

High School Aspirations - Spring Term 2016

Term Dates: January 19 – through May 14, 2016

APPLICATION PROCESS:

The high school student **meets with a guidance counselor** about a desire to take a university course. If deemed appropriate, the high school student, guidance counselor and parent complete the “**Application for the High School Aspirations Tuition Waiver Program**”.

If the student has recent (within 2 years) **SAT scores** those scores and the completed application are presented to University College at Rockland. If no SAT scores the student schedules to take the **Accuplacer Test** at URock. If the student scores appropriately, the form is forward to the University Registrar. Students are typically notified in December regarding enrollment in a spring term course.

The following courses are recommended for high school students wishing to register through dual enrollment at University College at Rockland in Spring Term 2016.

BIO 110 – (Lec) General Biology	Thurs 4:00 – 6:45PM
BIO 110 LAB	Thurs 7:00 – 9:45PM
CIS 110 – Introduction to Programming Concepts	Mon 4:00 – 6:45PM
COM 101 – Public Speaking	Tues 7:00 – 9:45PM
ENG 101 – College Writing	Tues 4:00 – 6:45PM
ENG 102W – Intro to Literature (prereq ENG 101)	Mon 4:00 – 6:45PM
HTY 103 – US History I	Wed 4:00 – 6:45PM
MAT 100 – Math and Its Applications	Mon 4:00 – 6:45PM
MAT 111 Algebra II	Mon 7:00 – 9:45PM
MAT 115 Elementary Statistics	Mon 7:00 – 9:45PM
PSY 100 Intro to Psychology (Prereq ENG 101)	Wed 4:00 – 6:45PM

Please Note: All HSA students must abide by University policies and procedures including those for add-drop and withdrawal. HSA enrollment is always “space available” so early registration is encouraged.

Open registration begins November 9th, 2015.

University College at Rockland, 91 Camden Street, 4th Floor, Rockland, ME 596-6906



Application for the High School Aspirations Tuition Waiver Program

The University of Maine System and the State of Maine designed the High School Aspirations Incentive Program to raise the educational aspirations of Maine students by offering them the opportunity to register for college courses at reduced tuition rates.

To qualify for the program, students must:

- be a high school junior or senior
- be a Maine resident
- have at least a "B" grade point average, or a written recommendation from high school guidance
- have permission from their high school or Adult Education program
- if under 18, have the consent of their parents or guardians
- meet course prerequisites
- provide recent SAT scores or take the university Accuplacer test

The University will waive half the tuition for up to six credits per semester. Beginning in Fall 2103, the Department of Education also will waive half the tuition for six credits per semester. If the student is enrolled in a private school, the University will waive half the tuition for up to 6 credits but the DOE offers no waiver.

Students may enroll in a maximum of six credits or two courses includes registration at multiple campuses within the UMS. However students may not take more than a total of four courses over the fall, spring, and summer semesters. The program is limited to courses taught through on-site instruction and UMA interactive television courses offered at University Centers. Developmental/non-college level courses (such as ENG 5-Basic Writing, or MAT 9-Foundations of Math) are excluded.

Completed applications will be processed in the order received and enrollment is on a space available basis. State of Maine waivers will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. The Registrar will notify students in writing whether they qualify for the program and if the Sate waiver will be applied to their account.

Policies regarding students under the age of 17:

UMA complies with Maine statutes governing compulsory participation of a student under the age of 17 in an approved educational program. In addition, the University has an obligation to preserve the rights of faculty and other students participating in its post-secondary educational programs. Completion of Sections 4 and 5 of this application is required for compliance.

Please send the completed form to:

University College at Rockland
91 Camden Street, Ste. 402
Rockland, ME 04841
Fax: (207) 594-2938



**UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT AUGUSTA
HSA APPLICATION**

Please Note: This form has sections which need to be completed by the Student, Parent/Guardian and High School Guidance.

STUDENT SECTION: (completed by student-applicant, Please Print)

Name: _____
Last First Middle Maine State ID#

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yy) ____/____/____ Telephone: _____ ME Resident? Yes No

Primary Email: _____

CURRENT HS or ADULT ED INFORMATION: (completed by student-applicant, Please Print)

Current High School/Adult Education Program: _____

Name of District/RSU/SAD _____ Tel: _____

COURSE REGISTRATION INFORMATION: (completed by student-applicant, Please Print)

Select semester when you will be taking course(s): Fall Spring Summer Year _____

Class # Subject & Course # Course Title Day/Time

PARENT/GUARDIAN SECTION: (completed by parent/guardian)

- I give permission to my child to enroll in courses at the University of Maine at Augusta.
- I understand that class content and conduct, designed for adult students, is not altered to meet the needs of a younger learner.

The following statements apply only to students applying for the High School Aspirations Tuition Waiver.

- I request the special tuition waiver under the High school Aspirations Initiative Program.
- I agree to accept responsibility for paying tuition and fees that are not covered by the waiver. I understand that if funds are available the state will subsidize up to 50% of the first three credits. I understand that I will be responsible for payment if the University does not receive State funding.

SIGNATURES:

- I give permission to the University of Maine at Augusta to release my transcript to my high school, and to discuss my Registration and grades with my parents or guardians for the purpose of assisting me in my enrollment at UMA.

(Signature of student) (Signature of parent/guardian*) Date

*Students registered in Adult Education Program do not require approval of parent/guardian

HIGH SCHOOL SECTION: High School Approval (completed & signed by High School Guidance/Adult Education)

The applicant has this high school's permission to attend UMA YES NO

The following two questions apply only to students applying for the High School Aspirations Tuition Waiver.

The applicant's most recent High School GPA is a B or higher YES NO

The applicant is a high school junior or senior YES NO Expected Graduation Date: _____

Signature of Principal, Guidance Counselor or Adult Education Director or Counselor _____ Date _____

Title: _____ Telephone (____) _____ - Email: _____

UMA Registrar has Approved Disapproved Signature: _____

High School Aspirations Checklist

- Apply for the Aspirations Program** through your high school guidance counselor and return the form to the URock front office.
- Sign up and Take the Accuplacer Placement Test.**
- Complete a Transcript Request Form.** Complete this form and check the **HOLD for Current Semester** box. This way your college grade will automatically transfer to your high school so you'll also get high school credit.
- Obtain the CRN/Course ID Number from URock.** This number allows you to order the correct book(s) for your class.
- Purchase Books-** Books may be purchased through the UMA bookstore's website at www.umabookstore.com/ or by calling 1-800-621-0083. Be sure to use that Course ID #!
- Activate your University EMAIL account.**
 - Get your activation code from the front office.
 - Go to www.mail.maine.edu and follow the activation steps.
 1. **Blackboard.** Many classes use this instructional platform to enhance class work. Access this program and take the tutorial that is available at www.learn.maine.edu/crs/blackboard.php
- Sign up for Your Library Card at** www.learn.maine.edu/ocls/



Remember that if you decide to stop attending a class, you must follow the University's add-drop procedures.

Help is always available at the URock front office: 596-6906.