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March 19, 2014
Last day to withdraw

March 24-29, 2014
Spring Break - No Classes

March 28, 2014
Holiday - University Closed

April 1, 2014
Honors Day - No Classes

April 8, 2014
Registration for Summer/Fall 2014
Begins

UAH Spring Break: March 23-29, 2014



Your student is probably counting down the seconds until Spring Break. College Spring Break is an exciting time, whether it comes with a week of relaxing from course work, catching up on large class projects or an adventure with friends. Here at UAH, we want to make sure all of our students have a happy and safe bring break!

Use the following to help guide your student to a successful and safe Spring Break.

Spring Break Safety:

- Do you have all of your travel plans finalized?
- Where are you staying? What is the area like?
- How often will you check-in with home?
- Can you provide the contact information to where you are staying?
- Do you know what to do in case you find yourself in an unsafe

April 25-May 6, 2014
Final Exams

May 3, 2014
Commencement

Helpful Links

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[New Student Booklet](#)

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[First-Year Experience](#)

Getting connected

UAH on Social Media



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[Add more members to our Family Mailing](#)

Family Quote of the Month:

situation?

- **How are you going to secure valuables during your trip?**
 - **Remind your student to have an emergency number, their ID and health insurance information in case of an accident.**
- **Remind your student when with friends "Go out with friends, go home with friends." Don't leave a friend behind and take personal responsibility for the safety of yourself and the group.**

Academics during Spring Break:

- Encourage your student to review all course syllabuses because this is a good time to work on future projects or papers.
- Caught up on work? Suggest to your student to start working on their resume or summer employment applications.

UAH during Spring Break:

- All university departments & offices are open for normal operations with the except of March 28, 2014.
- Each Residence Hall will remain open.
- Operations for Food Service will be:
- Garden View Cafe, March 24-28, 2014. Regular Business Hours.
- World of Wings, March 30, 2014. 2:00 PM-10:00 PM

Alternative Spring Break

*[Applications](#) are due **March 3, 2014.***



"When she says she's coming home for the weekend, that's code for 'Please have enough laundry detergent for me to do all 800 loads of laundry and please please please buy me chocolate!'"
- Eddy Gilley, Morgan's Dad

Pictures from around campus!



Alternative Spring Break

March 21-29, 2014
Apps Due March 3, 2014
Deposit: \$75

For more info contact:
Kacey Schaum
E: kacey.schaum@uah.edu

Sign Up Here!
<http://tinyurl.com/UAH14SB>

To-Do List:

- Take down rest of old fence by the Event Shed
- Rake under the building and clean up the grounds.
- Clean and make ready the primitive camping area
- Remove all wood

Housing & Residence Life for 2014-2015

Room signups for the new Academic Year

Encourage your student to finalize their plans for on-campus housing.

Students should go to ChargerNet:

1. Check "MyHousing" to find the designated room selection time
2. At the designated time, log into "MyHousing" (right button) through ChargerNet
3. Choose Room Selection from the menu on the left, then Select a Room/Suite
4. Select your Fall assignment



Registration for Summer Housing will begin on March 17th.
For more information about living on-campus [Visit Housing & Residence Life](#)



Student Financial Aid Reminder

Update FAFSA

Students must re-apply each year for need-based aid with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). If a student has an application on file, renewing is simple. Go to fafsa.gov for more information.

Students are encouraged to complete this application as early as possible in the Spring to prevent delays in aid for the 2014-2015 academic year.



Questions?

Visit our Office of Student Financial Services
University Center 212

[256.824.6650](tel:256.824.6650)

finaid@uah.edu

uah.edu/finaid

UAH Students at Higher Education Day

Students Making a Difference

UAH was 1 of 12 Alabama Universities represented during Higher Education day on February 27, 2014. Governor Robert Bentley spoke with students and educators at the Alabama State House in

Montgomery, AL, while current legislators work on the state education budget. This annual rally attracts hundreds of college students in hopes of securing more funds for higher education.





UAH Students: GO. Learn. BE.

Check-out this new video about UAH. Share with Friends & Family.

UAH - Go. Learn. Be



CAMPUS LIFE

March with ACE



Association for Campus Entertainment

Remember all events are FREE

Each Tuesday is Tasty Tuesday! @1PM

3/5/2014

Information on becoming an ACE Board Member

3/8/2014

Archery Laser Tag

3/12/2014

Glow in the Dark Dodgeball

March 17-21, 2014 ACE's SPRING FLING!

Featuring...

- Make & Takes
- Lawn Games
- Comedian Mark Normand
- Beach Concert
- Movies
- Giveaway items
- Free food
- And more more!

March with Charger Athletics

[Go to uahchargers.com](http://uahchargers.com)

to see all events happening this month! #ChargerPride



Friday, March 7, 2014. 5:30 PM. UAH Hockey: Free Tailgating Party
Free tacos and cupcakes to the first 100 students along with free parking, and free entertainment! Come out and support our hockey team for their last Friday game!

March with The Arts @UAH



Wednesday, March 5, 2014 7:00 PM-9:00 PM

Medieval Dance Practice. Instruction in historical dances, as practiced during the middle ages. Exhibit Hall A. Contact ek000@uah.edu for details.

Thursday, March 6, 2014 8:30 AM-5:00 PM

Returning Students can audition for our music ensembles. Contact our Music Department at music@uah.edu for more information.

Saturday, March 8, 2014 9:00 AM-7:00 PM

UAH Piano Festival and Competition. For more information or to register please contact Dr. Ng at melody.ng@uah.edu or call [256.824.2579](tel:256.824.2579).

Saturday, March 8, 2014. 7:00 PM- 10:00 PM

UAH's College of Liberal Arts teams with Downtown, IC for "Lights + Innovation + Technology." The evening, which is free and open to the public, will also include an LED light display on the old State Bank of Alabama building, music courtesy of UAH student DJ Papa Rooster, LED hula-hoop entertainers, and complimentary glowsticks to the first 200 guests. And beginning at 7 p.m., the city's Arts & Entertainment District will be in full swing, with attendees able to purchase adult beverages from local vendors and mingle throughout the festivities.

Monday, March 10, 2014 7:00 PM-8:00 PM

This is the club for students that have any interest in theatre. We need actors, writers, directors, and crew members. Everyone is welcome.

Other Great Events On-Campus...

Cinema Days!

Each Friday & Sunday ACE & Student Activities will be hosting a variety of movie titles in the new Charger Union Theatre. Fridays at 7:30 PM & Sundays at 3:00 PM.

Pizza with the Provost

Wednesday, March 5, 2014. 7:00-8:00PM. Got Questions? Get Answers & Free Pizza!

Transfer Success Series

Tuesday, March 4, 2014. 3:00-4:00 PM "Learning the Co-Curricular." Internships, Co-ops & More!

Tuesday, March 18, 2014. 3:00-4:00 PM "Owning Your Academic Experience"

Huntsville Area Rocketry Association

The Huntsville Area Rocketry Association invites the public to our Inaugural Open House on Thursday, March 6th at 7PM @ NASA's Educators Resource Center in front of the Space & Rocket Center. HARA promotes science & engineering knowledge through hands-on experience, and promotes amateur rocketry to all ages. Our Open House will feature interactive exhibits and displays, and club members will share stories of their amateur rocketry experience. Refreshments will be provided. More information online at hararocketry.org and our Facebook page 'HARA Rocketry'.

Kappa Delta's 14th Annual Shamrock Run 5K

The 14th Annual Shamrock 5K will be held on the UAH campus. The early registration fee is \$15, and must be paid before March 8th. It includes an event t-shirt and admittance to the KD Carb Feast held at the Kappa Delta house Friday, March 7th from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. The late registration fee is \$20 and includes an event t-shirt. Late registration and event check-in will begin at 8 a.m. at the Kappa Delta house on March 8th. In hosting this event, Epsilon Lambda chapter of Kappa Delta Sorority joins thousands of Kappa Deltas across the nation in the fundraising efforts to benefit local affiliates and chapters of Prevent Child Abuse America. Eighty

percent of the proceeds will remain in Alabama to benefit the Huntsville-based National Children's Advocacy Center. The remaining 20 percent will go to Prevent Child Abuse America, Kappa Delta's national philanthropy, for nationwide public awareness programs.



Charger Union Sounds

Featuring student talent, CU Sounds brings you music, fun, food, and prizes every Friday night! First floor of the Charger Union.

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