

Peer Adviser Position Description:

The Peer Advisers are selected to assist the Orientation Coordinators and the Office of Campus Life in providing a smooth delivery of the August orientation programs and to assist new students with their successful transition into the Clark Community. Peer Advisers are responsible for: Assisting in the delivery of the August orientation programs for new students. Participating in Spring and Summer Peer Adviser training meetings. Training involves attending meetings during the spring semester and returning to Clark at least two weeks prior to Week One in August. Serving as a resource person for new students and other Peer Advisers during all parts of the Clark orientation programs and throughout the following academic year.

Qualifications:

Must be enrolled as a full-time, registered student in the University's Undergraduate Academic Program throughout the course of employment.

- Must be in good academic standing with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5.
- Must have completed a minimum of two full semesters of undergraduate coursework (at least one being at Clark).
- Must be in satisfactory disciplinary status as determined by the Director of Residence Life. Students on Disciplinary Probation cannot serve as Resident Advisers.

Peer Advisers develop and refine a wide variety of personal skills such as program planning and development, communication, team building, group dynamics, problem solving, crisis intervention, public speaking, and personnel management. Being a PA also helps to expand your Clark network, including fellow students, faculty, and staff. Additionally, being a PA makes a tremendous difference in the lives of new Clarkies and impacts a critical part of the Clark experience.