



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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New This Week

Have a wonderful spring break!

Beacon College Planning Guide

Hard copies of [The Beacon College Planning Guide](#) should have been distributed in advisory today or last week. If not, please see your advisor when we return from the break. Please take the time to read the entire booklet.

Reminders

Essay Meetings

College Office interns will be available to meet with juniors who want to get a head start on their college essays starting next week. Students can request a meeting [here](#)! In order to accommodate as many students as possible, there will be a maximum of **two** meetings per person this spring. Please only request an appointment during a free band or lunch, it is not appropriate to miss class for this meeting. **Missed appointments count as one**, so be sure to set reminders on your phone!

Next Junior Parent Coffee Talk - Thursday, May 2nd at 6:00pm

Parents: Your Role in The College Application Process

We will have a guest speaker join us! The stress of applying to college can take a toll on everyone in the family. In this session, learn about common stressors and changes to the college landscape while also gaining tips on how to be supportive, ensure your child's productivity, and maintain a happy household! This session will be recorded! Log on [here](#).

Registering for future SAT/ACT exams

The next SAT dates are May 4th (register by April 19th) and June 1st (register by May 16th).
The next ACT is June 8th (register by May 3rd).

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!

Summer College Now Opportunity

All summer College Now programs are now available to apply! You can see program details and requirements [here](#)





Last Chance Opportunities

Spring SUNY College Fairs

- The fairs will include admissions reps from more than 40 SUNY campuses.
- Dates:
 - SUNY New Paltz | **April 24**
 - Suffolk County Community College | May 5
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

BU Summer Journalism Academy

- Apply using this link: [Boston University Summer Journalism Academy](#)
- Students can choose their session:
 - **Writing and Reporting**, offered [in-person](#) from June 24 to July 12, or [on-line](#) two-week sessions starting June 17, July 1, and July 15, 2024
 - In our **Writing and Reporting sessions**, our [award-winning journalists](#) work with students to show them how to follow facts and get to the heart of stories affecting their communities. All students attending our program will have the option to publish one of their stories on our Academy's website, [The Terrier](#), and use this in their college essays or add to their portfolios.
 - **Photojournalism**, offered in-person from June 24 to July 12, 2024
 - Veteran photojournalist Stephen Haines will help students develop their camera skills and guide them on how to work alongside journalists.
 - No matter what session your student(s) select, they will learn practical skills to apply to any career.
- To learn more, visit [www.summerjournalism.org](#). We accept applications on a rolling basis. The final deadline to apply is: **April 19, 2024, for on-campus sessions**, and May 10, 2024, for our online sessions.

YA-YA's 2024 Summer Social Justice Institute

- This is a stipended 8-week opportunity open to NYC youth ages 15-19 who are interested in community organizing, New York City government, and social movement history.
- Application deadline: **Saturday, April 20th**.
- Learn more [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](#)

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

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





Extracurricular & Internship Opportunities

Intro to Columbia: Holistic Admissions Review & Case Studies for New York City High School Students

- Connect with Columbia Undergraduate Admissions Representative and learn about the Holistic Admissions Review through Case Studies
- Friday, May 10 at 5:30 p.m.
- All attendees must pre register
- Location will be confirmed on May 6 to those who registered
- Here is the link to RSVP: <https://bit.ly/columddc24>
- For more information, email Leticia at leticia.v@columbia.edu

Fully Funded Windows on Williams Fly-In Program

- [Windows on Williams \(WOW\)](#) application is now available
- The WOW fly-in program provides about 150 high-achieving seniors a fully funded opportunity to visit campus and experience the Williams community. WOW is a selective program open to rising seniors in the U.S. and Puerto Rico; preference is given to high-achieving students who couldn't otherwise afford to visit Williams.
- WOW participants stay in dorms with current students, attend classes, meet with professors, and learn about our admission process and our extraordinary financial aid program.
- There are two ways to apply:
 - Students may complete the full WOW application form, including a high school transcript (screenshots or pictures of the transcript are accepted) and an essay submitted for an English or social science class during the 2023-2024 academic school year
 - Students who applied to the QuestBridge College Prep Scholars (CPS) program can re-use that application for WOW
- [apply using this link](#) by August 1, and feel free to [contact us](#) with any questions

Swarthmore College

- Our [Discover Swarthmore \(DS\) fly-in program](#), an all-expenses-paid visit, provides prospective students with a taste of the college experience by meeting current students and professors, eating in our dining hall, and spending a few nights in our residence halls with student hosts. They also gain valuable information about college admissions and financial aid from our staff of experts. We will host two programs to give students maximum flexibility in visiting our campus during the busy fall semester: **Thursday, September 26, 2024 - Saturday, September 28, 2024 Or Thursday, October 24, 2024 - Saturday, October 26, 2024**
- Nomination and Selection Criteria -First generation in their family to attend college, Low-income students (Pell-eligible, free/reduced lunch, etc.), and students who might not otherwise be able to afford a trip to campus
- Contact dheller2@schools.nyc.gov by June 1st if you want to be nominated!

GPSA, Global Health Travel Programs



- GPSA is currently offering global health travel programs to Thailand, Belize, West Virginia and Guatemala.
- [Learn more 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](#)

DOROT Teen Internship Program

- 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

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

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.

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](#)

The JCC of Manhattan Camp Positions

- Transportation from Manhattan and lunch is included.
- [See the open roles](#)

- High school students ages 16+ are eligible for: Settoga day camp counselors, after school counselors, lifeguards and more.

Internship Opportunities Presented by Ladder Internships

- 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: Gaborone, 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.

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](#)

Free Summer Career Exploration + College Prep Program - juniors

- The Innovation Research Fellowship provides young women the opportunity to be matched with prestigious Fortune 500 companies this summer.
- Our corporate partners include Chanel, Mount Sinai Health Group, NASDAQ, and Denton's Law Group.
- Deadline: May 8th, 2024
- Learn more and apply [here](#)

NYPL's Career Resources Fair on 5/1



- This free event will be held at the Stephen A. Schwarzman Building in midtown Manhattan on Wednesday, May 1 from 10 AM–1:30 PM.
- At this event, our goal is to showcase: 1) a wide variety of career pathways that do not necessarily require a college degree, 2) workforce development programs in and around New York City, and 3) supportive career resources that will help teens prepare to enter the workforce now and in the future.
- Contact Ms. Heller if you wish to go!

Free Stock Market Challenge at Baruch

- Entrants to the challenge will have the opportunity to experience hands-on stock trading and learn about how the stock market works.
- Students compete in teams to have the top three stock portfolios and win exciting prizes.
- Dates: June 27-July 25, 2024
- Register [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!



Pre-College Summer Programs

The Cooper Union Summer Art Intensive

- When: July 8-August 1, Mondays-Thursdays 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
- Who: We are very excited to welcome back Sydney Vernon who will lead our **Drawing Intensive** class this year.
- More about Sydney: Sydney Vernon (b. 1995 Prince George's County, Maryland) lives and works in New York. Sydney is a cross-disciplinary artist, fashion enthusiast, and burgeoning collector of contemporary art. Her work spans drawing, painting, printmaking, video, and performance, often taking inspiration from her family's documented history, Black American culture, and philosophical inquiries of selfhood. Most recently she has shown at Case Gallery, Luce Gallery and Kapp Kapp. She is a 2022 fellow at Robert Blackburn Printmaking Workshop Studio Immersion Project and she holds a BFA from the Cooper Union.
- [Register here!](#)

Colorado College Pre-College Program

- CC's [Pre-College Block](#) (July 8-24, 2024) includes a wide variety of academic courses, all taught by CC professors and for college credit.
- Courses include:
 - Introduction to Drawing: Landscape Immersion
 - Entrepreneurship & Business Management
 - Introduction to Filmmaking
 - Writing the News
 - Introduction to Human Anatomy
 - Climate Change and Sustainable Development
 - Introductory Astronomy: Your Place in the Universe
 - [Pre-College application](#) is open through **May 1!**

Let's Get Ready's Summer Access Applications

- The link to the applications is www.letsgetready.org/signup
- Our mentors offer our near-peer mentoring to high school juniors and can report in real time about the college experience and what worked as they applied to college. They can also be someone that students can ask questions of throughout their journey. Having this mentor is a great supplement to the work that you are already doing!
- **May 22, 2024** applications will be closed
- This year we have limited the amount of seats. We will more than likely fill our program prior to May 22. Interested students should apply early to reserve their virtual seats.

Adelphi's Summer Courses

- Adelphi's summer courses provide opportunities to explore new interests and get ahead with college credits—at a reduced rate of \$625 per course.
- At Adelphi, we've reinvented summer to be a vibrant experience offering more than 200 significantly discounted online, hybrid, and in-person classes with access to



world-class faculty. Our online and on-campus options give students the flexibility to study in whatever mode suits their learning styles and summer schedules best.

- As you begin to consider summer plans, I invite you to learn more about [Adelphi's Summer Sessions](#).
 - Session I: May 29 – July 3, 2024
 - Session II: July 8 – August 11, 2024
- If you have any questions or would like to connect, please reach out to summer@adelphi.edu or phone at 516.877.6474.

Seton Hall Pre-College Summer Series

- Offered throughout the month of July, these highly interactive for-credit and non-credit certificate workshops allow students to immerse themselves in a topic of interest, explore potential careers and get a taste of college life.
- In addition to learning from our esteemed faculty, students will have the opportunity to dine in our newly renovated cafeteria, explore campus and participate in extracurricular activities with students from around the region – the perfect way to spend the month of July (and help avoid the dreaded summer slide...).
- Costs vary per program, and a limited number of need-based scholarships are available ([applications](#) due May 1). To learn more and/or register a student, we invite you to visit our [Pre-College Summer Series](#) page.

Villanova's NovaEdge Diversity in Engineering Academy

- Program Dates are July 13-20
- Participants stay on campus during this one-week summer program
- Open to rising sophomores, juniors and senior high school students
- The program cost is \$775 that includes room and board and can be paid in full once the student is selected into the program
- Registration is not complete until required forms are received
- If the student is selected, a deposit will be due to secure their spot
- Find more information and the application link on the [site](#)
- If you have questions, contact Dr. Stephen Jones at s.jones@villanova.edu

Stony Brook University Pre-College Summer Program

- Participating students can take courses, led by Stony Brook faculty, in topics ranging from biomedical informatics to multimedia journalism to sustainability all while living on the Stony Brook campus. Students also have the opportunity to participate in recreational activities held on campus. In addition, the program is supplemented by participation in college readiness workshops.
- More details about the program can be found [here](#)

Fordham University STEP

- The 2024 summer program will run in person from Monday - Thursday starting July 8th - August 1st from 9:30 AM – 3:40 PM
- Programming includes math and science enrichment classes, free tutoring, community building activities, a social justice project, a health careers conference, a law symposium as well as personal and professional development courses like Forensic Science and Leadership and Entrepreneurship.
- Priority Deadline: May 3rd, 2024, Application Deadline: May 31st, 2024

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- Admission to STEP is competitive and based primarily on a student's academic record, teacher recommendations, and essays. Students applying to the program should have at least an 85/B average.
- Students can complete the Google Form [Fordham STEP Summer 2024 Online Application \(Google Form\)](#) or paper application [Fordham STEP Summer 2024 Paper Application](#)

Fordham Summer Leaders Academy & Pre-College Programs

- The [Summer Leaders Academy](#) is an immersive college experience for high school students that includes exciting courses in a range of academic disciplines, on-campus residential opportunities, and college preparation.
- Select [college-level courses](#) are available to Fordham's Pre-College scholars and allow students the chance to earn college credits while sharing the classroom with current undergraduates and Fordham faculty.

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](#): 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.
- 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.

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](#)

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
- 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
- Find more information and apply [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](#)!

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](#)

Alfred University Summer Program

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- 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](#)

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](#)

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.

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](#)

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](#)

Clarkson's Young Scholars Program - Summer 2024

- Consistent with Clarkson's overall focus on interdisciplinary education, students are given a problem to examine and solve from three different perspectives.
- This year's project is "Designing a Sustainable and Scalable Portfolio for Financial Wellness".
- Regular deadline: May 1, 2024
- Learn more [here](#)

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Rensselaer Architecture Career Discovery Program

- This two-week class is designed to expose you to a high-quality undergraduate architecture program. The core of this course is studio work.
- The first week of the course will focus on building models and making drawings by hand. The second week will focus on using the computer as a design tool. Students will learn 3D modeling in Rhinoceros, 2D drawing, and image editing in Adobe Creative Suite.
- Program cost: \$1850
- In-person session: July 8-19, 2024 (9 a.m. - 4 p.m. EDT), register [here](#) by June 15
- Online session: July 22-August 2, 2024 (11 a.m. - 6 p.m. EDT), register [here](#) by June 15

Summer Programs at Illinois Tech

- Elevate College Prep at Illinois Tech—ranked the #1 college in Illinois and #23 in the U.S.*—offers one-of-a-kind summer programs for middle school and high school students.
- This is an exciting opportunity for your student to broaden their knowledge and skills through an array of future-focused academic offerings, hands-on experiences, and mentorship.
- Students can take part in a residential experience on Illinois Tech's Chicago campus or in commuter programs in Chicago and west suburban Wheaton, Illinois. Classes are also offered online.
- Learn more about the programs offered [here](#)
- Register [here](#)



Academic Prep Resources

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 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](#)

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](#)



Scholarships

Jeff and Paula Gural Merit Scholarship

- Students that are currently attending a New York City public high school within the five boroughs (Brooklyn, The Bronx, Manhattan, Queens, and Staten Island) are eligible to apply.
- [Apply here!](#)

Scholarship Resources

www.fastweb.com

www.myscholly.com

