



Office of the Vice President for University Outreach Presents:

Promoting Academic Success of young males

Essay Contest

What does it mean to be a man pursuing academic success?

This special project is sponsored by University Outreach K12 Initiatives and is designed to encourage young boys' grades 7-8 to think about what it means to be a leader, encourage them to think in terms of leadership roles and what it takes to be successful academically. The purpose of this project is to encourage young boys in our partner schools college prep initiative to start thinking beyond high school.

CONTEST RULES & ELIGIBILITY:

Who may enter: Any boy from Loachapoka or Notasulga schools grades 7th-8th

Contest Requirement: 1 page handwritten essay on the topic – *“What does it mean to be a man pursuing academic success?”* (Max is **1** page, neatly written, if it not legible it will be disqualified)

Dates and Deadlines: All entries must be submitted no later than – **Monday October 24th, 2011**. Entries will be collected by *Dr. Christiana Russell*, on **Monday October 24th, 2011**.

Grand Prize

2 winners will be selected (1 student from Notasulga and 1 student from Loachapoka) and notified on Tuesday November 1st, 2011. The winners will accompany Dr. Royrickers Cook, Auburn Homecoming Game against Samford on November 19th, 2011. The winners will be Dr Cook's guests in the President's suite, provided Auburn Gear to wear to the game and meet Auburn University's President Dr. Jay Gogue!



“Power, Competence & Encouragement: Promoting the Success of young males”

Essay Contest Entry Form

(Please Print Clearly & Legibly)

Student’s Name _____ School _____

Age _____ Grade _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Address _____

_____ Zip Code _____

Home Telephone (____) _____ Cell (____) _____

Student Email _____

Parent Email _____

I, _____ give my consent for my child to participate in this essay contest and understand the rules and regulations as they have been stated.

Parent’s Signature

Date

