

## UA Early College Summer On-Campus Experience - 2012

Summer I – May 29 until June 28 and/or

Summer II – July 5 until August 3



UA Early College students who have completed the junior OR senior year in high school and passed a UA Early College academic class beyond Gateway (\*\*or apply for one-class waiver) are eligible for the On-Campus experience. *If you live in The University of Alabama geographic area, you do not have to live on campus.* However, UA Early College offers high school students a vibrant residential summer experience. Are you Honors Ready? If you have 27+ ACT or 1250+ SAT, you will be eligible for Honors College courses, activities, and networking. [uaearlycollege.ua.edu/summer-residential.html](http://uaearlycollege.ua.edu/summer-residential.html). Questions? Email [earlycollege@ua.edu](mailto:earlycollege@ua.edu), call 1-877-823-8759 or (205) 348-7083.

**Cost for Summer Residential Experience** - Approximate cost is \$1,600 (for in-state) and \$2,000 (for out of state). Your final cost is based on the number of credit hours, your specific partial tuition scholarships, and optional UA services that you may purchase.

### **What is included?**

- **Academic Courses** – Cost based on credit hours (6 or 7) and amount of partial tuition scholarship

You will enroll in two UA courses (6 or 7 college credit hours) after you complete advising with your UA Early College Academic Advisor. Summer classes meet Monday through Friday with required attendance. Students participate in mandatory UA Early College study hall every evening from 8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Summer I and II course options are listed inside [Early College Student Resources](#).



Honors Ready students will enroll in University Honors College courses, such as Dialog in Humanities, Music and Political Movements, 100 Lenses, and Common Book Experience.

- **Housing in Ridgecrest West** – \$525 non-refundable cost

You will live in a four-bedroom unit in Ridgecrest, on a floor designated for UA Early College students. Trained UA Early College peer coaches, staff, and/or residential assistants live on the same floor with UA Early College residential students. Four roommates are assigned to a unit. Each student has a private bedroom with bed, dresser, desk/chair, night stand and closet. There are two bathrooms per unit, a kitchenette (microwave, full size refrigerator). Ridgecrest has laundry facilities, beach volleyball, and public areas with ping pong, and TVs. Students have secure entry to the building. Visit [housing.ua.edu/halls/hall\\_list.cfm](http://housing.ua.edu/halls/hall_list.cfm) for a virtual tour.

- **On-Campus Transportation** - Students use the UA bus system on campus, so a car is not necessary.
- **Dining Dollars** - \$100.00 - Students will have \$100 of Dining Dollars placed on their Action Card for use in vending machines and campus dining.

- Bama Cash – Money can be added to Action Cards for purchases on campus and around the Tuscaloosa area. *(Optional)*
- **Student Health Fee - \$40.00 (optional)** - All students on The University of Alabama campus **must complete** an immunization record and return to Student Health. Student may also pay to utilize the UA Student Health Center (weekdays). All charges are sent to the student *myBama* account. Visit [cchs.ua.edu/shc/](http://cchs.ua.edu/shc/) for Health Center hours and services. ***Please bring a copy of your insurance card to the Residential Check-In.***
- **Recreation Center and UA Early College Activities - \$40.00 (Optional)** - Students can work out at the Student Recreation Center and/or hang out at the outdoor swimming pool at the Student Recreation Center. Visit [urec.sa.ua.edu](http://urec.sa.ua.edu).

### **UA Early College Activities**

During the Summer Residential Experience, students will participate in a variety of group activities – community service, Honors College receptions, cooking sessions, laundry night, and/or weekend activities! Students may leave campus during the weekend, utilizing the UA Early College check-out/check-in system.



**Honors Ready** – Series of programming and networking opportunities for Honors Ready students with a 27+ ACT or 1250+ SAT score, such as networking with Honors College dean, faculty, and Honors students, advanced academic study, research and service opportunities, and community-based learning through the Honors College.

### **\*\*Request for One UA Early College Academic Class Waiver**

Students admitted to UA Early College during spring 2012 may request a waiver of the “one UA Early College class.” For eligibility of the one class waiver, student must submit official documents.

1. ACT/SAT score of 27+ or 1250+ for Honors Ready eligibility (if NOT on file at UA)
2. AP/IB course grade of “B” or higher (official high school transcript)
3. Official transcript from 4-year university of at least one college-level course with “B” or higher

### **Forms to Complete for Summer Residential Consideration**

Students who request consideration for the UA Early College Summer Residential Experience should complete and return the following forms by May 10. Go inside eLearning to Early College Student Resources, complete the following forms. Email them to [earlycollege@ua.edu](mailto:earlycollege@ua.edu), mail them to UA Early College, Box 870365, Tuscaloosa, AL 35487-0365, or fax to (205) 348-3165. ***Completed forms must be received by May 10.***

1. Personal Recommendation Letter and Form
2. Essay – submitted to [earlycollege-myplan@ua.edu](mailto:earlycollege-myplan@ua.edu)
3. Acknowledgement/Behavioral Pledge for On-Campus Course
4. Parent - Complete the Emergency Contact Form
5. Immunization Form to UA Health Center – Fax to (205) 348-0630

### **If accepted to participate in the program, then what?**

**UA Early College will be in contact with student and parent about Summer I check-in on May 28 and Summer II on July 3.** Student must be accompanied by at least one parent.