

Peer Mentoring Program Benefits

- *Scholarships and Transfers*
 - In the Peer Mentoring Program, you will have the opportunity to apply for the Peer Mentoring Program scholarship at the end of each semester. You will also learn about other scholarships available to you through both RACC, and many other community resources! In addition, peer mentoring experiences give you an advantage over other students when applying for scholarships or transferring to another academic institutions. Colleges and universities seek students who demonstrate strong leadership skills. This is especially true for those with leadership skills in service to others!
- *Campus Connections*
 - You will have the opportunity to enhance your interpersonal skills by making new friends in the program through roundtable discussions, conversations, and a wide variety of campus activities and workshops. You will also have the opportunity to meet college leaders and administrators. In so doing, you will experience a campus-wide atmosphere of professionalism, trust and respect.
- *Community Connections*
 - By participating in roundtable discussions, you can celebrate, honor and enhance the diversity of our campus and the community to which it belongs. What we do at RACC does not stay at RACC! As we enhance our campus, we enhance one another and thus, our community.
- *Access to Essential Resources*
 - Peers and faculty will help direct you to the people and resources you need in order to achieve academic success!
- *Valuable Insights*
 - Through peer interaction, you will gain firsthand knowledge of courses and their requirements, as well as significant insights into instructors and their expectations. You will also receive help in creating strategies for academic success and personal goals for each semester.
- *Pride*
 - Most importantly, as part of the Peer Mentoring Program, you will gain confidence in a new college environment, building your self-esteem. In this program you will find the support you need in order to reach your academic goals and actualize your full potential. Building upon the successes of others, you will realize a sense of pride in your own achievements!