Dear Parent/Guardian:

We invite middle and high school students to participate in the 2021 - 2022 A Bridge to Academic Excellence Tutoring Program. Entering its 22nd year, ABAE continues to offer tutoring in Algebra I & II, Calculus, SAT Math and Verbal, Geometry, Trigonometry, Chemistry, etc. at no cost to you. Visit our web site at: https://studentorg.rx.umaryland.edu/abae/ for our calendar and more information.

2021-2022 Registration

- Complete the Registration Form online for all participating students. Due Sept. 20th
  - You can preview the form prior to submitting online here. Please review policies and review with your child.
- Plan on attending the mandatory orientation for parents and students online on Sat., Sept. 25 at 10AM
  - Zoom link to register and attend: https://umaryland.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJUtd-GvqTIpG9M6trgtdfszzW12QVGv3d23n
- First tutoring session at Pharmacy Hall is Saturday, Oct 2 from 10am-12pm.
  - View the rest of our schedule on the ABAE 21-22 calendar.

During tutoring sessions, tutors reinforce skills, not teach the subjects, that students learn in school. We can do this when students have available all necessary materials, including lesson plans and homework.

We will have light snacks and refreshments for participants during tutoring sessions.

Tutoring sessions will not be held when Baltimore City, Baltimore County, or the University of Maryland Baltimore is closed for inclement weather. See UM Alerts at: http://www.umaryland.edu/alerts/ or call 410-706-8622 for UMB weather related closing information.

In addition, all participants must follow the COVID policies on next page.
The ABAE program has been approved by the UMB Campus Recovery Group. **Participants must adhere to the UMB face covering policy and maintain a physical distance of 3’ whenever possible.** COVID-19 Visitor Guidance can be found here: [www.umaryland.edu/coronavirus/content/campus-operations/covid-19-visitors-guidance](http://www.umaryland.edu/coronavirus/content/campus-operations/covid-19-visitors-guidance)

- **FACE COVERING:** “Face Covering” means a covering that fully covers a person’s nose and mouth, but is not a medical-grade mask. Medical-grade masks are acceptable face coverings, but are not required in non-clinical settings. Bandanas, gaiters, scarves, and masks with valves are not approved face coverings at UMB.

- Do not come to campus if you are exposed to someone who has been diagnosed with COVID-19 within 14 days. Do not come to campus if you have symptoms listed here: [https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html)
  - Fever or chills
  - Cough Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
  - Fatigue Muscle or body aches
  - Headache
  - New loss of taste or smell
  - Sore throat
  - Congestion or runny nose
  - Nausea or vomiting
  - Diarrhea

If you have questions, email us at: aabe@rx.umaryland.edu. We look forward to the opportunity to help students with their academic success.

Sincerely,

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