FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q. Can I apply if I am currently enrolled in the course?

A. Of course! Hiring will be contingent on receiving an A- or higher in the course and undergraduate students maintaining a cumulative GPA of at least a 3.0.
For Peer Tutoring, you will still take the exam. We ask that you only take up to what you know.

Q. Where can I obtain a copy of the application to apply as an SSC Peer Leader for PLTL, SI, or Peer Tutoring?

A. Handshake

Q. Which courses are you all hiring for?

A. Please visit https://studentsuccess.utdallas.edu/about-the-ssc/be-a-leader-tutor/ for a list of typical courses the SSC hires for. The list of courses is a generic list and is subject to change. Courses may be added or removed from this list depending on faculty and leader support.

Q. Which courses do I qualify for?

A. You qualify for any course we are hiring for in which you received an A- or higher. If taken during spring 2020 or later, CR will be accepted.

Q. Am I only allowed to be a peer leader for courses I have taken at UT Dallas?

A. For SI and PLTL, yes. Peer Tutoring will accept CR from testing or transfer credit from another college/university with a grade of an A- or higher, depending on the course. Please remember that all Peer Tutoring candidates must take and pass an exam.

Q. How do I receive the invitation for testing?

A. Candidates will be sent an invitation for testing after full completion of the application. Testing dates for Peer Tutoring are listed on the application.

Q. In the application, why do I need to rank my preferences?

A. Ranking preferences allows for programs to take the candidate's preference into consideration. However, preference is not guaranteed.

Q. Do I have to upload an official transcript?

A. No. You can upload a current unofficial transcript. More information at https://registrar.utdallas.edu/transcript/unofficial/ on how to download your unofficial transcript.

Q. Can I apply if I have taken the honors version of the course?

A. Yes

Q. Who can I contact for more information regarding SSC applications?

A. Sscrecruiting@utdallas.edu