



FRESHMAN
LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP
AUBURN UNIVERSITY AT MONTGOMERY

Do I qualify for the AUM Freshman Leadership Scholarship?

To be considered for the Freshman Leadership Scholarship, you must apply for admission and have a 20 ACT or 1020 SAT *and* a 3.0 minimum high school GPA. Students who were involved in high school, exhibit community engagement, and want to develop leadership qualities are encouraged to apply. This scholarship is competitive and limited in number. The application deadline is March 1.

What types of things will I do as a Leadership Scholar?

Students will attend and discuss lectures, performances, seminars, and other events on AUM's campus. Leadership Scholars will be expected to participate in on-campus clubs and organizations and learn by serving the campus community. Leadership Scholarship will also work three (3) hours per week in an office on-campus with a faculty or staff mentor.

Do I get to pick where I work on campus?

Yes! When you return your scholarship contract, you will list your top three office choices. We will try our best to place students in one of their selections and find a good fit.

Do I have to take the UNIV class? Why?

Yes. AUM Leadership Scholars will participate in UNIV 1000 course during their freshman fall term. UNIV is a required course for all new freshmen and is a requirement. Students who cannot or choose to not participate will be removed from the program and scholarship revoked. In UNIV, students learn success strategies and best practices for excelling in college.

What do I have to do to keep the scholarship?

The Freshman Leadership Scholarship is a one-year award offered fall and spring semesters of your freshman year in the program. In order to retain the scholarship for the entire length of the award, students must meet participation requirements, maintain a 3.0 GPA for the fall semester, and maintain full-time enrollment (12 credit hours).

Can this scholarship be stacked with other academic scholarships?

Yes. This scholarship can be stacked with the Opportunity, Recognition, Achievement, Warhawk, Counselor, Vice Principal, Principal, and Outstanding Scholars Scholarships. The Freshman Leadership Scholarship cannot be combined with the Deichelmann Memorial Scholarship.

Who is a good fit for the AUM Freshman Leadership Scholarship?

Students who are motivated, eager to learn, and have a passion for service and have the time to devote to this program will be the best fit. Students who are in ROTC, LCF, or other highly programmed student organizations are not recommended to participate as a Leadership Scholar (as there will likely be scheduling conflicts and overlap of material). Students will be expected to participate in all required events, off-campus retreats, and complete all assignments in a timely matter.