Quick Reference Guide

Requesting Time Off in SuccessFactors

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This guide outlines the steps required to request Time Off.

For additional information concerning Time Off policies and procedures, please refer to the Purdue Human Resources Benefits website: https://www.purdue.edu/hr/Benefits/LTD/

Note: The Time Off request feature does not replace conversations and planning between employees and supervisors.

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Accessing SuccessFactors

Visit OneCampus and select Employee Launchpad.

Log in using Purdue Career Account ID and BoilerKey passphrase.

Note for Employees with Multiple Appointments

If you hold multiple positions, use the Change Selected Employment menu to select the position for which you would like to record time

If you hold multiple positions and they are similarly named, click My Profile to validate that the correct position has been selected
If you hold multiple positions and they are similarly named, click the Employment Information tab to view the details of the position selected in order to ensure time off is requested for the correct position.

Click the Home icon at the top of the page to return to the SuccessFactors home page.

Accessing Time Off Module/Screen Overview

After logging in to SuccessFactors and selecting the appropriate position (if applicable) click Request Time Off under Quick Actions.

This provides the ability to quickly request time off. If you need to view calendar, account balances, etc, click Time Off.
1. Calendar Displays the current and next month; dates with scheduled time off are indicated by colored bar.

2. Calendar Legend Describes each color notation that indicate various leave statuses.

3. Balances Displays Vacation and Sick Employee balances as of today’s date.

4. Upcoming Time Off Displays the next three time Absense and Holiday time off entries.

**Time Off: Requesting, Editing, and Cancelling**

The system will not allow you to request Time Off if you do not have, at the time that you are submitting the request, a sufficient balance (of the leave type you’ve chosen) to cover the request.

**Time Off: Requesting**

From the Time Off screen, click New Absence.
1. Click on the **Time Type** dropdown to select the desired leave type.
2. Enter or select from the calendar the **Start** and **End Date** for the leave request.
3. **If requesting recurring time off over several days – move to the next step.**
4. Enter the number of hours for the leave in the Requesting field.
   - Employees who do not clock in and out daily will request partial time off in hours and tenths.
   - **Example:** Seth would like to request vacation for half a day on Wednesday and all of Thursday and Friday. Seth must submit one request for the Wednesday half day and another for the full days, Thursday and Friday.
   - Employees who do clock in and out daily will request partial time off using exact hours in military time.
   - Employees who utilize Positive Duration or Webclock time entry are encouraged to wait until they have recorded their working time for the day on which they plan to request partial Time Off before submitting their Time Off request. This will avoid errors and need to re-submit requests if the amount of working time is more or less than expected.
5. Enter any information you would like to provide to your supervisor in the **Comments** text entry box.
6. Click the + **(Plus Sign)** to upload and attach any supporting documentation (**Example:** Jury Duty summons, Military orders)
7. Select **YES** in the FMLA drop-down field to request FMLA and provide the Case

### New Request

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<tr>
<th><strong>Time Type</strong></th>
<th>Vacation</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Start Date</strong></td>
<td>May 31, 2019</td>
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<td><strong>End Date</strong></td>
<td>May 31, 2019</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Requesting</strong></td>
<td>8:00</td>
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<td><strong>Available Balance</strong></td>
<td>132:00 hours</td>
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<td><strong>Recurring Absence</strong></td>
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<td>No team members absent</td>
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<td><strong>Attachment</strong></td>
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**No attachments uploaded**

Drop files to upload, or use the "+" button.

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<th><strong>FMLA</strong></th>
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Number provided by Human Resources – Benefits.

- Access the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) forms via the Human Resources “Forms” web page, “Benefits” tab. The “Request and Notice” and “Medical Certification” forms are required to be completed and returned before FMLA leaves can be approved.

Click **Submit** to submit request to supervisor for approval.

Click **Cancel** to clear all fields; request does not move forward.

Recurring Absence
Recurring Absence is used when needing to take partial days or a specific increment of hours over several days.

- Click to check the **Recurring Absence** box.
- Select daily, weekly or biweekly from the **Recurs** drop-down.
- Validate the Requesting hours is correct (the system defaults to 8 hours.)
- Type or select the date the leave **Ends on**.
After submitting, the request is listed under the **Upcoming Time Off** heading with a status of **Pending**.

The employee’s supervisor receives an email notification that a request has been submitted.

The request is also now indicated as **Pending** with a gold line on the date on the **Calendar**.

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**Upcoming Time Off**

**Memorial Day**

Mon, May 27, 2019  

- **Vacation (8 hours)**  
  Fri, May 31, 2019  
  Approved

- **Vacation (8 hours)**  
  Wed, Jun 12, 2019  
  Approved

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**Comments** added by the employee or approver can be viewed by clicking the desired request under the **Upcoming Time Off** heading.

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**Request Details**

**Time Type**: Vacation  
**Date**: Fri, May 31, 2019  
**Requesting**: 8 hours  
**Approval Status**: Approved  
**Attachment**: -  
**FMLA**: -  
**Case Number**: -

**Activity**

- **Adelayo O Adebomilagbami**: No Comment  
  Approved - May 21, 2019

- **Adelayo O Adebomilagbami**: I am also entering a comment.  
  Commented - May 21, 2019

- **Tiffany LB Woolford**: I am entering a comment.  
  Initiated - May 21, 2019

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Once a leave has been approved, the status will change from Pending to **Approved**.
Time Off: Editing

The submitted request can be accessed by clicking the Date on the Calendar, or by clicking the Absence listed under the Upcoming Time Off heading.

If using the Calendar, click the Pencil icon to edit.

If accessing through Upcoming Time Off, click Edit Absence.
Make necessary edits to the request.

Click Submit.

NOTE: The edited request will be routed for approval only if the original request was already approved.

Time Off: Cancelling

The submitted request can be accessed by clicking the Date on the Calendar, or by clicking the Absence listed under the Upcoming Time Off heading.

If using the Calendar, click the Pencil icon to edit.
If accessing through **Upcoming Time Off**, click **Edit Absence**.

Click **Cancel Request**.

**NOTE:** The cancelled request will be routed for approval only if the original request was already approved.

Click **Yes** to confirm cancellation.

Click **No** to exit from the cancellation request without submitting.

**Calendar**

The calendar displays **Pending, Approved, and Cancellation Pending** leave requests for the current and next month.
### Balance Overview

**Vacation** and **Sick Employee** balances as of today's date are listed under the **Balances** heading on the top right of the screen.

Click **Show All** to view more leave types.

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Click **Show All**

The appropriate leave types based on your employee class will be displayed.

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To view leave balances as of a future date, click the **As of Today** button.

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Select a date past any future approved leaves to view your “true” balances (less any future takings).

NOTE: Moving the date will not add to the balances due to projected accruals.

To view additional balance details, click Account View.

Time off balances are displayed with Earned, Taken, Planned, and Available.
Upcoming Time Off

Holidays and Pending or Approved absences are listed under the Upcoming Time Off heading.

Click Show All to view a complete list.

A list of Absences and Holidays is displayed.

Using the tabs, the view can be changed from displaying only Absences or only Holidays.

The Filter can be used to filter by Future Events or Past Events.