



ELON ACADEMY

FEBRUARY 2025 NEWSLETTER



We look forward to seeing all of our Scholars at the next Saturday Program on **February 22, 2025**. Scholars should arrive at the Koury Business Center (KOBC) by 8:45 AM and bring their Phoenix Card for check-in. Please work with your student to arrive on time. We have had an increase in late arrivals recently which impacts the program, and need your help to ensure everyone has a good experience from the very start! After check-in, scholars will gather in KOBC 101 for the morning meeting at 9:00 AM. This will be a student ONLY program for all cohorts.



ACT & SAT Reminders - Sophomores take the PSAT and/or Pre-ACT this year and send these to Coach Rob. Juniors take the SAT and ACT, and be sure to send your scores to Gaby. Scholars should connect with their high school guidance counselor to learn more about fee waivers.



At our January Saturday Program:

- Sophomores learned ways they could get involved in college, discussed the importance of find your community in college, and took a tour of the Elon University Mosely Student Center to learn more about college life.
- Juniors finalized their scholarship plans, explored their individual identities, and learned the importance of building a killer resume. For homework, they were tasked with creating a rough draft of their resume and register for the SAT or ACT!
- Seniors were re-introduced to Manny Campos (Assistant Director of College Success), talked about motivation, college alignment, scholarships and took a crash course on interview prep. All seniors need to keep their college tracker updated, so we can provide the best support possible!



Recruitment for our Upsilon Scholars program closed on January 31, 2025. We want to express our sincere gratitude for your ongoing support and assistance with our recruitment efforts. Thank you again for your invaluable contribution!

We are delighted to report that our Elon Academy Scholars have over 240 college acceptances and we are still counting!



Elon Day is Thursday, March 6, 2024, and it's a day of giving that brings the global Elon community together to support students through contributions to various university designations, including Elon Academy. We kindly ask that Scholars take a moment to reflect on their experience with Elon Academy and write a brief thank-you message to our generous donors. Scholars can email their thank-you message to elonacademy@elon.edu by March 1, 2025. Please note, Scholars' email addresses will not be shared. We will print out their messages and forward them to our donors on their behalf. If you would like to help support Elon Academy, share a message, or be an Elon Day Champion, be sure to send us an email. Thank you for your support!



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REMINDERS

Mark Your Calendar



- Remaining Saturday Programs
 - February 22, 2025 - All Scholars
 - March 15, 2025 - All Scholars
 - April 12, 2025 - All Scholars
- President's Reception
 - May 7, 2025
 - 5:00PM to 6:00PM
- Summer Program
 - June 15 to July 3, 2025

CAT Mentor Meetings



- Continue through the months of February, March and April.
- We encourage all scholars to respond promptly to their CAT Mentor.

Academic Coaching



- All scholars are encouraged to take advantage of our complimentary academic coaching, which is provided by trained Elon students in core subjects: Math, English, Science, and History.
 - To request a coach, please contact Ms. Gaby Vazquez at gvazquez3@elon.edu

Elon Day: A Moment of Thanks!



- We invite scholars to pause and reflect on their Elon Academy experience by writing a heartfelt thank-you message to our generous donors. **Please send your note to elonacademy@elon.edu by March 6, 2025.** Let's show our gratitude and make Elon Day unforgettable!
- Although the Elon Academy was launched by Elon University, the program is not funded through tuition dollars. The sustainability of the Academy is dependent on the generosity of individuals, businesses, and foundations.

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