



WELCOME!

High School Counselor Advisory Board

October 29, 2020





AGENDA

Welcome & UA Updates

Kim Gentile, Director of Admissions

College of Engineering and Polymer Sciences

Dr. Julie Zhao, Assistant Dean

Jordan Brlan, Assistant Director

Question & Answer

2021 APPLICATION PROCESS

1

Complete the admission application at: uakron.edu/apply or commonapp.org

2

Submit supplemental materials

- High School Transcript
- ACT/SAT- test optional for 2021

Due to COVID-19, The University of Akron has made submitting test scores optional as part of its holistic review of applications for the 2021 admissions cycle. Would you like to be reviewed for admission and scholarship consideration without test scores? Yes No

- \$50 Application fee automatically waived for all 2021 high school students

3

Student materials are reviewed and an admission decision is made

4

Students that apply for admission to UA and submit their FAFSA by Dec 1, will receive a \$500 scholarship for the 1st year

AFFORDABILITY



- **Automatic:**

- **UA Tuition Guarantee Program** for Ohio Residents
- **Akron Guarantee Scholarship**
- **Akron Advantage Award** for Out-of-State Students
- **December 1 Early App \$500**

- **Apply For Additional Scholarships:**

- Underrepresented Student Scholarship
 - Academic College Scholarships
 - Private/Named Scholarship
 - Choose Ohio First (STEM)
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www.uakron.edu/scholarships



OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS TO ENGAGE WITH UA

- www.uakron.edu/visit
 - In Person Visits- General Information Session and Campus Tour
 - Registration is limited to the student and 1 guest
 - Limited to no more than 10 total guests
 - Virtual Special Topic Sessions: Academic specific, Office of Multicultural Development, OARS, and more
 - Financial Aid Assistance- November 10, November 23, and December 16
 - Virtual Fall Visit Day- Saturday, November 14th 10:00am- noon
 - Welcome
 - Current Student Panel
 - Academic Breakout Rooms

OTHER UA UPDATES



- College of Business Speaker Series
 - Link to request is located on www.uakron.edu/counselors
 - Anticipate Financial Aid Award Offers in February
 - What else can we do to help you, your students, and families?
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Thank you and GO Zips!

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