

REGISTRATION LINGO

1. **Credit** : One credit represents one hour spent in class per week
2. **Days** : M is Monday, T is Tuesday, W is Wednesday, R is Thursday, F is Friday, S is Saturday
3. **Drop** : To remove yourself from a class with no academic or tuition penalty
4. **GPA** : Grade point average
5. **Hold** : A block on your account that must be resolved before you can register
6. **Time Ticket** : Indicates the date and time when you can start registering for classes
7. **Withdraw** : To remove yourself from a class after the deadline to drop has passed; tuition and fees are assessed for withdrawn and a grade of "W" is awarded
8. **Degree Works** : a tool on LeoOnline to view requirements completed and still needed
9. **Pre-Requisite** : a course that must be successfully completed before another course can be taken
10. **Co-Requisite**: a course that must be taken either before or at the same time as another course
11. **Full Time Enrollment** : Students are considered full time if they are enrolled in 12 or more credit hours in a semester. Students are considered **part time** if they are taking less than 12 credit hours in a semester.

ACADEMIC LINGO

1. **Early Alert/Progress Report Grades** : Students in 100 and 200 level courses received feedback on their progress about 6 weeks into the semester.
2. **Academic Advisor**: Prepares undergraduate students to understand academic planning at ODU. Helps in ensuring a timely graduation.
3. **Office Hours** : Designated times set aside by professors each week to be available for student questions.

CAMPUS LINGO

1. **Big Blue** : Our mascot's name
2. **Blackboard** : Course management system (contains syllabi, assignments, etc.)
3. **Leo** : Leo Online, our course registration and payment system
4. **myODU Portal** : Access to online services