A four-year, cohort-based community service opportunity, the Rollins College Bonner Leaders Program provides an annual $3,000 scholarship to students who are passionate about working directly with local non-profit organizations throughout the academic year. Designed for full-time undergraduate students in the Rollins Liberal Arts program, the Bonner Leaders Program empowers recipients to address some of the greatest challenges of our time through community-based learning and service.
**FALL**

**Bonner Retreat**
The weekend before orientation, you will have an opportunity to meet your cohort, the Bonner fam, and dig into what it means to be a Bonner Leader at Rollins.

**Bonner Classes**
You will be enrolled in a once a week, 1-2 credit hour course with your cohort. Additional one-on-one meetings with Bonner leadership occur throughout the semester.

**Service**
You will work with three different community partners, serving 6 – 8 hours each week as a Bonner Leader. By semester end you will have established your permanent service site.

**Spring Retreat**
During one of the first weekends, spend time with the Bonner fam gearing up for another semester of service and learning. #BonnerLove

**INTERSESSION**

**Immersion**
In the week before the Spring semester, you will experience an immersive, service-learning course in conjunction with the first-year Alfond Scholars.

**SUMMER**

**Summer of Service**
You will be expected to fulfill an internship (part-time or full-time) with a non-profit or governmental agency during one summer of your Rollins career.

**Beep Beep!**
Commuting (to your community partners) is a part of this program! We encourage you to bring your car or use other transportation options.
**Bonner Classes**
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**Bonner Retreat**
The weekend before orientation, you will have an opportunity to meet the new cohort, bond with the Bonner fam, and dig into what it means to be a Bonner Leader at Rollins.

**Service**
You will continue your service (6 – 8 hours per week), with your community partner.

**Spring Retreat**
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**Sophomore Exchange**
During a weekend, you will work with another Bonner school serving and learning about their program.

**Summer of Service**
Didn’t do your Summer of Service yet? Maybe this is the summer!
Junior Leadership Goals
Throughout the semester you should branch out and take on leadership roles across campus. By creating positive change, you’re also getting the Bonner name out on campus! Some folks may even use the semester to study abroad.

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Bonner Classes
You will be enrolled in a once a week, 1-2 credit hour course with your cohort. Additional one-on-one meetings with Bonner leadership occur throughout the semester.

Service
You will continue your service with your community partner (6 – 8 hours per week) or may apply to serve as a Bonner intern to help lead the program.

Spring Retreat
During one of the first weekends, spend time with the Bonner fam gearing up for another semester of service and learning. #BonnerLove

Summer of Service
Didn’t do your Summer of Service yet? This is your LAST chance!
Bonner Capstone
You will be enrolled in a 1-2 credit hour course with your cohort. This will focus on your senior capstone project and presentation. At the semester’s end you will share your presentation with the Bonner cohorts and College guests.

Service
You will continue your service (6 – 8 hours per week) with your community partner. You are starting to move away from direct service, and moving towards higher-capacity leadership roles at your community partner site.

Bonner Retreat
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Service
You will continue your service (6 – 8 hours per week) with your community partner.

YOU'RE FINISHED! YOU DID IT!
The goal of the Bonner Leaders Program is to help students make a clear and definitive impact in their local community. Rollins College has many strong community partnerships with which we work directly through different initiatives and service projects. While your conduct reflects upon the Bonner Leaders Program, it also ultimately reflects upon the college and should be congruent with Rollins’ mission of global citizenship and responsible leadership.

**WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE LEADERSHIP TEAM?**

- Offer support and guidance for all Bonner Leaders, answer program questions and beyond.
- Act as a liaison between Bonner Leaders and community partners when concerns and questions arise.
- Hold each Bonner Leader accountable for what is included in the scholarship expectations.
- Encourage Bonner Leaders to challenge themselves and their communities.
- Continuously work to enhance the Rollins Bonner program by listening to all constituents’ input.
WHAT DO THE LEADERS EXPECT FROM YOU?

- Engage in dialogue and activities during class meetings and retreats.
- Demonstrate respect for the opinions and cultures of others.
- Ask questions when they need help and meet with Bonner staff in a timely manner about any issues or concerns.
- Support and encourage Bonner peers.
- Fulfill expectations asked of you and show initiative.
- Meet deadlines for documentation such as Community Learning Agreements and hour logs.
- Display professionalism in attitude and dress while interacting with community partners; arrive on time and keep a consistent schedule.
- Attend and participate in Bonner events, initiatives and programs.
- Attend regularly scheduled one-on-ones with Bonner Leadership Team Staff members.

WHAT ARE THE COMMUNITY PARTNER EXPECTATIONS?

- Set clear guidelines for projects and responsibilities.
- Communicate expectations and be available for questions.
- Provide a safe and comfortable working environment.
BONNER COMMUNITY PARTNERS

- Base Camp
  youth, health & wellness

- Conductive Education Center of Orlando
  disability inclusion, youth

- Coalition for the Homeless
  hunger & homelessness

- Florida Hospital
  health & wellness

- Habitat for Humanity – Orlando
  hunger & homelessness

- The Hub
  social innovation

- The Mustard Seed
  social innovation, hunger & homelessness

- The Paragon School
  disability inclusion, youth & education

- OCA, A Special Place for Special Needs
  disability inclusion, youth & education

- Shepherd’s Hope
  health & wellness, hunger & homelessness

- Special Olympics
  disability inclusion

- Westminster Winter Park
  senior adults

- Zebra Coalition
  LGBT inclusion