

FIRST-YEAR SEMINAR FELLOWS

Peer Mentor Opportunities for Fall 2024



What is a First-Year Seminar Fellow?

The First-Year Seminar program promotes the success of new students at YCP by helping them acquire college-level academic skills, engage meaningfully with other students and faculty, and become integrated into the campus community.

A Fellow attends one of the fall FYS classes, each week, serving as an academic mentor, a model of classroom and campus engagement, and a guide to help students find information and services.

Fellows also serve as assistants to their FYS course instructor, meet with other Fellows in discussion groups, and offer fun campus events for students.

Through their work, Fellows develop their own professional competencies in leadership, mentoring, and communications.

A successful Fellow brings to the position their desire to support the success of new YCP students, interest in developing a professional relationship with a faculty mentor, high competence in personal organization and task management, and an overall attitude of growth, learning, and enthusiasm.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

GRADE OF 3.5 OR 4.0 IN FYS 100/101/110

GPA 3.0 WITH CLEAN CONDUCT RECORD

SOPH OR JUNR STANDING BY FALL 2024

AVAILABLE TO WORK 6 HOURS PER WEEK (\$10.00/HOUR), INCLUDING ATTENDING AN FYS CLASS

AVAILABLE TO ATTEND WEEKLY TRAINING SESSIONS IN MARCH/APRIL 2024

AVAILABLE TO ATTEND ACTIVITIES WITH FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS DURING FALL ORIENTATION WEEKEND

STRONG RECOMMENDATION FROM YOUR FYS 100 PROFESSOR

Interested? Tell your FYS instructor and FYS Fellow that you want to apply this November.

See what previous Fellows have said about their experience:



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