

Students who complete ILCs in the fall semester and return for the spring semester are automatically enrolled in LeADERS. This message notifies them of this enrollment and provides an opportunity to “opt out” before enrollment actually occurs. The email is distributed the week after drop/add, which for spring 2024 will be: Wednesday, January 17th (drop/add deadline is Tuesday, January 16th).

Subject: Welcome to LeADERS!

Dear Monarch,

Welcome back! We hope you had a restful winter break.

We are writing to you today because you participated in an Impact Learning Community (ILC) during the fall semester. We are thrilled to share that your participation in an Impact Learning Community has automatically qualified you to join the [LeADERS program!](#)

At the beginning of next week (January 29th), we will add you to our LeADERS program roster. This involves adding a LeADERS tab to your Degree Works and enrolling you in our program hub/advising center in Canvas. As a LeADERS candidate, you'll have the opportunity to find and complete other learning opportunities like what you experienced in your Impact Learning Community. You'll also gain access to exclusive opportunities for LeADERS candidates and receive curated announcements about other high impact experiences available both at ODU and beyond.

If you would prefer to opt-out of this program, simply respond to this message and let us know. But we believe in this program and encourage you to give it a try. Previous LeADERS graduates have shared that completing the program helped them to build confidence in who they are: as leaders, as scholars, and as emerging professionals. And we believe it can do the same for you.

As you transition into the spring semester and beyond, we want to help you get the most out of your college experience. Please let us know what questions you have or how we might assist.

Welcome to LeADERS and we hope you have a great semester!

Thanks,
The LeADERS Team
(Lanah, Josie, and Vivica)

If a student chooses to opt-out:

Dear ,

Thank you for letting us know. One of the many great aspects of the LeADERS program is that students may join or withdraw at any time. If you'd like to join the program later on, simply [sign-up here!](#)

Good luck with your spring semester,
The LeADERS Team

Subject: Welcome to LeADERS!

Dear Monarch,

We hope this email finds you well!

We are writing to you today because you are taking UNIV068 this semester. We are thrilled to share that your participation in this course has automatically qualified you to join the [LeADERS program!](#)

Starting tomorrow (February 2nd), we will add you to our LeADERS program roster. This involves adding a LeADERS tab to your Degree Works and enrolling you in our program hub/advising center in Canvas. As a LeADERS candidate, you'll have the opportunity to find and complete other learning opportunities like what you are experiencing now in your UNIV068 course. You'll also gain access to exclusive opportunities for LeADERS candidates and receive curated announcements about other high impact experiences available both at ODU and beyond.

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