T*he University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Acadia University is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from Indigenous people, African Nova Scotians, persons with disabilities, visible minorities, women, and persons of any minority sexual orientation or gender identity. Consistent with the principles of employment equity, the primary criterion for appointment to a position is qualifications and professional excellence.*

We are excited to see you are interested in becoming a Residence Assistant (RA) for the 2022-2023 academic year. Residence Assistants gain valuable experiences, knowledge, and skills that serve you well in your personal and professional life. The RA role consists of supervising and assisting undergraduate students in adapting to residence and university life.

Along with the application, each new RA candidate must provide a Reference Letter as well as the name and contact information of a secondary reference. References that are accepted for this application are: a current Resident Assistant (RA), Senior Resident Assistant (SRA), Acadia Staff member or a community member (ie. Previous/ current employer, personal trainer, coach, mentor, professor etc.). Letters of reference can submitted [here](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=7sy4OP2s60CXLlUtfNVIo0QMLSBiMpdMh03ewYFDhm1UMVAwU0NTNFJHVkVVVE5LS0VMQTNMVDVBOC4u) and must be in by 4:30pm on the closing date.

A requirement of this position is to maintain a GPA of 2.5 whilst employed with Residence Life. Please provide proof of your GPA by submitting an unofficial transcript with your application, that can be found online on the MyAcadia [website](https://collss.acadiau.ca/).

Further requirements include having lived in Residence for at least one full semester.

Your application must include:

* Application form
* Resume
* Cover Letter
* Contact for secondary references
* Copy of unofficial transcript
* Creative submission

**Applications are due: January 14th by 4:30 and can be submitted** [**here**](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=7sy4OP2s60CXLlUtfNVIo0QMLSBiMpdMh03ewYFDhm1UQVE3WExWMlpRVjlVOEE1NVg3SjdOMDYxWC4u)

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **First Name:** |  | **Last Name:** |  |
| **Acadia Student Number:** |  | **Acadia Email:** |  |
| **Address:**(Current Residence & Room #) |  | **Phone number:** |  |
| **What will your class status be during the academic year for which you wish to be considered?**Please note: Only applicants for both Fall and Winter semesters will be considered at this time.  |
|  |

|  |
| --- |
| [ ]  Second Year[ ]  Third Year[ ]  Fourth Year[ ]  Fifth Year or Above |
| **Please rank your assignment preferences.** *Note that you will be considered as a potential candidate for ALL residences. However, we will take your preferences into account when assigning your position\** |
| *All your answers must be different, and you must rank in order. Please number each box in order of preference from 1 to 8*\_\_\_ Chase Court\_\_\_ Crowell Tower\_\_\_ Cutten House\_\_\_ Dennis House\_\_\_ Eaton, Christofor and Roy Jodrey\_\_\_ Seminary House\_\_\_ War Memorial House\_\_\_ Whitman House |

Is there a building you do not think you would be successful in.
\*We understand that male identifying students cannot be placed in Whitman house.

**Long Answer:
Why do you want to be a Resident Assistant?**

|  |
| --- |
|  |

**What do you see as the roll of a RA in residence?**

|  |
| --- |
|  |

 **What makes you a strong candidate for the RA position?**

|  |
| --- |
|  |

**From your perspective, what are some of the most important aspects of the RA position? Your answer can include, but is not limited to: Personal, team, or building related features?**

|  |
| --- |
|  |

**Would you be interested in RAing in a building that was educationally focused. YES NO**

**Creative Submission**

Please describe to us “what does Residence mean to you?” This is to show our hiring committee how you express yourself. This submission can be a poster, poem, video, art piece or any other form of self-expression. Once completed, upload to the form with completed application. If you are including a link to a video, you can save the link within a MS Word doc and upload the file.