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The Morehouse College Martin Luther King, Jr. Collection  
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THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.  
LEGACY SCHOLARS PROGRAM  
2014-2015

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Legacy Scholars Program consists of a year-long co-curricular initiative for freshmen and sophomores where students are introduced to the teachings and nonviolent philosophy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Additionally, students learn about ethical leadership and transformative social change through engaged discussions, speakers, films, off-campus experiences and other opportunities beyond the classroom. The intent of this program is to cultivate a heightened sense of civic engagement and social responsibility as we prepare students to assume positions of active and effective leadership in a democratic society.

2014-2015 HIGHLIGHTS OF ACTIVITIES

FALL SEMESTER 2014

- Reception and Introduction to the Program—Robert W. Woodruff Library
- Viewing of Documents from the Morehouse College Martin Luther King, Jr. Collection
- Visit to the National Center for Civil and Human Rights
- Film Screenings and Discussion: Fruitvale Station, Citizen King
- Meeting and Walking Tour of Civil Rights Sites of Memory
- Alumni Conversations with Veterans of the Movement

SPRING SEMESTER 2015

- Month of King Events
- MLK Student Photo-Essay Contest
- Literary Salon and Meet-the-Author
- MLK Lecture and Conversation
- Visit to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change and Birth Home
- Visit to Ebenezer Baptist Church
- Docent Training at the National Center for Civil and Human Rights
- Film Screenings and Discussions with Morehouse College Faculty
- Alumni Conversations with Veterans of the Movement
- Get on the Bus: Visiting Civil Rights Sites of Memory in the South

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