

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A TUTOR WITH THE SSC?

What is Tutoring?

The Tutoring and Undergraduate Writing Program offers free tutoring in a variety of subjects, focusing mostly on 100 and 200 level classes. Our goal is to work with students not only on content, but also on study and learning strategies so that students can become independent learners. The Tutoring Program within the Student Success Center provides academic assistance to students through one-on-one and small group sessions.

What's the role of a tutor?

As a peer tutor you will work with students on course content and study strategies, so that students can gain competence in the subject and become independent learners. Typically, tutors hold 5-11 regularly scheduled tutoring hours a week. Tutors attend monthly training sessions to grow as a tutor and obtain tutor certification. Additional responsibilities include advertising the program, communicating with the coordinator, and maintaining accurate records in the software system.

How much are tutors paid?

Peer tutors start off earning \$9.00/hr. You have the opportunity to earn more as you gain experience and participate in training.

What are the qualifications of a tutor?

- Currently enrolled UAH student
- Completion at UAH of the particular course for which tutoring will be performed, earning at least a "B"
- 3.0 or higher GPA and good academic standing
- Good interpersonal communication skills and ease in relating to people from a variety of educational, cultural and social backgrounds
- Evidence of excellence in responsibility, reliability and punctuality
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Current enrollment in at least 12 credit hours as a UAH student

UAH STUDENTS TALK ABOUT TUTORING:

"My tutor was kind, understanding and very helpful."

"UAH Tutoring is the best!"

"Tutoring was a fabulous experience."

HOW DO I APPLY?

- (1) Complete and submit an application and
- (2) Have two faculty recommendations sent to:
Valerie Johnson, Tutor Coordinator
Library 156
vmj0004@uah.edu
256.824.3384

Forms can be found at:
www.uah.edu/ssc/programs/job-opportunities

