

America Needs You Info:

Attention First Year Students: America Needs You In NJ

America Needs You in New Jersey! America Needs You will be hosting a virtual info session Feb. 24th at 4pm. Please read how you can apply and be eligible below, and RSVP [here](#)

As an organization we are focused on empowering ambitious first-generation college students to reach their fullest potential in their careers. Our two-year fellowship program is designed to help our students become career ready through career development workshops, mentorship, and internships.

The application for the 2021 Cohort is now open! Applicants should be college freshmen now, and new Fellows would begin their program in the fall of 2021. Some of the benefits of becoming an ANY Fellow include:

- Up to **\$2,000** in professional development grants over 2 years
- A **Mentor Coach** to provide one-on-one support
- Access to **internship opportunities** at prestigious companies and organizations
- **Networking opportunities** with industry professionals
- **28 Saturday workshops** to learn and practice professional skills

Eligible applicants who submit by March 15th are guaranteed a spot in the interview round! Our Fellow application can be found here: <https://www.americaneedsyou.org/fellow-application/>

Eligibility criteria is below:

- a) Neither of my parents/guardians have a bachelor's degree (from any country)
- b) I am a U.S. Citizen, Permanent Resident, or by the application deadline, eligible for full-time and off-campus internships, as well as paid employment opportunities in the United States
- c) I am a freshman attending a 4-year university or community college
 - a. If attending community college, you must intend to transfer to a 4-year school (ANY provides transfer support!)
- d) I am in the process of obtaining my first associate's or bachelor's degree
- e) I am available to attend regular Saturday workshops (workshops occur bi-weekly in Year 1 starting in August; monthly in Year 2)
- f) I am Pell Grant eligible or considered low-income by my state HUD

Please feel free to check out our [website](#) to learn more and reach out with any questions.