



# Beacon College Office Junior Bulletin

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THIS WEEK'S COLLEGE OFFICE  
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UPCOMING COLLEGE EVENTS

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EXAMS

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PROGRAMS & INTERNSHIPS



## New This Week

### **SAT Club**

Looking for FREE SAT Prep? Every Friday after school in room 518 from 2:30-4:30pm there is English and Math SAT prep!

## Reminders

### **In-School SAT Date**

The date of the in-school SAT at Beacon has been changed from April 16th to **April 17th**. All juniors are automatically registered for this exam.

### **Maia Learning & Junior College Meetings**

Students can schedule their one-on-one junior college meetings with their counselor by filling out the Junior Questionnaire in Maia Learning. This questionnaire is required in order to make an appointment. Students can sign in Maia [here](#) with their DOE email (no password needed) using the Google sign in and parents should have received an email to reset their password to gain access.

**Junior College Night - March 12, 2024, 6:00 - 8:00pm**

This is the official event welcoming juniors and their parents to the college process! Patrick O'Neill from the University of Rochester will be opening the evening, followed by Ms. Heller who will review how the college process works at Beacon. Link [here](#).

**Financial Aid Night - March 26th at 6:00pm ET**

Virtual webinar with [College Aid Pro](#). Even if you cannot attend live, you will receive an email the next day with the recording from the presentation (but you still need to register to receive that recording!). During this webinar, financial aid experts will discuss:

1. How to unlock opportunities for financial aid eligibility.
2. Finding scholarship prospects for your student.
3. Strategies for securing money, even without financial aid qualifications.
4. Navigating FAFSA including the latest updates for 2024/2025.
5. Tips for business owners and homeowners.
6. Insights tailored for divorced or separated families.

[Register Here!](#)

**Monthly Junior Parent Coffee Talks** - The next one is Friday, **April 5th** at 8:30am. Log on [here](#). As a reminder, this is an informal chat with Deb Heller and will not be recorded.



# Last Chance Opportunities

## **Northwestern University National High School Institute Cherubs Program**

- Open to high school juniors
- Programs consist of intensive training in area of study in person. Deadlines:
  - Theatre Arts - Regular admission: March 4th, 2024
  - Film & Video - **Regular admission: March 8th, 2024**
  - Playwriting - Rolling admissions begin in February 2024
  - Debate - Rolling admissions begin Winter 2024
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## **Manhattan District Attorney's High School Internship**

- Five week internship that provides students more insight on the criminal justice system.
- Program Dates: July 8th - August 9th (Monday through Friday from 9:30am-4:30pm)
- Participants will have the opportunity to engage in workshops and discussions, participate in a mock trial program, develop professionalism in an office setting, and more.
- Interns will be paid minimum wage.
- Application deadline: **March 8th**
- Application includes one page resume and 300 word essay about your interest in criminal justice
- Apply [here](#)

## **WashU Summer Programs**

- Program for highly motivated students to explore academics and campus life at WashU:
  - Olin Business School Programs
    - Application due **March 10, 2024**
      - [BOLD@Olin](#): July 7th-11th
      - [Gateway to Business](#): July 7th-13th
        - Gateway to Business includes three virtual sessions June 13th, 20th and 27th
  - Arts and Science Programs
    - Application deadline: April 1, 2024
      - [High School Summer Scholars Program](#): June 9-July 13, 2024
      - [High School Summer Institutes](#): July 14-27, 2024
      - [High School Summer Launch](#): July 28-August 3, 2024
  - Sam Fox School of Design & Visual Arts Program
    - Application deadline: March 30, 2024
      - [Architecture Discovery Program](#): July 14-27, 2024
      - [Portfolio Plus Program](#): July 14-August 3, 2024



## **Seeds Fortune: Innovation Research Fellowship**

- Hybrid program that pairs high school students with top company
- Provides hands on experiences, research opportunities and participation in real-world case studies
- Program open to identifying women of color
- 2.7 GPA Requirement
- Application deadline: **March 8th**
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## **Clarkson University Horizons Program**

- Week long, overnight summer camp experience at Clarkson University's campus in Potsdam, New York.
- Focus in STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics)
- Registration deadline: **March 17th**
- Apply [here](#)
- Learn more [here](#)

## **BASE: Bucknell Academy Summer Experience**

- Surround yourself with fellow enthusiasts
- Invited to participate in a valuable opportunity to delve into this challenging issue and to experience interdisciplinary study on a college level
- Hands on learning experience designed to challenge your thought processes while providing exposure to college level work.
- Dates: June 23rd - 28th
- Application deadline: **March 16th**
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## **The Democracy Scholars Program at NYU Wagner School of Public Service**

- The chance to reside at NYU for 3 weeks over the summer, learn from NYU professors in a discussion-based seminar, receive guided college application support, and work in teams on a civic engagement project throughout the 2024-25 academic year.
- Online information session on **Monday, March 11th**
- Application Deadline: April 14, 2023
- Learn more [here](#)

## **SUNY Engineering Info Session**

- Date and Time: **March 13 at 5:30 PM**
- We will be joined by representatives from:
  - Binghamton University

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- SUNY Polytechnic Institute
- Maritime College
- SUNY Canton
- Dutchess Community College
- We will explore the magnitude of SUNY's engineering programs, how to prepare for an engineering career, and discuss the employment outlook.
- Register [here](#)





# Extracurricular & Internship Opportunities

## The Friends of Governors Island

- The Friends of Governors Island are seeking youth volunteers this spring!
- [Governors Island](#) is a 172-acre park, located just a 7-minute ferry ride from Lower Manhattan.
- Volunteers support the Island's visitor services and are responsible for greeting visitors at Governors Island's ferry landings and sharing information.
- This spring, volunteers will also facilitate two large public events:
  - Annual Egg Hunt
  - Earth Day on Governors Island.
- Through the program, volunteers will develop communication skills, learn about public space advocacy, and build environmental stewardship skills.
- Volunteers are required to be 15+ with parental permission and complete at least 50 hours of service
- Training begins the second weekend of March.
- Fill out an interest form [here!](#)

## GlowNew

- An organization supporting women in homelessness by providing comprehensive makeovers and care packages
- In search of passionate students to start GlowNew chapters in schools - leadership experience, volunteer opportunities, awards, and online internships are all available
- Learn more [here](#)

## Banson NYC High School Fashion Summer Camps

- A chance for high school students to learn the fundamentals of the fashion industry from an insider perspective
- Students will stay in a midtown hotel with visits, seminars, and activities planned for each day
- Summer 2024 camps will be taking place in late June and mid-July. Please follow [this link](#) for more details

## Let's Get Ready

- This free mentorship program is targeted at juniors and seniors looking for support throughout their college transition
- For seniors, weekly texts from a mentor will help with applications, financial aid, and enrollment decisions
- For juniors, LGR offers weekly texts and monthly workshops, along with future SAT prep programs
- Visit [the website](#) to apply and learn more



## **Costa Rica Youth Exchange**

- High school village immersion
- Elevates Spanish skills through the power of youth social dynamics and active community engagement
- Gain confidence and language independence naturally through the fun, small town experience of Costa Rica
- Learn more [here](#)

## **Bossgirls Bootcamp at City College of New York**

- A free summer entrepreneurship program open to high school female and nonbinary students, open to juniors and seniors
- Applications accepted on a rolling basis, first deadline is January 31st to be considered for July 2024 program, final deadline is March 31st, 2024
- Program highlights:
  - Work on a team of other young entrepreneurs to identify a problem and come up with a solution, and find a business opportunity
  - Research the market, compare competitors, learn how to price your product and prototype it, and create a brand
  - Pitch ideas to an audience (“Shark Tank without the sharks”)
  - Meet entrepreneurs, get advice from expert mentors
- 5 week in-person program
- Find more information and apply [here](#)

## **DOROT Teen Internship Program**

- Academic year internship program: January 29th-March 15th
- Summer internship program: June 24th-July 18th OR July 23rd-August 15th
- Gives interns a unique community service opportunity by connecting students with older adults in a variety of settings (chess games, home visits, discussions with older women, etc.)
- Internship is one afternoon per week
- High-quality training included
- Opportunity to earn service hours
- Learn more and apply for the academic year internship [here](#) and summer internship [here](#)

## **Summer TUTTI Performing Arts Camp**

- 8 day residential summer high school intensive camps
    - Dance
    - Music
    - Musical Theatre
    - Theatre
  - Program dates: June 22nd - June 30th
  - Open to students ages 15-18 years old
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- Financial support is available for families in need.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Seeds of Fortune: Business Accelerator**

- Hybrid program that assists participants in setting up social enterprise business ideas and professional websites that impact their local communities
- Program open to identifying women of color
- 2.7 GPA requirement
- A chance to win \$6,000 in prizes and an all expense paid trip to Miami
- Application deadline: April 17th
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### **First Teach Fun High School Fellowship Program**

- Event from September 2024 through May 2025
- Fellows will participate in weekly virtual college access and career exploration workshops, be eligible to receive free technology depending on their technology needs (laptop and/or WiFi hotspot), participate in social, community and corporate in-person events, and receive individualized mentorship from young professionals.
- Learn more [here](#)
- Apply by emailing [info@firsttechfund.com](mailto:info@firsttechfund.com).





## **Free Community Yoga**

- Dates: February 1st through April 13th
- Have you always wanted to try yoga but need somewhere to learn?
- Do you need techniques to calm your mind and strengthen and stretch your body?
- Are you a dancer or an athlete and want to experience how yoga can better your performance? Or perhaps you have a disability and have few options available?
- Yoga classes:
  - Yoga
  - Dance Flow
  - Accessible Yoga
  - Yoga for Special Needs.
- Register [here](#)

## **Teen Workshops - Center for Architecture**

- Winter/Spring series will develop fundamental architectural design skills and explore the architecture of New York City.
- Each workshop focuses on a different core lesson that will help high school students explore their interest in architecture and hone skills that will be helpful for portfolio development.
- Need-based scholarships are available.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## **Youth Action/ Youth Build (YAYB)**

- Located in East Harlem
- Goal of program is to drive self-empowerment
- Provides job skills training, job placement services, high school equivalency certification and a safe environment where students are positively encouraged to become leaders in their communities.
- Learn more [here](#)

## **14Y New Country Day Camp Employment Opportunity**

- Group Counselor | 16+: Seeking enthusiastic, highly motivated, creative and responsible role models who have previous demonstrable experience working with children. Candidates should be friendly, warm, and passionate about working in a high-energy, outdoor camp environment.
- Support Specialist | 18+: Support Specialists work alongside group counselors and closely with campers who have special needs such as mild to moderate ASD, ADHD, mood or anxiety disorders in a fully inclusive camp setting. Candidates should have demonstrated experience or interest in working with neurodivergent children.
- Transportation via air-conditioned buses is available across Brooklyn and Manhattan. Hot lunch is provided 5 days a week!
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## **16 Internship Opportunities Presented by Ladder Internships**

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- Check out the variety of internships including NASA and working with the Mayor!
- Learn more [here](#)

### **Free Community Service Opportunity - GENUINE CONNECTIONS**

- Be a part of an ever-growing community of high schoolers and older adults (65+) building lasting connections!
- meet weekly over Zoom in small groups for meaningful conversations and fun activities to bridge generational divides
- Our Spring Semester begins on Monday, March 25th
- Apply [here](#)

### **Black Birthright**

- Go to Botswana and trace the footsteps of our ancestors who fought valiantly for southern Africa's liberation
- Our Scholars will be visiting: Gabarone, Botswana's capital city and its surrounding areas Chobe National Park, in the northern region of Kasane Okavango Delta
- We're also going to Victoria Falls! In Zambia! Two countries, one trip.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Empower Young Women Interested in Politics with DemocraShe Outreach**

- non profit program dedicated to inspiring and empowering female-identifying high school students to engage in leadership and civic participation.
- At Democrashe, we believe in the power of young women to effect positive change in their communities and beyond. Through our workshops and cohorts, we aim to equip them with the necessary skills, knowledge, and support to pursue all types of leadership roles.
- Learn more [here](#)

### **High School Veterinary Career Exploration Program**

- An introduction to veterinary medicine, veterinary school and different veterinary career paths.
- The High School Veterinary Career Exploration Program will consist of two evening meetings with guest speakers each night, and the speakers will explore different aspects of veterinary medicine and share their personal stories about their specific career path.
- Applicants who attend all three meetings will receive a Certificate of Completion.
- Date, Time, and Location: April 2, 10 and 18, 2024, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. at ASPCA, 520 Eighth Avenue, 7th Floor, New York, NY 10018
- Register fee: \$10, register [here](#)

### **Bottom Line Early Action Access Program**

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- Bottom Line supports first-gen college students from underserved communities to get into college, to graduate, & to go far. Students who join our Access & Success programs receive free, personalized advising for up to 7 years.
- All students receive career related experience through our Career Connections Team.
- Our Access Program for rising seniors (current juniors) supports students with a free, personalized, advisor throughout the entire college application process.
- Learn more and apply [here](#) by 3/31

### **Earth Matter Summer Internship**

- Youth participants (ages 16-18 yrs.) will acquire hands-on, practical skills related to composting, animal care, farming, resource recovery, and conservation and will build leadership, environmental stewardship skills, and peer relationships.
- All interns will complete a community service project / volunteer hours in their community or school.
- Deadline to apply is Sunday, May 19 at 5 pm.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)





# Pre-College Summer Programs

## Costa Rica Youth Exchange - Summer 2024

- 2 weeks to 2 months exchange program in Costa Rica.
- Sessions include arts, cooking, music, dance, Spanish conversation, sports encounters, village events, farm visits, local excursions, outdoor games, youth service projects. .
- Session One: June 9 - July 6 (four weeks)
- Session Two: July 7 - August 3 (four weeks)
- Summer 2024: [Dates/Costs](#)
- Register [here!](#)

## 2024 Pre-College Summer Programs at Champlain College

- [Art & Design Portfolio Course](#): Your students will unleash their creativity and refine their artistic skills as they build an impressive portfolio that will set them on a path to success in the world of art and design.
- [Animation Academy](#): Students will dive into the captivating world of animation and develop the skills needed to bring their imaginative creations to life.
- [Audio Engineering, Sound Design & Music Academy](#): Your students will explore the magic of sound design and music production, learning from industry professionals while honing their skills in our state-of-the-art facilities.
- [Champlain Game Academy](#): For the game developers of the future, this program will immerse your students' in the world of game design, development, and industry insights.
- [Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics Academy](#): Students will uncover the exciting world of cybersecurity and digital forensics, learning to protect and investigate in an increasingly connected world.
- [Digital Media Production](#): Your students will learn the art of storytelling through digital media, from videography to editing, and get hands-on experience.
- More general information [here](#).

## Interior Design Summer Workshop at Ball State University

- The Youth Interior Design Forum (YIDF) is open to all high school students.
- The workshop combines tradition and innovation in creative learning, covering areas in applied critical thinking and exploration with materials. During studio time, students explore the fundamentals of 2D and 3D concepts, learn basic drawing and illustration skills, play with color use and light effects, and learn how interior environments affect human behavior. Upon completion, students will have a portfolio of work (a required component for the application for many accredited college interior design programs) and an official certificate of completion.
- Available online AND on-campus.
- More general information [here](#)



- Online:
  - Will use Canvas, WebEx, or Zoom.
  - Monday, June 10–Friday, July 5, 2024
  - Register [here](#)
- On-campus
  - Offered Summer 2024 and will have all of the same elements of the online session, but at a much more accelerated pace.
  - Sunday, June 2–Tuesday, June 11, 2024
  - Sunday, June 16–Tuesday, June 25, 2024
  - Register [here](#)

## Wake Forest University Pre-College Programs

- [Summer Immersion Program:](#)
- Empowers high school students to manifest their goals. Through meaningful real-world experiences, robust academics, an inclusive campus culture, networking and mentorship, students can discover their passions and clarify their pathway
- Apply [here](#). Application opens in early November. Rolling admissions.
- [Online Immersion Program](#)
- Explores exciting topics asynchronously and in-depth. Wake Forest University professors teach courses through interactive learning modules, and students are supported 1:1 by Wake Forest undergraduate course mentors. The program is available year-round, and the online format allows students to study anywhere, anytime, while working at their own pace.
- Apply [here](#).

## Summer at Smith College

- Academic and residential programs at Smith College in Northampton, MA
- One week, two week or four week program options
- Open to female-identifying and gender non-conforming high school juniors
- 2024 programs offered:
  - Summer science and engineering
  - Women, gender, and representation
  - Sustainable futures
  - Creative writing
  - College readiness
- Dates vary by program between July and August 2024
- Tuition: varies between \$2660–\$4745 per session (financial aid is available)
  - Tuition includes class materials, room and board
- Courses are **not** for credit
- Application deadline: May 15th
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## RISD Pre-College Immersion Experience



- Residential summer immersive experience
- Live like a RISD student and work alongside hundreds of other creative, motivated students who will inspire you to push your limits and produce your best work
- June 29th-August 3rd
- Find more information [here](#)

### **Carnegie Mellon Pre-College Programs**

- Prepares students for upcoming college experiences, narrowing career focuses, and building on critical knowledge and skills
- Many course offerings, including:
  - Architecture (5-week program)
  - Art (3- and 6-week program options)
  - Computational Biology (3-week program)
  - Design (6-week program)
  - Drama (6-week program)
  - Music (3- and 6-week program options)
  - National High School Game Academy (6-week program)
  - Summer session (6-week program)
  - Writing and Culture (4-week program)
- Additional course offerings- fully funded merit-based pre-college programs
  - AI Scholars (4-week program)
  - Summer Academy for Math and Science (6-week program)
- Learn more information [here](#) and apply for programs [here](#)

### **Tufts University Pre-College Program**

- Open to high school juniors
- Deadline to be nominated: March 31st, 2024
- Nomination for pre-college program will give students an easier application process
  - No transcript submission
  - No need for a letter of recommendation
- Learn more [here](#)
- Please contact Ms. Heller if you'd like to be nominated & let her know which program you'd prefer

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- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Notre Dame Summer Programs**



- Open to high school juniors
- Summer Scholars and Leadership Seminars allow students to live on campus for two weeks: July 20- July 31, 2024
- Students will stay in a residence hall with a roommate, take a challenging college-level course, and participate in fun activities
- Students will earn transferable college credit
- Financial aid and fee waivers available
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Champlain College Pre-College Programs**

- Courses offered:
  - Art & Design Portfolio Course
  - Animation Academy
  - Audio Engineering, Sound Design & Music Academy
  - Champlain Game Academy
  - Cybersecurity & Digital Forensics Academy
  - Digital Media Production
- Cost for each program: \$4500 (financial aid available)
  - Includes: class materials, room and board, transportation
- Dates vary based on program. Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Syracuse University Pre-College Programs**

- Choice of over 100 college-level course offered on campus, online or hybrid
- Research courses and accelerated semester courses also available
- Credit and noncredit courses available
- Scholarships are available; deadline is March 1st
- Final application deadline is May 1st
- Applications are accepted on a rolling basis
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **SUNY New Paltz Summer Programs**

- Open to high school juniors from underrepresented populations
- July 21-26th, 2024
- Workshops and excursions
- Meals included
- Requirements: 86 cumulative GPA
- Students will pay a \$300 fee for food and activities
- Tuition and board is free
- Please contact Ms. Heller if you would like to be nominated!

### **University of Wisconsin-Madison PreCollege Programs**

- Open to high school juniors



- Various in person and online programs, including accelerated learning programs for high school credit
- Tuition varies by program
- Scholarships available
- Deadlines vary by program
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **UNC Asheville Pre-College Programs**

- Residential programs run from Sunday-Friday
- Tuition includes room and board, class materials, activities, and excursions
- Programs run from June 16-21 and June 23-28
- Several topics, including:
  - Ceramics
  - Climate, robotics, rocketry, and aerospace engineering
  - Film scoring and sound design
  - Geology and adventure
  - Great Smokies young writers shop (creative writing)
  - Meteorology
  - Music composition & songwriting
  - Pre-med
  - River ecology and adventure
  - Video game design
- Find more information and apply [here](#)

### **Colorado College Block Plan**

- July 8-24th, 2024
- Courses for credit taught by Colorado College professors:
  - Introduction to Human Anatomy
  - Climate Change and Sustainable Development
  - Entrepreneurship & Business Management
  - Introductory Astronomy
  - Writing the News
  - Introduction to Drawing: Landscape Immersion
  - *\*newly added\** Introduction to Filmmaking
- Need-based scholarships available until March 1st
- Find more information and apply [here](#)

### **Fordham's Summer Leaders Academy**

- Fordham's [Summer Leaders Academy](#) is an immersive pre-college program that offers innovative academic courses and activities in New York City
  - [Immersion 1: June 24-27](#)
  - [Immersion 2: July 8-18](#)
  - [Immersion 3: July 22-August 1](#)
- On-Campus Housing and commuter options available





- Residential Application Deadline: April 15th
- Commuter Application Deadline: May 15th

### **Frontiers: Worcester Polytechnic Institute Pre-College Experience**

- Two-Week residential program
  - Frontiers I: July 7-19
  - Frontiers II: July 21 - Aug 2
- Participants will have a STEM major and humanities, arts or business minor
- Cost per session of Frontiers: \$3,995 (Prices includes housing, food, field trips, workshops, and activities)
- Information Sessions:
- Application Deadline: April 30th
- Learn more and [apply](#) here

### **Emerging Journalists Program at Elon University**

- Immersive Summer Experience: June 17-28th
- During the workshop students will learn reporting, writing, multimedia storytelling, leadership and media management skills.
- Students will become part of a working newsroom, producing professional web content and learning to track audience engagement metrics.
- Residential learning workshop
- FREE of charge (program pays for student's travel, lodging, meals and materials)
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Boston University Summer Journalism Academy**

- Hosted by Boston University College of Communication
- Three offered courses:
  - [On-campus residential program](#) from June 24 to July 12, 2024 (for students with some journalism experience)
  - [On-campus photojournalism program](#) from June 24 to July 12, 2024 (for students interested in visual storytelling)
  - [Two-week learn-from-home program](#) for high school students at all experience levels, starting June 17, July 1, and July 15
- Applications for on-campus programs due April 19th
- Applications for the online/learn-from-home program are due May 10th
- If students apply and are enrolled before March 8th can save \$400 off the full fee for residential program or \$200 off full fee for the online program
- Scholarship and financial aid is available
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Macaulay Honors College- Spring 2024 Information Sessions**

- Hear from current students about their Macaulay experiences
- Learn about the application process



- Dates and Zoom Links:
  - [Tuesday, March 19th 4:00-5:30 pm](#)
  - [Wednesday, April 17th 4:00-5:30 pm](#)
  - [Thursday, May 16th 4:00-5:30 pm](#)

### **“Which SUNY Are You?” Information Session**

- Introduce the Class of 2025 to SUNY!
- Information sessions throughout the spring about EOP information and Financial Aid Sessions
- Learn more and register for the workshops [here](#)

### **Wheaton Pre-College**

- Program to provide academic excellence while fostering independence, adaptability, and social engagement
- Program has two pathways:
  - A Student Experience where students select two courses in their area(s) of interest
  - A one-of-a-kind Student Athlete Experience where students who pursue Fencing, Swimming or dedicated Strength and Conditioning to support any sport can take a college-level course plus training from NCAA coaches.
- The program offers a commuter or residential option.
- Credit/Non-Credit options are available
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **University of Rochester Pre-College Programs**

- Summer programs give students the freedom to experience Rochester’s unique curriculum and join others from around the world.
- In person or online options available
- Includes options for synchronous programs with live instruction in intensive studies courses, non-credit courses, and college credit-bearing courses, plus options for asynchronous online courses to learn at your own pace.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Music Theater Summer Academy**

- Hosted by Marymount Manhattan College on the Upper East Side
- Opportunity to analyze a script and song, make informed acting choices, use music to propel the story, and understand the techniques required to create a digital pre-screen.
- The program is based on current industry standards for both college auditions and the professional world in New York City.
- Dates
  - Summer Intensive I June 23rd - July 6th
  - Summer Intensive II July 7th - July 20th



- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Cornell University Pre College Studies Program**

- Opportunity to earn 3 to 12 credits
- Program to build college study skills during engaging Ivy League classes
- Prep for college applications with one on one application counseling
- 3 and 6 week online courses in various topics available
- Courses offered between June 3rd and August 6th
- Financial aid is available
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Babson Summer Study**

- Immersive experiential online summer program where they will discover what it means to be an entrepreneur.
- Opportunity to cultivate core career skills and a sharp entrepreneurial mindset for overcoming challenges in any setting, in any role.
- Students will learn how to apply Babson's Entrepreneurial Thought & Action® framework for solving problems, and develop the leadership competencies needed to address real-world problems.
- Program Dates: July 8th to July 29th
- Standard application deadline: March 15th
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Discover Swarthmore: Swarthmore College**

- All expense paid fly-in program
- Program was designed to level the playing field for students who may not be able to visit our campus in person without financial assistance, or have other obstacles on their path to college.
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### **Columbia Engineering's 2024 Science Honors Program**

- The Science Honors Program (SHP) selects 150-200 students from the tri-state area to attend engaging classes on Saturdays at Columbia's Morningside campus.
- Program for students with a strong interest in sciences and mathematics.



- Classes offered from 10am to 12:30pm on Saturdays throughout the academic year.
- Deadline: March 27th
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

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- Five week internship that provides students more insight on the criminal justice system.
- Program Dates: July 8th - August 9th (Monday through Friday from 9:30am-4:30pm)
- Participants will have the opportunity to engage in workshops and discussions, participate in a mock trial program, develop professionalism in an office setting, and more.
- Interns will be paid minimum wage.
- Application deadline: March 8th
- Application includes one page resume and 300 word essay about your interest in criminal justice
- Apply [here](#)

### **The Cooper Union Summer Art Intensive**

- Opportunity to immerse themselves in art making in an art college environment with professional instruction alongside classmates who share their passion for art and design.
- Current Cooper Union undergraduates serve as teaching assistants to support student success and enrich the student experience.
- Students in the program choose from the concentration sections with courses in Drawing, Animation, Digital Photography, Graphic Design, Studio Practice
- All students will participate in field trips to museums, galleries, and artists' studios.
- In the final week of the program, an exhibition will be mounted showcasing program-created work and for the celebratory opening event we will invite family, friends, and colleagues to view and congratulate the artists.
- Scholarship options are available
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **BASE: Bucknell Academy Summer Experience**

- Surround yourself with fellow enthusiasts
- Invited to participate in a valuable opportunity to delve into this challenging issue and to experience interdisciplinary study on a college level
- Hands on learning experience designed to challenge your thought processes while providing exposure to college level work.
- Dates: June 23rd - 28th
- Application deadline: March 16th
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **2024 PREFACE Program at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute**



- REFACE is a summer program for talented students who have been historically under-represented in science, engineering, and the technological fields, and who express a strong, early interest in pursuing careers in these areas.
- Program will take place in-person, Sunday, July 28 through Saturday, August 10, 2024 (2 weeks), on the Rensselaer campus in Troy, NY.
- Due Date: April 19th
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Wake Forest Pre-College Summer Immersion Program**

- Program offers meaningful real-world experiences, robust academics, an inclusive campus culture, networking and mentorship, students are able to discover their passions and clarify their future pathways.
- Program concentrations
  - Bioscience
  - Business
  - Cancer Medicine
  - Debate and Public Advocacy
  - Engineering
  - Entrepreneurship
  - Filmmaking
  - Finance and Investing
  - Health and Exercise Science
  - Law
  - Leadership
  - Medicine
  - Neuroscience
  - Policy and Politics
  - Psychology
  - Screenwriting
  - Sports Business
  - Sports Medicine
  - Technology
  - Women's Medicine
  - Writing for Life
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **FIT's Discovery Day**

- Join FIT on campus for FIT's Discovery Day on Saturday March 23rd or Sunday March 24th at 10:00am
- Learn about FIT's wide variety of academic programs through hands-on workshops with faculty members from across the college.
- Explore our offerings in art and design, business and technology, and liberal arts and sciences.
- Opportunity to meet with admission office representatives
- Register [here](#)

### **Alfred University Summer Program**

- Summer High School Institutes and Athletic Camps will be offered in person at our beautiful campus in Western NY.
- Offers a variety of programs with something for every student, ranging from Astronomy and Creative Writing to Video Editing and 3D Printing.



- Weeklong Summer High School Institutes will offer an inside look into an educational experience at Alfred University while meeting with engaging faculty and receiving quality instruction.
- Learn more [here](#)
- Register [here](#)

## WashU Summer Programs

- Program for highly motivated students to explore academics and campus life at WashU:
  - Olin Business School Programs
    - Application due March 10, 2024
      - [BOLD@Olin](#): July 7th-11th
      - [Gateway to Business](#): July 7th-13th
        - Gateway to Business includes three virtual sessions June 13th, 20th and 27th
  - Arts and Science Programs
    - Application deadline: April 1, 2024
      - [High School Summer Scholars Program](#): June 9–July 13, 2024
      - [High School Summer Institutes](#): July 14–27, 2024
      - [High School Summer Launch](#): July 28–August 3, 2024
  - Sam Fox School of Design & Visual Arts Program
    - Application deadline: March 30, 2024
      - [Architecture Discovery Program](#): July 14–27, 2024
      - [Portfolio Plus Program](#): July 14–August 3, 2024

## Rhodes College Summer Writing Institute

- The college-prep program with a range of analytical and creative writing courses.
- Residential opportunity on the beautiful Rhodes College campus
- Program dates- June 16th to 28th
- Learn more [here](#)

## Bentley University Pre-College Program

- Provides valuable educational experiences to talented students from diverse backgrounds interested in pursuing careers in business.
- Priority deadline: April 1st
- Financial assistance is available but limited, early applicants will receive the greatest considerations for scholarships.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

## Voice of Tufts

- Fall fly-in program, is designed to provide seniors who attend high school in the US with firsthand exposure to diversity and community at Tufts University

- Gives high school seniors a sense of “life on the Hill” through mock classes, conversations and panels with current students, and opportunities to connect with our eight identity-based resource centers.
- No cost to participate in Voices and, for the in-person program, Tufts Admissions will arrange for transportation at no cost for students for whom the trip to campus would be a financial hardship.
- Additionally, the first-year application fee will be waived for all students who are nominated for Voices and all students who apply for Voices.
- Learn more [here](#)
- Contact Ms. Heller to be nominated!

### **Stanford Pre-Collegiate Summer Institutes**

- Stanford Pre-Collegiate Summer Institutes is a summer enrichment program that provides passionate and intellectually curious students with intensive study in a single course.
- Our program covers advanced subjects rarely taught in high school, offering students a chance to challenge themselves by diving deep into cutting-edge topics.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Suffolk University Summer Public History Institute**

- Through site visits, group discussions, and behind-the-scenes museum tours guided by Suffolk faculty, students will learn valuable skills in historical research, museum studies, and digital interpretation.
- Their studies will culminate in the creation of individualized digital exhibits using their very own Meta Quest unit, a cutting-edge virtual reality technology, which each student will get to keep!
- The program will take place July 7-19, 2024.
- Learn more [here](#) and apply by May 6.

### **Pratt Art Programs**

- Pratt PreCollege is offering 1-credit Saturday classes during the school year, to a 4-week, 4-credit immersive in-person summer program.
- Late Spring 2024–Deadline to Register: April 19, 2024
- June 2024–Deadlines to Register: Credit: May 1, 2024; NonCredit: May 7, 2024
- We’re hosting a focused Info Session and Q+A at 6:00PM ET on Wednesday, March 13, 2024 on Zoom. Register [here](#) with Eventbrite.

### **The Democracy Scholars Program at NYU Wagner School of Public Service**

- The chance to reside at NYU for 3 weeks over the summer, learn from NYU professors in a discussion-based seminar, receive guided college application support, and work in teams on a civic engagement project throughout the 2024-25 academic year.
- Online information session on Monday, March 11th



- Application Deadline: April 14, 2023
- Learn more [here](#)

### **Spring SUNY College Fairs**

- The fairs will include admissions representatives from more than 40 SUNY campuses.
- Dates:
  - Farmingdale State College | March 12
  - SUNY Westchester Community College | March 20
  - SUNY Broome Community College | April 11
  - New York City | April 14
  - SUNY Brockport | April 16
  - SUNY New Paltz | April 24
  - Suffolk County Community College | May 5
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Summer Leadership Summit at UCF, UF FIU, or Georgetown with Scholarships**

- An opportunity to dive into hands-on experiences that enhance your leadership, communication, and life skills, all while preparing you for college and the professional world. Each of our locations offers a distinctive theme but shares the common goal of fostering your leadership development and readiness for future challenges.
- Earn up to 50 community service hours!
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **UMass Lowell Junior Preview Day**

- Students will be able to learn everything they need to know about the college search process and UMass Lowell
  - Chat with admissions representatives one-on-one and get tips about applying
  - Hear about our majors from the associate deans of our colleges
  - Learn more about co-ops, internships and opportunities for career-connected work
  - Explore financial aid options
  - Tour our campus and residence halls
- Date: Saturday, April 27 at 9 a.m.
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

### **Salve Regina University summer program in politics**



- This week-long, residential program will expose students to many opportunities in politics and how their generation can help our country move past the cynicism sometimes associated with political discourse.
- Date: July 14-20, 2024
- Tuition: \$2800
- Learn more [here](#)

### **SUNY Engineering Info Session**

- Date and Time: March 13 at 5:30 PM
- We will be joined by representatives from:
  - Binghamton University
  - SUNY Polytechnic Institute
  - Maritime College
  - SUNY Canton
  - Dutchess Community College
- We will explore the magnitude of SUNY's engineering programs, how to prepare for an engineering career, and discuss the employment outlook.
- Register [here](#)





# Academic Prep Resources

## **Atlas Test Prep- Beacon Classes**

- Weekly classes at Beacon in preparation for the digital SAT held in March 2024
- Classes begin January 20th
- Guaranteed scholarships until January 1st
  - \$50 off group prep classes (code: 2025GP)
  - \$100 off private tutoring (code: 2025PT)
- Register for group classes [here](#)
- Register for private tutoring [here](#)

## **Free SAT Prep Class**

- Aegis Prep is running two free classes on Saturdays and Sundays from 1-2 pm
- Please visit their [website](#) for more details
- To register, simply email [aegisprep@gmail.com](mailto:aegisprep@gmail.com) for a form

## **Sci-Inspire at Columbia University**

- Complimentary tutoring service from Columbia students for high schoolers pursuing STEM subjects
- Tutors are highly accomplished and selected carefully
- Sessions take place on Tuesday evenings
- Learn more about registration [here](#)

## **Revolution Prep Tutoring**

- Revolution Prep private online tutoring focuses on closing academic learning gaps, scaffolding complex subject matter, improving grades and GPA, strengthening executive functioning skills, and preparation for exams (AP, SAT, ACT and more)
- Find more information [here](#)

## **Ulster University Discovery Academy**

- Online courses free and available to all
- Designed to help students choose a major
- Courses are self-paced and accessible 24/7
- Learn more [here](#)

## **Applerouth Study Sessions**

- Study prep for AP courses/exams
  - 2 hour online workshop opportunities
  - Subject specific instruction and strategies
  - Includes one free graded practice test
  - \$275 per workshop
  - Learn more and register [here](#)
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## **The College Tour**

- Watch college tour tv episodes that explore college campuses!
- Great resource to gain the inside scoop on different colleges and universities through the current student lens!
- Overview episodes available as well as short specific videos for different features of each school.
- Learn more [here](#)





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## **Scholarship Resources**

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