# STUDENT LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### MOUNT ROYAL UNIVERSITY

## **NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION (NSO) VOLUNTEER**

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Introduce new students to MRU during NSO days
- 2. Set an example for the incoming class of new students and uphold MRU community integrity
- 3. Facilitate opportunities for new students to engage and provide important guidance both during and after NSO events for students to feel more confident in their transition
- 4. Create a sense of belonging among students
- 5. Encourage conversation with students in order to provide referrals across campus and boost awareness of supports available to MRU students
- 6. Utilize public speaking skills to connect with students

## **QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS:**

- 1. Apply by the deadline and attend an informal, group interview
- 2. Attend training and complete any contracts or required readings prior to NSO
- 3. Attend and support the NSO Coordinator during NSO days
- 4. Continuing MRU student in good academic standing
- 5. Informed about campus services and ideally involved in varying extracurricular activities
- 6. Enthusiasm to work with fellow students and a strong desire to help them succeed
- 7. Commitment to the MRU community

#### **BENEFITS:**

- 1. Opportunity to positively contribute and make a difference within the MRU community
- 2. Special training opportunities

#### 3. SWAG and Mount Royal shirt

## **APPLICATION PROCESS/TIMELINE**

NSO volunteers are recruited continuously from February to March each year for Fall Orientation, and in November/December each year for Winter Orientation. An interview is required for some roles.