ETSU Upward Bound



Fall 2023 Oct. 30, 2023

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Upward Bound staff has been working hard this semester to recruit and interview potential new students at all schools across the program. As this process nears completion, we are beginning to welcome over 65 new students into the Upward Bound family.

Current UB students are encouraged to welcome new students into the program as you may see them at the check-in table and later on the November 20 session. Students that are new to the program may be nervous or shy so please encoruage their involvement in the program through check-ins, trips, sessions, and other events that we will having going on throughout the year.

UB Welcoming New **Students**

Community Service Information

Serve at a soup kitchen, volunteers are always welcome to help serve food and cook meals. For some people, a meal at a soup kitchen may be the only food they have for the day.

You also may be asked to greet regular patrons and welcome newcomers to the facility. A soup kitchen gives you the opportunity to accept people at various stages of thier life. This can be a rewarding way to connect with veterns, elderly, parents, and children in your community. The Melting Pot at Munsey Church in Johnson City provides a Shephard's Breakfast every Saturday morning to those in need and are always looking for volunteers to serve in various roles.

For more information go to meltingpotic.org or email john.redmond@munsey.org

Emily Grater (gratere@etsu.edu) - Johnson County High School Jessi Nicely (nicelyi@etsu.edu) - West Ridge High School Phil Blevins (belvinspe@etsu.edu) - Unaka High School and Happy Valley High

Brandon Pennington (pennington@etsu.edu) - Elizabethton High School Lisa Cross (crossIm@etsu.edu) - Science Hill High School, Dobyns-Bennett High School, and D-B Excel

Aimee Murray (murrayam 1@etsu.edu) - Hampton High School and Sullivan East Hiah School

Amanda Worley (worleya@etsu.edu) - TN High School, Cloudland High School, and Unicoi County High School

UB Staff Info

BIRTHDAYS

Hope Conover - 10/31 Kristopher Self - 10/31 Layken Blair - 11/1 Dani Lingerfelt - 11/1 Haley Smith - 11/1 Kenzie Oliver - 11/2

UPCOMING EVENTS



Fall Monday Sessions

November 20

Community Service Day

November 11 Second Harvest Food Bank, Johnson City TN. More details TBA.

UTK/Maryville Trip

November 27 Waiting List Started!



The Michael Myers mask was originally the mask of who? Sent answers to Amanda (worleya@etsu.edu)

Last week's answer: Tootsie Rolls (last week's winner: Elisha Jones)



Senior Scholarship Information

Institutional Scholarship Applications

Most of the local community colleges and universities will offer incoming Freshmen students the opportunity complete a single application to apply for scholarships at the institution. Some of the Scholarship Application Details are Below:

- Northeast State Community College (application opening soon)
- East Tennessee State University (application currently open, priority deadline December 15)
- University of Tennessee at Knoxville (early action deadline November 1)







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Austin Peay State University is a public university that has served students since 1927 with six colleges, two schools and 28 departments serving 11,000 students.

Austin Peay State University is located in Clarksville, TN the fifth largest and statistically youngest populated city in the state.



Graduation Rate: 42% Acceptance Rate: 93%

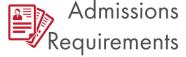


Notable Alumni from Austin Peay include: fomer baseball catcher AJ Ellis, former pro-basketball palyer Trenton Hassell, US Congressman Phil Roe, basketball coach Bubba Wells, Lt. Gen. (ret.) Ronald Bailey for the U.S. Marine Corp.

Tuition & Scholarships



In-state-tuition 2023-2024 Year: \$8,431 per semester, not counting room/board, books, and other personal expenses. Austin Peay offers numerous scholarships with a 1 and done scholarships application (open until Feb. 1, 2024) and participates in the TN HOPE scholarships.



Austin Peay State University's admission requirements for entering freshmen includes complete of all prep coursework and one of the following:

• GPA of 2.85 OR ACT of 20 or higher

For more information contact Admissions at 931-221-7661 or email admissions@apsu.edu