



The University of Arizona
Freshman Class Council Application
2017-2018

Freshman Class Council (FCC) is an organization within the University of Arizona's student government, The Associated Students of the University of Arizona (ASUA). Since 1913, ASUA has been committed to providing a voice for university students.

The Freshman Class Council seeks to further this mission by extending an opportunity for freshman to get involved. The Freshman Class Council provides an outlet to the incoming Wildcats to make new friends, get involved on campus and learn more about The University of Arizona. This is an organization built on deep friendships that develop through constant interaction in philanthropic events, outreach opportunities, and University of Arizona spirit. Involvement on campus provides a sense of community and a home to many students, and FCC is an excellent venue for that involvement.

Thank you for your interest in the Freshman Class Council and if you have any questions please check <http://fcc.asua.arizona.edu>, or send us an email! Also, be sure to like our Facebook page (@FCC20172018) where you will receive notifications about upcoming events & deadlines. Being a part of FCC opened so many doors for us during our first year of college. Congratulations on making the first step in enriching your UA experience.

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Application Information:

All applications must be received by **12 P.M. NOON on Friday, September 8th, 2017.**

Please drop off your application in person at the ASUA office located on the third level of the Student Union Memorial Center above the BookStore before noon, the office opens at 9 a.m.- 6pm M-Th; 9am -5pm Fri

OR

You may send your application to the following address:

The Freshman Class Council

Re: Application

ASUA, Bldg 19 Suite 325W

Tucson, AZ 85721

Notification about FCC interviews will be sent out the following week by email. So, be sure to include an email address that you check regularly, preferably your university email account.

Application Components:

I. Personal Information (fill in and include this sheet or copy onto another piece of paper)

Full Name _____

Student ID # _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Home State _____

High School Attended _____

Intended Major _____

Cumulative H.S. GPA (unweighted) _____

II. Activities Sheet

Please submit a list of all high school activities, community service, work experience and honors/awards and include dates of involvement. Résumé style is an option, but not required . Limit this sheet to one page maximum.

III. Creative Cover Page

This is the part of the application that you can express who you are, so get creative and design an 8.5" x 11" cover sheet for your application. Include elements of your favorite activities (Music? Sports? Art? Friends?) and parts of your personality (Spunky? Determined? Outgoing?) and let them loose on your cover page! Please make sure that your Student I.D. Number is written on the back.

IV. Essays

Limit each answer to **200** words (short and sweet is perfectly fine!). Please make sure to write your Student I.D. Number on any additional pages you might include in your application.

Section A: Please answer the following essay question.

1. What do you expect to gain from FCC, and how do you think you can contribute to the FCC as one of its members this year?

Section B: Please answer 2 of the following 4 essay questions.

1. FCC is comprised of some of the most spirited students on UA's campus. We pride ourselves on our community and learning about UA's traditions and history. Please write a short poem or story about why you chose to attend the U of A.

2. One of the objectives of the FCC is to work as a group to reach out to the freshman class on behalf of ASUA. Please describe how you have contributed to a team or an organization, and how that experience has impacted you?
3. FCC members work together throughout the year to volunteer both in the U of A and Tucson communities. Tell us a time that you've given back to your community, as well as give one idea of how a large group like FCC can give back to the community.
4. FCC is a wonderful freshman transition program where you can learn so much about the UofA while meeting some of your very best friends. Please explain what friendship means to you, and qualities you look for in a good friend.

V. Object that represents you*

Choose some sort of object to accompany your application, which **must** fit in a standard 10"x13" manila envelope (without manipulating the envelope) and include an explanation (150 words maximum) of why you chose that object and how it describes you. Do not use liquids, food, perishable items, etc. Items that do not fit in the envelope will not be accepted.

*** Please note: No part of your application will be returned. Plan accordingly.**

Checklist for Complete Application

- 10"x 13" Manila envelope
- Personal Information filled out
 - Activities Page
 - Creative Cover Page
 - Section A Essay
 - Section B Essays *Pick 2*
 - 3-D object with description

Important Please insert your application and your 3-D Object into one 10"x13" manila envelope and put your Student I.D. Number on the front of the envelope. Be sure your application is submitted by **12 o'clock noon** at the ASUA front desk on **Friday, September 8th**. **Late applications will not be accepted!**

Creativity is ENCOURAGED. Feel free to be as creative as you want on your application by decorating each page! The more creative you are on your application the better we get to see your personality!

SAVE THE DATES:

Wednesday, August 30 : First FCC Mixer where you will be able to meet alumni and ask any questions you have. Location The Fix Mac n Cheese Headquarters 6pm-9pm

Sunday, September 13th: Second mixer for those applicants that have been selected for interviews. This gives us a chance to get to know you a little more. Location TBD

September 14th-September 19th: If selected for interview, applicants must sign up for a slot within these days. (Details will be included in email)

We look forward to seeing all of your applications and wish you the best of luck with your freshman year! Welcome to the University of Arizona!

Bear Down

- Andrea Gauthier & Auggie Mustillo