

Stuyvesant Student Opportunity Bulletin #2L

September 15, 2023

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Welcome to the second Student Opportunity Bulletin of the 2023-2024 school year.

This weekly bulletin will inform students, parents, and staff in a timely manner about internships, academic programs, jobs, community service options, and leadership initiatives, along with other student opportunities in a variety of fields. Please carefully note deadlines, age requirements, and other pre-requisites for participation.

These various opportunities utilize different formats. Some are in-person, some remote, and some will involve a hybrid arrangement. Check each program for their specific format and schedule. Students should consider applying to any that match their interests and talents. **Some program deadlines are fast approaching** – please do not miss them!

For ease of use, these newsletters are organized by different categories, such as Academic Programs, Business Internships & Jobs, STEM Opportunities, Community Service, and so on.

Questions, suggestions, and information about other opportunities are always welcome and appreciated, and may be sent to Internship/Opportunity Coordinator Harvey Blumm at: hblumm@stuy.edu - we will share your helpful information with the Stuy community!

There are a number of excellent new opportunities in this issue with fast-approaching deadlines - including (just to highlight a few):

EVENTS: The **SUBMERGE Marine Science Festival** (near Stuy) on Saturday, 9/29; the “**Raising Resilient Girls**” free online workshop for parents on 9/25; the **Design Career Fair** at the Cooper-Hewitt Museum on 10/3; and the **Yale University “Fall SPLASH”** one-day program of on-campus mini-classes in a variety of fields on 11/11 (spots fill up quickly, so check it out soon).

ACADEMICS: The multi-campus **STEP STEM** free Saturday program for all students, including Baruch College’s ‘**Psychology Research Scholars**’ program - some deadlines are next week!

BUSINESS: The “**Rock the Street Wall Street**” **Business/Personal Finance** program for female students at Stuy (starts 9/26); And **Futures & Options** offers outstanding programs for all grade levels, including access to paid opportunities for juniors & seniors (9/22 deadline).

COMMUNITY SERVICE: The **GO Project** welcomes student helpers for their tutoring programs.

LEADERSHIP/GOVERNMENT/COLLEGE: There are numerous options, including the **Brooklyn Public Library's paid StoryTeens internship** (for 10th-12th graders); the **ASAP Community Network AAPI project** for any students interested in community issues; And the **Let's Get Ready** free SAT Prep program for current 11th and 12th graders is accepting applications.

MUSEUMS/ART: The **Museum of Modern Art's Teen Film Committee** for students 16 and older begins on 10/1.

PARKS/ENVIRONMENT: **TREEAGE** is an Environmental Activism project for interested students; the **Climate Museum** offers two exciting workshops on the Environment in October, along with volunteer opportunities for all students; The B.Q.L.T. non-profit organization welcomes volunteers for their **Neighborhood Community Gardens** program (start date approaching).

STEM: The new **in-person Perry Initiative Medical Program** for female students at the Hospital for Special Surgery in Manhattan on 12/9 (spots fill up fast!); And the application deadline & start date for the free **Artificial Intelligence virtual course** has been extended to early October.

THEATER/WRITING/FILM: Several different **Film Workshops from Reelworks**; the **MCC & Irondale Theater** programs; the **New Group's MyStory/College Essay**

program; the **Brooklyn Youth Chorus** final auditions on 9/19 and 9/26; And the **Moth Teen Story** programs for 10th-12th graders (application deadline: Sunday, 9/17).

Events of Interest to Students:

New: *Event Approaching:* For Parents: Raising Resilient Girls:

“This 75-minute webinar is for parents and caretakers who want to learn how to build emotional wellness together with their daughters.

Girls often feel an expectation to be happy, content, and confident, but right now they tell us they’re actually feeling anxiety, disappointment, and loneliness. *Raising Resilient Girls* gives caregivers the skills to model showing up as our authentic selves so that our girls can navigate life’s inevitable challenges.”

Eligible: All parents and caregivers

Date: September 25 (7:00pm)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: https://girlsleadership.org/parent-education/?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_content=Reserve%20Your%20Spot&utm_campaign=0923-12_programs-hq-f
<https://events.blackthorn.io/en/d0gVbc6/parent-and-caretaker-webinar-raising-resilient-girls-4a5m6Tyh8P/overview>

New: SUBMERGE Marine Science Festival

“This free festival is a day of interactive science that invites the public to experience awesome experiments, kid-approved science entertainment, catch and release fishing,

and more! SUBMERGE aims to inspire audiences of all ages and make marine science and STEM accessible and engaging for everyone.

Eligible: All students

Date: September 29 (10:00 am - 2:00 pm)

Location: Hudson River Park's Pier 84 (West 44 Street in Manhattan)

Cost: Free

Link:

<https://hudsonriverpark.org/visit/events/event/submerge-marine-science-festival-friday-2023/>

New: Big Apple College Fair and \$2,500 Scholarship Raffle

“This college fair offers attendees the opportunity to speak with over 200 college admissions representatives from all over the country, plus England. This opportunity is free to attendees. In addition, the Big Apple offers a raffle for all high school seniors to enter. Ten lucky student names drawn will get a \$2,500 scholarship.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Sunday, **October 8** (1 – 4pm)

Location: Jacob Javits Center – Hall 1A, Manhattan (655 W 34th Street)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.bigapplecollegefair.com/>

New: Macaulay Honors College Events

For students interested in learning more about the Macaulay experience, Macaulay Honors College is hosting an Open House event. Macaulay is also hosting three information sessions for prospective students about admission requirements, key

dates, essay tips, the Macaulay application, information from Macaulay students, and more.

1 – Macaulay Fall 2023 Open House

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 15 (2:00 PM)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_aJ7BAorzTzKQIWgGXir7IQ?#/registration

2 – Information Sessions

Eligible: Current Seniors

Dates: **September 27**, October 24, **OR** November 2 (4:00 - 5:30 PM EST)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://macaulay.cuny.edu/calendar-of-events/information-session-for-prospective-students-15/>

<https://macaulay.cuny.edu/calendar-of-events/information-session-for-prospective-students-16/>

<https://macaulay.cuny.edu/calendar-of-events/information-session-for-prospective-students-17/>

New: Design Career Fair

“Thinking about a creative career and wondering where to start? Join us for the Design Career Fair at Cooper Hewitt, Smithsonian Design Museum! This annual

event welcomes high school students to speak with **National Design Award winners**, guest designers, and colleges on the many pathways toward design. **Designers from every discipline**, including fashion, architecture, product design, graphic design, UX, and more, will be available to discuss everything from mentorship and college to the future of the field.”

Eligible: All students

Date: October 3 (4:30-6:30)

Location: 2 East 91 Street, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **October 1**

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.cooperhewitt.org/event/design-career-fair-10-03-2023/>

New: IEEE STEM Summit

“Join us for the third annual IEEE STEM Summit on October 24-27 2023. During this free virtual event, pre-university STEM enthusiasts, educators, parents, and volunteers will share ideas, experiences, and resources.”

Eligible: All students

Date: October 24–27

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.airmeet.com/e/ec95ffe0-32ca-11ee-bd48-530b55b72a88>

New: Yale Splash Program

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Eligible: All students

Date: November 11 (9 AM - 4 PM)

Location: Yale Campus (451 College St, New Haven, CT)

Cost: \$20 (Includes lunch, Financial aid available)

Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://yale.learningu.org/learn/splash.html>

National Design Week

“Celebrate National Design Week with America’s design museum! Cooper Hewitt, the Smithsonian Design Museum, opens its doors are with free museum admission for all from October 2–8. National Design Week celebrates the important role design plays in all aspects of everyday life and will feature a range of in-person and virtual programs.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: **October 2 – 8**

Location: Cooper Hewitt Museum (2 East 91st Street, Manhattan)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://www.cooperhewitt.org/national-design-week/>

Teens Art Connection - Pizza and a Movie (PaaM)

“As a PaaM teen you will eat delicious pizza on us and decide what movie to watch with a vote. Each month PaaM hosts present a new theme with a menu of 3 mystery movies. Movie titles aren’t revealed until movie night. Connect with other NYC teens, learn behind the scenes movie facts and share your reactions in real-time. Post movie, join the talk-back to explore themes in the movie.”

Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Dates: **October 6, November 3, December 1**, and the first Friday of subsequent months from 5 – 8 pm

Location: 53rd Street Library; 18 West 53rd Street, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link:

<https://teens.artsconnection.org/paam/#1527535916402-da035c50-e48b967d-911a>

Virtual NACAC National College Fairs

“Free and open to the public, National College Fairs are the perfect place to kick off your college search. Admission representatives from schools across the country are all gathered in one place. Their goal: To encourage you to learn more about their institutions, and help you sort through the qualities you’re looking for in a college. Use your visit to explore your options, ask questions, and gather information.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: **October 15**, November 12 (1 – 6 pm)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://www.nacacattend.org/23VirtualSept10>

<https://www.nacacattend.org/23VirtualOct15>

https://www.nacacattend.org/fairs/?_gl=1*1b3tozc*_ga*MTcwNjA4MTg0MS4xNjkzNTc0NTcw*_ga_VBBSWPK81X*MTY5MzU3NDU3MC4xLjAuMTY5MzU3NDU3MC42MC4wLjA

Cybersecurity Career Awareness Week

“All students are welcome to learn about topics and careers in this innovative & important field of cybersecurity. A variety of events and competitions will be offered for students to participate in.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 16 - 21

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://www.nist.gov/itl/applied-cybersecurity/nice/events/cybersecurity-career-week/what-cybersecurity-career-week>

XSTEM All Access Virtual Interactive Speaker Series

“X-STEM All Access is a free virtual conference series designed to get students excited about STEM. Students will get an inside look into the exciting careers and inspiring personal journeys of diverse STEM role models through a lively Q&A session with a fellow STEM professional. The 30-minute max episodes will premiere throughout the school year and will be available on-demand to fit in your schedule.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: TBD

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://usasciencefestival.org/x-stem-all-access-2023/>
<https://usasciencefestival.org/x-stem-all-access-register-2023/>

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Academic Programs:

New: First Classes Approaching: After School CS Classes with Digital Girl, Inc.

“Digital Girl, Inc is hosting introductory computer science classes for K-12 students in their after-school coding program. Learn the concepts of coding, create games and apps, gain tech skills, learn about STEM careers, have fun, and more!” Students may register for multiple classes or simply attend one.

Eligible: All students; focus on inner-city girls but all may apply

Dates: **September 20** – June 12, 2024 (Wednesdays from 3:30 - 5:00 PM)

Location: 1561 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://www.digitalgirlinc.org/>

<https://www.digitalgirlinc.org/afterschool>

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/after-school-computer-science-classes-for-grades-6-12-tickets-705663306947>

New: Some Deadlines Approaching:

The Science & Technology Entry Program (STEP) is a free STEM/College Prep program available to all 7th-12th graders who meet lower family-income criteria or those from under-represented groups. These are offered in the fall, spring, and summer terms, and typically meet on Saturdays:

Deadline Extended/Approaching:

1-STEP Fall Term at Baruch College & Psychology Research Scholars

“The Baruch College STEP (Science and Technology Entry Program) Academy is a New York State Education Department-funded pre-college program for middle and high school students interested in pursuing careers in the STEM professions. The program invites eligible students to participate in workshops and enrichment courses in math, science, SAT, and college preparatory workshops.”

Eligible: All under-represented (African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian) and all economically disadvantaged students.

Dates: September 30 – December 9 from 9 AM – 2 PM every Saturday

Location: Baruch College; 55 Lexington Avenue, Manhattan

Cost: Free

New Application Deadline: **September 18** (or until full)

Links: <https://step.baruch.cuny.edu/>

https://baruch.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3eXTyL8We2vaLI2

<https://step.baruch.cuny.edu/how-to-apply/>

Deadline Approaching: 2-STEP Fall Term at NYU Pre-College Program

“The Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP) at New York University (NYU) is a state-funded innovative pre-college enrichment program for students from 7th – 12th grade. In addition, we encourage historically low income or first generation students to engage in the science, technology, engineering, math (STEM) careers, health-related fields and licensed professions.”

Eligible: All under-represented (African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian) and all economically disadvantaged or first-generation students.

Dates: October 2023 – May 2024, Saturdays from 9 AM – 3 PM

Location: NYU

Cost: \$200 total for both fall and spring – Fee waivers are available

Application Deadline: September 21

Links:

<https://www.nyu.edu/admissions/undergraduate-admissions/how-to-apply/all-freshmen-applicants/opportunity-programs/pre-college-programs/admissions.html>

Application link:

<https://www.nyu.edu/admissions/undergraduate-admissions/how-to-apply/all-freshmen-applicants/opportunity-programs/pre-college-programs/admissions.html>

Deadline Approaching: 3-‘STEP’ at Hostos Community College

“We are offering STEM tutoring, homework help, workshops, research opportunities and more!”

Eligible: All under-represented (African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian) and all economically disadvantaged students.

Dates: TBD

Location: In-person at 475 Grand Concourse, The Bronx

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: September 20 at 5:00 PM

Links: <https://hostosproyectoaccess.org/step>
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfk6ZG3gT2qqvR-_hDfw3DcW7V7zkE9d0Gg73eAM5ZB3DcQ5Q/viewform

Deadline Approaching: 4-‘STEP’ at Queensborough Community College

“STEP (Science and Technology Entry Program) is a pre-collegiate program, successfully running at QCC (Queensborough Community College, Bayside NY) since 2006. The program, which is funded by the New York State Department of

Education, seeks to strengthen students' skills in science and math and motivate them to enroll in college and pursue careers in science, technology, and the licensed professions.”

Eligible: All under-represented (African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian) and all economically disadvantaged students.

Dates: September 30 – June 10, 2024

Location: Queensborough Community College, 222-05 56th Avenue, Queens

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **ASAP**

Link: <https://www.qcc.cuny.edu/conted/step/index.html>

https://qcccuny.formstack.com/forms/step_application

New: Science and Technology Entry Program @ Vaughn College

“The Vaughn College STEP Academy offers free SHSAT & SAT Prep classes, together with Flight, Coding, 3D Design, Animation, Technology of Money, and Hydroponics. Students in 7th -12th grade are eligible based on two options of eligibility: ethnicity or low income. If a student qualifies based on ethnicity (African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian), proof of income is not necessary.

Eligible: All students may apply (ethnicity or low-income focus)

Dates: Weekend classes (Saturdays, October – June)

Location: Virtual

Cost: TBA (Some financial aid available)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link:

<https://www.vaughn.edu/student-life/science-and-technology-entry-program-step/>

New: Columbia Climate School's Pre-College Program Workshops

“Columbia Climate School’s Pre-College Programs will expand your knowledge and prepare you to understand, analyze, and apply cutting-edge research to the complex problem of our changing climate. One workshop currently being offered is **Climate Impacts: Uncovering (In)Justice in Disaster Preparedness and Recovery**, a workshop intended for learners interested in the social impacts of climate change. Another workshop, **Climate Connections: Why We Should ALL Care About the Polar Regions**, focuses on understanding the polar regions and their importance in driving and maintaining natural processes on Earth.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October - December 2023 (Saturdays, 10 AM - 12 PM)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://www.climate.columbia.edu/climate-impacts-uncovering-injustice-disaster-preparedness-and-recovery-2023>

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/climate-connections-why-we-should-all-care-about-polar-regions>

New: Yale Splash Program

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Eligible: All students

Date: November 11 (9 AM - 4 PM)

Location: Yale Campus (451 College St, New Haven, CT)

Cost: \$20 (Includes lunch, Financial aid available)

Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://yale.learningu.org/learn/splash.html>

Deadline Approaching:

Cooper Union STEM Saturdays Engineering & Design Classes

“For eight Saturdays - Whether redesigning a monument to share untold stories or creating a place for people to gather and celebrate, students will learn skills from Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering. The skills will range from computer aided design to data analysis to electrical circuit design. Each session ends with a celebration and student showcase highlighting progress made towards developing skills and addressing community needs. Priority is given to students with no design or engineering experience.” Students will be provided materials, lunch and snacks, and MetroCards.

Eligible: Current 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students who are low or middle income; All are welcome to apply - priority is given to students that identify with a group underrepresented in engineering careers

Dates: October 7 – December 2 (Saturdays from 10 am – 4 pm)

Location: 41 Cooper Square, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **September 25 (5:00 pm)**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://cooper.edu/engineering/stem/Saturdays>

<https://connect.cooper.edu/portal/application-page-hs-options>

Harvard Student Agencies Weekend Junior Academies

“The Academies @HOME offers weekend programs curated by Harvard faculty and taught by undergraduates to help students explore a career path of their choosing: business, business consulting, coding, pre-law, pre-med, or politics. They run for two consecutive weekends for four hours each day, totaling out to 16 hours of guided instruction.”

Eligible: All students

Dates/Times: Various

Location: Virtual

Cost: \$679 (Some financial aid available)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis** (applications are due at least one week before the corresponding program start date)

Links: <https://www.academies.hsa.net/pages/virtual-weekend-academies>

<https://www.academies.hsa.net/pages/virtual-weekendacademies#application>

New York Math Circle Fall Program

“Interested in learning more math? New York Math Circle offers the opportunity to solve unusual problems and invent your own, apply existing knowledge in new situations, learn famous gems of mathematics, and explore the unknown. Different levels are offered, from high school to college-level courses.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Sunday classes for the fall 2023 semester

Location: Columbia University (2990 Broadway, Manhattan) OR The Clinton School (10 E15 St, Manhattan) for in-person classes; virtual options available for some

Cost: \$395 (some need-based financial aid available)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis – Some courses may fill up fast!**

Link: <https://www.nymathcircle.org/students#Fall%202023>

The Art of Problem-Solving Online School

“AoPS Online offers a selection of math and computer science courses. The math courses cover different levels of difficulty and there are also seminars that specifically target the AMC.

- Fall dates are now open for registration for many of program’s virtual classes in math and language arts
- New dates for the following contest preparation courses: AMC 8 basics and advanced, AMC 10 & 12 problem series, and F=ma problem series.
- New dates for the following computer science classes: Introduction to Programming with Python and Intermediate Programming with Python.”

Eligible: All Students

Dates: 2023-2024 academic year

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Cost: Various (\$460 - \$850)

Link: <https://artofproblemsolving.com/school>

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Business & Jobs

***New:* Rock the Street Wall Street Finance Program**

Rock the Street Wall Street invites female students to apply for this series of six in-person sessions for Stuyvesant students, taking place after-school at Stuyvesant.

Participants meet with female finance industry professionals and learn about personal finance, financial businesses, and more. Participants also receive help in finding summer internships in this field of business.

“We are excited to be starting another year of Rock the Street, Wall Street programming at Stuyvesant this year! We have a group of women from Invesco Corporation excited to meet the great group of students at Stuyvesant and share their time and knowledge with you all! Here are the details:”

Fall Workshops & Field Trip to Invesco Headquarters (near Stuy):

Tuesdays, 4:00 - 5:00 PM from September 26 – October 24

Please register on our NEW RTSWS App to participate. The app can be accessed via the link below to access their document and then scan the QR code in the document for instructions.

Join our 2023-2024 Rock The Street, Wall Street cohort at Stuyvesant!

Eligible: All female students

Dates: September 26 – October 24

Cost: Free

Links:

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1df7wEKOSTujUiNouS-](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1df7wEKOSTujUiNouS-I3yP_puAAELkgP/view?usp=sharing)

[I3yP_puAAELkgP/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1df7wEKOSTujUiNouS-I3yP_puAAELkgP/view?usp=sharing)

<https://rockthestreetwallstreet.com/home/>

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DBNLePAOrYxr7QV78FPPBP5ztch21kIm/view?usp=sharing>

New: **Sandra Ung 2023 General Election Campaign Political Canvasser**

“The Sandra 2023 general election campaign is hiring for a paid canvassing position.

This is based in northeast Queens and is in-person. Pay is **\$25/hour** and must have speaking Mandarin skills. Canvass shifts are on weekday evenings and weekends.

Duties include knocking on the door of voters, communicating mission statements and

campaign messaging with voters to help elect Sandra Ung to City Council, accurately track results of conversations using MiniVan, and conveying qualitative canvassing results to Field Director.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Flexible schedule, mostly on weekday evenings and weekends

Location: Multiple locations

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis-first come, first served

Link: <https://www.indeed.com/job/political-canvasser-03a0905a1adc5ae3>

Deadlines Approaching: Futures and Options Programs

Futures and Options is offering two career exploration success programs, listed below.

1. Career Essentials

“Students in the Futures and Options Career Essentials Program participate in 10 supervised workshops that focus on communication, presentation and workplace etiquette skills. Career Essentials High School is open to **any high school student** who resides in the five boroughs of New York City. Students will have the opportunity to network with and learn from fellow peers from different boroughs and schools and receive a \$50 stipend for participation.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 9 – December (11 after-school sessions)

Cost: Free

Location: Futures and Options office at 120 Broadway, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **September 22**

Links: <https://futuresandoptions.org/career-essentials-application/>

<https://futuresandoptions.org/our-programs/our-programs-career-exploration/our-programs-career-exploration-career-essentials/>

2. Internship Program

“The Futures and Options Internship Program provides New York City high school students with critical work-readiness training and the opportunity to gain firsthand work experience as interns with a dynamic range of business partners. Futures and Options interns work for a total of 75-150 hours in paid, mentored internships that best match their skills and interests.”

Eligible: Students who are at least 16 years old and have working papers

Dates: September – June 2024

Cost: Free

Location: Varies depending on student and business partner needs

Application Deadline: **September 22**

Links: <https://futuresandoptions.org/internship-program-application/>

<https://futuresandoptions.org/our-programs/our-programs-internships/>

Deadline Approaching: NYU Weekend Workshops

“As a college prep program, the NYU SPS High School Academy offers a range of professional and college geared courses. Explore topics and get a feel for majors or careers you may be considering all while preparing for the college admissions and college application process.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Fall term

Location: In-person (7 East 12th St, Manhattan) or virtual, depending on course

Cost: \$850 & \$50 application fee (financial aid not available)

Application Deadline: **September 22** (in-person courses) & October 27 (online courses)

Link: <https://www.sps.nyu.edu/high-school-academy/programs/weekend-workshops.html>

Deadline Approaching: Breakthrough New York Paid Tutoring Internship

“As an After-School Teaching Assistant you will guide the success of middle school students by teaching a pre-written curriculum that will support their entry into a competitive high school.”

After School Tutors will be compensated at a rate of \$16 - \$17/hour for their work.

Eligible: Current juniors and seniors

Dates: September 27 – December 13 (4 – 7 pm)

Locations: Brooklyn Site: TBD; Manhattan Site: The Town School (540 East 76th Street); Bronx Site: All Hallows High School (111 E 164th Street, Bronx, NY 10452)

Application Deadline: **ASAP**

Links: <https://btny.pinpointhq.com/en/jobs/72758>

<https://btny.pinpointhq.com/en/postings/aab73e71-406e-4157-bb6c-d1beae7971cf>

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Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis** (applications are due at least one week before the corresponding program start date)

Links: <https://www.academies.hsa.net/pages/virtual-weekend-academies>
<https://www.academies.hsa.net/pages/virtual-weekendacademies#application>

New York Women in Business Coalition

“Kick off the school year with **The NYC Women In Business Coalition!** We invite all new and returning members to join us for their events of the fall season. Although membership is not required for this event, you will have an opportunity to join our coalition for the 2023-24 year.”

Eligible: All NYC high school young women

Dates: Various TBA

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.nycwibcoalition.org/>

Junior Economic Club of New York City

The Junior Economic Club of New York City is a student-run organization that exposes high school students to the real business world through networking events, workshops, and community outreach initiatives that connect them with the people they need to make a difference.

Eligible: All students

Date: Various

Cost: Free

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: <https://www.jecnyc.org/>

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Community Service

New: The GO Project Volunteer Program

“The GO Project’s vision is to close the opportunity gap for children from historically under-resourced communities that are struggling in school. During the **GO School Saturday program**, volunteers work with small groups of 3-4 students, providing individualized attention which allows the students to thrive. Program volunteers may be placed in an academic classroom setting or in a recess and social emotional learning workshop space, depending on preference and program needs.”

Eligible: Students who will be 16 years old or older by the start of the program

Dates: October 14 – May 2023 (Saturdays from 8:30 am – 12:30 pm)

Locations: Various in Manhattan (West Village, Chelsea Neighborhoods)

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1FikQV4JtVQZto35nXy6NWsdrO2jKDxRpVFz3qGCpBw/edit>

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdBpOWik-rpaynHdJ0s7UaJt4fhvWCYzos8Y29Q_QHO3wblrA/viewform

New: PupilPrep Tutoring

“PupilPrep is a student-driven initiative designed to offer free, personalized mentoring to students from kindergarten through 8th grade, particularly those facing financial and language barriers. Our aim is to assist students who may have fallen behind or simply need a little extra support. At PupilPrep, we carefully match volunteer mentors with mentees based on shared interests, availability, and specific subject areas. Our

matching process ensures that both parties get to know each other a bit before starting their mentoring journey, enabling them to build a strong rapport.”

Eligible: All students

Date: Various (Flexible hours)

Location: Virtual

Link: PupilPrepinc.org

Deadline Approaching: Apex for Youth Volunteering Opportunity

“Apex for Youth empowers underserved Asian and immigrant youth from low-income families in NYC to unlock their potential.

Volunteers may guide a small group of 3rd -5th graders to help them learn more about themselves and their communities, and build vital relationships through hands-on activities, games, and field trips in Sunset Park, Brooklyn or Chinatown, Manhattan (9:30 AM - 12:30 PM). Volunteers may also choose to lead small groups of K-2 students in our read-aloud program and explore themes like gratitude, growth mindset, and identity & culture through books and fun activities on Zoom from (9:45 - 11:30 AM) or Chinatown, Manhattan (10:15 AM - 12:45 PM).”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 14 - December 16 (Saturdays)

Location: Virtual or In-Person at Sunset, Brooklyn **OR** Chinatown, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **ASAP**

Links: <https://apexforyouth.org/volunteer/>
<https://apexforyouth.formtitan.com/VolunteerApplication#/>

DOROT Teen Internship Program

“Dorot is a senior-services organization that runs an internship program for teens to assist elderly New Yorkers. Over the course of the session, teen interns develop leadership skills and build intergenerational connections through a variety of activities. This is a unique opportunity for ongoing community service that meaningfully connects teens with older adults one afternoon per week through friendly phone calls, intergenerational workshops, and creative arts programming.”

Eligible: All students

Location: In-person at DOROT’s office at 171 West 85th Street or in a senior's home

Dates: October 16 – December 14 (required commitment of one afternoon weekly at minimum)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://www.dorotusa.org/volunteer/high-school-college-internships/spring-and-fall-teen-internship-program>

<https://www.dorotusa.org/volunteer>

VISIONS Intergenerational Program for the Blind/Visually Impaired

“VISIONS Intergenerational Program at VISIONS Center on Aging, our older adult center in Manhattan, recruits and trains volunteer high school students to assist older adults who are visually impaired or blind in their homes, and at the center. The youth provide escort and assistance with reading, shopping, socialization and technology.

Learn more by contacting Jose Gil at: 646-486-4444, ext. 233, or at

jgil@visionsvcb.org.” Applicants will need to provide three references, two professional and one personal.

Eligible: All students who are between 15 – 18 years old

Dates: Fall term

Location: 135 West 23 Street, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis in September and October**

Links:

<https://visionsvcb.org/get-involved/volunteering/>
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfefe1qzxV82-cwZyMI4KaGcDDAVM_ThUhy3NLxbaTHR1Gg/viewform

The Climate Museum Climate Action Leadership Program (CALP)

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Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Dates: Various

Location: In-person, virtual, and hybrid options available

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://climatemuseum.org/climate-action-leadership-program>
<https://form.jotform.com/230234682203143>

Volunteer with CAAV Organizing Asian Communities

“CAAAV Organizing Asian Communities was founded in 1986 by working class Asian women to build power in Asian communities against rising hate and violence. CAAAV’s vision is that working class Asian immigrant members will make decisions about their own housing and neighborhoods. Volunteer responsibilities may include direct action, outreach, administrative tasks, interpretation and/or translation.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Locations: Various

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://caaav.org/take-action/volunteer>

Camp Friendship Brooklyn Food Pantry

Every week, volunteers package, and deliver fresh produce, pantry bags, and prepared meals to the homes of people in need.

Eligible: All students

Dates: Saturdays 10am – 12pm

Location: 339 8th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNDxfZwrCL9lXQrot_eKTYVVPTeonC-iXOLUItN6ctzljPAg/viewform

CommonPoint Queens Volunteering Opportunities

“Be a hero and volunteer! Do what inspires you and make an immediate impact!

Available opportunities include working at food pantries, being a youth mentor, tutoring, helping seniors, sports, administration, gardening, fundraising, and so much more. On behalf of the entire Commonpoint Queens community, thank you again for your selflessness and passion for helping others. We cannot wait to serve with you!”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Locations: Various

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://www.commonpointqueens.org/program/volunteer/>

https://www.cervistech.com/acts/webreg/eventwebreglist.php?org_id=0295

Manny Cantor Center Volunteering Opportunities

“The Manny Cantor Center and other Educational Alliance locations welcome volunteers for all kinds of events and programs, including holiday card writing, tutoring, community connection calling, food pantries, and more. Most of these opportunities will be virtual, but there are a few in person ones. Requirements for each opportunity vary (one or two spots are limited to those 16 and older).”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Locations: Various

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://mannycantor.org/mcc-changemakers/volunteer-opportunities/>

Robotics for All Volunteer Tutor & Business Support Internships

“Robotics for All, a non-profit organization that provides academic support to needy students, welcomes all students with basic proficiency in courses that are currently being offered. Qualified students are welcome to serve as volunteer teachers. They are also seeking business development, technical, and marketing interns.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://roboticsforall.net/volunteer/overview>

GallopNYC Volunteering Opportunities

“GallopNYC is a non-profit organization that uses horses and horseback riding to help children with disabilities. They welcome teen volunteers (no experience necessary)

who like horses & want to help children at locations throughout the city. Only a weekly commitment of two hours is required.”

Eligible: All students who are at least 16 years old

Dates: Various

Locations: Forest Hills, Prospect Park, and the Bronx

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://gallopnyc.org/volunteer>

<http://gallop.nyc/volregistration>

MyVote Project Student Volunteer Opportunity

“MyVote Project is a new, nonpartisan, voter education website. High school students can get involved in outreach, making content for the website, social media management, etc. This is a way for students to gain official community service hours from their home. It is run by high school students around the country and many Duke University professors.” If there are any questions, contact the New York State Head for this organization, Meera Nagulendran at: nagulendran.meera@bcchsnyc.net

Eligible: All high school students

Dates: 2023-2024 school year

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://myvoteproject.com/#/>

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdVf76uJ8DJf3q3Qco4BC_ED1mfoCQDMuZr-q5K55g7RD5y_g/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1

List of Current Volunteer Tutoring Opportunities:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1grvbRgUXxFI5ZjwbGJXcD2AxsCapXNd0M7ycoZa2f14/edit?usp=sharing>

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Leadership/College Prep/Government/Law/Cultural/Programs

New: TREEage Bootcamp for Climate Organizing

“Join TREEage for a one-day climate organizing boot camp! Strategize for the upcoming school year, hear from activists and elected officials, and achieve a leadership position in your school. Breakfast and lunch will be provided — along with free TREEage merch!”

Eligible: All students

Dates: **September 23 OR 30** (10 AM - 4 PM)

Location: New York Society for Ethical Culture; 2 W 64th Street, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://secure.everyaction.com/g0QY3jPaVEuyH-SJPhDu7Q2>

New: Climate Museum Worldmaking Workshops

Worldmaking: *From Colonialism to Climate Justice* is a pair of free Climate Museum workshops supported by the Center for Science and Society at Columbia University that focuses on how climate change and social inequality are bound together and how we can advance towards a just, climate-safe future. The workshops are designed for high school students to explore the history and present-day realities

of colonialism in shaping the contemporary world, including the climate crisis and persistent inequality. Activities will include group discussions, zine making, writing exercises, and more, and enable students to envision what a future centering climate justice looks like to them.

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 10 and October 24 (4:00-6:30pm)

Location: 105 Wooster Street, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **September 24**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://climatemuseum.org/2023-events/worldmaking>

New: Brooklyn Public Library StoryTeen Internship

“StoryTeen is an internship program for 10th-12th grade students with an interest in literacy and early childhood education. As an intern, you will build your academic, college, and career readiness skills with support from a mentor, work behind the scenes on developing cutting-edge programming and projects, receive a stipend, discover a variety of career paths in early childhood education, and receive volunteer service hours and resume-building experience. Interns must be available 3-5 hours a week during out-of-school time from November 2023 to May 2024.”

Eligible: Sophomores, juniors, and seniors

Dates: November 2023 - May 2024

Location: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **October 14** (Rolling Basis)

Link: <https://www.bklynlibrary.org/support/volunteer/storyteen>

New: United States Senate Youth Program

“The United States Senate Youth Program, established in 1962 by U.S. Senate Resolution, is a unique educational experience for outstanding high school students interested in pursuing careers in public service. Two student leaders from each state, the District of Columbia and the Department of Defense Education Activity will spend a week in Washington experiencing their national government in action.” Recipients will also be granted a \$10,000 scholarship.

Eligible: Students in grades 11-12 who show demonstrated leadership by serving in elected or appointed positions in which they are actively representing or previously represented a constituency in organizations related to student government, education, public affairs and community service. Applicants will be nominated by their school – interested students should contact Harvey Blum to learn more.

Date: March 2–March 9, 2024

Location: Washington, DC

Cost: Free (Transportation, food, and housing provided)

Deadline: **October 20**

Link: <https://ussenateyouth.org/>

New: Councilman Jim Gennaro’s City Council Campaign Internship

“Jim Gennaro’s 2023 City Council Campaign is seeking highly motivated students interested in civics, local government, and electoral politics to assist in the run-up to the November 7th General Election. The Councilman's District (CD-24) encompasses areas of Jamaica, Briarwood, Kew Gardens Hills, Fresh Meadows, Pomonok, Hillcrest, Jamaica Estates, Jamaica Hills, and Parkway Village. We’re asking each student to complete a minimum of 3 hours of volunteer work a week that works conveniently with the student’s schedule.” Those interested should contact Brandon at warrick.gennarofornewyork@gmail.com

Eligible: All students

Date: Various (Flexible times—ends November 7)

Location: 180-32 Union Turnpike, Fresh Meadows, NY 11366 (District Office)

Cost: Free

Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://council.nyc.gov/district-24/>

New: Macaulay Honors College Events

For students interested in learning more about the Macaulay experience, Macaulay Honors College is hosting an Open House event. Macaulay is also hosting three information sessions for prospective students about admission requirements, key dates, essay tips, the Macaulay application, information from Macaulay students, and more.

1 – Macaulay Fall 2023 Open House

Eligible: All students

Date: October 15 (2:00 PM)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_aJ7BAorzTzKQIWgGXir7IQ?#/registration

2 – Information Sessions

Eligible: Current Seniors

Dates: September 27, October 24, **OR** November 2 (4:00 - 5:30 PM EST)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://macaulay.cuny.edu/calendar-of-events/information-session-for-prospective-students-15/>

<https://macaulay.cuny.edu/calendar-of-events/information-session-for-prospective-students-16/>

<https://macaulay.cuny.edu/calendar-of-events/information-session-for-prospective-students-17/>

Deadline Appropriating: Youth Action Institute

“The Youth Action Institute empowers young people to develop skills in research and advocacy around social justice policy issues that affect their lives. In their operation, our youth research fellows unpack what substantial change might look like and offer up a bold vision for gender education in New York. Requires consistent attendance at group sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 4:30-6:30 PM. First year fellows are paid \$15/hour for 5 hours per week.”

Eligible: All students 16 and older

Dates: October 3 – June 20, 2024

Locations: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: September 17

Link:

<https://www.innovatingjustice.org/youth-action-institute-application-and-guide>

New: YouthAsk Youth Census Survey

“Intergenerational Change Initiative (ICI) launched the Youth Ask Youth (YAY) Census, gathering responses from youth across five boroughs about their experiences related to learning, community, COVID-19, policing and more. We submit this data to major stakeholders like the Department of Youth and Community

Development, the Department of Education, and the Deputy Mayor's office. You can raise your voice, be heard... and earn a chance to win a new HP laptop, just by taking our survey!"

Eligible: All students

Date: Ongoing

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: **October 31**

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.amplifyapp.org/en/surveys>

New: Let's Get Ready (LGR) SAT/College Application Prep Program

"The time is now! Enroll with Let's Get Ready to receive FREE SAT prep and direct support with the college admissions and financial aid process. As an LGR student, you'll receive a near-peer college student mentor, intensive SAT preparation including Zoom classes and access to our virtual learning platform, college application and financial aid guidance, and support TO and THROUGH college!"

Eligible: Current juniors and seniors

Dates: Various

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis** (first-come, first serve)

Links: <https://www.letsgetready.org/signup/>

<https://bit.ly/3Drfhmj>

Deadline Approaching:

Chinese-American Planning Council Learn & Earn Program

“CPC Queens’ Learn & Earn program strives to provide a safe and inclusive environment for our community members to learn, lead and succeed academically, personally, and professionally. Participants receive work readiness training; in-depth college preparedness, assistance, and support; team building & leadership development, mentorship and professional guidance, a guaranteed summer internship/job, and much more!”

Eligible: Current seniors who are Chinese American

Dates: 2023-2025 (Senior year and one follow up year)

Location: CPC Queens Community Center, 133-14 41st Ave, Queens

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: ASAP

Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/Y0JEYVgMqV>

Information Sessions Approaching:

AMIGOS Summer Study Abroad Service Project Program

“AMIGOS programs bring together young people from the U.S. and Latin America to collaborate on ethical service projects, learn from local experts, develop leadership skills, and build bridges across cultures. We ensure that AMIGOS students take part in the daily life of their host community as well as service projects that are community-led. Students are able to earn service hours. Available programs for Summer 2023 are Youth Entrepreneurship in Ecuador: Chimborazo, Indigenous Rights and Food Security in Ecuador: La Sierra, and Stewardship and Sustainable Harvests in Panama: Tierras Altas.” There are **upcoming information sessions on September 19 and 24**.

Eligible: All students

Dates: Spring 2024, Summer 2024, or Fall 2024/Full Year 2024-25

Locations: Costa Rica, Ecuador, or Panama

Cost: \$4,375 - \$5,875 (Financial Aid Available, Deadline: December 5)

Application Deadlines: October 3 (early bird summer application deadline),
November 28 (Spring 2024 gap program deadline)

Links: <https://amigosinternational.org/summer-programs/>

<https://amigosinternational.org/fees-financial-assistance/>

Information session registration: <https://amigosinternational->

[org.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAucOupz8iEtG7MeS2cyC6MAJkluSZ9GQB#/registration](https://amigosinternational-)

Deadline Approaching: YVote Changemaker Institute

“YVote works with emerging activists and leaders to build a youth voting and civic engagement movement. We are focused on making a positive difference in communities, at and beyond the ballot box, and strengthening voting rights and collective power. Apply to join YVote to be on the front lines of a youth social movement organized around creating change--and holding elected officials accountable--around issues you care about: criminal, climate, gender & LGBTQ+, immigration, mental health, and racial justice. Engaged participants are eligible for **stipends of up to \$500.**” For any questions, contact Sanda at sanda@yvoteny.org.

Eligible: All students

Dates: The first Tuesday of each month (October 3, November 7, December 5, etc.) and Days of Action (October 14, November 18, December 16, etc.)

Location: Hybrid (virtual meetings & in-person Days of Action)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: September 22

Links: <https://yvoteny.org/apply/>

<https://www.tinyurl.com/YVoteApp>

Deadline Approaching:

Student Historian Internship Program at the New York Historical Society

“Student Historian interns are high school students who use the resources of the New York Historical Society to conduct exciting research and share their scholarship through creative digital projects. Interns meet with professional staff to learn about careers in the museum, library, and history fields; work collaboratively with fellow students to develop their public speaking and leadership skills; and engage in hands-on work to deepen their understanding of American history. The theme of this year’s internship is “Our Composite Nation: Frederick Douglass’ America.”

Applicants will also need to provide teacher recommendations.

Eligible: Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors with working papers

Dates: October 25 – June 12, 2024 (Wednesdays 4:00 - 6:30pm)

Location: New York Historical Society (170 Central Park West, Manhattan)

Application Deadline: **September 24**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://www.nyhistory.org/education/student-historian-internship-program>
<https://apply.interfolio.com/130739>

Deadline Approaching: Next Generation Politics Civic Fellowship

“Next Gen Politics aims to empower the next generation (YOU!) to make informed decisions, be active citizens, make sense of the current political climate, and get involved. This program is designed to engage motivated, civically-minded teens who are interested in developing your civic knowledge and skills through engaging with perspectives different than your own.” For more information, contact Sanda:

sanda@yvoteny.org

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 1, October 29, November 19, December 10, & Jan 7 (1-3:30 PM)

Location: In-person and virtual options available

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: September 26

Links: <https://www.nextgenpolitics.org/participate-in-civic-forums>

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeFSPJsn_PfbgyDgKwIovDelhi9FeFqbKnBD_IBDgs_iLVfQ/viewform

Deadline Approaching: Teen Activist Project (TAP)

“NYCLU's TAP is an exciting youth program that engages New York City teens as leaders and organizers on civil rights and civil liberties. TAP members work on a range of advocacy issues including students' rights, racial justice, LGBTQ rights, immigrants' rights, freedom of speech and religion. Participants will get **stipends of up to \$600**; community service hours; leadership, public speaking and community organizing skills, and more!”

Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Dates: Mondays (4:00-6:15) plus one additional day per week

Location: 125 Broad Street, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: October 1

Links: <https://www.nyclu.org/en/issues/education/youth-activism#tap>

<https://action.aclu.org/webform/2023-2024-nyclu-tap-application>

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Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Dates: Various

Location: In-person, virtual, and hybrid options available

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://climatemuseum.org/climate-action-leadership-program>

<https://form.jotform.com/230234682203143>

Programs at Columbia's Double Discovery Center

“Established in 1965, DDC provides low-income and first-generation college-bound community youth and families with a comprehensive set of services to support young people’s college readiness.

Our Academic Enrichment activities provide students with exciting project-based classes across the humanities, STEM, and the arts.

Through our College & Career Success work, students are immersed in small group and individual sessions that increase their capacity for college access & persistence and that facilitates their career exploration & development.

Consequently, our Healthy Minds & Bodies efforts are designed to develop students’ dispositions and skills for resilience and persistence as well as to build their capacity to nurture their physical and mental well-being so that they can overcome challenges in their quest to, through, and beyond college.”

Eligible: Low-income, first generation students who live in Harlem and Washington Heights

Dates: Various

Location: Double Discovery Center at Columbia University (2920 Broadway, MC 2604))

Application Deadlines: **Rolling Basis**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://ddc.college.columbia.edu/content/eligibility-0>

<https://ddc.college.columbia.edu/content/our-program-model>

NYC Youth Leadership Councils (YLCs)

“NYC Youth Leadership Councils (YLCs) are the place to make real change happen in your school, neighborhood, or community. High school students can join a YLC to partner with peer leaders and adult allies and take action on the issues that matter to you most. YLCs in all five boroughs need students like you to share your stories, passion, and ideas—you already have what it takes. Join a YLC and make a difference today! Benefits include gaining insight into potential college and career opportunities, getting community service hours, developing personal and personal skills, and receiving a certificate of achievement.”

Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Dates: Various

Locations: Various (virtual and in-person options available)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://growingupnyc.cityofnewyork.us/generationnyc/ylc-application/>

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Museums, Art, Photography:

***New:* MoMA's Teen Film Committee**

“Join the Teen Film Committee (TFC) and become part of a cohort of 13 film enthusiasts who organize screenings for NYC teens at the Museum. The TFC will plan film screenings, moderate post-screening discussions, and cultivate, through social media and other platforms, a community of teens connected to MoMA who love film. MetroCards and a stipend of \$40 will be provided each week.”

Eligible: Students who are at least 16 years old

Date: October 2023 to June 2024 (Mondays)

Location: Museum of Modern Art (11 West 53 Street, Manhattan)

Cost: Free (Metrocards and stipend provided)

Deadline: **October 1**

Link: <https://mo.ma/48a0Dyn>

Deadline Approaching: Cooper Hewitt Design Hive Program

“In Design Hive, high school juniors and seniors dive deep into design objects and processes to develop their own collaborative projects. Along the way, they will learn how designers move from an initial idea to final design. Students will be mentored by one another, receive mentorship from working designers, and earn a stipend of **\$2,000** for their participation.”

Eligible: Current juniors and seniors

Dates: November 14 – May 21, 2024

Location: Hybrid (in-person classes held at Cooper Hewitt, 2 E 91st St, Manhattan)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **September 22**

Link: <https://www.cooperhewitt.org/education/emerging-designers/>

Scholarship Deadline Approaching: Center for Architecture Teen Workshops

“Teen Workshops are for high school students interested in learning more about the city’s built environment and developing their architectural design skills. Offered on weekends during the school year, these workshops combine architectural exploration with hands-on design projects, nurturing the development of design thinking and providing students with instruction in architecture fundamentals such as architectural drawing, scale measurement, model building, & site/precedent analysis.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 7, November 4, December 2 (10am – 4 pm)

Location: The Center for Architecture (536 LaGuardia Place, Manhattan)

Cost: \$125 per workshop (full financial aid available by application)

Application Deadlines: Financial aid deadlines for each workshop):

September 23, October 21, November 18

Link: <https://www.centerforarchitecture.org/k-12/teen-programs/teen-workshops/>

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Application Deadline: September 24

Cost: Free

Links: <https://www.nyhistory.org/education/student-historian-internship-program>
<https://apply.interfolio.com/130739>

Deadline Approaching: Cue Teen Collective Program

“Through the program, students investigate various aspects of the contemporary art world, develop and refine their art-making and critical thinking skills, and conceptualize and create artwork for a final group exhibition presented at CUE’s gallery space. The program consists of talks with artists and curators, trips to gallery and museum shows, visits to art fairs, hands-on studio sessions, and more. Participants have the opportunity to learn from working arts professionals and build sustainable and rewarding careers of their own in the arts.”

Eligible: Current sophomores and juniors who are interested in careers in the arts

Dates: October 17 – June 2024

Location: CUE Art Foundation (137 W. 25th Street) and field trips around the city

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: September 24

Links: <https://cueartfoundation.org/ctc-how-to-apply>
<https://cueartfoundation.submittable.com/submit/265701/cue-teen-collective-2023-24-application>

Brooklyn Museum Paid Apprentices Program

“In this paid internship, New York City teens immerse themselves in art and art history, and learn about museum education while creating their own lessons for audiences of all ages. Get paid \$15 per hour. Second-year Museum Apprentices serve as leaders in the program and are paid \$16 per hour. Work up to 180 hours for the

year! Metrocards will be provided to support weekend and summer work.” Students will need to submit an application and a letter of recommendation.

Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Dates: November through August 2024 (Thursday afternoons from 4 – 6:30 pm with occasional Friday and weekend events)

Location: Whitney Museum (200 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: October 8

Links: <https://www.brooklynmuseum.org/education/teens/museum-apprentices#https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfP-C3thi3IQM3BgKRjXc2qdAsxINpYWbBZ416uYyEgdxVL5A/viewform>

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New: Deadline Approaching:

Brooklyn Queens Land Trust Fall 2023 Community Gardens Internship

“Interns will get hands-on experience in different gardens and aspects of community gardening, as well as opportunities to learn in-depth about the history of the BQLT and the movement to save community gardens in NYC; and to address the role of climate change in conservation. This program meets twice per week; time will be divided between various workshops - including tree care; soil composition; composting; water systems, foodways, - and hands-on work in community gardens. Interns will receive a **stipend** at the end of the program. Please contact kate.gehring@bqlt.org if you have any questions.”

Eligible: All Students

Dates: **September 19** - November 14 (Tuesdays 4 - 6 PM & Saturday mornings)

Location: In-person at 30 Third Avenue, Brooklyn, 11217

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://bqlt.org/news/bqlt-interns-brooklyn-tech-summer2023>

New: TREEage Bootcamp for Climate Organizing

“Join TREEage for a one-day climate organizing boot camp! Strategize for the upcoming school year, hear from activists and elected officials, and achieve a leadership position in your school. Breakfast and lunch will be provided — along with free TREEage merch!”

Eligible: All students

Dates: **September 23 OR 30** (10 AM - 4 PM)

Location: New York Society for Ethical Culture; 2 W 64th Street, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://secure.everyaction.com/g0QY3jPaVEuyH-SJPhDu7Q2>

New: Columbia Climate School’s Pre-College Program Workshops

“Columbia Climate School’s Pre-College Programs will expand your knowledge and prepare you to understand, analyze, and apply cutting-edge research to the complex problem of our changing climate. One workshop currently being offered is **Climate Impacts: Uncovering (In)Justice in Disaster Preparedness and Recovery**, a workshop intended for learners interested in the social impacts of climate change. Another workshop, **Climate Connections: Why We Should ALL Care About the Polar**

Regions, focuses on understanding the polar regions and their importance in driving and maintaining natural processes on Earth.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October - December 2023 (Saturdays, 10 AM - 12 PM)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://www.climate.columbia.edu/climate-impacts-uncovering-injustice-disaster-preparedness-and-recovery-2023>

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/climate-connections-why-we-should-all-care-about-polar-regions>

Program Start Date Approaching: Rocking the Boat

“Rocking the Boat is a youth development program in the South Bronx that offers teenagers the opportunity to become boatbuilders, sailors, and environmental scientists. Participants explore the natural environment of the Bronx River, contribute to its restoration, and increase community access to it. They also go on trips to explore other natural areas in or near the city.”

Eligible: Current freshmen and sophomores who are vaccinated

Dates: **September 18 – December 15** (two days after school from 4:30-7:30 PM)

Location: 812 Edgewater Road, Bronx, NY 10474

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Free

Links: <https://rockingtheboat.org/join>

<https://rockingtheboat.org/apply>

It's My Park

This program engages volunteers in cleaning and beautifying parks across the five boroughs. There are also other volunteer programs and partner organizations of the NYC Parks Department students may check out at:

<https://www.nycgovparks.org/opportunities/volunteer>

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Links:

<https://www.nycgovparks.org/programs/recreation/teens>

<https://www.nycgovparks.org/reg/stewardship>

https://www.nycgovparks.org/events/its_my_park_day

Prospect Park Alliance Volunteering Opportunities

“Prospect Park Alliance engages thousands of volunteers annually to help keep Brooklyn’s Backyard green, vibrant and welcoming. Register today to become a volunteer! Full vaccination is now required in order to attend volunteer events at Prospect Park, and masks are not required for outdoor projects.” Outdoor activities such as bird watching and concerts are also available.

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various dates

Location: 95 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://www.prospectpark.org/get-involved/volunteer/>

<https://www.prospectpark.org/get-involved/volunteer/become-a-volunteer/>

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New: First Classes Approaching: After School CS Classes with Digital Girl, Inc.

“Digital Girl, Inc is hosting introductory computer science classes for K-12 students in their after-school coding program. Learn the concepts of coding, create games and apps, gain tech skills, learn about STEM careers, have fun, and more!” Students may register for multiple classes or simply attend one.

Eligible: All students; focus on inner-city girls but all may apply

Dates: September 20 – June 12, 2024 (Wednesdays from 3:30 - 5:00 PM)

Location: 1561 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: [Rolling Basis](#)

Links: <https://www.digitalgirlinc.org/>

<https://www.digitalgirlinc.org/afterschool>

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/after-school-computer-science-classes-for-grades-6-12-tickets-705663306947>

Deadline Today: Inspirit AI Scholars Sessions

“AI Scholars Live Online is a 10-session (25-hour) program that exposes high school students to fundamental AI concepts and guides them to build a mentor-led socially impactful AI project. Students will explore applications, create foundational AI concepts, and develop AI programming skills before developing a Social Good project. The program also includes college and career preparation workshops, to prepare for top-ranked CS/AI programs and pursue ventures or careers in AI. After the program, students gain access to an online platform for continuous learning, including additional projects in a variety of domains. No programming or computer science experience is required. Advanced cohorts are available for students with prior programming experience.”

Eligible: All Students

Dates: September - November

Location: Virtual

Cost: \$1,100

Application Deadline: **September 15**

Links: <https://www.inspiritai.com/liveonline>

<https://inspiritai.paperform.co/>

Program Start Date & Deadline Extended:

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence Free Course

“The Coding School’s Introduction to Artificial Intelligence is a two-semester introductory course for high school students designed to prepare the next generation of responsible AI leaders. No prior coding experience is needed and it offers credits for students. Students will participate in a weekly component: 1.5 hours of lecture, a one-hour lab with a teaching assistant, and will complete a project. The lead instructor is Jason Friedman, who will be starting his PhD at MIT Sloan School of Management this fall.”

In this course, students will:

- Learn cutting-edge AI and ML skills, including Deep Learning and Natural Language Processing
- Hear from leading AI experts from top universities and companies, such as Stanford, Google, Meta, and more
- Join a national cohort of future responsible AI leaders

Eligible: All high school students

New Dates: **October 5** – April, 2024

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free for all accepted applicants

New Application Deadline: **October 3**

Links: <https://the-cs.org/train>

<https://the-cs.org/train-course>

Program Start Date & Deadline Extended:

The Coding School Quantum Computing Course

“Developed by researchers at prestigious universities such as MIT and Stanford, the course consists of three weekly components in the form of lecture, hands-on lab, and homework. Students can “learn real-world emerging tech skills, meet global industry leaders & experts who are shaping the emerging technologies landscape, have alumni opportunities for internships and research, increase college competitiveness, create cap-stone projects, and earn high school transcript credit.”

Eligible: All students that have taken geometry, no coding experience required

New Dates: October 5 – April, 2024

Location: Virtual

Cost: Various (\$1,195 for both semesters, \$995 for one semester) – financial aid is available

Application Deadline: ASAP

Link: <https://www.qubitbyqubit.org/course-application>

Deadline Approaching: Beaver Works Fall Term Institute Programs

“The MIT Beaver Works Institute (BWSI) is a rigorous, world-class STEM program for talented students in high school. This program for female students meets on Saturdays and teaches STEM skills through project-based, workshop-style courses. There are multiple programs offered: Girls Who Program Autonomous Cars!, Girls Who Design, Build and Fly Model Aircraft!, Girls Who Want to Learn Many Interesting Things (MIT)!, Girls Who Program Cognitive Assistants!, Girls Who Want to Learn Back to bASICs!, and Girls Who Program Racing Drones!”

Eligible: Female students in 10th and 11th grade

Dates: October 14 – December 9 (Saturdays, 11:00am to 2:00pm)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **September 18**

Links:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/12WRcylxPVLhhQYEz_LU8zzVqsepJhlhA/view?usp=sharing

https://mit-bwsi.formstack.com/forms/bwsi_fall2023

Deadline Approaching:

Cooper Union STEM Saturdays Engineering & Design Classes

“Whether redesigning a monument to share untold stories or creating a place for people to gather and celebrate, students will learn skills from Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering. The skills will range from computer aided design to data analysis to electrical circuit design. Each session ends with a celebration and student showcase highlighting progress made towards developing skills and addressing community needs. Priority is given to students with no design or engineering experience.” Students will be provided materials, lunch and snacks, and MetroCard.

Eligible: Current 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students who are low or middle income; All are welcome to apply - priority is given to students that identify with a group underrepresented in engineering careers

Dates: October 7 – December 2 (10 am – 4 pm)

Location: 41 Cooper Square, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **September 25 (5:00 pm)**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://cooper.edu/engineering/stem/Saturdays>

<https://connect.cooper.edu/portal/application-page-hs-options>

***Event Approaching:* Math Gym at the Museum of Mathematics**

“Students will spend an hour independently working on engaging and beautiful math problems, hand-selected by MoMath’s advisory council of math PhDs. Choose whichever challenges you like and explore them with the guidance and mentorship of an expert mathematician. If you love math and want to experience the incredible joy of mathematical discovery, you won’t want to miss this enjoyable monthly program.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: **September 27**, and once a month on a Wednesdays in subsequent months

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://momath.org/math-gym/>

Museum of Mathematics Programs & Volunteer Opportunities:

Check the link below to access many of MoMath’s programs (some are being offered for **free or at a reduced rate** for those in need) — please visit individual event pages for more information.

Deadline Approaching:

Columbia Junior Science Journal – Student Research Papers Welcome

“The Columbia Junior Science Journal is a high school research journal seeking one- to two-page original research papers or two- to five-page review articles. We provide high school students with a platform to publish manuscripts in the fields of natural sciences, physical sciences, engineering, and social sciences. Selected CJSJ authors demonstrate the ability to communicate research projects to the general public and scientific community. CJSJ promotes the development of young researchers versed in

technical and communication skills, which are facets encoded into the DNA of Columbia University.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: 2023-2024 school year

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **September 30**

Links: <http://cjsjournal.org/>

<http://cjsjournal.org/faq>

<http://cjsjournal.org/submit>

Cybersecurity Career Awareness Week

“All students are welcome to learn about topics and careers in this innovative & important field of cybersecurity. A variety of events and competitions will be offered for students to participate in.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: **October 16 - 21**

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link: <https://www.nist.gov/itl/applied-cybersecurity/nice/events/cybersecurity-career-week/what-cybersecurity-career-week>

ChickTech High School

“ChickTech High School is a free year-long series of hands-on tech workshops, mentoring, and internship connections for 8th- to 12th-grade female, non-binary, and other gender minority students (including transgender youth of any gender presentation or identity). Students can expect monthly hands-on workshops, from

video game design to robotics, web development to environmental science, a supportive Discord community to chat about tech (& beyond!), mentorship opportunities with industry professionals working in STEM fields, and panel discussions and talks with a focus on career skills and diversity in tech.”

Eligible: All students who identify as female, non-binary, transgender, or other gender minorities

Dates: October 15 – January 17, 2024 (mentorship program); November - June 2024

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **October 20** (mentorship program deadline), Rolling Basis

Link: <https://chicktech.org/for-students/high-school/>

Connectory: An outstanding compilation of local opportunities in science, mathematics, and other related disciplines. Once on the site, just enter your zip code and area of interest to obtain comprehensive, up-to-date information on compatible programs for your student.

Link: <http://theconnectory.org/>

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***New:* Vaughn College Science and Technology Entry Program**

“The Vaughn College STEP Academy offers free SHSAT & SAT Prep classes, together with Flight, Coding, 3D Design, Animation, Technology of Money, and Hydroponics. Students in 7th -12th grade are eligible based on two options of

eligibility: ethnicity or low income. If a student qualifies based on ethnicity (African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian), proof of income is not necessary.

Eligible: All students may apply (ethnicity or low-income focus)

Dates: Weekend classes (Saturdays, October – June)

Location: Virtual

Cost: TBA (Some financial aid available)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Link:

<https://www.vaughn.edu/student-life/science-and-technology-entry-program-step/>

New: Perry Initiative In-Person Experience @Hospital for Special Surgery

“We will be holding our outreach event for high school students in the New York City area. Students, who gender-identify as women or nonbinary, in grades 10 and up who are interested in exploring careers in orthopaedics or engineering are encouraged to apply. In addition to six hands-on mock surgical exercises, participants will hear lectures from local women surgeons and engineers.”

Eligible: All students who gender-identify as women or nonbinary, in grades 10 and up

Date: Saturday, December 9

Location: Hospital for Special Surgery, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **November 9** (limited capacity, seriously interested students should apply soon)

Cost: Free

Links <https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-outreach-program-nyc-hss/>

<https://perryinitiative.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/New-York-HSS-POP-120923.pdf>

Deadline Approaching: Perry Virtual Experience

“The Perry Virtual Experience is a free, 2.5-hour, interactive online experience for high school and college-aged who gender-identify as female or nonbinary and are interested in pursuing careers in orthopaedics and/or engineering. Participants will hear from women leaders in these fields and dive into online mock orthopaedic simulations and biomechanics experiments. The online session will be administered using Zoom meetings.

Sessions have limited capacity and are filled first come first serve, so don't delay!”

Eligible: All female and nonbinary students

Dates: September 25, October 24 (6pm–8:30pm)

Location: Virtual

Application Deadlines: **September 18** and October 16 (a week before each event)

Cost: Free

Links: <https://perryinitiative.org/calendar/>

<https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-virtual-experience-open-registration-18/>

<https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-virtual-experience-open-registration-19/>

Deadline Approaching: MedAchieve Scholars Program

“Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine's MedAchieve Program is a free two-year after-school science enrichment program for high school students who are interested in medicine as a career. This program is run by first and second-year medical students at TouroCOM and includes weekly guest lectures from our professors. Students are expected to meet at our medical school from 5-7 pm every Thursday during the school year, where they will master the basic sciences, participate in interactive labs and research experiences, partake in academic counseling and mentorship from current medical students, and learn about the importance of cultural competency in the medical field.”

Eligible: Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors

Dates: TBD - Spring 2024 (every Thursday from 5 – 7 PM)

Location: Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine Lecture Halls 1 & 2 (2nd Floor)
(230 W 125th St, Manhattan)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **September 22**

Links:

<https://tourocom.touro.edu/in-the-community/pre-med-pathways/med-achieve/>

<https://medachievescholars.wixsite.com/program/apply-now>

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSecPIfVVgsPT4kLPTMr_iCr7VG9T7p95f3FexvTJhItp7zmew/viewform

Science Alliance: High School Program @ American Museum of Natural History

“In this course, participants will look not only at the environmental effects of climate change but also at the challenges it presents to social equity. This interdisciplinary course will allow participants to play the role of both environmental policymakers and social activists to understand and respond to climate change concerns across New York City. Through the use of data science methodologies, field-based techniques, and collaboration with scientists and policy experts, participants will confront climate change as a multifaceted challenge and drive climate action through information science and policy work.

Students can choose the topics they want to explore: anthropology, astrophysics, conservation science, earth science, and evolutionary biology.”

Eligible: Current freshmen and sophomores

Dates: October 12 - December 14 (Tuesdays & Thursdays, 4:30 - 6:30 PM)

Location: American Museum of Natural History, 200 Central Park West, Manhattan

Cost: \$1,000 (Reduced and Free Tuition Seats Available)

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://www.amnh.org/learn-teach/teens/science-alliance-high-school>
https://amnh.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_5cNx7h4QUXOPXdc

Genspace Classes

“At Genspace, various classes are offered, including Sculpting with Mycelium, Synthetic Biology 101, Sunset Park Wide Open: Biology Lab as Studio, and the Biohacker Bootcamp. No science background is necessary to take these classes.”

Eligible: All students: Youth ages 13-16 may attend classes **with** parent supervision; parents wishing to participate *with* their child should purchase an adult ticket for themselves and a student ticket for their child. Youth ages 16+ may attend classes **without** parent supervision.

Dates: Various (from early October to December)

Locations: Hybrid: Virtual, and 132 32 Street, Brooklyn + other locations

Cost: Various

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: <https://www.genspace.org/classes#>
<https://www.genspace.org/frequently-asked-questions>

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New: Deadline Approaching: The New Group: My Story Program

“Learn to show your best self! Using theater techniques including improvisation and playwriting, these intensive classes offer teens the chance to create and refine their own personal stories for use in the college application process. Each student will

create at least two “monologues” that can be used as Common Application essays, and learn to answer questions about themselves as compelling stories. Students will engage in collaborative theater exercises to free up their ability to communicate, and present their work in written and oral form for feedback from professional theater artists. Contact us at education@thenewgroup.org with any questions.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: September 27 – October 30 (Wednesdays 5:30 - 7:30 PM EST)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Links: <https://thenewgroup.org/my-story/>

<https://forms.gle/rDVFpo28YYNsirzs8>

New: Deadlines Approaching: Reel Works After School Programs

“Reel Works’ free after-school programs pair teens with professional filmmaker-mentors to create original short documentaries, narrative, and experimental films that have won countless awards. See the links below for more detailed information about the programs available for Fall 2023.”

1 – Film School Fridays

“Reel Works Film School Fridays connect young filmmakers with peer mentors and craftspeople in the entertainment industry. Come sharpen your skills with us and receive tutoring support in editing, cinematography, storytelling, screenwriting, sound, lighting, and film festival submission tips! This is a safe space to gather, support, create, and learn. Please make sure to RSVP for each week you plan to attend.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Fridays starting November 18 (4:30 - 6:30 PM)

Location: Reel Works Teen Filmmaking; 540 President Street, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis** (Weekly Basis)

Links: <https://reelworks.typeform.com/FilmSchoolFri?typeform-source=www.reelworks.org>

2 – The Documentary Lab

“The Doc Lab is our introductory documentary filmmaking workshop. High school students learn how to tell a story using filmmaking and are paired 1:1 with professional filmmaker mentors to plan, shoot, edit, and present a short personal film about their lives and communities. This is a free introductory course to documentary filmmaking and no previous filmmaking experience is necessary.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 30 - May 7 (Mondays & Tuesdays, 4:30 - 6:30 PM)

Location: Reel Works Teen Filmmaking; 540 President Street, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **October 1**

Links: <https://www.reelworks.org/documentary-lab>
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/doc24>

3 – The Narrative Lab

“The Narrative Lab is designed for experienced young filmmakers in high school to develop their ideas into short fiction films. The Narrative Lab focuses on screenwriting, advanced camera and lighting, casting and directing actors, producing,

and post-production of short 7-10 minute films. Students are paired 1:1 with professional mentors whom they will meet with weekly throughout the program.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: October 16 - June 19 (Mondays & Wednesdays, 4:30 - 6:30 PM)

Location: Reel Works Teen Filmmaking; 540 President Street, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **October 1**

Links: <https://www.reelworks.org/narrative-lab>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/narrativelab24>

4 – The Narrative Fellows

“This intensive, year-long fellowship provides talented young filmmakers with the opportunity to specialize in a craft of filmmaking: Screenwriting, Directing, Producing, Cinematography, or Editing. As a cohort, the students will create new and sophisticated work, gain individualized study with a professional mentor, receive hands-on work experience and media opportunities, and collectively focus on film studies and media literacy.”

Eligible: All students who are at least 16 years old

Dates: November 15 - August 2024 (Wednesdays & Thursdays, 4:30 - 6:30 PM)

Location: Reel Works Teen Filmmaking; 540 President Street, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **October 29**

Links: <https://www.reelworks.org/narrative-fellows>

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/narrativefllws24>

New: MCC Theater Youth

The MCC Theater Youth Company is offering free weekly acting &

playwriting workshops to students between 14-19 years old. These meet one afternoon per week after school. Interested students must register for required after-school auditions on **October 18 & 19** (4:30 – 6:30 PM).

Eligible: All students

Dates: October – May 2024

Location: 511 West 52nd Street, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **October 17**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://mcctheater.org/public-engagement-education/youth-company/>
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdFBWn2YSBTgRrLmzFzKs4VrpiFk9F3zzskHJBt33Ty3M3ShQ/viewform>

Deadline Approaching: The Moth High School Programs

The Moth offers three free writing programs that are open for applications, listed below.

1 – Story Lab

Story Lab provides free workshops to all students who enjoy storytelling or would like to improve their speaking & performance skills. It culminates with an All City Slam event – no previous experience or skills required.

Eligible: Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors

Dates: October 14 – December 10 (three schedule options to choose from)

Location: In-person (Manhattan, Financial District) and virtual options available

Application Deadline: **September 17**

Cost: Free

Links: <https://themoth.org/education/students>
<https://airtable.com/app0fOcRY1iQM7gRY/shr6Q6rIW2RUqgDrT>

2 – Virtual College Essay Writing Workshop

“During this workshop you (10th-12th graders) will learn how to apply your Moth story to a personal statement for college applications. Instead of telling them about your work ethic, or study habits, or resilience, you can show them through your true, personal story.”

Eligible: Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors

Date: October 14 (12 – 3 pm)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: **October 12**

Links: <https://themoth.org/education/students>

<https://airtable.com/appAX1tP0I6qVtx3U/shr6M1sQLGHQfsrNY>

Audition Dates Approaching: Brooklyn Youth Chorus Classes

“Brooklyn Youth Chorus will be offering in-person classes for all levels during the 2022/23 season. Classes are held 1-2 times weekly for 1-2 hours, depending on the age group and level. As students progress through Brooklyn Youth Chorus, they also have the opportunity to participate in performing ensembles. Our performing ensembles work on special projects throughout the year, including live appearances, professional recordings, and original choral productions. No prior experience is required to sing with Brooklyn Youth Chorus. However, an audition is required in order to be placed within the Chorus.”

Eligible: All students

Audition Dates: **September 19 & 26** (available audition times from 3:30 – 6 pm)

Location: Brooklyn Youth Chorus (179 Pacific Street, Brooklyn)

Costs: Various (extensive need-based financial aid available)

Audition Deadline: **September 19** (last audition date)

Links: <https://www.brooklynouthchorus.org/auditions>

<https://www.brooklynouthchorus.org/training-divisions>

Deadline Approaching:

Arts Immersion Fellowship at The Mark Morris Dance Group

“Centered on developing career skills for future arts leaders, students in this **free fellowship** will have the opportunity to delve deeply into an aspect of the dance industry that interests them most, including management, marketing, choreography, production, and more. Chosen for their dedication and commitment to the arts, the young adults (15-21) who are selected as Arts Immersion Fellows will meet weekly to discuss topics relevant to their selected tracks, as well as meet with leaders in the field. Outside of the weekly Thursday meeting, fellows will collaborate to create a schedule to support their specific interests. Each fellowship cohort will produce a culminating project in a design of their own making.”

Students will have to submit one letter of recommendation in the application.

Eligible: All students 15 and older

Dates: October – June (Thursdays from 5 – 6 pm)

Location: 3 Lafayette Avenue, Brooklyn

Application Deadline: **September 26**

Cost: Free

Links:

<https://markmorrisdancegroup.org/community/arts-in-education-for-high-school-students/arts-immersion/>

<https://www.jotform.com/form/61374729986170>

Program Start Date Approaching:

Stella Adler Studio Teen Weekend Conservatory

“The Teen Conservatory Program is based on the conviction that young actors, can

be trained with the same rigor and discipline as adults. This all-day intensive is structured to suit both the emerging and professional young actor and is designed to introduce the acting technique developed by Stella Adler. As with all of the Studio's programs, the Teen Conservatory is informed by the insight that growth as an actor and growth as a human being are synonymous. Young people are therefore acquainted not only with core elements of actor training but with the artistic, cultural and humanistic values that support a life in the theater.”

Eligible: Students who are at least 14 years old and vaccinated

Dates: September 30 – November 18 (Saturdays)

Location: Stella Adler Studio of Acting, 65 Broadway, Manhattan

Cost: \$1,100

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: <https://www.stellaadler.com/classes/teen/weekend-teen/>

Deadline Approaching: The Live Poets Society of New Jersey National High School Poetry Contest

“In an effort to encourage the youth of America in the pursuit of literary exploration and excellence, and to help provide a venue in which American High School students may share their poetic works; The Live Poets Society of New Jersey presents our 23rd annual, National High School Poetry Contest, with a top prize of \$500.

There will also be hundreds of "JUST POETRY!!!" and Topical Winners.”

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: September 30

Link: <https://www.highschoolpoetrycontest.com/to-enter.html>

Program Start Date Approaching: Irondale Young Company

“Young Company is a free, year-long acting ensemble with multiple performance opportunities. Students will explore improvisation, devised, and scripted theater. Students will also attend 3-5 professional theater productions throughout the year and participate in workshops with professional guest artists.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: September 30 – December 16 (Saturdays from 11:30am – 2pm)

Location: 85 South Oxford Street, Brooklyn

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Free

Links: <https://www.irondale.org/youth-programs/young-company>
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc51LMexUypKVwoET_ZikGIZ99mGVlhn0mBn_mC4AhrIJGEJA/viewform

Developing Artists Theater Program

All students may apply to the Developing Artists Theater, which offers a free program for interested students. Participants are introduced to fundamental theater arts techniques designed to build confidence, explore self-expression, empower their creative voice and instill professionalism.

Eligible: All students

Location: Houghton Hall Arts (22 E 30th St, Manhattan)

Dates: October 7 – December 16 (Saturdays from 12 – 6 pm)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis (first-come, first served)

Links: <https://www.developingartists.org/schedule.html>
<https://form.jotform.com/232085413317147>

Uptown Stories Writing Workshops

“Registration is now open for our Fall Writing Workshops! Pick from nine classes, each one guaranteed to make returning to school just a little easier. Whether you're into poetry or horror, adventure or picture books, we'll quickly become your new favorite extra-curricular. All of our workshops are Pay-What-You-Can, so no matter what your family's financial situation, you can just focus on writing what's next.”

Available workshops include “Young Men’s Project”, “Choose Your Own Adventure”, “Horror Unleashed”, “Girls Rising x The Hub”, and “Snobby Poetry”

Eligible: All students (various ages for each class)

Dates: Various starting in September

Location: 178 Bennett Ave (@189th Street, Manhattan

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Cost: Optional

Link: <https://www.uptownstories.org/fall-workshops-2023/>

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Contests & Competitions:

Deadline Approaching:

The Live Poets Society of New Jersey National High School Poetry Contest

“In an effort to encourage the youth of America in the pursuit of literary exploration and excellence, and to help provide a venue in which American High School students may share their poetic works; The Live Poets Society of New Jersey presents our 23rd annual, National High School Poetry Contest, with a top prize of \$500.

There will also be hundreds of "JUST POETRY!!!" and Topical Winners.”

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: **September 30**

Link: <https://www.highschoolpoetrycontest.com/to-enter.html>

The Voice of Democracy Audio-Essay Program

This year’s theme is "What Are the Greatest Attributes of Our Democracy?" Students will draft an essay that treats the theme with imagination and human interest, record their reading of it to a CD/flash drive, and submit it to their local VFW post. Students may win up to a \$35,000 college scholarship.

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: **October 31**

Links: <https://www.vfw.org/community/youth-and-education/youth-scholarships>

<https://vfworg-cdn.azureedge.net/-/media/VFWSite/Files/Community/Youth-and-Education/Voice-of-Democracy-Entry-Form-Fillable.pdf?v=1&d=20220408T154506Z&la=en>

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Opportunity Lists and Resources:

1:1 College & Career Advice Resource

Students are able to “connect 1-1 with an online college and career advisor to ask questions after school and on weekends for free. Advisors can support updating selected colleges on the FAFSA app, verification, career programs, NYS Dream Act App, summer opportunities, and other topics.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Continuous

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Cost: Free

Link:

<https://app.grouptrail.com/public/externalForm/KNXjUkuDEVptRquVIdE07oCWtAor45LABYtssvzZ> (Log in with NYC DOE account to access page)

New York Public Library (NYPL) College and Career Pathways:

“Whether you're looking for college guidance, career readiness, or adulting skills, The New York Public Library's College and Career Pathways program is here to help!”

Learn more at the link below.

<https://www.nypl.org/education/teens/college-career-pathways>

Class Central

“Class Central has a great listing of free online Ivy League courses from Brown, Columbia, Cornell, Dartmouth, Harvard, Penn, Princeton, and Yale. There are over 500 courses to consider. Topics range from computer science and engineering to music and history.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Self-paced

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.classcentral.com/>

Careers: The U.S. government provides helpful career resources for students, such as a brief assessment they can use to learn about what professions might suit their interests and abilities. Learn more at these links:

<http://www.mynextmove.org/explore/ip>

<http://www.careeronestop.org/StudentsandCareerAdvisors/StudentsandCareerAdvisors.aspx> <http://www.careeronestop.org/> <https://kids.usa.gov/teens/jobs/azlist/index.shtml>

GrowingUp NYC

GrowingUp NYC provides helpful information about a wide variety of opportunities for students such as after school programs and enrichment programs.

<https://growingupnyc.cityofnewyork.us/programs/compass/>

Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth:

<http://cty.jhu.edu/imagine/resources/internships/arts.html>

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Scholarships:

New: Big Apple College Fair and \$2,500 Scholarship Raffle

“The college fair offers attendees the opportunity to speak with over 200 college admissions representatives from not only New York State, but from as far away as California, Canada, and England to name a few. This opportunity is free to attendees.

In addition, the Big Apple offers a raffle for all high school seniors to enter. Ten lucky students drawn will get a \$2,500 scholarship.”

Eligible: All students

Dates: Sunday, **October 8** (1 – 4pm)

Location: Jacob Javits Center – Hall 1A, Manhattan (655 W 34th Street New York, NY 10001)

Application Deadline: **Rolling Basis**

Cost: Free

Link: <https://www.bigapplecollegefair.com/>

New: Stony Brook University’s Simons STEM Scholarship

“The Stony Brook Simons STEM Scholars Program will be a training ground for the next generation of diverse leaders in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics and will vastly improve the pathway to STEM careers for underrepresented students here at Stony Brook University. The Stony Brook Simon's STEM Scholars program offers its students opportunities including fully-funded educational costs, dedicated on-campus immersive community housing, real-world internship and research opportunities, a fully-funded summer program for first-year students before classes begin, personalized academic and career advising, summer paid research opportunities, and application support and preparation for graduate school.”

Eligible: All students who are from underrepresented groups in STEM

Application Deadline: **October 15**

Links: <https://enroll.stonybrook.edu/register/simons-STEM-scholarship>
<https://enroll.stonybrook.edu/register/?id=a097e06b-bee1-40da-8c36-bfaab0351885>

New: Zombie Apocalypse Scholarship

“Imagine that your high school or college has been overrun with zombies. Your math professor, the cafeteria ladies, and even your best friend have all joined the walking dead. Flesh out a plan to avoid the zombies, including where you’d hide and the top-five things you’d bring to stay alive. One successful survivor will be awarded **\$2,000** toward their college education.”

Eligible: All students who are at least 14 years old

Application Deadline: **October 31**

Link: <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/zombie-apocalypse-scholarship>

AES Engineering Scholarship

“AES Engineering is pleased to be able to continue offering scholarships to motivated students to help in the furthering of their education. We are offering a scholarship that will be awarded based on character, as determined by an evaluation of the essays that are submitted. Students must submit an essay of between 500 and 1000 words in answer to the following question: When you look back on your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey? The winner will be awarded **\$500.**”

Eligible: Current seniors

Application Deadline: **October 8**

Links: <https://aesengineers.com/scholarships.php>

Prudential Spirit of Community

“From now through November 3, 2022, Prudential is accepting applications for Prudential Emerging Visionaries from people ages 14 to 18 who are taking on today’s toughest financial and societal challenges. If selected, you may qualify to receive up

to \$15,000 — plus an all-expenses-paid trip with your parent or guardian to Prudential headquarters in Newark, NJ, along with coaching and skills development to help take your solution to the next level.”

Eligible: Students who are at least 14 years old

Application Deadline: November 2

Link: <https://www.prudential.com/links/about/emergingvisionaries>

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Resume & cover letter templates for basic student resumes may be accessed at the following links:

<http://jobsearch.about.com/od/resumesandcoverletters/1/blhighschool2.htm>

<http://jobsearch.about.com/od/resumetemplates/a/templatehs.htm>

If you are selected for or enroll in any of the above opportunities, please inform Mr. Blumm ASAP at: hblumm@stuy.edu

Whichever extra-curricular program, internship, or community service activity a student may participate in, they should be sure to ask their supervisor/coordinator to write a letter of appreciation before it concludes – it is sometimes very difficult to

obtain this later on. And the more personal & detailed the letter, the better. A copy should then be submitted to your counselor.

Please feel free to contact Harvey Blumm at hblumm@stuy.edu with any questions or feedback on any items in this message, or with any suggestions or concerns you may have. **And always feel free to share any information about opportunities that may be of interest to our parents, teachers, or students.**