

Kaplan Educational Services Test Prep Certificate Information 2011 Calendar Year

We are pleased to continue our graduate/professional school Test Prep Certificate Program, in collaboration with Kaplan Educational Services. One full-tuition certificate and two half-tuition certificates are available for students to enroll in an MCAT, GRE, GMAT, LSAT, or DAT Kaplan Test Prep Classroom Course or Live Online Course during the 2011 calendar year. Prior certificate winners may not apply.

Students must meet the following criteria to be eligible for the full-tuition certificate:

- Be a current Utica College student at the time of application, with at least 30 credits completed and a minimum 2.75 overall GPA.
- Plan to enroll in an MCAT, GRE, GMAT, LSAT, or DAT Kaplan Test Prep during the 2011 calendar year.
- Have a strong, demonstrated interest in attending graduate/professional school.
- Be willing/able to commit to additional hours recommended for study outside class time.

Additional eligibility criteria for the half-tuition certificate:

Two additional half-tuition certificates are available to students who meet the criteria listed above and have significant financial need. If you receive the Federal Pell Grant as part of your aid package (be sure to check with Student Financial Services), you have the option to also be considered for the half-tuition certificate.

Application timeline:

- Applications available September 1, 2010.
- Application deadline December 1, 2010 (by 5:00 pm).
- Career Services' review will begin December 2, 2010.
- Decision/notification e-mailed December 13, 2010.

Application requirements:

- A fully completed application.
- A typed, one page essay outlining your career goals; include the relevance of graduate/professional school in reaching your career goals. Be sure your essay clearly addresses this topic!
- A complete copy of your most recent transcript (advising copy acceptable).

Selection criteria:

Selection of recipients will be based upon meeting eligibility criteria, completion of requirements, essay strength, and academic performance. All applicants, regardless of financial need, will be considered first for the full-tuition certificate. Applicants who were not selected for the full-tuition certificate but have indicated significant financial need will then be considered for the half-tuition certificate.

Scholarships awarded:

- All applicants will be e-mailed Career Services' decision.
- Career Services will provide recipients' names to Kaplan's Syracuse Office.
- Recipients will receive a Kaplan Test Prep Voucher Certificate.
- Recipients will contact Kaplan's Syracuse Office at (315) 472-3702 to enroll in a course.
- Course options, availability, and location information can be obtained from <u>www.kaptest.com</u>.

Full-tuition and half-tuition certificates are available for the following prep courses:

	Classroom and Live Online Course			
MCAT	\$1,899			
GRE	\$1,199			
GMAT	\$1,449			
LSAT	\$1,299			
DAT	\$1,399			



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YES, I receive the Federal Pell Grant, and I want to also be considered for the half-price tuition certificate.

Application deadline:

December 1, 2010 by 5:00 pm. Submit application materials to Career Services, 206 Strebel Student Center.

Name						
Class Standing	Bann	er ID #				
Local Address						
Phone	E-mai	1				
Major		_Minor				
Cumulative GPA		Major GPA [*] _				
			* Registrar's Office website links to a GPA calculator			
Kaplan Test Prep Program in which you plan to enroll (circle one):						
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Signature

Date _____