UA Early College
2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

LEGENDS IN THE MAKING

THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA®
WHAT IS UA EARLY COLLEGE?

As a current high school sophomore, junior or senior, you don’t have to dream about attending a premier university: You can start now. UA Early College at The University of Alabama allows you to **earn college credit while you are still in high school**. Apply for UA Early College and reach your goals with a nationally recognized top 50 research university.

Watch to learn more about UA Early College.
UA Early College
2019-2020 BY THE NUMBERS

70% Female & 30% Male

8,320 CREDIT HOURS EARNED

77% Public
19% Private
4% Home School

OVERALL ACADEMIC GPA
3.65

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED (2019-2020)
$1.7 million

PARTICIPATION BY GRADE
24% Sophomore
36% Junior
40% Senior

COURSES TAKEN
2,652

ATTENDANCE BY STATE

100% UAEC STUDENTS WHO GET A JUMP-START ON THEIR COLLEGE CAREER

STUDENTS ENROLLED

DIRECTOR’S LIST ANNUAL
Students who earn a 3.6 or higher GPA for that semester

59% FALL 2020
73% SPRING 2020
UAEC 200

COLLEGE READINESS COURSE

UAEC 200 is designed to prepare students for the college experience by teaching them the fundamental skills needed for academic success.

• You may select to attend your first class meeting online, on campus or in your local community.

• You and your parents are required to attend the first class meeting (in-person or online).

• By studying four to six hours per week after the first class meeting, you can complete UAEC 200 in approximately four weeks.

UAEC 200 is a required study skills class that ensures you are ready for college before enrolling in other UA courses. You will earn two hours of college credit once you pass this four-week course.

In UAEC 200, you learn how to:

• Navigate Blackboard and work as an online student
• Communicate with your professors and classmates
• Manage your time and keep yourself motivated
• Study effectively for college-level tests
• Take good notes during lectures and while reading
• Maintain your academic integrity
• Research using the UA online library
• Write a college paper
“UA Early College has helped me not only in my education, but also in my maturity. UAEC pushes you to be responsible. You are held accountable to make sure your work is completed and done on time, and it’s up to you how much effort you put into your work. This opportunity has definitely been amazing. I am now going into college as a sophomore, and I’ve gotten ahead so much that I can go ahead and start working on diverging into my career.”

- Kailey Self, former UAEC student

“UA Early College helped me tremendously in transitioning into college. I was able to learn how college-level course work was different from high school, adapt to the college campus atmosphere, and learn the importance of diligence in my academics. It also helped me learn how to balance my time between academics, extra curricular activities, and my social life. Without the Early College Program, I definitely would not be in the place that I am today.”

- Brody Southern, former UAEC student
More than **80 courses are offered**, giving you a wide variety of class options.

Courses are taught by **esteemed faculty** and allow you to experience the challenges of UA college courses.
ONLINE OPTION

• You can take online courses during the fall, spring and summer terms.
• You have the flexibility to create a schedule that fits your life.
• Our online classes use the newest technology including videos, podcasts, web conference, wikis, digital group projects, interactive modules and discussion boards.
COMMUTE TO CAMPUS
(ON-CAMPUS OPTION)

• If you live in Tuscaloosa or in the surrounding area, you may drive to campus for **fall, spring and summer classes**.
• We must have permission from your school in order for you to leave school during the day.
UA Early College’s Summer On Campus allows students the unique opportunity to live on The University of Alabama campus in Tuscaloosa. You can join other UA Early College and UA students as they walk the Quad to their daily classes. In addition to earning college credit, you’ll make friends for life and benefit from our strong support network of residential staff and peer coaches.
DURING SUMMER ON CAMPUS, YOU WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO...

Students may leave campus on weekends using the parent check-out system.

Students may participate in Summer On Campus during Summer I, Summer II or both sessions. Typically, Summer I is the month of June and Summer II is the month of July.
HOW CAN I SPEND MY SUMMER ON CAMPUS?

1. Apply and be admitted to UA Early College
2. Successfully pass the UAEC 200 College Readiness Course
3. Complete the free Summer On Campus application (available through UAEC Student Resources once the UAEC 200 class is complete)
**SUMMER ON CAMPUS**

**HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO LIVE ON CAMPUS FOR A SUMMER TERM?**

Below is an approximation. Final cost depends on your partial tuition scholarship, the number of credit hours you take and optional purchases.

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<th>TENTATIVE COST (Per Term)</th>
<th>In-State Cost (with scholarship)</th>
<th>Out of State (with 25% scholarship)</th>
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<tr>
<td>6 credit hours of tuition (does not include class or lab fees)</td>
<td>$1,125</td>
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<td>$2,250</td>
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<tr>
<td>Suite-style residence hall (does not include class or lab fees)</td>
<td>$800</td>
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<td>Dining Dollars (one charge if staying both semesters)</td>
<td>$100</td>
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<td>Books (anticipated cost for two classes)</td>
<td>$250</td>
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<td>Optional purchases – bike rental, Recreation Center membership</td>
<td>$50</td>
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<td>Per term total*</td>
<td>$2,325</td>
<td>$2,900</td>
<td>$3,450</td>
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*This serves as a guide and may not represent the final determination of account balance. Rates are subject to change without prior notice. Tuition rates are approved by The University of Alabama Board of Trustees.*
# Core Areas & Typical Course Options

## Computer Science
- CIS 250 Introduction to Design Software
- CS 104 Computer Science Principles
- CS 202 Web Foundations*
- CS 205 Website Design*
- CS 285 Introduction to Spreadsheet Applications (online only)*
- ST 260 Statistical Data Analysis

## Freshman Composition
- EN 101 Freshman English Composition I
- EN 102 Freshman English Composition II*

## Foreign Language & Humanities
- ARB 101 Elementary Arabic
- CHI 101 Elementary Chinese I (on-campus only)
- CHI 102 Elementary Chinese II (on-campus only)*
- FR 101 Elementary French I (on-campus only)
- FR 102 Elementary French II (on-campus only)*
- GN 101 Elementary German I (on-campus only)
- GN 102 Elementary German II (on-campus only)*
- JA 101 Elementary Japanese I
- JA 102 Elementary Japanese II*
- JA 201 Intermediate Japanese I (online only)*
- JA 202 Intermediate Japanese II (online only)*

## History
- HY 101 Western Civilization to 1648
- HY 102 Western Civilization Since 1648
- HY 103 American Civilization to 1865
- HY 104 American Civilization Since 1865
- SW 200 History of Social Welfare in the U.S.

## Humanities
- COM 122 Critical Decision-Making (on-campus only)
- COM 123 Public Speaking (on-campus only)
- JCM 112 Motion Picture History and Criticism
- JCM 200 Foundations for Journalism
- PHL 100 Introduction to Philosophy
- PHL 292 Introduction to Ethics (on-campus only)

## Electives
- UAEC 200 College Readiness

## Fine Arts
- ARH 151 Introduction to Visual Arts
- ARH 252 Survey of Art I
- ARH 253 Survey of Art II
- JCM 112 Motion Picture History and Criticism
- MUS 121 Introduction to Listening (on-campus only)
- TH 114 Introduction to the Theatre

## Core Areas
- KOR 101 Elementary Korean
- LA 101 Elementary Latin
- SP 101 Introductory Spanish I
- SP 102 Introductory Spanish II*
### CORE AREAS & TYPICAL COURSE OPTIONS

#### RELIGIOUS STUDIES
- REL 100 Introduction to Religious Studies
- REL 103 Religion in the News
- REL 104 Religion in Pop Culture (online only)
- REL 110 Introduction to the Old Testament (on-campus only)
- REL 112 Introduction to the New Testament
- WS 200 Introduction to Women’s Studies

#### HUMANITIES AND LITERATURE
- EN 205 English Literature I
- EN 206 English Literature II
- EN 209 American Literature I*
- EN 210 American Literature II*

#### MATHEMATICS
- MATH 100 Intermediate Algebra (on-campus only)*
- MATH 110 Finite Mathematics*
- MATH 112 Precalculus Algebra*
- MATH 113 Precalculus Trigonometry
- MATH 115 Precalculus Algebra and Trigonometry
- MATH 121 Calculus & Applications – for Business Majors*
- MATH 110 Intermediate Algebra (on-campus only)*
- MATH 112 Precalculus Algebra*
- MATH 113 Precalculus Trigonometry
- MATH 115 Precalculus Algebra and Trigonometry
- MATH 121 Calculus & Applications – for Business Majors*

#### NATURAL SCIENCE
- AY 101:102 Introduction to Astronomy and Lab (online only)
- BSC 108 Introduction to Biology Non-Major – Cellular (online only)
- BSC 109 Introduction to Biology Non-Major – Human (online only)
- BSC 114:115 Principles of Biology I and Lab (on-campus only)*
- BSC 116:117 Principles of Biology II and Lab (on-campus only)*
- CH 100 General Chemistry I Plus and Lab (on-campus only)*
- CH 101 General Chemistry I and Lab (on-campus only)*
- CH 104 Introductory Chemistry (on-campus only)
- CH 105 Introduction to Organic Chemistry (on-campus only)*
- GEO 101 The Dynamic Earth and Lab (on-campus only)
- GEO 102 The Earth Through Time and Lab (on-campus only)
- GY 101 Atmospheric Processes and Patterns and Lab (on-campus only)
- GY 102 Earth Surface Processes and Lab (on-campus only)

#### SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
- AAST 201 Introduction to African American Studies
- ANT 100 Introduction to Anthropology
- ANT 102 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (online only)
- ANT 103 Discoveries in Archeology
- CJ 100 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- COM 220 Interpersonal Communication
- EC 110 Principles of Microeconomics*
- EC 111 Principles of FY 110 People, Places and Environment Macroeconomics*
- GY 105 World Regional Geography
- GY 110 People, Places and Environment
- HD 101 Life Span of Human Development
- JCM 100 Introduction to Story Communication
- MC 101 Introduction to Mass Communication
- PSC 101 Introduction to American Politics
- PY 101 Introduction to Psychology
- SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology

*Prerequisites or other eligibility criteria required
WE SUPPORT YOU EVERY STEP OF THE WAY

SUPPORT TEAM

ACADEMIC RESOURCES

UA Early College provides students with a variety of people and resources designed to help them succeed.
2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR TUITION AND SCHOLARSHIPS

UA Early College Distance Learning tuition scholarship
State of Alabama Students and Active Military Dependents
  Award: 50% tuition scholarship
  Criteria: 3.0+ cumulative high school GPA since ninth grade on a 4.0 scale
Out-of-State Students
  Award: 25% tuition Scholarship
  Criteria: 3.5+ cumulative high school GPA since ninth grade on a 4.0 scale

$375.00 / credit hour
$187.50 / credit hour
$281.25 / credit hour

If a student meets the scholarship criteria, the partial tuition scholarship is automatically applied to the student account for courses approved by UA Early College.
## 2020-2021 Academic Year Tuition and Scholarships

### Example of Tuition Costs for UAEC 200 Course

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<td>UAEC 200 College Readiness Course (2 credit hours x $375/credit hour)</td>
<td>$750.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Partial Tuition Scholarship (if applicable)</td>
<td>- $375.00</td>
<td>- $187.50</td>
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<td>Net Cost for UAEC 200 Course</td>
<td>$375.00</td>
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### Example of Tuition Costs for 3-Hour UA Academic Course

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<td>Academic Course (3 credit hours x $375/credit hour)</td>
<td>$1,125.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Partial Tuition Scholarship (if applicable)</td>
<td>- $562.50</td>
<td>- $281.25</td>
<td>$0.00</td>
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<tr>
<td>Net Cost for 3-Hour UA Academic Course (may also incur costs for lab fees and/or textbook)</td>
<td>$562.50</td>
<td>$843.75</td>
<td>$1,125.00</td>
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WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS?

To be eligible for acceptance into UA Early College, you must meet the following criteria:

• Possess a cumulative 3.0 GPA in high school since the ninth grade on a 4.0 scale.
• Have completed the ninth grade. You may apply any time during your sophomore, junior or senior year; however, applying sooner will provide you with more benefits.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

• You may be eligible for admission to UA without submitting SAT or ACT scores, contingent on the completion of an admission application, when you earn 17 credit hours through UAEC with a 2.5 GPA by the summer following high school graduation.
• You may be eligible for priority housing as an entering freshman at UA when you earn 17 or more credit hours through UAEC with a 2.5 GPA by December of your senior year of high school.
THREE STEPS TO APPLY

1. Fill out the online application at uaeearlycollege.ua.edu and pay the $40 nonrefundable application fee.

2. Submit your student essay and select the UAEC 200 date you would like to begin.

3. Submit your counselor cover memo and high school transcript.

If you have any questions regarding UA Early College, contact us at 205-348-7083 or earlycollege@ua.edu.
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<th>When should I complete my application?</th>
<th>When will my first class meeting for UAEC 200 be held? (2 college credit hours, 4-week course)</th>
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<td>Friday, July 31</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, August 11 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Fall II 2020&lt;br&gt;Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Friday, September 11</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, September 22 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Spring 2021&lt;br&gt;Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Friday, October 9</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, October 20 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Spring 2021&lt;br&gt;Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Friday, October 30</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, November 10 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required. <strong>OR</strong>&lt;br&gt;<strong>Thursday, November 12 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 5:30-7:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Spring 2021&lt;br&gt;Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Friday, January 1</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, January 12 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Spring II 2021&lt;br&gt;Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Friday, February 5</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, February 16 – Online Session</strong>&lt;br&gt;First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT)&lt;br&gt;Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Summer I or Summer II 2021&lt;br&gt;Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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### UAEC 200 IMPORTANT DATES

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<td>Monday, March 29</td>
<td><strong>Saturday, April 10 – On-Campus Session</strong>&lt;sup&gt;*&lt;/sup&gt; First Class Session from 10:00 AM -12:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required. OR <strong>Tuesday, April 13 – Online Session</strong> First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Summer I or Summer II 2021 Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Monday, April 26</td>
<td><strong>Tuesday, May 11 – Online Session</strong> First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Summer II 2021 Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Friday, June 4</td>
<td><strong>Saturday, June 19 – On-Campus Session</strong>&lt;sup&gt;*&lt;/sup&gt; First Class Session from 10:00 AM-12:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required. OR <strong>Tuesday, June 22 – Online Session</strong> First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
<td>Fall 2021 Online courses or on UA campus</td>
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<td>Monday, June 21</td>
<td><strong>Saturday, July 10 – On-Campus Session</strong>&lt;sup&gt;*&lt;/sup&gt; First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required. OR <strong>Tuesday, July 13 – Online Session</strong> First Class Session from 6:30-8:30 PM (CT) Student and parent(s) participation required.</td>
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*On-Campus Sessions could be moved to Online Session format if needed.

Remember, UAEC 200 is a 4-week online class that you must pass before you are able to enroll in an academic course.