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### ALABAMA STUDENTS APPLYING TO COLLEGE NEXT WEEK WITH NO FEES!

This Special Statewide Application Event is Being Held February 24 –28, 2025

**Montgomery, Ala.** – Next week, high school students will have the opportunity to participate in our Spring 2025 College Application Campaign on February 24 – 28, 2025. This is an extension of the event that was held in October 2024 for thousands of high school seniors.

"During our college application campaign held in October, we had over 26,000 seniors across the state apply to colleges and universities. Due to the success of this campaign, colleges and universities have agreed to host another event for students" said Alabama College Application Campaign (ALCAC) Coordinator, Dr. Monica P. Mack. "Students that did not apply to a college or university during the initial campaign are encouraged to participate in this event."

# 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, Spring 2025, to submit their applications to institutions at no cost:

- Alabama A&M University Alabama
- Alabama State University Alabama
- Allen University South Carolina
- Auburn University at Montgomery Alabama
- Brenau University Georgia
- Florida Southern College Florida
- Fort Valley State University Georgia
- Georgia Gwinnett College Georgia
- Georgia Southwestern State University Georgia
- Huntingdon College Alabama
- Jacksonville State University Alabama
- Lincoln Tech Tennessee
- Lipscomb University Tennessee
- Maryville College Tennessee
- Mercer University Georgia
- Miles College Alabama
- Mississippi College Mississippi
- Mississippi University for Women Mississippi
- South Carolina State University South Carolina
- Spring Hill College Alabama
- Stillman College Alabama

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- Talladega College Alabama
- Troy University Alabama
- Tuskegee University Alabama
- Union University Tennessee
- University of Alabama Alabama
- University of Alabama Birmingham Alabama
- University of Alabama in Huntsville Alabama
- University of Mobile Alabama
- University of Montevallo Alabama
- University of North Alabama Alabama
- University of South Alabama Alabama
- University of West Alabama Alabama
- University of West Florida Florida
- Alabama Community College System Alabama
- Bevill State Community College Alabama
- Bishop State Community College Alabama
- Calhoun Community College Alabama
- Central Alabama Community College Alabama
- Coastal Alabama Community College Alabama
- Drake State Community and Technical College Alabama
- Gadsden State Community College Alabama
- Lawson State Community College Alabama
- Lurleen B. Wallace Community College Alabama
- Northeast Alabama Community College Alabama
- Northwest Alabama Community College Alabama
- Reid State Technical College Alabama
- Shelton State Community College Alabama
- Wallace Community College-Dothan 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 during the *Alabama College Application Campaign*:

## Alabama College Application Campaign February 2025

The Alabama College Application Campaign was started over ten years ago to increase the number of students in our state applying to, and ultimately enrolling in, postsecondary education.

The Cash for College FAFSA initiative and Alabama College Application Campaign were combined into a single campaign (Alabama Goes to College) 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-familes/

**Learn more about College Application Campaign** by contacting your local school counselor or ALCAC Coordinator, Dr. Monica P. Mack at 334-694-4768 or <a href="mailto:monica.mack@ALSDE.edu">monica.mack@ALSDE.edu</a>

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