Students interested in volunteering for the 2016 Welcome to Towson program should review the qualifications, responsibilities, benefits & important deadlines/dates.

Applications can be found by clicking on the following link: https://goo.gl/rVbfSQ

Qualifications
The basic requirements for Welcome to Towson volunteers include:
• Current enrollment in undergraduate or graduate courses
• Minimum 2.5 GPA and good disciplinary standing
• Availability for all training sessions
• Availability for Move-In Day, Thursday, August 25, 2016
• Availability for First Year Experience (FYE) Advising Day, Friday, August 26, 2016

Responsibilities
Welcome to Towson Volunteers will:
• Serve as a “First Year Experience Student Assistant” during First Year Experience Advising Day on Friday August 26. Duties to include but are not limited to:
  o Lead icebreaker/mingling activities during FYE session (if requested by instructor)
  o During FYE session, demonstrate Peoplesoft tools such as:
    ➢ Student Center
    ➢ Add/Drop/Swap
    ➢ Academic Requirements Report
  o During FYE session, share student perspective on issues such as:
    ➢ Academic support on campus and other student support services (Academic Achievement Center, Counseling Center, etc.)
    ➢ Time management and other elements of academic success
    ➢ Campus involvement
    ➢ Campus communications (importance of TU email, T3, etc.)
  o During FYE session, lead activities and/or discussions with group while instructor is meeting with individual students; sample discussion topics:
    ➢ Best places to study on campus
    ➢ Top 5 things freshmen should do at TU
    ➢ What you know now that you wish you had known as a freshman
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Responsibilities (continued)

• Serve as a “Move-In Crew” volunteer during move-in day on Thursday, August 25. Duties to include but are not limited to:
  o Greet new students/families and provide direction as it relates to identifying their assigned residence hall and move in procedures.
  o Assist new student/families with move in from 7:30am – 4:30pm.
    ➢ Specific duties will be communicated by the Department of Housing & Residence Life.

*Serving as a “Move-In Crew” volunteer is a condition for moving in early. Off-campus volunteers are not required to participate in Move-In day but are strongly encouraged to.

Benefits

• Early Move-In for on-campus volunteers
• Free Towson t-shirts
• Networking opportunities
• Leadership experience
• Meals provided during training and volunteer days
• VIP access to Welcome to Towson Pep Rally, August 26 time to be announced.

Important Dates & Deadlines

• Applications must be submitted Monday, April 25 by 5:00pm
• Volunteer decisions will be sent to applicants via e-mail Friday, May 6 by 5:00pm
• Early Move-In for on-campus volunteers: August 24 time to be announced
• Volunteer training: August 24 time to be announced.
• New Student Move-In: August 25, 7:30am-4:30pm
• FYE Advising Day: August 26, 11:30am -4:30pm