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**ALABAMA STUDENTS APPLYING TO COLLEGE THIS WEEK WITH NO FEES!**

*This Special Statewide Application Event is Being Held October 18-22*

**Montgomery, Ala.** – Next week, our state’s high school students will be taking the next steps in their promising futures. Thousands of Alabama students will be applying to colleges and universities nationwide, during *Alabama College Application Week 2021*, on **October 18-22**.

“During this event, local high schools will be hosting special college application celebrations with students submitting *applications to colleges nationwide*,” said Alabama College Application Campaign (ALCAC) Coordinator, Dr. Monica P. Mack. “Last year, more than 200 Alabama schools participated and nearly 28,000 students applied to colleges nationwide.”

*Several Colleges Have Waived Application Fees for this Year’s Event*

**The following colleges and universities have officially waived their application fees this week to allow *Alabama students* participating in ALCAC Week 2021, to submit their applications to their institutions at no cost:**

- **Alabama A&M University - Alabama**
- **Alabama State University - Alabama**
- **Allen University - South Carolina**
- **Andrew College - Georgia**
- **Athens State University - Alabama**
- **Auburn University – Alabama**
- **Auburn University at Montgomery - Alabama**
- **Belmont Abbey College - North Carolina**
- **Birmingham Southern College – Alabama**
- **Cumberland University - Tennessee**
- **Edward Waters University - Florida**
- **Faulkner University - Alabama**
- **Florida Southern College - Florida**
- **Georgia Institute of Technology - Georgia**
- **Georgia Southwestern State University - Georgia**
- **Huntingdon College - Alabama**
- **Jacksonville State University - Alabama**
- **Lander University - South Carolina**
- **Lincoln Tech - Tennessee**
- **Lipscomb University - Tennessee**
- **Marion Military Institute - Alabama**
- **Maryville College - Tennessee**
- **Mercer University – Georgia**

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- **Miles College** - *Alabama*
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- **Sewanee: The University of the South** - *Tennessee*
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- **Talladega College** - *Alabama*
- **Tennessee Technological University** - *Tennessee*
- **Troy University** - *Alabama*
- **Tuskegee University** - *Alabama*
- **Union University** – *Tennessee*
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- **University of Alabama at Birmingham** – *Alabama*
- **University of Dayton** - *Ohio*
- **University of Alabama in Huntsville** - *Alabama*
- **University of Mobile** - *Alabama*
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- **University of North Alabama** - *Alabama*
- **University of South Alabama** – *Alabama*
- **University of West Alabama** – *Alabama*
- **Wofford College**- *South Carolina*
- **Alabama Community College System** – *Alabama*
- **Bevill State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Bishop State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Calhoun Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Central Alabama Community College** – *Alabama*
- **Chattahoochee Valley Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Coastal Alabama Community College** – *Alabama*
- **Drake State Community & Technical College** – *Alabama*
- **Enterprise State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Gadsden State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Jefferson State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Lawson State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Lurleen B. Wallace Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Northeast Alabama Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Northwest Shoals Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Reid State Technical College** - *Alabama*
- **Shelton State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Snead State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Southern Union State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Trenholm State Community College** - *Alabama*
- **Wallace Community College-Dothan** - *Alabama*
- **Wallace Community College-Selma** - *Alabama*
- **Wallace Community College-Hanceville** - *Alabama*

***\*See the list of required application codes and information for each participating college.***

This information is important because it helps to ensure submitted applications from *Alabama students are FREE for Alabama College Application Week*

*Alabama College Application Week* was started nine years ago to increase the overall number of students in our state applying to, and ultimately enrolling in, postsecondary education.

The *Cash for College FAFSA initiative* and *Alabama College Application Week* were combined into a single campaign (Alabama Possible) to help more K-12 students apply to college early and complete their FAFSA applications.

A key goal is to increase the number of young people, especially first-generation and low-income students, pursuing college degrees.

*Additional Information and Resources*

Students and parents can also get tips on college scholarships and much more at the Alabama Possible-Cash for College website:

<https://alabamapossible.org/programs/alabamagoestocollege/students-and-families/>

**Learn more about College Application Week** by contacting your local school counselor or ALCAC Coordinator, Dr. Monica P. Mack at 334-694-4779 or [monica.mack@ALSDE.edu](mailto:monica.mack@ALSDE.edu).

\**School Counselors*, if you have not registered your high school as a host site, please use the following link to register for this event - <https://forms.gle/qUZqtcZKpAJi7GW2A>

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Name of College/University	Name of State	Name of Contact Person	Telephone Number	Email address	Special Codes are listed in Red	Special Instructions
Alabama A and M University	Alabama	Cary Watkins	256-372-6678	cary.watkins@aamu.edu	No code is needed.	Once students reach the Signature page simply log off and the fee will be waived on the administrative side.
Alabama State University	Alabama	Freddie Williams, Jr.	334-229-4291	fwilliams@alasu.edu	No code is needed.	
Alabama State University	Alabama	Sunkeissa Cantrell	334-604-3944	scantrell@alasu.edu	No code is needed.	At the end of the application, select the option that says
Allen University	South Carolina	Walter Mathis	205-643-2680	wmathis1955@bellsouth.net	No code is needed.	
Andrew College	Georgia	Andy Geeter	229-732-5934	andygeeter@andrewcollege.edu	No code is needed.	
Athens State University	Alabama	Ashley Miller	256-233-8130	admissions@athens.edu	No code is needed.	Athens State University is an upper division transfer
Auburn University	Alabama	Hope Chamness	334-844-6433	worlekr@auburn.edu	ALCAC2021	
Auburn University at Montgomery	Alabama	Ronnie McKinney	334-244-3615	admissions@aum.edu	No code is needed.	
Belmont Abbey College	North Carolina	Lindsay-Janae Raphael	704-461-6665	lindsayjanaeraaphael@bac.edu	No code is needed.	
Bevill State Community College	Alabama	Melissa Stowe	205-387-0511	melissa.stowe@bscc.edu	No code is needed.	
Birmingham Southern College	Alabama	Leslie Snellman Jackson	205-226-4691	lsjacks1@bsc.edu	No code is needed.	
Bishop State Community College	Alabama	Britney L. Finley	251-405-7152	bfinley@bishop.edu	No code is needed.	
Calhoun Community College	Alabama	Ashley Robison	256-306-2634	ashley.robison@calhoun.edu	No code is needed.	Follow our 5 Simple Steps and create a first time user
Central Alabama Community College	Alabama	Brett Pritchard	256-215-4254	bpritchard@cacc.edu	No code is needed.	
Chattahoochee Valley Community College	Alabama	Amanda Gamble	334-291-4998	amanda.gamble@cv.edu	No code is needed.	
Coastal Alabama Community College	Alabama	Joe Beaty	251-580-2234	joe.beaty@coastalalabama.edu	No code is needed.	
Cumberland University	Tennessee	Brandon Taylor	615-547-1235	btaylor@cumberland.edu	No code is needed.	Do not pay the fee, as we cannot refund once paid. Simply
Drake State Community & Technical College	Alabama	Kia Lawrence	256-551-3109	kia.marrow@drakestate.edu	ALCAC2021	
Edward Waters University	Florida	Jabriel Slater	904-470-8205	j.slaterdelafos@ewc.edu	No code is needed.	
Enterprise State Community College	Alabama	Emily Baker	334-347-2623	ebaker@esc.edu	No code is needed.	
Faulkner University	Alabama	Mike Horn	334-386-7286	mhorn@faulkner.edu	Waiverweek	Waiverweek will be our code.
Florida Southern College	Florida	Brian Emery	863-680-3931	bemery@fsouthern.edu	No code is needed.	We are test-optional as well.
Gadsden State Community College	Alabama	Laura Swann	256-549-8263	lswann@gadsdenstate.edu	No code is needed.	
Gadsden State Community College	Alabama	Tonya Douthitt	256-439-6861	tdouthitt@gadsdenstate.edu	No code is needed.	
Georgia Institute of Technology	Georgia	Caroline Cox	404-894-4154	caroline.cox@admission.gatech.edu	No code is needed.	If you feel that your financial circumstances might qualify you for an application fee waiver, you can request one in the Common App fee waiver area of the profile section of the
Georgia Southwestern State University	Georgia	Tyler Pennington	229-815-0879	tyler.pennington@gsu.edu	No code is needed.	
Huntingdon College	Alabama	Stephanie Hicks	334-833-4497	Stephanie.hicks@hawks.Huntingdon.edu	No code is needed.	
Jacksonville State University	Alabama	Lauren Findley	256-782-5265	lsthomas@jsu.edu	ALCAC2021	
Jefferson State Community College	Alabama	Qianna Stevens	205-856-6057	qianna.stevens@jeffersonstate.edu	No code is needed.	
Lander University	South Carolina	Amanda Platt Burns	864-388-8307	aplatt@lander.edu	No code is needed.	
Lawson State Community College	Alabama	Dorian Waluyn	206-965-5809	dwaluyn@lawsonstate.edu	No code is needed.	
Lincoln Tech	Tennessee	Denise Neal	904-451-8790	dneal@lincolntech.edu	ALCAC2021	
Lipscomb University	Tennessee	Marguerite Troutman	615-571-5920	marguerite.troutman@lipscomb.edu	NBS1891	
Lurleen B. Wallace Community College	Alabama	Heather Owen	334-881-2282	howen@lbwcc.edu	No code is needed.	
Marion Military Institute	Alabama	Brittany Crawford	334-683-2382	bcrawford@marionmilitary.edu	No code is needed.	
Maryville College	Tennessee	Ryan Poole	865.981.8031	ryan.poole@maryvillecollege.edu	No code is needed.	Maryville College's free application can be found at <a href="https://www.maryvillecollege.edu/admissions/apply/">https://www.maryvillecollege.edu/admissions/apply/</a>
Mercer University	Georgia	Jena Palmer	478-301-2316	palmer_jc@mercer.edu	Code - November1	
Miles College	Alabama	Tavaris Handley	205-502-2926	thandley@miles.edu	No code is needed.	Please create a profile at <a href="https://myexperience.miles.edu">https://myexperience.miles.edu</a>
Mississippi College	Mississippi	Kaitlin Turcotte	205-810-6230	KMTurcotte@mc.edu	No code is needed.	The Undergraduate Application can be found at <a href="http://www.mc.edu/apply">www.mc.edu/apply</a> .
Northeast Alabama Community College	Alabama	Andrea Okwu	256-638-4418 ext. 2258	okwua@nacc.edu	No code is needed.	The Northeast Alabama Community College Admissions Application is available online at <a href="http://www.nacc.edu">www.nacc.edu</a>
Northwest-Shoals Community College	Alabama	Carl E. Collins	256-331-8010	carl.collins@nwsc.edu	No code is needed.	
Ohio University	Ohio	Angie Lyons	740-566-0021	lyonsa@ohio.edu	LyonsApply (not case sensitive)	
Reid State Technical College	Alabama	Melissa Stallworth	251-227-3525	melstallworth@rstc.edu	No code is needed.	

Samford University	Alabama	Elliott Dansby	205-726-2904	eodansby@samford.edu	No code is needed.	If applying via the Common App that week, use ALCAC2021 as your waiver code before submitting that application.
Sewanee: The University of the South	Tennessee	Reece Jamison	931-598-1464	rhjamiso@sewanee.edu	No code is needed.	Sewanee Application Process -
Shelton State Community College	Alabama	TJ Smith	205-391-2214	tjsmith@sheltonstate.edu	No code is needed.	
Snead State Community College	Alabama	Tristin Callahan	256-840-4219	tristin.callahan@snead.edu	No code is needed.	
Southern Union State Community College	Alabama	Amber Lovelae	334-745-6437	alovelace@suscc.edu	No code is needed.	
Spring Hill College	Alabama	Patrick Sprague	251-380-3041	psprague@shc.edu	No code is needed.	<a href="https://www.shc.edu/admissions/how-apply/">https://www.shc.edu/admissions/how-apply/</a>
Stillman College	Alabama	Mrs. Valarie Wilson	205-366-8817	vwilson@stillman.edu	No code is needed.	
Talladega College	Alabama	Joel D. Swan	251-761-6318	jswan@talladega.edu	No code is needed.	Official Transcript for ON SPOT Admissions.
Tennessee Technological University	Tennessee	Kaitlyn Daugherty	931-372-3643	kblee@tntech.edu	I will use a different waiver code.	TN Tech doesn't waive the application fee across the board. Counselors can request that any student have their app fee
Trenholm State Community College	Alabama	Valerie Porterfield	334-420-4200	vallen@trenholmstate.edu	No code is needed.	
Troy University	Alabama	Tiffani Stephens Schmidt	334-670-3179	tnstephens@troy.edu	ALCAC2021	
Tuskegee University	Alabama	Jeffrey Pierce	334-724-4828	jpierce1@tuskegee.edu	No code is needed.	
Union University	Tennessee	Brooke Elliott	731-661-5005	belliott@uu.edu	FALL22	
University of Alabama	Alabama	Jim Landres	205-348-2679	applicationstatus@ua.edu	AL22	
University of Alabama Birmingham (UAB)	Alabama	Chenise Ryan	205-934-3650	cryan@uab.edu	No code is needed.	
University of Alabama Huntsville (UAH)	Alabama	Peggy Masters	256-824-2771	peggy.masters@uah.edu	ALCAC2021	
University of Mobile	Alabama	Faith Baker	251-442-2448	fbaker@umobile.edu	ALCAC2021	
University of Montevallo	Alabama	Audrey Crawford	205-665-6030	acrawford@montevallo.edu	No code is needed.	
University of New Orleans	Louisiana	Roth Coats	504-280-6598	rcoats@uno.edu	No code is needed.	
University of North Alabama (UNA)	Alabama	Julie Taylor	256-765-4608	jayates@una.edu	No code is needed.	
University of South Alabama (USA)	Alabama	Norma Jean Tanner	251-460-6141	admiss@southalabama.edu	ALCAC2021	
University of West Alabama (UWA)	Alabama	Libba Baker	205-652-3578	lbaker@uwa.edu	ALCAC2021	
Wallace Community College - Dothan	Alabama	mcox@wallace.edu	334.556.2459	mcox@wallace.edu	No code is needed.	
Wallace Community College - Selma	Alabama	Donitha Griffin	334-876-9302	donitha.griffin@wccs.edu	No code is needed.	
Wallace State Community College	Alabama	Jennifer Hill	256-352-8032	jennifer.hill@wallacestate.edu	No code is needed.	
Wofford College	South Carolina	Mr. Spencer Thomas	864-597-4138	thomassl@wofford.edu	No code is needed.	

