FIRST SCHOLARSHIP
University of North Alabama

In support of the FIRST mission, the University of North Alabama has established a merit-based scholarship for high school seniors who have actively competed on a FIRST team during their high school career. University of North Alabama is offering a $2,000/year scholarship to full-time, undergraduate student:

CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBILITY:
Graduating senior in high school
Participate on a FIRST Robotics Competition (FRC) team or a FIRST Tech Challenge (FTC) team
Apply and be accepted to the University of North Alabama
Although priority will be given to Engineering Technology majors, the scholarship is open to all STEM majors.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:
For scholarship consideration, all interested students must complete and submit the following by April 1 of their senior year.
• FIRST Scholarship Application
• Submit a one-page, double-spaced essay addressing the following topic: “Describe your participation in FIRST and how FIRST has influenced your career choice.”
• Provide one letter of recommendation from an adult leader of your FIRST team

TERMS:
The scholarship will be awarded starting with your initial fall semester at the University of North Alabama. Your scholarship may be renewed for up to three additional years for a total of 8 semesters. Renewal eligibility is based on a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA and 27 credit hours per year while attending the University of North Alabama (https://www.una.edu/financial-aid/terms--conditions.html)

Please direct questions to: Amanda Sherrod
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Florence, AL 35632
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FIRST SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE:

PERSONAL INFORMATION: SID # (L-number): _________________________

First Name _________________________________ Last Name _________________________________

Home Address:
_____________________________________________________________________________________
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Telephone (_____) _______________ E-mail Address _________________________________________

High School ___________________________________________ Current GPA __________

ACT Composite Score ____________

FIRST Program: FTC FRC Years of FIRST Participation ______________________________

FIRST Team Number______________________ FIRST Team Name _________________________

FIRST Team Adult Mentor/Coach Name ________________________________________________

Intended College Major: __________________________________________________________________

Signature: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

Application Submission and Questions
Your FIRST Scholarship Application and materials must be received by April 1. Please submit your application materials to:
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**Email applications preferred