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## Freshman Charger Checklist

Welcome to the Charger Family! Use this checklist to guide you as you prepare for your first semester at UAH. We recommend you complete your checklist before arriving on campus for this fall.

## WITHIN 30 DAYS OF BEING ADMITTED

- Access your Online Services
  - ☐ Set up Multi-Factor Authentication
  - Access myUAH
  - Access your UAH email

#### **FALL/WINTER**

- Apply for Financial Aid
- Apply for Housing
- Join the Official UAH Admitted Student Community on ZeeMee
- Connect on Social Media

#### **SPRING**

- Register for New Student Orientation
- Pay your Enrollment Deposit
- Accept your Scholarship and/or Financial Aid
- Submit your Final High School Transcript
- ☐ Submit Dual Enrollment/AP/IB/CLEP Credit
- Determine your Academic Placement

#### SUMMER

- Select a Meal Plan
- ☐ Submit your Immunization Records
- ☐ Set up your Mobile Charger ID
- Review your Charger Course Pack
- Register for a Parking Permit
- Pay your Bill or Enroll in a Payment Plan





View the full **Charger Checklist** along will all the details here!

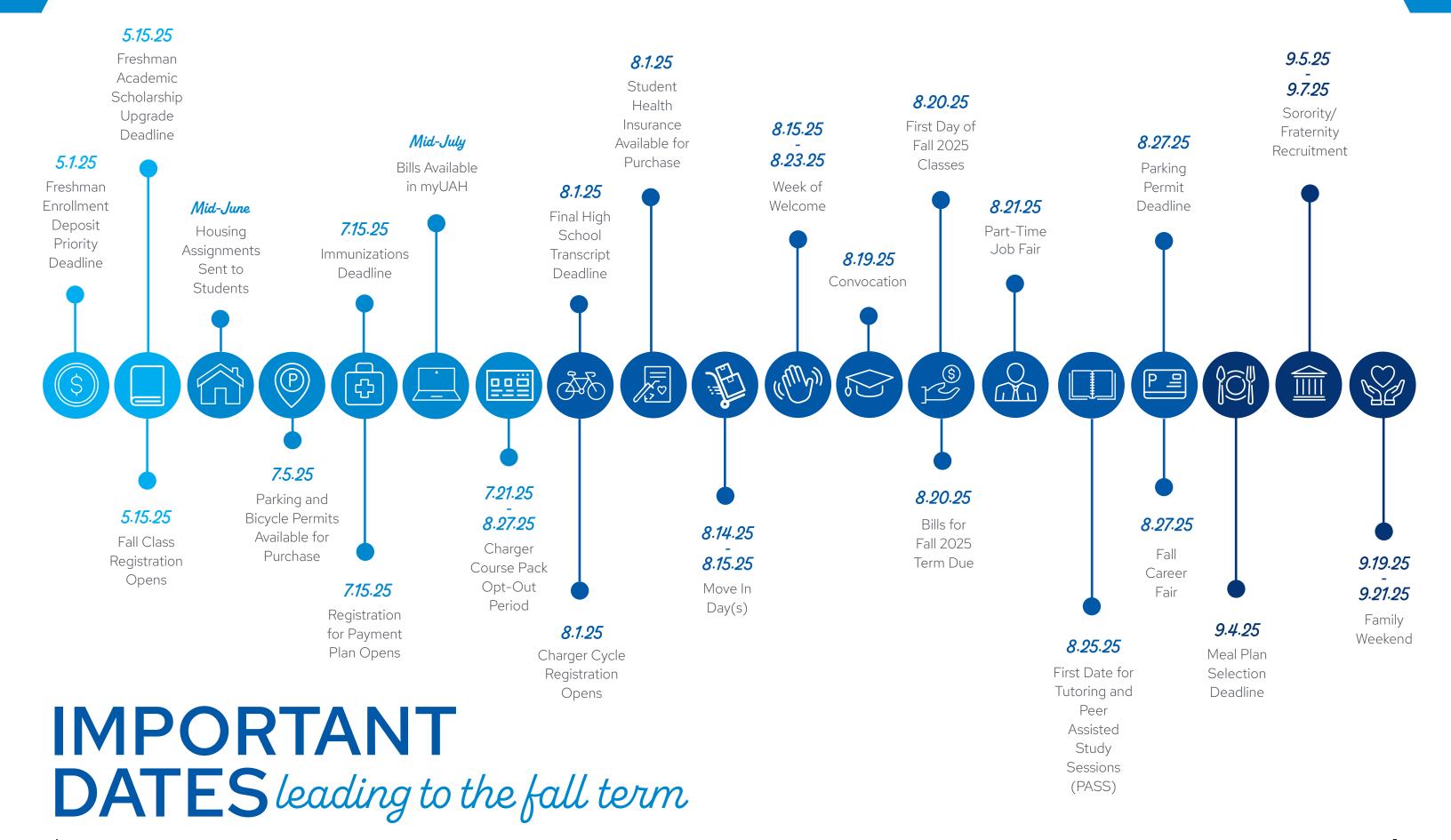
## NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION

Welcome to the Charger Family! We can't wait to see you on campus for Charger Camp, our Freshman Orientation program. Freshman Orientation is designed to help ease your transition from high school to college. What you discover and learn during Freshman Orientation will assist you during your first semester at UAH and beyond!

Visit uah.edu/orientation for more information!

# Things You'll Do...

- ► Meet your classmates
- Spend the night in a campus residence hall (students only)
- Finalize your class schedule
- Discover services and resources that are dedicated to your success
- ► Learn all the ways you can get involved in student organizations
- + A TON MORE!



#### 2025-2026

#### **ACADEMIC CALENDAR\***

#### FALL 2025

September 10

August 20 CLASSES BEGIN

August 27 Last day to add class without special approvals

Last day to apply for pass/fail

August 27 Last day to drop and receive a refund September 1 Labor Day Holiday - UAH closed

September 17 Last day to change from credit to audit

October 9 & 10 Fall Break - No classes

Nov. 27 & 28 Thanksgiving Holiday – No classes
Thanksgiving Holiday – UAH closed

December 4 Last day to withdraw
December 4 Last day of classes
December 5 Study days
December 8-12 Final exams

December 15 Commencement, VBC, Propst Arena

Dec. 24-31 Winter Break – UAH closed

#### SPRING 2026

January 1 Winter Break – UAH closed

January 2 UAH re-opens
January 5 CLASSES BEGIN

January 12 Last day to add class without special approvals

January 12 Last day to drop and receive a refund

January 19 MLK Holiday - UAH closed

January 26 Last day to apply for pass/fail

February 2 Last day to change from credit to audit

March 9-13 Spring Break – UAH closed
April 3 Honors Day – No classes
April 22 Last day to withdraw
April 22 Last day of classes
April 25 Study days

April 23-24 Final exams

May 4 Commencement, VBC, Propst Arena

#### SUMMER 2026

May 11 Maymester classes begin

May 25 Memorial Day – UAH closed

May 29 Maymester last class/finals

June 1 10-WEEK CLASSES BEGIN

June 19 Juneteenth – UAH closed

June 26 1st 5-week finals

June 29 2nd 5-WEEK CLASSES BEGIN

July 3 Independence Day Holiday observed – UAH closed

August 3 & 4 10-week final exams
August 4 2nd 5-week final exams

\* Dates are subject to change, and deadlines are for full-term courses only. For other parts of term deadlines and updates, check the website at **uah.edu/registrar/calendars**.

#### ACADEMIC ADVISING

#### **CLASS REGISTRATION**

The class registration period for each academic semester opens the semester prior and is based on your academic classification. Dates are announced at

uah.edu/registrar/registration and sent to your UAH email.

Before registering for classes each semester, please make an appointment with your academic advisor to ensure a successful course registration. Find your advisor at uah.edu/advising.

#### **CLASS REGISTRATION TIPS**

- Research class options within your plan of study. You can see your detailed plan of study within the Academic Catalog (catalog.uah.edu), and you can research class schedules using the online Schedule Planner located at my.uah.edu.
- You can view your completed schedule at my.uah.edu by selecting "Student Detail Schedule" or "Week at a Glance". Add your class schedule to your UAH Google Calendar to help you stay organized.
- Adding/dropping classes can be completed until a certain date and time each calendar year. Please consult the Academic Calendar at uah.edu/registrar/calendars.
  - ➤ Speak with your academic advisor when making changes to your schedule. Adding/dropping classes can affect your financial aid and your university bill.
- ➤ Speak with your academic advisor when changing your major within your college. If you need to change your major to one within a different college, please complete a "Change of College" form with the Registrar's Office at uah.edu/registrar.

#### REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

The Registrar's Office provides information on:

- Academic policies and procedures
- Registration
- Degree audits/graduation
- Transfer credits/evaluation
- ► Official transcript requests

#### Registrar's Office

SSB 120 256.824.7777 registrar@uah.edu uah.edu/registrar



#### PRE-HEALTH

Pre-Health is not a major, it's a goal. The Office of Pre-Health Professions Advising helps you stay on track to reach the health professional school of your choice, including:

- Medicine
- Dentistry
- Nursing
- Occupational Therapy
- Optometry
- Pharmacy
- Physician Assistant
- Physical Therapy
- Veterinary
- Chiropractic
- Public Health
- And More!

As a PHPA student, be sure to take BYS 100/Intro to Health Professions course, only offered in the fall semester, during your first year at UAH.

This course, which is required for all pre-health students, provides students with information regarding being a successful pre-health student and how to become a competitive applicant for professional schools.

#### Pre-Health Advising

SST 146

uah.edu/science/pre-health

256.824.2394 prehealth@uah.edu

#### **FXPI ORATORY**

Exploratory Advising provides students with information and resources to assist you on your journey to declaring a major.

You will have the opportunity to identify your strengths, attributes, interests, and academic goals as you relate to UAH's programs of study, ultimately leading you to make a confident, well-informed decision on a major.

#### Kellee Crawford

SST 146

uah.edu/exploratory-advising

256.824.6673

#### **ACADEMIC ADVISING & CLASS REGISTRATION**

#### What is an Academic Advisor?

Your academic college provides dedicated staff to help you plan your academic career. Academic advisors can help with course selection, degree planning, and understanding the academic requirements needed to graduate. They can also provide guidance on career goals, campus resources, and strategies for academic success. Find your academic advisor at *uah.edu/academic-advising*.



#### What is a College Dean?

The dean of your academic college will work to create a positive learning environment within the college and advocate for the needs of both students and faculty. Their job is to ensure the quality of education, manage faculty and staff, and develop policies to support your academic success. You can turn to your dean with questions about academic concerns or program policies.

## What is a Syllabus?

Your syllabus will contain the class schedule, course objectives, required materials, and grading policies for each of your registered courses. It can serve as a guide to help you understand what is expected of you during the semester and how to manage your time effectively.

Make sure you check your syllabus regularly for important assignments, tests, and deadlines!

STUDENT SUCCESS STUDENT SUCCESS



#### DISABILITY SUPPORT **SFRVICES**

Did you have a 504 plan or an IEP in high school? You may be eligible to apply for reasonable accommodations with Disability Support Services with the appropriate supporting documentation from your doctor or provider.

Disability Support Services provides academic, housing, and meal plan accommodations on campus. We work with you to understand your strengths, identify and reduce your barriers, and determine reasonable accommodations through an interactive process so you can access your education as you work toward your goals.

While the ADA and Section 504 quarantee equal access, individual success is the responsibility of each student on the college level.

**Disability Support Services** WIL 128 uah.edu/dss 256.824.1997 | dss@uah.edu

## STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER (SSC)

The SSC provides tutoring, coaching, and group study sessions that help you realize your potential as a self-directed learner. All programs are led by current UAH students. Students who regularly attend SSC services perform better in their classes. The center is open six days a week, and appointments are available in person and online. Check out *uah.edu/ssc* to learn more, plan your visit, and explore digital resources.

#### APPOINTMENT-BASED PROGRAMS

Academic Coaching: Create a personalized study or self-management plan. Tutoring: Practice course content and study strategies. Writing: Improve your writing and editing skills.

#### SCHEDULED SESSIONS

Drop-In Tutoring: Practice developing solutions to problems Peer-Assisted Study Sessions (PASS): Review and practice course content with classmates

Student Success Center LIB, First Floor uah.edu/ssc 256.824.2478

ssc@uah.edu

## ACADEMIC SUCCESS ADVOCACY PROGRAM (ASAP)

Your advocate is here to help you succeed - not just in your classes, but in life. Whether you're refining existing skills or building new ones, we'll work together to create an action plan that sets you up for long-term success. We focus on what works for you, tapping into your strengths and what motivates you, and using that as a foundation to develop habits that deliver real results.

Starting college is a big transition, and things don't always go according to plan. If you encounter bumps along the way, your advocate has your back – helping you navigate obstacles and find solutions that work for you. Our advocates are experienced professionals who know UAH inside and out and are dedicated to your success.

Students commonly reach out to their advocates for support with time management, balancing academics with other commitments, recovering from a challenging grade, exploring major changes, or managing personal circumstances that might impact their studies.

All new students are invited to explore the resource pages designed to support you throughout your journey, including self-advocacy tools, helpful checklists, and more.

Academic Success Advocacy Program (ASAP)

Suite 200, Student Services Building 256-824-2727 (256-UAH-ASAP) | asap@uah.edu | uah.edu/asap uah.edu/first-generation-students uah.edu/asap/basic-needs-resources

# Academic Success Tips

- Create a weekly schedule. Actively using a schedule helps you manage your time better. Remember to include study hours outside of classroom time.
- Take advantage of your professors' office hours. They can help you solidify your understanding of the material.
- Utilize multiple study methods, including self-quizzing. Selfquizzing promotes understanding and retention of material.
- Vary your study habits until you find the combination that works best for you.





# HAVE QUESTIONS? Text Charger Blue!



Charger Blue will text you before the beginning of each semester. Once you opt-in, he will check in with you occasionally and respond to your questions 24/7!

# 3 things new students need to know...

#### UNDERSTAND LECTURES

- ► Take notes in class
- ► Edit notes after class
- Clarify: Can you make any connections?
- Summarize in your own words

#### STUDY FOR TESTS

- Self-quiz after lecture (write quiz questions)



#### MANAGE YOUR TIME

- Record all deadlines in one place (i.e., Google calendar
  - Make a plan for studying
  - Schedule time for graded
  - Break large tasks into

**ACADEMIC RESOURCES** 

#### ACADEMIC RESOURCES

#### SALMON LIBRARY

The Salmon Library has hundreds of thousands of books, thousands of journal titles, and millions of articles. In addition to a sizable print collection of books and journals, the library has over three hundred online databases that give you access to scholarly research, conference proceedings, quality primary sources, and extensive data.

#### **RESEARCH SERVICES**

- ▶ Reference Live Chat Online Ask a question in real time.
- Subject-Specific Online Research Guides
- ► Research Help Desk
- One-on-One Research Consultations by Appointment
- Interlibrary Loans (ILL) Provides access to books and articles outside of our collection.

#### LIBRARY EVENTS

The library hosts varied scholarly, community, and student-focused events. See local and alumni authors discuss books, dive into open-access sources, and try out new activities. These events are free, and many are open to all. Check the library website for the schedule of upcoming library events.

#### AVAILABLE IN THE LIBRARY

- MultiMaker Lab
- ► Laptops and Technology Checkouts
- ► Study Rooms with Online Reservations
- ▶ Archives, Special Collections, and Digital Initiatives
- ▶ LOUIS Campus Repository
- Art Gallery
- Student Success Center
- ➤ OIT Help Desk

#### STUCK? #trythelibrary

Having trouble finding sources for a paper? Need special equipment for a project? #trythelibrary

Salmon Library 256.824.6530 library@uah.edu uah.edu/library



#### EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

#### UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

UAH is committed to offering undergraduates from every discipline the opportunity to get involved in student research and creative projects as a complement to your classroom education.

Working with our professional research staff and faculty on research and creative projects will help prepare you for the complex challenges of your profession or for study at the graduate level. It will give you skills in critical thinking, problem solving, and data analysis, as well as in oral and written communication. It also creates an exciting learning environment in which you can find a mentor, your passion, and a career path.

#### Dave Cook

Director of Undergraduate Research SST 145/FFH 113B dave.cook@uah.edu Facebook: @uah\_ur Instagram: @uah-ur uah.edu/undergraduate-research



#### FELLOWSHIPS AND GRADUATE SCHOOL

UAH provides advising for those interested in applying for post-graduate opportunities such as graduate school and fellowships. Through one-on-one advising sessions, you are equipped with the tools necessary to identify the perfect graduate program or fellowship, manage application deadlines, and write competitive application essays.

Our Fellowship Advisor guides you through the entire application cycle, from fellowship identification to award notification.

Jennifer Staton, Fellowship Advisor FFH 113C 256.824.6451 | statonj@uah.edu

uah.edu/academics/advising-support-services/fellowships-and-graduate-school

#### CAREER SERVICES

UAH provides comprehensive career services and programs, including:

- Résumé development
- Interview preparation
- Networking assistance
- Career planning
- ► Month of Externships each March for job shadowing
- Mentor a Charger mentorship program each fall semester
- ► On-campus recruiting events, including:
  - Career fairs
  - Part-time job fairs
  - ► Co-op kick off, during Week of Welcome
  - Graduate School expo

Things to do your first semester:

- ➤ Familarize yourself with Charger Path. All currently enrolled students have an account on Charger Path, our online career management system. You will receive a "Welcome to Charger Path" message in your UAH email after the add/drop period of classes has ended.
- Update your Charger Path account by completing the quick registration process and uploading your résumé. Résumés will be digitally reviewed, and once approved, you will be able to apply for on- and off-campus jobs. You will be eligible in your sophomore year to apply for co-ops and internships.
- Create a LinkedIn account and begin networking.
   Connect with UAH Careers on LinkedIn.
- ➤ Follow us on social media (Facebook: uahcareerservices, Instagram: uah\_careerservices) to remain informed.

#### Career Services

SSB 222 256.824.6741 chargerjobs@uah.edu uah.edu/career-services

# Save the Date

PART-TIME JOB FAIR | August 21, 2025

MENTOR A CHARGER APPLICATION DUE | September 5, 2025

CAREER FAIR | August 27, 2025



#### STUDY ABROAD

Participating in a study abroad program is so much more than you might think! Through our Office of Study Abroad, you can explore opportunities to study, intern, research, teach, and even volunteer in another country, all while immersing yourself in a new culture and broadening your horizons.

Study abroad is an ideal way to set you apart and get ahead in your education and your future career!

Office of Study Abroad SSB 218A 256.824.6055 studyabroad@uah.edu uah.edu/study-abroad

#### MILITARY & VETERANS **PROGRAMS**

Our Military and Veterans Programs Office serves military veterans, service members, and their dependents during their time as students at UAH. The Military and Veterans Programs Office:

- Provides benefit counseling to students receiving GI Bill benefits
- ▶ Certifies enrollment for Federal GI Bill benefits
- Processes ANGEAP benefits

For more information regarding these benefits, please visit uah.edu/mvp.

#### Military and Veterans Programs

SSB. Suite 205 256.824.2758 vacontact@uah.edu

If you are a dependent utilizing the Alabama GI Dependent Scholarship, please contact the Office of Financial Aid regarding your benefits.

#### Alabama GI Dependent Scholarship

SSB 124 256.824.6650 finaid@uah.edu

#### OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID

The Office of Financial Aid provides information and services to help finance the cost of education at UAH. This includes assistance with:

- Scholarships
- Grants
- Loans
- Work-study
- ▶ Third Party Payments
- ► Alabama GI Dependent Scholarships

#### Office of Financial Aid

SSB 124 256.824.6650 finaid@uah.edu uah.edu/finaid



#### OFFICE OF THE BURSAR

The Office of the Bursar manages student accounts, including the billing and collection of fees and student refunds

#### Office of the Bursar

SSB 123 256.824.6226 bursar@uah.edu uah.edu/bursar

#### **BILL PAYMENT TIMELINE**

Fall semester tuition charges are posted to student accounts mid-July.

All charges (tuition, fees, meal plans, housing, etc.) are due on the first official day of each semester.

- ▶ Go to *uah.edu/registrar/calendars* to determine the first official day of the semester.
- ▶ All payments are made to UAH via the Bursar's Office.

Installment plan enrollment is open approximately one month prior to the beginning of a semester and is available until approximately midterms.

▶ Installment payment plans are accessed via the UAH website (*uah.edu/bursar*). Four- and five-part plans are available until the last day to add/drop classes. Installment plans are available for spring, summer, and fall semesters.

**After add/drop closes for the term**, a one-time \$50 late fee is assessed for any student with an unpaid balance.

▶ The exception to this would be those students who have an active installment payment plan and have made the first payment on that installment plan.

Spring semester tuition charges are posted to student accounts mid-November.

▶ PLEASE NOTE: Check your student account regularly, as no bills are mailed to students or parents.

#### MAKING A PAYMENT

UAH has four payment options for student bills:

#### ONLINE

Online through your myUAH account, you can pay with credit/debit cards (2.95% service fee), electronic checks, or wire transfers.

#### **MAIL**

Mailed payments must be received (not postmarked) by the payment deadline to be considered on time. Please mail your direct check payments or 529 payments (DO NOT include scholarship or third-party payments) to the Bursar's Office Payment Address: Dept. #6564 The University of

Alabama in Huntsville

Birmingham, AL 35246-6564

PO Box 11407

#### ▶ Office hours are M-F, 8:15 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

▶ Please have your 'A number' ready for the cashier.

► The Bursar's Office is

**IN PERSON** 

in person.

#### **DROP BOX**

Only place check You may present cash, checks, or money orders or money-order payments in the drop

- located in the Student Place payments Services Building, 123. in the secure drop box outside the Bursar's Office.
  - ► Include your 'A number on your check/money order.

**FINANCIAL AID** 

or scholarships

► This includes loans, grants, and/

student account automatically

on the first official day of the

requirements of the Financial

Aid Office have been met

Financial Aid pays into the

semester provided all

#### **CREDIT/DEBIT CARDS**

#### **CHECKS**

▶ Make checks **r**. payable to UAH

#### THIRD-PARTY **PAYMENT**

- ► This includes PACT plans, 529 plans, VA benefits, etc.
- Contact our office with any questions

- ► A 2.95% service fee applies
- ▶ Visa, MasterCard, Discover/NOVUS, American Express are accepted

# **UAH** accepts the following

**CASH** 

# forms of payment:

#### ► Any amount remaining after all charges have been paid is refunded to the student

▶ See uah.edu/bursar/refunds

#### **ELECTRONIC CHECKS**

▶ Online via UAH student account

#### **REFUNDS**

If your aid exceeds your cost of attendance, you may be eligible to receive a refund. UAH now utilizes BankMobile Disbursements, a technology solution, powered by BMTX, Inc. to deliver your refund. With BankMobile Disbursements, you choose how you want to receive your refund.

For more information regarding refunds through BankMobile Disbursements visit bankmobiledisbursements.com/refundchoices.

#### SETTING UP AN AUTHORIZED USER

Setting up an authorized user on the bill payment area of myUAH allows access to upcoming due dates, payment and account activity, and the ability to make payments on behalf of the student. It is imperative to set up an authorized user if someone other than the student will be making payments. This authorized user also has access to the communications associated with the account, including payment reminders, rebalancing notifications, and other important announcements.

## 6 Places to Live as a UAH Student

**CENTRAL CAMPUS RESIDENCE HALL** (CCH)

➤ First-Year Students



- Upperclassmen
- ► First-Year Student Athletes



FRANK FRANZ HALL (FFH)

► First-Year Honors Students



➤ Second-Year Students and Upperclassmen Members of Chapters



► First-Year Students



- ► Second-Year
- Upperclassmen

#### HOUSING & RESIDENCE LIFE

All full-time first-year students who graduated high school within the preceding 12 months and have a permanent legal residence beyond a 30-mile radius from campus are required to live in the campus residence halls for the entire academic year.

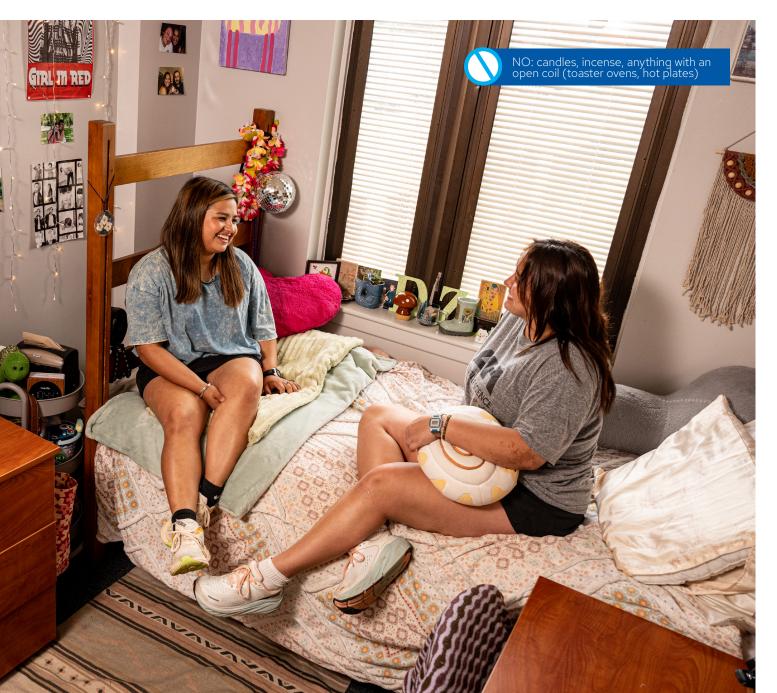
You will receive your official assignment letter via your UAH email. After that time, you may log in to *my.uah.edu* and click on "Residential Self-Service" to see your roommates and room assignment.

Housing and Residence Life

CVO 118 256.824.6108

housing@uah.edu

uah.edu/housing





#### HELPFUL HOUSING PEOPLE

There are people in each Residence Hall whom you can go to with any questions or issues:

- ▶ RESIDENT ASSISTANT (RA): A current UAH student who advises residents and develops community programs within each residence hall.
- ▶ RESIDENT DIRECTOR (RD): A full-time, live-in professional staff member who supervises a residence hall.

#### WHAT SHOULD I BRING?

It's your new home, so make it yours! However, before you bring large items, be sure to talk with your roommate to avoid duplication. Below is a list of suggestions to help you get started!

- Bed linens
- (Twin XL beds, 38" x 80")
- Pillow(s)
- Towels and washcloths
- Iron and ironing board
- Laundry supplies
- Toiletries
- Clothes hangers
- **▶** Thermometer

- Broom and dustpan
- Vacuum
- Cups, plates, and utensils
- Umbrella, raincoat, and coat
- Wastebasket
- Basic school supplies
- Computer
- Room decorations

Check out the Resident Handbook at uah.edu/housing for some helpful tips on what to bring and what to leave behind.

## Important Dates:

New Student Contract Open - Apply Now!

Roommate Matching Deadline - May 23, 2025

Move-In Days\* - August 14 & 15, 2025

# 4 Types of Charger Card Accounts

# 1

#### **MEAL PLANS**

- Prepaid meal credits that reset at the end of the semester
- Expires at the end of each semester
- Can be used at the Charger Café, The Den, or Burrito Bowl

# 2

#### **CHARGER BUCKS**

- Companion to a Meal Plan
- Expires at the end of each semester
- Can be used at all oncampus dining locations
- Additional funds cannot be added



#### **DINING DOLLARS**

- Declining balance account used for food purchases
- Can be carried over from fall to spring semester
- Can be used at all oncampus dining locations
- Additional funds can be added at any point



#### FLEX

- Declining balance account used at all vendors on campus
- Can be carried over every semester while a student has an active account
- Can be used at copiers, dining locations, the UAH Bookstore, and vending

#### CHARGER CARD MOBILE ID

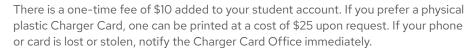
The Charger Card Mobile ID is your photo identification for campus! The Mobile ID also offers four types of declining-balance debit accounts with no service fees.

Charger Card Mobile IDs are used to make purchases at:

- Dining venues
- ▶ Bookstore
- ► Copiers/Printers on campus
- Vending

Mobile IDs allow access to:

- ▶ Academic buildings
- Residence halls
- ▶ Student organization space
- ► Athletic events
- ▶ Campus entertainment events
- ▶ University Fitness Center



# FOLLOW THESE STEPS TO SET UP YOUR UAH CHARGER CARD MOBILE ID

- Make sure you have installed any pending phone updates. For Android devices, make sure NFC is turned on.
- 2. Upload a photo for your Mobile ID by going online to myUAH, then Campus Services> Charger Card> Online Photo Submission. You may also have a photo taken in our office (CGU 131).
- 3. Download the eAccounts mobile app using this QR code.
- 4. Type "Huntsville," choose The University of Alabama in Huntsville, and log into UAH SSO.
- 5. Tap the "Add to Wallet" button in the upper right-hand corner and wait for confirmation!

Now use your Charger Card Mobile ID to access buildings, pay for dining, library services, accessing the Fitness Center, and more!

If you encounter any issues following these steps, please contact the Charger Card Office:

#### **Charger Card Office**

CGU 131 256.824.2720 chargercard@uah.edu uah.edu/chargercard uah.edu/charger-mobile-id



# Buildings with Dining Options

# CONFERENCE ... TRAINING CENTER

Charger Café

Charger Brew (Proudly Brewing Starbucks Coffee)

# CHARGER UNION

Dunkin' Donuts

The Den by Denny's

Mein Bowl

#### CHARGER VILLAGE FOOD COURT

Blue's Convenience Store

Boar's Head Deli

Burrito Bowl

Chick-fil-A

Visit uah.edu/dining to view hours of operation and menu options.











**CAMPUS TECHNOLOGIES CAMPUS TECHNOLOGIES** 

#### THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION **TECHNOLOGY**

The Office of Information Technology (OIT) Help Desk provides computer and network support to the UAH community. Support via phone or chat is available 24/7.









256.824.3333

#### **GETTING STARTED**



Visit **go.uah.edu/gettingstarted** to view tips on logging in, hardware recommendations, campus tools, software information, and more!



#### RESET

Visit *reset.uah.edu* to change your password. UAH passwords expire every 180 days.

#### CONNECT



Visit eduroam.uah.edu to get the installer that helps you connect to Wi-Fi or to view the direct link for connection instructions. When logging in, provide your ChargerID@uah.edu address as the username.

#### DISCOVER



Log in to my.uah.edu to register for classes, view grades, pay UAH bills, see your financial aid status, update your contact information, access Canvas, and more.

#### ACADEMIC TECHNOLOGY

The Enhanced Teaching and Learning Center administers the academic technologies used across campus.

#### **CANVAS**

#### canvas.uah.edu

This is UAH's learning management system. Instructors post course information and more using this software.

- ▶ For more information on getting started with Canvas and other learning technologies, visit uah.instructure.com/courses/21290.
- ▶ Help with Canvas is available 24/7 by clicking the "Help" link within Canvas or by calling 844.219.5802.
- ▶ For resources on other technologies used in classrooms, visit uah.edu/etl/training-resources/students.

## myUAH

Your myUAH account will be your one-stop shop throughout your time at UAH.

See below for just a few resources that can be found on myUAH, and explore your own myUAH account at my.uah.edu.

#### **CAMPUS SERVICES**

- ▶ Sign up for UAlert, UAH's emergency notification system.
- Access Parking Services, register your bicycle, and reserve your 2025-2026 parking permit.
- ► Check your meal plan balance and reload funds to your Charger Card.
- Make an appointment at the UAH Student Health Center.

#### **OIT SERVICES**

- Access the UAH Google Workspace, including your UAH email.
- ▶ Submit a help ticket with our Office of Information Technology.
- ► Access Chargerware, UAH's library of free software available for student use.

#### M. LOUIS SALMON LIBRARY

- ▶ Chat with a librarian.
- ▶ Search the library's resources, including books, articles, archives, and digital publications.
- ▶ Request an interlibrary loan.

#### STUDENT LIFE

- ▶ View the student event calendar.
- Access Charger Connect, UAH's student organization portal.





#### STUDENT SERVICES

- ► Add or drop classes
- View your class registration status
- Access your transcript
- ► Access your course materials through Canvas
- ► Edit your student profile and personal information
- Create proxy access
- ▶ Pay your bill
- ► Accept your financial aid
- ► Apply for on-campus housing

#### Communication Tips

All important communication will be sent to your @uah.edu email account. Please check this account regularly so you don't miss any important updates, deadlines, or exciting events on campus!

Please note that official communications from the UAH Health Portal, UAH Dining Services, and the UAH Bookstore may be sent from a non-UAH email address.

#### **UAH BOOKSTORE**

More than just textbooks...

- School Spirit Apparel School Supplies
- ▶ Gifts
- Snacks
- ▶ Technology

#### SAVE 10% OFF YOUR ENTIRE PURCHASE\*

by following the UAH Bookstore on Facebook or Instagram (show it on your phone to the cashier).

#### **UAH Bookstore**

Charger Union, 1st Floor 4705 Holmes Avenue, Huntsville, AL 35899 uah.edu/bookstore 256.824.6604

#### CHARGER COURSE PACK

Charger Course Pack was developed to provide a more affordable, convenient way for students to get their course materials each term.

#### **HOW IT WORKS**

- You register for classes.
- ▶ One month before classes start, you will receive an email instructing you to review your courses and choose how to receive your materials.
- ▶ The bookstore will prepare your course materials in a convenient package.
- ▶ You will receive an email notification when your order is ready for pickup at the bookstore or when it ships, depending on your selection.
- ▶ Your digital materials will be delivered within Canvas.
- ▶ When your courses are over, the bookstore will send you helpful reminder emails to return your rental course materials.

#### IS THERE AN OPT-OUT OPTION?

Would you like to source your course materials yourself? Yes, you can. As part of the email you receive prior to the semester beginning, you will have the option to opt out of the program. This opt-out option is provided to you before each semester that you are enrolled.

We are excited to offer you this convenient, affordable way for getting all your

For more information about the program, visit the Charger Course Pack Program page at uah.edu/bookstore.

STUDENT LIFE & CHARGER TRADITIONS STUDENT LIFE & CHARGER TRADITIONS

#### CHARGER TRADITIONS

#### WEEK OF WELCOME (WOW)

One of UAH's finest traditions, Week of Welcome comprises opportunities, resources, and events to ensure your success at UAH. From Chargers After Dark to Rock the Rec, there are endless ways for new students like you to get engaged with the campus. Don't forget to use #uahwow25 to see what your fellow Chargers are up to throughout the week. uah.edu/wow

#### HOMECOMING

Fun events that promote school spirit and traditions! Highlights include Paint the Town Blue, Homecoming 5K, Service Saturday, and athletic events. *uah.edu/homecoming* 

#### THE BIG EVENT

UAH's largest single day of service sponsored by the Student Government Association (SGA) and the Office of Student Life. uah.edu/sga/initiatives

#### **FAMILY WEEKEND**

A celebration to honor our Charger Families! Enjoy campus and explore Huntsville. *uah.edu/familyweekend* 

#### PAINTING THE UAH MONUMENT

Paint the monument anytime! Leave your mark on campus, over and over again!

#### **CHARGER BLUE**

UAH's mascot and #1 supporter. Spot him at athletic and community events.

#### CHARGER ATHLETIC EVENTS

Come cheer on our UAH athletes! UAH participates in 15 Division II sports, including baseball, men's and women's basketball, men's and women's cross country, men's and women's lacrosse, men's and women's soccer, softball, men's and women's track (indoor and outdoor), and volleyball. *uahchargers.com* 

# UAH Fight Song

We are the Chargers who wear Blue and White!

We have the courage and the strength to fight!

Shout the battle cry U-A-H!

Have pride in your Blue and White!

#### STUDENT LIFE

Getting involved is an essential part of the UAH experience. Through the many opportunities available within the Office of Student Life, students make connections with peers, faculty, staff, administrators, and alumni.

Whether students are looking for a specific organization or event, the Office of Student Life is here to help them make their mark at UAH.

#### STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

UAH has nearly 200 registered student organizations. Here are a few areas:

- ➤ ACADEMIC GROUPS bring together like-minded peers who want to complement their classroom learning with related extracurricular activities.
- ASSOCIATION FOR CAMPUS ENTERTAINMENT (ACE)
   brings events to campus every Wednesday and weekend.
- ➤ CIVIC ENGAGEMENT fosters the importance of giving back to one's community.
- CULTURAL & IDENTITY-BASED GROUPS focus on specific culture, nationality, or ethnicity in order to provide education, advocacy, support, and camaraderie.
- ► FRATERNITY AND SORORITY LIFE enhances the collegiate experience through scholarship, philanthropy, and social interaction. UAH has 15 Greek chapters.
- ► HONOR SOCIETIES give high-achieving students a chance to connect and network at the national level.
- ▶ LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS develop successful citizens ready to make a change.
- ► SPIRITUAL/FAITH-BASED ORGANIZATIONS bring together students for faith-based social activities.
- ► STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION (SGA) helps improve the student experience. *uah.edu/sga*

#### Office of Student Life

CGU 201 256.824.6375 studentlife@uah.edu uah.edu/campus-life

> For a complete list of Registered Student Organizations along with their descriptions, visit the website at *uah.campuslabs.com/engage/organizations*.







#### **GRADGUARD TUITION PROTECTION PLAN\***

We realize that your college education is an important investment. That is why we are now making the GradGuard Tuition Protection Plan, owned and administered by Next Generation Insurance Group, LLC, available as an option to our students and their families. This tuition insurance protects the investment your family has made in your education in case you need to withdraw after the time frames detailed in UAH's refund policy.

\*UAH does not promote nor do we endorse this program, but we do make it available here for your convenience. To learn more or to get an online quote today, visit GradGuard at <a href="https://gradguard.com/tuition/uah">https://gradguard.com/tuition/uah</a> or call 1-866-724-4384.

# 5 Ways to Get Involved on Campus

#### READ YOUR EMAILS

Charger Student News (weekly e-newsletter)

# CHECK OUT UPCOMING EVENTS

Find upcoming student events at uah.edu/studentevents

# PARTICIPATE IN CAMPUS EVENTS

- Charger Traditions (page 20)
- ► Residence hall programs
- WOW Student Involvement Fair
- Intramural sports
- Recreational trips
- Association for Campus Entertainment (ACE)

# CHEER ON CHARGER ATHLETICS

➤ Athletic events are listed at *uahchargers.com* 

#### FOLLOW UAH ON SOCIAL MEDIA

➤ For a list of UAH social media accounts, visit uah.edu/social/directory

STUDENT HEALTH & WELLNESS STUDENT HEALTH & WELLNESS

#### STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

The Student Health Center provides on-campus primary health care services, including treatment for illnesses and injuries, preventative health care screening, physicals, immunizations, health counseling, and laboratory testing.



#### Student Health Center

WIL 325 256.824.6775 shc@uah.edu

uah.edu/shc

Charger Health Portal: uahportal.pointnclick.com

#### **IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS**

To ensure the health and safety of our campus, immunizations against communicable diseases are extremely important. All new and incoming transfer students must upload an immunization printout from their health care provider or a health department certificate showing proof of required vaccinations.

#### These include:

- ▶ Meningococcal ACWY vaccine on/after the age of 16,
- ▶ 2 MMR vaccines on/after the age of 12 months, and a
- ▶ Tuberculosis Risk Questionnaire

Please submit the required immunizations and answer the tuberculosis questions via the Charger Health Portal (*uahportal.pointnclick.com*) under the tab 'Medical Clearances'.



#### Immunizations

WIL 323 256.824.6948

immunizations@uah.edu



# STUDENT HEALTH INSURANCE



The Student Health Center encourages all students to have health insurance to help minimize the costs of their health care. UAH offers a fully underwritten health insurance plan with BlueCross and BlueShield of Alabama.

Eligible UAH students can voluntarily enroll in the health plan during the Open Enrollment window, starting August 1, 2025. For more information visit

uah.edu/health-and-wellness/student-insurance-plan.

#### **COUNSELING CENTER**

The UAH Counseling Center provides individual fee-based services and free group services that support students who are currently enrolled in at least 3 credit hours. The licensed professional counseling staff support students with your emotional, social, and academic development during your college career, with a focus on holistic development using the individual's strengths to help them enhance your college experience.

These services are offered in a private and confidential setting (in-person or via a confidential Zoom platform) where you can collaborate with counselors to identify needs and manage or resolve problems that cause emotional strife through a time-limited treatment model.

Off-campus referrals are offered when necessary. Free weekly groups are offered during each semester, and a listing of these can be found on the Counseling Center website.

#### **TOGETHERALL**

Togetherall is FREE to all students and provides confidential online peer mental health support. Togetherall is available 24/7 and is monitored by trained clinicians. Whether you're struggling to cope, feeling low, or just need a place to talk, Togetherall can help you to explore your feelings in a safe, supportive environment. Your student email address is the key to creating an account. uah.edu/dos/resources-students/togetherall

Counseling Center CTC 118 256.824.6203 uah.edu/counseling-center

#### UNIVERSITY RECREATION

University Recreation features an all-inclusive health and fitness center, as well as programming such as intramural sports, sport clubs, outdoor recreation, group exercise, fitness, and aquatics.

Students who are enrolled full time (12 hours or more in the fall and spring semesters) receive membership at no additional cost. Students who are part time are charged a discounted rate for membership. Entry to the University Fitness Center is granted via the student's Charger Card.

#### **University Fitness Center**

500 John Wright Drive 256.824.5500

uah.edu/university-recreation

#### **UFC Hours of Operation**

 Mon-Thurs
 5:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

 Friday
 5:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

 Saturday
 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

 Sunday
 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.





#### **CAMPUS SAFETY**

UAH annually prepares an Annual Security Report and a Fire Safety Report in the interest of promoting student and employee safety and to comply with the requirements of the federal Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act (Clery Act) and the Higher Education Opportunity Act (HEOA) of 2008.

Students, prospective students, employees, and prospective employees may view and download both annual reports at *uah.edu/safety*. Printed copies may also be requested at the Police Department during normal business hours.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

The UAH Police Department (UAHPD) is a dedicated team of law enforcement professionals who are committed to the safety and security of the UAH community. The department is staffed on a full-time basis.

Police Department

IMF 123

Emergency: 911 or 256.824.6911 Non-emergency: 256.824.6596 police@uah.edu

uah.edu/police

#### **RAVE GUARDIAN**

All students are encouraged to download the free Rave Guardian app to build your own private safety network. This app provides instant communications with friends, family, co-workers, UAH police, and even the Madison County 911 Center in the event of an emergency. Simply download the app from the Apple App or Google Play Store and register using your UAH email address.

#### **UALERT**

UAlert is UAH's emergency notification system. UAlert allows UAH to quickly disseminate urgent messages via voice message, text message, and email. Students can set up UAlert by visiting <code>uah.edu/ualert</code>.

VIEW OUR
INTERACTIVE
PARKING MAP
HERE!



#### PARKING

All students, employees, and others who operate and park a vehicle on campus must pay the annual parking fee (\$140), register your vehicle(s), and correctly display a current parking permit. Employees and students should visit parking.uah.edu to pay parking fees and register vehicles.

Employees and students with a state-issued handicapped placard must provide paperwork issued by the DMV proving the placard is registered in your name to the Parking Services Office. You will receive a Handicapped Accessibility Hangtag instead of a regular parking hangtag. Fraudulent use of a counterfeit or state disabled hangtag issued to another person will result in a citation and confiscation of the state-issued disabled hangtag.

Frequently asked questions, bicycle registration information, and rules and regulations can also be found at *my.uah.edu*.

#### MOTORCYCLE/MOPED REGISTRATION

Motorcycle/moped registration is \$95, and permits go on sale for freshmen on July 5. Please allow at least 3 days for processing.

#### **BIKE REGISTRATION**

Students are required to register their bicycles. There is no charge for this service. Once the registration is complete, you will receive an email notifying you that your permit is available to be picked up.

**Parking Services** 

CTC 147 256.824.6595

uah.edu/parking-services



### SEXUAL HARASSMENT, SEXUAL VIOLENCE, AND CONSENT

Stopping sexual harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking before they happen requires that we work together to support healthy and safe behaviors and environments.

As such, UAH requires that all new students attend a presentation during the Week of Welcome entitled Title IX and Consent: Everything You Should Know About Sexual Harassment, Sexual Violence, and Campus Safety and complete the following online training courses:

- Alcohol Awareness and Prevention: Know Your Limit
- ► Healthy Relationships and Dating Violence
- ► Show Some Respect! Prevent Harassment: Harassment/Respect Among Peers
- ► Impressions: Protecting Our Campus from Sexual Assault
- ► Instructions for the online training will be sent to your UAH email account.

UAH has sex discrimination and sexual violence complaint reporting procedures that are designed to stop the reported conduct, prevent its reoccurrence, correct and address its effects, and, when warranted, impose consequences and remedies. Students are afforded confidential and non-confidential reporting options. Those affected by incidents of sex discrimination and sexual violence are offered individualized services to ensure your safety and to support your efforts to continue to participate in your education programs and activities.

For more information about sex discrimination and sexual violence or to file a report, contact the Title IX Coordinator by email at titleix@uah.edu, by telephone at 256.824.7854, online at *uah.edu/makeareport*, or by visiting Shelbie King Hall, Room 357/358.



#### TITLE IX AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

All students, faculty, staff, and guests to UAH are protected from discriminatory conduct based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, pregnancy, age, disability, and veteran status.

UAH is committed to responding promptly and effectively when it becomes aware of reported discriminatory conduct and has complaint reporting procedures that are designed to stop the reported conduct, prevent its reoccurrence, correct and address its effects, and when warranted, impose consequences and remedies.

Complaints/reports of discrimination can be filed with the Office of Title IX & Equal Opportunity or at *uah.edu/makeareport*.

#### PREGNANCY AND PARENTING

UAH prohibits discrimination based on pregnancy and provides support to students who are pregnant and/or experiencing pregnancy-related medical conditions.

That support is designed to ensure that you are able to make decisions as to how you want to continue to participate in your education.

The Office of Title IX & Equal Opportunity will assist you in obtaining reasonable modifications, which range from providing you additional time to make up missed assignments and exams, to changing the physical environment, to ensuring that you are not penalized for pregnancy-related medical absences.

UAH DEPARTMENT DIRECTORY

# DEPARIMENT DIRECTORY

# Academic Resources Barnes & Noble Bookstore CGU 1st FL 256.824.6604

Barnes & Noble Bookstore	CGU 1st FL	256.824.6604
Career Services	SSB 222	256.824. <b>6741</b>
Academic Success Advocacy Program (ASAP)	SSB 200	256.824. <b>2727</b>
Student Success Center	LIB 1st FL	256.824. <b>2478</b>
Disability Support Services	WIL 128	256.824.1997

#### Campus Technologies

Copy Center	BSB 111	256.824.6383
OIT Help Desk	LIB 1st FL	256.824.3333
Salmon Library		256.824.6530

#### Colleges

Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences	MOR 131	256.824. <b>2867</b>
Business	BAB 102	256.824. <b>6571</b>
Education	WIL 149	256.824.5389
Engineering	ENG 157	256.824.6877
Exploratory	MOR 278Q	256.824.6673
Honors College	FFH 301	256.824.6016
Nursing	NUR 227	256.824. <b>6447</b>
Science	MSB C206	256.824. <b>2505</b>
Pre-Health Professions Advising	SST 146	256.824. <b>471</b> 4

#### Dining

Dining Services	CTC	256.824. <b>5124</b>

#### Health

Counseling Center	CTC 118	256.824.6203
Health Insurance	WIL 325	256.824.6775
Student Health Center	WIL 325	256.824.6775

#### Safety & Parking

Campus Police Non-Emergency IMF 256.824	.6596
Parking Services CTC 147 256.824	.6595
Title IX & Equal Opportunity SKH 357 256.824	.7854

#### Student Life

Civic Engagement & Leadership         CGU 201         256.824.4422           Dean of Students         CGU 223         256.824.6700           Fraternity & Sorority Life         CGU 201         256.824.4720	4
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Student Government Association CGU 213 256.824.2730	)
Student Life         CGU 201         256.824.6375	5
University Recreation UFC 256.824.5500	)

#### Student Services

Admissions	SSB 106	256.824.2773
Bursar	SSB 123	256.824.6226
Charger Card	CGU 131	256.824. <b>2720</b>
Financial Aid Office	SSB 124	256.824.6650
Housing	CGV 118	256.824.6108
Military & Veterans Programs	SSB 205	256.824.2758
Registrar	SSB 120	256.824.7777

# Planning to Join Us AT UAH?

As of February 15, 2025 you can:

- Pay Your Enrollment Deposit
   Confirm your enrollment by submitting your \$200 enrollment deposit.
   The priority enrollment deposit deadline is May 1, 2025.
- Register for New Student Orientation
  New Student Orientation provides you the opportunity to meet with an academic advisor, register for classes, meet other new students, and more!

Learn more at uah.edu/admitted.

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Office of Admissions

256.824.2773 | 0 800.824.2255

admissions@uah.edu











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