

"Our First Advertisement"

The  
Southern University

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New Orleans

Magazine and Soniat Streets

New Orleans, La.

1915-1916

The Southern University located at Magazine and Soniat Streets, New Orleans, again opens its doors as a school of higher education and various kinds of handicraft for the benefit of the Colored people of Louisiana.

To the old name has been added "New Orleans," the full title now being The Southern University of New Orleans, in order that it may be distinguished from the Southern University of Louisiana at Baton Rouge.

It will interest the Catholic Student body to know that the University has been placed under the patronage of Saint Francis Xavier—the great apostolic missionary of the Indies.

The school is open to persons of both sexes, and all can share fully in the advantages it affords, without regard to religious distinction of any kind. While the school will be conducted on the same lines as the old Southern University the management will be under the direction of the Sisters of the Blessed Sacrament, a congregation of women founded twenty-seven years ago for special work among the Colored and Indian races.

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#### REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION

Pupils who have satisfactorily completed the sixth grade work of the elementary schools, having a certified letter from the principal of said school showing a satisfactory rating in previous years' work will be admitted without examination.

All other applicants must undergo an examination in sixth grade, Arithmetic, Geography, History and English, and must pass by an average of seventy per cent.

Students who apply for admission to advanced standing in high school, or who have completed a certain amount of high school studies in other institutions will receive credit work accomplished, provided they procure a certified record of their standing from the principals of such schools.

Applicants must also furnish satisfactory evidence of good moral character, and must present a certificate of honorable dismissal if they come from an other school.

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#### DEPARTMENTS

The College Course will not be opened until the autumn of 1917, as the faculty of the University think it wiser that all candidates for College Course should complete the last two years of high school work in the Southern Mechanical Course will not be resumed until November

2nd. This delay is due to necessary alterations in the Mechanical building.

The University is divided into the following departments:

- I. College (opens 1917.)
- II. High School (college preparatory) this course calls for four years work.
- III. Normal or Teachers Course, two years high school, and two years of method and practice work.
- IV. Grammar School, Seventh and Eighth Grades
- V. Music, Piano and Vocal Music, Orchestral and Stringed Instruments if demanded.
- VI. Commercial Course, two years.
- VII. Industrial Departments }  
  } Mechanical School, Mechanical and  
  } Architectural Drawing, Carpentry,  
  } Concrete, Masonry and Brick  
  } Work, Tailoring, Domestic Science,  
  } Domestic Art.

**College Preparatory, or General High School Course, (4 years.)**

English, Algebra, plane and solid Geometry, Trigonometry, History, Ancient, Mediaeval and Modern Civics, Physics, Botany, Chemistry, Political and Physical Geography, Rhetoric and English Literature, Mechanical and Free Hand Drawing.

**Elective Branches.**

Two of these are required. Latin, German, Italian, Astronomy, Psychology, Domestic Science, Domestic Art, Manual Training.

**Normal, or Teachers' Course, (4 years.)**

English, Rhetoric and Literature, Physics, Botany, Chemistry, Algebra, plane and solid Geometry, Political and Physical Geography, Latin, Psychology, History of Education, Principles of Education, School Management.

Review of English Studies, Arithmetic, U. S. History, Physiology, Civics and Geography, applying methods and principles in practice teaching.

**Commercial Course, (2 years.)**

Students complete the 8th, grade before entering this course. Mathematics including Commercial Arithmetic, English, Book keeping, Office routine, Penmanship, Typewriting and Stenography.

**Domestic Art.**

Study of Fabrics, care and use of Sewing Machine,

Darning, Mending and various forms of hand sewing simple Underwear, Dress Making, advanced Dress-making, Designed Costumes, Art Needlework and Lace Making.

Millinery will also be taught if a sufficient number apply to form a class.

### Domestic Science

With this subject the pupils should select to study Physiology, Botany, Physics and Chemistry, the last named being absolutely necessary for second year work. Course embraces the study of essentials of life, Air, Water, Food. Food Classification—Proteids, Carbohydrates, Fats and Oil, Household Economics—Household Bacteria, Sanitary Sewage, Marketing, Economy and Household Accounts.

Mechanical Courses will be determined by application for the various branches. Preference will be given to the larger demands.

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### FEES

Tuition per month, payable in advance .....	\$1.00
If two of same family attend classes .....	75 cents each
Music lessons on piano, Virgil Clavier Method 40c. lesson	
Domestic Science.....	25c. monthly
Domestic Art, (no charge for tuition, pupils furnish material.)	
Commercial Department, use of typewriter and paper .....	75c. monthly
Use of Chemical Laboratory.. ..	\$1.00 per year

All required text books and stationery may be procured at the University at the lowest cash prices.

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### REGISTRATION

The full Literary Course will open Monday, September 27th. Enrollment of pupils will begin at the University Offices 5116 Magazine Street, September 13 to 16, inclusive, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. to 5 p. m.

Early enrollment is desirable in order to determine the courses to be followed during school year. Courses that are not elected by a sufficiently large number of pupils will not be given, altho every effort will be made to accommodate the wishes of all.

It is very important therefore, that all prospective pupils should apply as early as possible, and not delay until last day of the time specified.