First and foremost, talk to your class dean, professors, department chairs and first-year advisors about your courses! They’re here to help you construct a well-rounded, thoughtful degree.

When registering for classes, here are some things to consider:

**CLASSES**
Do you want a class with lots of:
- Class participation?
- Group work?
- Papers?
- Exams?
- Oral presentations?

**PROFESSORS**
Do you prefer professors who:
- Lecture most of the time?
- Provide lots of time for class discussion?
- Expect you to post on a class conference?

**BE SURE TO KEEP IN MIND:**
- Distribution Requirements
- Major Requirements
- Study Abroad Options
  - What do you need to take at Wellesley before you leave, so you can finish your major(s)/distribution reqs when you return?
  - What classes do you think you’ll be able to take abroad?
  - How will those credits transfer?
TIPS FOR CHOOSING COURSES:

➢ Remember that you can always switch classes during add-drop period so don’t be too stressed aboutperfecting your class choices now.

➢ Take classes that interest you, not just the ones you“have to.”

➢ Don’t be afraid to ask upper-class women about theirexperiences. Another resource is the OpinionsConference.

➢ Make sure you have completed prerequisites requiredfor the course.

➢ Be sure to check if the course requires a separateapplication or professors approval to register.

➢ Don’t forget about fulfilling the gym requirement (8credits).

➢ Make several backup plans in case courses fill up beforeyou get a chance to register.

➢ Don’t be afraid to try something new!