

# FYSP Student Outcomes

What will you gain from this experience?



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## Feeling Academically Supported

Gain access to and build community with faculty, administrators, staff, and campus departments integral to your academic success.



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## Academic Engagement

Learn about ways to get more involved with your academic experience at UCLA including participating in research.



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## Knowledge & Use of Campus Resources

Learn about the campus resources available to you and use them to meet your needs and/or achieve your goals.



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## Relationship-building with Peers, Staff, Advisors & Faculty

Receive support and opportunities for developing relationships with those who are integral to your academic success and connectedness to campus.



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## Sense of Belonging

Gain a sense of belonging with the campus community.



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## Identity Affirmation & Development

Reflect on your unique background and sharpen your goals, values, and beliefs.



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## Resilience

Find ways to identify, reflect on, and tap into your inner strength and ability to persist in the face of challenges.



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What do students have to say?

## Feeling Academically Supported

*"I value the guidance that the FYSP Program has brought me. The academic transition has been a positive experience as a result of the people and resources I have been introduced to."*

## Academic Engagement

*"The biggest highlight for me was the realization that 'MeSearch'—research that I can easily access and frame into my way of thinking and cover issues that I care about—is real. Now I am so interested in making research part of my career and I am looking forward to more internship opportunities because what I learned from FYSP is that our ideas do matter and have a place at UCLA."*

## Knowledge & Use of Campus Resources

*"Because of FYSP, I have become more familiar with UCLA. Coming in as a freshman I was clueless about everything that had to do with UCLA...including how to get into contact with certain programs/facilities for any help I needed. FYSP has truly been my savior..."*

## Relationship-building with Peers, Staff, Advisors & Faculty

*"A lot of our discussions in FYSP stressed the importance of 'making connections' and I think that the relationships I've fostered with my peers, the mentors, my counselor, and the rest of the staff has been extremely valuable to my experience in FYSP and at UCLA in general. I don't think I would've felt nearly as comfortable on campus as I did without that."*

## Sense of Belonging

*"I value the community aspect of FYSP most. Since none of my friends from high school came to UCLA, I was worried about whether I'd be able to find community in college, and FYSP provided that."*

## Identity Affirmation & Development

*"The most valuable aspect of my experience in FYSP was the opportunities to explore myself and my interests. I learned so much about my strengths, skills, and potential."*

## Resilience

*"I have definitely grown in believing in myself and my capabilities. This program has shown me that I am capable and deserving to be at UCLA."*

