UVA Advance

Summer College Experience for Talented High School Students



Four-week residential summer program for rising high school juniors and seniors

- Earn six UVA undergraduate credits
- Choose from a variety of classes
- Immerse yourself in the college experience

In addition to classes, program includes:

- College-readiness workshops
- · Field trips and excursions
- Residence in a dorm on Grounds
- Access to University of Virginia facilities and resources

I felt like I belonged in a family during this program and not just a name on a sheet of paper. The administrators and program directors went above and beyond to meet my needs, keep me entertained with all those bake-offs and fun activities, and communicate promptly." -- UVA Advance Student

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Scan for more information and to apply!

Application deadline March 15

Need-based financial aid is available

Contact: UVAadvance@virginia.edu summer.virginia.edu/uva-advance



Academic Excellence

UVA Advance students choose one of the following four core classes:

- Oceanography
- · Empowered Women of Africa
- Genocide
- Campaign and Election Politics

In addition, students take a second undergraduate class, chosen from among the summer session offerings each year. Popular classes in past years included: Economics, Astronomy, Anthropology, and Independent Lab Research





Twice-weekly college readiness workshops on topics such as:

- Study Skills
- Library Research
- College Admissions
- Student Safety
- Health & Wellness
- Education Abroad

UVA Advance students have access to University support and resources, including:

- Libraries
- Writing Center
- University dining
- University athletics facilities
- Student Health
- Student Disability Services
- University busses

Student Experience

Field Trips and Special Events



- Poplar Ridge Challenge Course
- Monticello (home of Thomas Jefferson)
- Peach picking at a local orchard
- Virginia Theater Festival play
- Optional 1-on-1 meeting with Virginia College Advising Corps
- Closing ceremony and dinner in the Dome Room of the Rotunda

Residential Life

Students reside in an airconditioned dorm on University Grounds.

The dorm is staffed with trained Resident Community Advisors who ensure student safety, facilitate community building, and coordinate informal activities such as s'mores making, movies, and spa nights



