The UAA Electronic Scholarship Application is available through UAOnline**. You must be a current UAA student or have applied for admissions to UAA in order to log-in to the secured site of UAOnline.**

Instructions to apply for UAA Scholarships:

1. Submit your general scholarship application via UA Online. To do so, log-in to the secured site of UAOnline, click on ***Financial Aid,*** and then find the ***Scholarships*** link. This is the general scholarship application for all UAA Scholarships. Submit your personal profile essay of approximately 500 words or less. Proofread your essay thoroughly before submitting!

> *Attention freshman: You will not be considered for scholarships unless you have also applied for admissions prior to the February 15th scholarship application deadline. Admission applications can be submitted electronically via UAOnline.*

2. Submit supplemental information by the February 15, 2010 deadline! Although most scholarships only require the main scholarship application (as described in step #1) there are a number of scholarships that require additional information. To identify which of these you are eligible for, it is your responsibility to read through the scholarship descriptions online www.uaa.alaska.edu/scholarships. You should check through all the scholarships that are listed under the UAA General & Misc. Scholarship tab as well as the tab for the College that you are admitted to (ie. if you are a Nursing student, check the tab for UAA College of Health & Social Welfare Scholarships). The scholarships that require supplemental information will have an asterisk **(*) next to the title of the scholarship.**

3. All students (except for international students) must complete a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) by February 15- even if you do not plan on accepting any financial aid. The 2010/2011 FAFSA will be available beginning January 1, 2010. If you do not complete the FAFSA you will not be considered for need based scholarships. Some non-need based scholarships also require FAFSA's on file- so even if you do not want to use financial aid, having a FAFSA on file will increase your likelihood of receiving scholarships!

Remember! All scholarship applications and supplemental information must be received by 5PM on February 15th in order to qualify for 2010/2011 scholarships.

Recipients of the 2010/2011 scholarships will begin to receive award letters June 1, 2010