**2011 Orientation Leaders**

UMW is looking for a few good students to assist in the transition of next year’s new students to college life here at Mary Washington. Being an Orientation Leaders is a great way to get involved, to give back to Mary Washington, learn important leadership skills, and to develop new friendships that will last a life time.

Being an Orientation Leader comes with some great perks, here are a few:

* Move back to your Resident Hall early and beat the rush of upper classmen move in.
* Get Free T-shirts, a Water Bottle, and other cool Orientation Swag
* Develop leadership skills that will help you in the future
* Work closely with members of the UMW Administration

Yet, with great power, comes great responsibility. Orientation Leaders are asked to uphold the following standards:

* Attendance at a mandatory meeting on **Sunday March 13, 2011 from 1pm to 4pm.**
* Returning to campus for fall semester the week before classes start

(**Sunday August 21, 2011**)

* Lead a selected group of approximately 10 new students
* Attend mandatory training **August 22 and 23, 2011**
* Assisting in the completion of scheduled Orientation Week programs
* Assisting new students move into the Residence Halls on Wednesday, **August 24, 2011**
* Attendance at **ALL** Orientation Week events with student group members
* Maintain contact with new students throughout the summer, beginning with the initial receipt of their contact information.

Serving as an Orientation Leader is a great opportunity to contribute to the UMW community. It is a rewarding experience for you and a chance to show new students how UMW can be called home.

If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Student Activities and Community Services (OSACS) at x1061 or osacs@umw.edu.

 All applications must be returned in full to OSACS, in the basement of Seacobeck or emailed to osacs@umw.edu, by **Friday, February 18, 2011.**

Thank you so much for your interest.

**2011 Orientation Leader Application**

**(Please Write Legibly)**

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| Name |  | Banner Number: |  |
| Hall / Room # Or Local Address |  |
| Summer Address |  |
| Campus Box Number |  | Phone Number |  |
| E-mail Address |  | Year |  |
| Area of Study |  | T-Shirt Size: | **[ ]** S **[ ]**  M **[ ]**  L **[ ]** XL **[ ]** XXL |
| Clubs you’re involved in: |  |
| **[ ]** Resident **[ ]**  Commuter  |  Are you a Transfer Student? | **[ ]** Yes **[ ]** No |
| Which group you would prefer: **[ ]** Transfer **[ ]** Freshmen **[ ]**  EitherWould you be interested in volunteering for Family Weekend (Sept. 23-25): [ ]  Yes [ ]  No |
| Who referred you to be an Orientation Leader: |  |

Please answer the following questions typed on no more than two separate sheets of paper and attach.

* How would you describe UMW to someone who has never been here?
* Why do you want to be an Orientation Leader?What makes you qualified to be an Orientation Leader?
* Choose one of the club/activities you are involved in and explain why you got involved and what it is about the club/activity that makes you continue to be involved**.**
* You’ve been through orientation at least once, what still needs improved upon?

**(more on the next sheet)**

To assist with recruitment, please provide five names of UMW students who you feel would be good Orientation Leaders (no former Orientation Leaders).

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**Please provide the names of two people who may serve as references for you, including one non-student and one student.**

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