



THE UNIVERSITY OF UTAH

Parent Fund

2015/2016 Areas of Support

Block U Program

- A first-year learning community in which students enroll in a set schedule of select courses that explore important contemporary questions regardless of major or career track.

Career Services

- Suit Up work attire program – provides interview appropriate clothing to low-income students upon fulfilling set requirements.
- Career Treks program – student visits to industry-specific organizations throughout Salt Lake City, helping to identify opportunities for internships and employment and solidify career interests.

Center for Child Care and Family Resources

- Scholarships to defray the cost of childcare for low-income students.

Counseling Center

- Provides Alternative Fall Break opportunities for first-generation students.
- Provides therapy, classes, and trainings to University of Utah students, faculty and staff.

Honors College

- Pre-Nursing Track – a four-year program designed to support students committed to careers in nursing.
- Support for second-year students in the Honors Access and Leadership Program.

LEAP Program

- Scholarship funding for outstanding LEAP students.

Lowell Bennion Community Service Center

- Leadership Skills Workshop Series – training student program leaders to work effectively in student-directed community programs.

MUSE Project

- MUSE Scholars Program – a community of students dedicated to the intellectual inquiry and cultural exchange found at the heart of the college experience.

New University Scholars

- ULEAD Program – developing emerging leaders with opportunities for involvement in peer mentoring, workshops, and conferences.



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Office of Engagement

- Beacon Scholars Program – scholarship funding for underrepresented and financial need students.
- Education Pathways Program – partners with the Mountain View/Glendale Community Learning Center to provide academic planning support for individuals interested in attending the University of Utah
- Field Trip Program – brings underrepresented K-12 students to campus to learn about opportunities at the University of Utah.

Orientation & Leadership Development

- Picture Your First Year Program – first-year students document their personal transition from high school to college through art which is then featured in a gallery at the Utah Museum of Fine Arts.
- Swoop Camps – an orientation program designed to help ease the transition for new first-year students to the University of Utah.
- Moms and Dads Nights
- Transfer Tuesdays – workshops designed to support incoming transfer students in their first semester at the U.
- Off-site New Student Orientations at the Bountiful, Murray and St. George satellite campuses.
- Translated printed orientation materials - brochures, Parent Handbook, and academic calendar.

Personal Money Management Center

- Financial Education Series: How to Eat Well on a Budget

Student Success and Empowerment Initiative

- Empowers students to make the most of their University of Utah education through advising and clarifying interests and goals.

TRIO Program

- Peer Mentor Program - Improves students' academic skills while simultaneously creating a sense of belonging.

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program

- Provides student research funds.

University College

- Mandatory Advising Program – provides advising videos and information handouts
- UExplore Open Houses – provides information on majors and areas of study to undeclared students



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Women's Enrollment Initiative

- Seeks to improve recruitment, retention and graduation rates for women university-wide.

Women's Resource Center

- Emergency Funds – supports students who encounter financial emergencies and are at risk of dropping out.