finally, remember you can always go back and make changes, so you don’t need to worry about making a mistake as you build your schedule. Your advisor at Orientation will also be able to help.