Stuyvesant Student Opportunity Bulletin #26S March 15, 2024

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This weekly bulletin informs students, parents, and staff 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.

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 many excellent opportunities in this issue - including several highlighted below.

Please note that a good number programs —particularly in the STEM categories- have approaching mid-late **March application deadlines**!

<u>ACADEMICS</u>: The first free **CUNY College Now** college courses for summer are starting to post online. These are typically open to juniors and (sometimes) sophomores. The Hunter College program is listed here. The free **MIT BeaverWorks Spring Classes/Summer Institute** program has a March 31st deadline; this is focused on current juniors, but all may apply.

MUSEUMS/ART: The Museum of Arts & Design's Artslife summer program is a paid opportunity for current 9th and 10th graders to work with museum professionals and artists. **Tech Scholars** at the New York Historical Society is a spring break program, open to all students, which combines web design training with historical issues related to women's rights

<u>STEM</u>: **Carnegie Mellon University** is hosting an online Hacking Competition until March 26th – all may participate. **Columbia University's Synthetic Biology Workshop** welcomes all students to its four-week online program, beginning March 31st. The **Perry Initiative** offers online presentations about medicine & orthopedics to all female & binary students on March 18th and April 13th. And numerous other excellent STEM opportunities have late March deadlines – please check them out!

Events of Interest to Students:

New: Events Approaching:

Carnegie Mellon University picoCTF 2024 Hacking Competition

"picoCTF is the largest cybersecurity hacking competition for middle, high school,

and college students. Participants 13 years and older of all skill levels are encouraged

to compete. Competitors must reverse-engineer, break, hack, decrypt, and think

creatively and critically to solve the challenges and capture the digital flags.

Competition prizes have eligibility requirements, but everyone is encouraged to play

for fun and learning."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 12 – March 26

Locations: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.picoctf.org/competitions/2024-spring.html

Events Approaching: SUNY Information Sessions

These in-person and online sessions provide helpful information about different State University of New York (SUNY) campuses, financial aid, FAFSA completion, special

programs, and more.

Eligible: All students & parents

Dates: March 19 and more

Location: Virtual and in-person (116 East 55th St, Manhattan) options available

Cost: Free

Links: https://www.suny.edu/attend/events/

https://engage.suny.edu/portal/financial_aid_sessions_virtual

https://engage.suny.edu/portal/how_to_apply

https://engage.suny.edu/portal/fafsa_workshops

Event Approaching: Latino College Expo & Leadership Summit

"The Latino College Expo is your gateway to meeting admissions representatives from over 50 public and private colleges, universities and community-based organizations. The EXPO is comprised of many colleges and universities, New York City Community Based Organizations, and "Ask the Counselor" tables. Bring your school transcripts, test scores and list of extracurricular activities if you'd like to talk one-to-one with a college advisor. "Ask the Counselor" tables will be available in English and Spanish.

You are also welcome to the LEADERSHIP SUMMIT prior to the Expo in order to hear information and engage in discussions on various topics that will help prepare you for the college search process.

Eligible: All students

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Links https://www.eventbrite.com/e/31st-annual-latino-college-expo-leadership-summit-tickets-733599685407?aff=oddtdtcreator

Event Approaching: Youth Town Hall Event w/ STARS Citywide Girls Initiative

"The Sports Training and Role-models for Success Citywide Girls Initiative (STARS CGI) is a collaboration of ten leading New York City nonprofits with missions to support girls and young women of color to overcome barriers to success, grow emotionally, and give them the tools that they need to develop as leaders in their communities. Join us for an afternoon where youth will have the opportunity to gather together and create actionable steps towards change!"

Eligible: All students who identify as a woman, transgender, or gender-expansive

Date: March 23 (11:00 AM - 1:00 PM)

Location: 4 West 43rd Street, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://girlswritenow.org/event/march23-

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Academic Programs:

List of Some Private College Pre-College Programs (Spring & Summer)

Many colleges offer "precollege" classes that high school students can take to increase their knowledge of certain subjects, experience what college courses are like, and, in some cases, earn college credits. Some offer financial aid. Here is a link to some options:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xXVpEegEGXvQ2d-pP0umwYBc735BrwcC/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=111212941873538043271&rtpof=true&sd=true

New: Hunter College College Now Summer Program

"Hunter's College Now program focuses on courses for college credit and other enrichment activities in the humanities, arts, social sciences, sciences and mathematics, all taught by our own full-time or adjunct faculty. Our mission is to introduce high school students of varying skill levels to the rigors and rewards of higher education by connecting them to high-quality scholarship and instruction. All NYC Public High School students participate for free."

Eligible: Current 10th and 11th grade students

Dates: July 12 - August 16

Location: 695 Park Ave, Manhattan

Examples of Courses Offered: Principles of Epidemiology, Chemistry, Physics,

Elementary Statistics, Introduction to Environmental Geoscience

Application Deadline: May 3

Links: https://hunter.cuny.edu/students/opportunities/college-now/how-to-apply/apply-now/

One Deadline Approaching: U.C. San Diego: Research Scholars

"The Research Scholars program at UC San Diego provides high school students with unparalleled educational opportunities that leverage the intellectual capital of an internationally ranked research university and teaches highly sought-after skills that can make students more competitive candidates for college admissions and internship opportunities. Students will assume the role of a researcher, becoming fully immersed in projects that have real-world applications. Courses are offered in Bioengineering,

Design Lab, Life Sciences, Marine Science, School of Medicine, and Business

Research."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Summer 2024

Location: In-person, virtual, or hybrid

Cost: \$1,300 - \$3,000 (scholarships available)

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis (Sports Medicine: March 22;

Business Research: May 1)

Links: https://researchscholars.ucsd.edu/

https://researchscholars.ucsd.edu/apply/index.html

Deadline Approaching: Columbia Engineering's Summer High School Academic Program for Engineers (SHAPE)

"SHAPE is geared toward students with an aptitude for STEM: science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Each 3-week session offers college-level, project-based courses in engineering taught by prestigious faculty at Columbia University. Students engage with peers and Columbia University faculty, staff, students, alumni, and industry partners through interactive programming, site visits, and workshops.

Available courses include Robotics and Autonomous Driving, Biomedical Engineering, Geoengineering, Competitive Programming, Electrical Engineering, and more."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Session 1: July 8 – 26, Session 2: July 29 – August 16

Location: Columbia University's Morningside Campus

Cost: \$5,500

Application Deadline: March 26

Links: https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/content/shape-summer-high-school-academic-program-engineers

https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/content/faqs

 $\underline{https://apply.engineering.columbia.edu/apply/?sr=6101d545-06c6-4174-91ac-a6574a0ca856}$

Deadline Approaching: Columbia University Science Honors Program

"The Columbia University Science Honors Program (SHP) is a highly selective program for high school students who have a strong interest in the sciences and mathematics. Courses are primarily in the physical, chemical, biological, behavioral, and computing sciences; and instructors are scientists and mathematicians who are actively engaged in research at the University."

Eligible: All current 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students

Dates: 2024 – 2025 school year (Saturdays 10AM-12:30PM)

Location: Columbia University Morningside Campus

Cost: \$50 Application Fee, \$600 for *new* students (fee waivers available for eligible students)

Application Deadline: March 27

Links: https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/SHP

https://apply.engineering.columbia.edu/apply/?sr=cb47d608-d191-4270-9853-8598aae73bf1

Deadline Approaching: Stanford Pre-Collegiate Summer Institutes

"Stanford Pre-Collegiate Summer Institutes courses meet two hours each day (Monday–Friday) for live online classroom discussion between the instructor and their students. In addition to the live meeting times, students will engage in out-of-class learning assignments tailored to each course. Through daily interaction and small class sizes, instructors develop strong connections with their students. At the end of the course, the instructors will provide a qualitative written evaluation."

Eligible: All students

Dates: June 17 – June 28 OR July 8 – July 19

Location: Virtual

Cost: \$3,050 (Financial aid available)

Application Deadline: March 29, April 5 (financial aid deadline)

Links: https://summerinstitutes.spcs.stanford.edu/admissions

https://spcsonlineapp.stanford.edu/register/?id=abef8699-3fdc-4d4c-ac66-

75416c751383

Deadline Approaching: MIT Lincoln Laboratory (LL) Beaver Works Summer Institute Spring Class and Summer Program

"This is a dual program – spring term self-paced online classes (open to all juniors, and some 9th and 10th graders may be accepted as well), followed by an in-person or virtual summer program at MIT, which is selective. The four-week program teaches students programming & engineering skills through project-based, workshop-style courses. Students must complete self-paced online courses over the spring semester if they wish to be considered for the summer program. (Students can still apply for the online courses after they are released on February 1st, but should apply as soon as possible.)"

Eligible: Preference to current juniors, but all students may apply

Dates: February 1 - June 16 (Spring Online Courses) & July 8 – August 4 (Summer Program)

Location: Spring Courses are virtual; the summer program is Virtual/and/or /In-Person at MIT

Cost: Free for those with family incomes under \$150,000; otherwise -\$1,750

Application Deadline: March 31 (both programs)

Links: https://beaverworks.ll.mit.edu/CMS/bw/bwsiapply

https://mit-bwsi.formstack.com/forms/bwsi_student_registration_onlinecourse_2024

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Business & Jobs

New: Deadline Approaching: Personal Finance Video Contest

All students may submit a short (45 seconds - two minutes) video on personal finance topics (check link for examples) – the top prize is \$2,500.

Eligible: All students

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: March 25

Links: https://wisenyorg-my.sharepoint.com/personal/intern_wise-

ny_org/_layouts/15/onedrive.aspx?id=%2Fpersonal%2Fintern%5Fwise%2Dny%5Forg%2FDocuments%2FAttachments %2FFinancial%20Literacy%20Video%20Contest%20%282%29%2Epng&parent=%2Fpersonal%2Fintern%5Fwise%2Dny%5Forg%2FDocuments%2FAttachments&ga=1

https://wisenyorg-my.sharepoint.com/personal/intern_wise-

ny_org/_layouts/15/stream.aspx?id=%2Fpersonal%2Fintern%5Fwise%2Dny%5Forg%2FDocuments%2FAttachments%2FVideo%2Emov&ga=1&referrer=StreamWebApp%2EWeb&referrerScenario=AddressBarCopied%2Eview

For information about obtaining **Working Papers** at Stuyvesant, check this link: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1hawnkPcYfJu_C_Zy0D10A01Jn5BAKFI8/edit?usp=sharing &ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true

Early Deadline Approaching: Young Founders Lab

"Young Founder's Lab is a real-world start-up bootcamp based on incubators such as the Y-Combinator. In the boot camp, students will work in groups to build a revenue-generating start-up from scratch. In the process, they work with mentors from places like Google, Microsoft, and Meta. They pitch their final start-up to investors with funds of over a hundred million dollars such as Google, Microsoft, and Meta."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Summer 2024 (Starting June 5)

Location: Virtual

Cost: \$2,900 (Need-Based Financial Aid Available)

Application Deadline: March 17 (Early Admission), April 14 (Regular Admission)

1), May 12 (Regular Admission 2)

Links: https://www.youngfounderslab.org/

https://airtable.com/apprzr1j8zGIMBupG/shrZU6Hxuui9nIq4j

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FpvroKypY8M_tJy33uRwR5G9_WrZ0NAX/view

Event Approaching: Rock the Street Wall Street Finance Program

Rock the Street Wall Street invites female students to apply for this series of 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 cohort 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:"

--Twice a month Spring Term Workshops (& Field Trip to Invesco Headquarters (near Stuy): Tuesdays, 4:00 - 5:00 PM until—May 7.

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 identifying and non-binary students

Dates: March 19, April 2, April 16, and May 7; Tuesdays at Stuy in Room 411 (4:00-5:00)

Cost: Free

Links: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1df7wEKOSTujUiNouS-

I3yP_puAAELkgP/view?usp=sharing

https://rockthestreetwallstreet.com/home/

https://app.rockthestreetwallstreet.com/start

Events Approaching: NYC Exploring Careers Program -

Engineering/Law/Medical Sessions

"Students interested in learning about different career paths can join the NYC Exploring program. It uses in-person & virtual weekly or bi-weekly after-school sessions to introduce students to a wide variety of careers. All are welcome to join the new series of Wednesday after-school sessions at the Structure Tone & Gensler companies on March 6, continuing until April 17th. There are also programs with Syska Hennessy Engineering, the Queens (3/18) & Brooklyn District Attorneys (3/26), M&T Bank (3/20), Bellevue Hospital (3/28), KPMG Accounting (4/4) and more!

And here's a quick list for your convenience of some programs we have scheduled:"

- **Structure Tone and Gensler** (Architecture/Engineering/Construction) Wednesdays (one Thursday) at 4:30-6:30pm: 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/11, 4/17
- **Kings County District Attorney's Office** (Law & Government) Tuesdays at 4:30-6:00pm: 3/26, 4/9, 5/7, 5/21, 6/4

- **M&T Bank** (Business/Finance) Wednesdays at 4:30-6:00pm: 3/20, 3/27
- Queens County District Attorney's Office (Law & Government) Tuesdays at 4:30-6:00pm: Open House 3/18
- Lenox Health Greenwich Village (Healthcare) Thursdays at 4:30-6:00pm 3/21, 4/18, 5/16
- **LaGuardia Airport** (Aviation) Thursdays at 4:30-6:00pm: 3/21, 4/18, 5/16
- Syska Hennessy (Architecture/Engineering/Construction) Wednesdays at 4:30-6:00pm 3/26, 4/2, 4/9
- **Bellevue Hospital** (Healthcare) Thursdays at 4:30-6:00pm: 3/28, 4/4, 4/11, 4/18
- **KPMG** (Business) Thursday at 4:30-6:00pm: 4/4
- **Dewberry** (Architecture/Engineering/Construction) Thursdays at 4:30-6:00pm: 5/9, 5/16

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various throughout the Fall & Spring terms

Locations: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: https://nyexploring.org/b-registar/

https://nyexploring.org/calendar/

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1hX-qInUdNOV5bkDX4nZJqxQE0TEvSiqG/view?usp=sharing

Event Approaching: New York Institute of Technology Business Bootcamp

"NYIT School of Management is offering a free boot camp to prepare high school students for the business school experience. With college-level workshops taught by our expert faculty, students will get critical training they can add to their résumés and incorporate into both their academic and professional lives as they seek entry to college and the business world. Students may attend the workshops individually or attend all six sessions. Students who complete all bootcamp sessions will receive a certificate of completion from New York Tech School of Management."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 27, April 17, May 29, June 26, July 10 & 24, August 14 & 28

Location: Virtual **OR** In-Person at New York Institute of Technology, 1855

Broadway, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link:

https://www.nyit.edu/management/business_bootcamp?utm_campaign=businessbootcamp&utm_me
dium=email&utm_source=slate

Deadline Approaching: BossGirls Summer Entrepreneurship Program

"If you've ever thought about running your own business, inventing something new, or being part of a movement to create change in the world, Bossgirls is for you! You'll join a community of other students like yourself to discover entrepreneurship. You and a team of other bossgirls will focus on a problem, come up with an innovative solution for it, research the market, compare competitors, learn how to price your product & prototype it, and create a brand around your idea. At the end of the program, you'll pitch your idea to an audience--think Shark Tank without the sharks. All the while, you'll get to meet entrepreneurs & get advice from expert mentors from Standard Chartered, our program sponsor."

Eligible: Students who identify as women or nonbinary

Dates: July 1 – August 1

Location: City College of New York (160 Convent Avenue, Manhattan)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 31

Link: https://www.ccny.cuny.edu/zahn/bossgirls

StandOut Search High School Internship Database

"StandOut Search is an online database created by students from UChicago. It is a free

searchable database for high school internships, research opportunities, and summer

programs. Each opportunity is selected by current college students based on what they

did in high school and double-checked that it is a good fit for high school students."

Link: https://www.standoutsearch.com/

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Community Service

For a list of **food programs** that help hungry New Yorkers, click this link:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1OFnXZM8qNJCLWRhPwOYSNqxOBokfK9i2/edit?usp=shar

ing&ouid=115396606750532126369&rtpof=true&sd=true

List of Volunteer Tutoring Opportunities:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xCaxNM0pfKP718-

xfrW6a05w 19MXuFgn2bb4mIREGs/edit?usp=sharing

Program Start Date Approaching: DOROT: GENuine Connections Volunteering

"A virtual volunteer program for teens with adults 65+! Participate in weekly, small-

group workshops over Zoom to talk and participate in activities like creative writing,

chess, art, current events and so much more."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 25 – May 9 (5-week workshop)

Location: Virtual

Links: https://dorotusa.org/genuineconnections

https://dorotusa.jotform.com/222144132091947

Hospital Volunteer Opportunities

Most NYC hospitals welcome high school student helpers. Age requirements and time commitments vary, so contact locations of interest for more specific information.

Eligible: Various – check individual sites

Dates: Various

Location: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadlines: Rolling Basis

Links: http://www.nychealthandhospitals.org/volunteering/

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- Hospital for Special Surgery (16 and older) http://www.hss.edu/volunteer-in-new-york-city.asp

Mount Sinai Beth Israel Hospital: (15 and older)
 https://www.mountsinai.org/locations/beth-israel/about/volunteer

- Memorial-Sloan Kettering Hospital: (16 and older) (For Pediatrics & Caring Volunteers, must be 17 and older)

https://www.mskcc.org/about/get-involved/volunteering

- Mount Sinai Hospital (16 and older):

https://www.mountsinai.org/locations/mount-sinai/about/volunteer/patient

- Flushing Hospital (16 & over): https://flushinghospital.org/volunteer-information/

- NYU/Langone Medical Center (Manhattan -16 and older)

 $\underline{http:/\!/nyulangone.org\!/volunteer}$

https://langone.vsyslive.com/pages/app/LANGONE

- New York Presbyterian Hospital (16 and over)

https://www.nyp.org/volunteer/summer-volunteering https://www.nyp.org/volunteer/becoming-a-volunteer Branches of the Brooklyn library system welcome student volunteers to provide tech and support assistance throughout the summer, and for a minimum of three hours per week for at least six months during the school year. Participants will receive eight days of training, and small stipends as well.

Eligible: All students

Dates: Summer and School Year

Locations: Various

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Links: https://www.bklynlibrary.org/support/volunteer/teen-techies

https://www.bklynlibrary.org/support/volunteer/t4/form

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College Prep

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Deadline Approaching: Questbridge College Prep Scholars Program

"The College Prep Scholars Program equips high-achieving high school juniors from low-income backgrounds with the knowledge, confidence, and resources to apply to top colleges.

Awards for College Prep Scholars may include:

-A full scholarship to a college summer program hosted by Yale, Emory, UChicago, and others

-Quest for Excellence Awards, such as \$1,000 for a new laptop or other resources to

help the student enhance their college application,

-Exclusive access to a QuestBridge National College Admissions Conference — an

invite-only event featuring workshops and a college fair with our college partners

-Personalized college essay feedback, campus visits or other opportunities from

QuestBridge college partners, along with specialized guidance and resources for the

college application process

-Peer-to-peer support in an online community

Eligible: Current juniors who excel academically and are low-income

Dates: 2024 - 2025

Location: TBD

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 20

Links: https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/college-prep-scholars

https://apply.questbridge.org/portal/apply

Event Approaching: NACAC Virtual College Fairs

NACAC allows students may attend as many fairs as they wish with varying topics. Certain college fairs focus on areas of interest such as STEM and Performing & Visual Arts or focus on geographic location. Learn more about which colleges are

presenting at each fair below:

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 24 & April 21 (1 − 6 pm)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.nacacattend.org/fairs

Deadline Approaching: Bottom Line Access High School Support Program

"Through a series of one- on-one meetings, Bottom Line's full-time college advisors help each high school senior navigate the complex and intimidating college application process. We understand that applying to college can be overwhelming, but the one-on-one advising that we provide will give you the time and attention you need to navigate this process. Services include assistance with creating a college match list, developing a personalized application plan, brainstorming application essays, getting application fee waivers, searching for scholarships, arranging for campus visits and interviews, preparing for the financial aid process, committing to a college, and more."

Eligible: Seniors who are in the first generation of their family to earn a Bachelor's degree or are low-income

Dates: Spring term

Location: In-person (44 Court Street, Suite 300, Brooklyn) and virtual options

available

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 31 (Early Application) & June 1 (Regular)

Links: https://www.bottomline.org/content/high-school-support-0

https://www.bottomline.org/content/eligibility-requirements-0

https://www.bottomline.org/node/118

Deadline Approaching: Columbia Freedom and Citizenship Program

"Freedom & Citizenship is an educational program for New York City high school students run by the Center for American Studies and Double Discovery Center at Columbia University. Each year we recruit 45 low-income high school juniors to join our program from July through May. Our year-long program incorporates three distinct

offerings: A four-week residential summer program, senior year college application support, and a nine-month after-school project in civic leadership."

Eligible: Current juniors (priority to low-income and first-generation college students,

but all may apply)

Dates: July 8 – August 2

Location: TBD

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 31

Links: https://freedomandcitizenship.columbia.edu/about

https://freedomandcitizenship.columbia.edu/apply

OnTRaC College and Creative Career Readiness

"This afterschool program includes a completion stipend of \$140. OnTRaC provides college and career readiness workshops to teens who will be connected with industry professionals, engage with post-high school educational opportunities, and develop the leadership skills needed to succeed in the future. This program is held in partnership with Futures & Options. Inquire at your school for possible credit."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Spring 2024 (starting March 26)

Location: TBD

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Free

Links: https://teens.artsconnection.org/ontrac/

https://airtable.com/appQuqObez96NaMtU/shr3xYXKbVT6V5C08?mc_cid=1719c0165f&mc_eid=

d56b4cad94

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New: Deadline Approaching:

Summer Peace Ambassador Leadership Summit

"PALS, an immersive experience of staying in dorms, offers insights into campus life and a taste of what lies ahead in college. PALS is designed to empower students and equip them with essential skills for their future success. By participating in PALS, students will engage in personal and leadership growth while participating in meaningful service projects. Furthermore, PALS provides exclusive access to college advising and mentoring from experts in the field. This personalized guidance will support students in navigating the college application process, strengthening their resumes, and crafting compelling essays." Use discount code PHSREF23 for \$300 off.

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Location: Florida International University, University of Central Florida, or

Georgetown University in Washington, D.C.

Application Deadlines: March 31

Cost: \$500 - \$2,050

Links: https://www.nveee.org/pals-application/

New: Justice Education Project Volunteer

"As members of JEP, students would hold a role on one of five core teams—Research,

Finance, Graphic Design, Outreach, or Social Media—gaining invaluable experience

in writing, advocacy, and web design. Students can join one of JEP's initiatives, researching presidential candidates' platforms and current legislation related to criminal justice, and attend webinars featuring representatives from our many partner organizations. Students who participate in JEP will also have the opportunity to earn the President's Volunteer Service Award, as JEP is a certifying organization. Through JEP, students can virtually earn volunteer hours while advocating for youth voices in the public policy sphere."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various

Locations: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.justiceeducationproject.org/join-national-team

New: Judge Richard L. Price Essay Contest

"The New York County Lawyers Association is pleased to announce its annual Hon. Richard L. Price New York City Public High School Essay Contest. We invite students to submit essays on the following topic: "Does the government banning of books violate the First Amendment of the US Constitution?" Explain fully. Committee members will review the essays and select the winners who will receive prizes of \$750 for first place, \$500 for second place, \$400 for third place, \$300 for fourth place, and

\$150 each for fifth to tenth places. An awards ceremony will be held in the spring of

2024 at NYCLA."

Eligible: All students

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: April 5

Link: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dDRVfnp6eN-csGAT8GSWfylr-

VOXEX2T/view?usp=sharing

Event Approaching: Youth Town Hall Event w/ STARS Citywide Girls Initiative

"The Sports Training and Role-models for Success Citywide Girls Initiative (STARS CGI) is a collaboration of ten leading New York City nonprofits with missions to support girls and young women of color to overcome barriers to success, grow emotionally, and give them the tools that they need to develop as leaders in their communities. Join us for an afternoon where youth will have the opportunity to gather together and create actionable steps towards change!"

Eligible: All students who identify as a woman, transgender, or gender-expansive

Dates: March 23 (11:00 AM - 1:00 PM)

Location: 4 West 43rd Street, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://girlswritenow.org/event/march23-specialevent/

Deadline Approaching: Youthbridge New York Fellowship Program

"YouthBridge-NY offers a two-year Fellowship program, in which juniors and seniors from diverse backgrounds participate in intensive training for leadership and diversity.

Throughout the first year of the program, first-year teen Fellows participate in skill-building workshops and team-based learning opportunities; then second year Bridgers are immersed in experiential learning opportunities and mentoring with successful professionals."

Eligible: Current sophomores

Dates: 2024 - 2026

Locations: Various, TBD

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 29

Links: https://www.youthbridgeny.org/fellowship

https://www.youthbridgeny.org/apply

Deadline Approaching: KACE Grassroots Internship

"KACE is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to empowering the Korean American community through civic education and community organization. In this program, under supervision, students will research and lead public campaigns to raise awareness of various important issues. Students will also meet with elected officials and engage with members of the local, state, and federal legislature. Through this unique program, our summer interns will learn: The importance of registering Korean Americans as voters; the issues facing the Korean American community today; and the process of organizing and mobilizing the Korean American community."

Eligible: All students

Dates: May 31 – October 25

Location: Hybrid

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 29

Links: https://kace.org/internship/

Deadline Approaching: Columbia Freedom and Citizenship Program

"Freedom & Citizenship is an educational program for New York City high school students run by the Center for American Studies and Double Discovery Center at Columbia University. Each year we recruit 45 low-income high school juniors to join our program from July through May. Our year-long program incorporates three distinct offerings: A four-week residential summer program, senior year college application support, and a nine-month after-school project in civic leadership."

Eligible: Current juniors (priority to low-income and first-generation college students, but all may apply)

Dates: July 8 – August 2

Location: TBD

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 31

Links: https://freedomandcitizenship.columbia.edu/about

https://freedomandcitizenship.columbia.edu/apply

Deadline Approaching: Peace Ambassador Leadership Summit (PALS)

"We are excited to invite your students to participate as Jr. Counselors or Delegates at the 2024 Peace Ambassador Leadership Summit (PALS). PALS is a summer program designed to provide high school students with college-life experience that enhances their leadership, communication, and life skills, preparing them for college and the professional world. PALS is more than just a leadership program; it's a gateway to a summer filled with growth, service, and enrichment."

Eligible: Current sophomores and juniors

Dates: Various (1 week in summer 2024)

Locations: Various universities

Cost: \$720 - \$2,050 (Depends on location and if you have early bird discount)

Application Deadline: March 31 (for Early Bird discount)

Link: https://www.nveee.org/pals/

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Museums, Art, Photography:

New: Museum of Arts and Design (MAD) Artslife Internship Program

"In this elite summer internship that combines art and design with leadership training, museum studies, and community engagement, participants are introduced to various careers at the museum: Curatorial, Education, Development, and more. Participants work on collaborative projects with Museum staff, local designers, and arts professionals who act as mentors. Interns are paid \$16 an hour and receive a free MetroCard."

Eligible: Rising sophomores and juniors

Dates: July 9 – August 16

Location: 2 Columbus Circle, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: April 7

Links: https://madmuseum.org/programs/teen-programs-mad

https://forms.gle/dE5r5ZsdQNsEzpPc7

Arts Connection offers a variety of free and low-cost in-person & virtual programs for all students –check this link to learn more about their spring and summer options: https://teens.artsconnection.org/

Event Approaching: MoMA Open Art Space

"Open Art Space is a relaxed, weekly, drop-in program for LGBTQ+ high school students and their allies who are interested in thinking about and making art in a creative and welcoming environment. This year we will explore art making, hear from artists, have VIP gallery tours, and so much more. This program is free and open to all high school—age participants. No previous art-making experience or registration is necessary. Metrocards, snacks, and supplies will be provided. Email questions to momateens@moma.org."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Every Thursday, 4:30 - 6:30 PM (next: March 21)

Location: Lewis B. and Dorothy Cullman Education and Research Building, 4 West

54 Street

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.moma.org/calendar/programs/199

Deadline Approaching:

Center for Architecture Winter/Spring 2024 Teen Workshops

"The Winter/Spring 2024 Teen Workshops will focus on developing fundamental architectural design skills and exploring the architecture of New York City. Each workshop focuses on a different core lesson that will help high school students explore their interest in architecture as well as hone skills that will be helpful for portfolio development. These workshops are open to all levels of architecture and art

experience. Attend all four sessions, or just select the workshops that appeal most to you! The workshops available are Generation Green, Architectural Model Making, Exploring SoHo."

Eligible: All students

Dates: April 6, May 4 (10 am – 4 pm)

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

Cost: \$125 (full scholarships available)

Application Deadline: March 23, April 20 (scholarship deadlines) & Rolling Basis

Links: https://www.centerforarchitecture.org/k-12/teen-programs/teen-workshops/
https://aiany.my.salesforce-sites.com/pmtx/evt_QuickEvent?id=a0bPO000000ubPt

Deadline Approaching: Gilder Lehrman History Internships

"Students from all over the country will take part in a variety of engaging internships, gaining valuable experience in museum collection management, educational programming, and nonprofit operations. Interns will be paid \$16 per hour." Available positions for high school interns are Citizenship Project Intern, Hamilton Education Program Intern, History School Intern, and Teacher Seminars Intern.

Eligible: All students

Dates: Summer

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: March 29 (11:59 pm)

Cost: Free

Link: https://www.gilderlehrman.org/programs-and-events/internships

Deadline Approaching:

New York Historical Society Tech Scholars Program: Web Design

"Explore how women across the spectrum of race, class, and sexuality exercised power and effected change. Be a digital changemaker and create your own websites to share powerful stories about women in history. Research historical figures and events that continue to impact young people today. Pair program and collaborate with other teens learning to code. Learn coding (including HTML and CSS) to design and build your own website. Get mentored by a wide range of professional leaders in technology and learn about career options!"

Eligible: All students

Dates: April 22 – April 26, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Location: Pier 57, 25 11th Ave, Manhattan

Application Deadline: March 31

Cost: Free

Link: https://www.nyhistory.org/education/digital-humanities

Guide to Summer Art Programs & Internships

Teen Life magazine offers this general guide to art-related summer options for high school students:

Link: https://www.teenlife.com/guide-to-performing-visual-arts-colleges/

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Parks/Nature:

List of Opportunities in NYC Parks:

 $\underline{https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xpKqCpdRHyZYGyiByUerucTntMB-}\\$

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Scholarship Deadline Today: The Columbia Climate School in the Green

Mountains Pre-College Summer Program

"The Columbia Climate School in the Green Mountains, a 2-week campus-based

program for high school students in Castleton, Vermont to mobilize action, drive

impact, and effect change in response to our warming planet. Engage with experts

from Columbia Climate School and learn about cutting-edge innovations in action.

Meet, collaborate, and build partnerships with like-minded students and tap into

collective strengths for action."

Eligible: All students

Dates: June 30 - July 12

Location: Castleton, Vermont

Cost: \$6,790 (Scholarships Available)

Application Deadline: March 15 (scholarship deadline), Rolling Basis (Limited

Spots)

Links: https://www.climate.columbia.edu/green-mountains

https://www.climate.columbia.edu/green-mountains

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfSQpssCI2ISkdzf8cMV64XpPBmrIqbhXL9J9-

Qol1Zxg39iw/viewform

Updated: Prospect Park Volunteering

"Prospect Park Alliance engages thousands of volunteers annually to help keep

Brooklyn's Backyard green, vibrant and welcoming. The volunteer season runs from

April through November."

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.prospectpark.org/get-involved/volunteer/

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STEM Opportunities:

For a list of general private (non-university pre-college course) **STEM programs**, check this link:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1JXxFu0XGjbmaNyDrZvvI3NSkX4ZvC1vk/edit?usp=sharing &ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true

Priority Deadline Approaching: Lumiere Research Scholar Program

"Founded by Harvard & Oxford researchers, this is a selective program for talented high school students. Students work one-on-one with a mentor from a top university to conduct research and develop a 15–20-page research paper on topics in every academic field, ranging from machine learning to economics to physics. In the 2020–2021 school year, more than 1,500 students applied to the program and 500 were admitted."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Summer 2024

Location: TBD

Cost: \$2,800 - \$8,900

Application Deadline: March 17 (priority), April 14 (regular I), May 14 (regular II)

Links: https://www.lumiere-education.com/students-application-form

https://airtable.com/appK9HemdsQBzVefU/shrWKcNSHjd4V2veV

Deadline Approaching: High School Academic Research Immersive Workshops & Competition (SARC)

"SARC is more than just a contest—it's a guided immersion into the research process, designed for experts and newcomers alike! Researchers can choose a topic they're passionate about, something they wish to dive deeper into, or something they want to study in university. This is a chance for young researchers to master the research process and unlock their scientific minds. During this time, you'll enroll in immersive workshops and exclusive bootcamps that guide you through the research process and prepare you better for your research proposal. The competition provides cash prizes and an exclusive opportunity to have your research published in the Columbia Undergraduate Science Journal."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March – April

Location: Virtual

Cost: \$15 (\$10 by the early bird deadline)

Application Deadline: March 20 (regular)

Links: https://www.researchcomp.org/

https://www.researchcomp.org/faqs

Deadline Approaching: U.C. San Diego: Research Scholars

"The Research Scholars program at UC San Diego provides high school students with unparalleled educational opportunities that leverage the intellectual capital of an internationally ranked research university and teaches highly sought-after skills that can make students more competitive candidates for college admissions and internship opportunities. Students will assume the role of a researcher, becoming fully immersed in projects that have real-world applications. Courses are offered in Bioengineering, Design Lab, Life Sciences, Marine Science, School of Medicine, and Business Research."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Summer 2024

Location: In-person, virtual, or hybrid

Cost: \$1,300 - \$3,000 (scholarships available)

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis (Sports Medicine: March 22, Business

Research: May 1)

Links: https://researchscholars.ucsd.edu/

https://researchscholars.ucsd.edu/apply/index.html

Deadline Approaching: Columbia Engineering's Summer High School Academic Program for Engineers (SHAPE)

"SHAPE is geared toward students with an aptitude for STEM: science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Each 3-week session offers college-level, project-based courses in engineering taught by prestigious faculty at Columbia University. Students engage with peers and Columbia University faculty, staff, students, alumni, and industry partners through interactive programming, site visits, and workshops.

Available courses include Robotics and Autonomous Driving, Biomedical Engineering, Geoengineering, Competitive Programming, Electrical Engineering, and more."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Session 1: July 8 – 26, Session 2: July 29 – August 16

Location: Columbia University's Morningside Campus

Cost: \$5,500

Application Deadline: March 26

Links: https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/content/shape-summer-high-school-academic-program-engineers

https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/content/faqs

https://apply.engineering.columbia.edu/apply/?sr=6101d545-06c6-4174-91ac-a6574a0ca856

Deadline Approaching: Columbia University Science Honors Program

"The Columbia University Science Honors Program (SHP) is a highly selective program for high school students who have a strong interest in the sciences and mathematics. Courses are primarily in the physical, chemical, biological, behavioral, and computing sciences; and instructors are scientists and mathematicians who are actively engaged in research at the University."

Eligible: All current 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students

Dates: 2024 – 2025 school year (Saturdays 10AM-12:30PM)

Location: Columbia University Morningside Campus

Cost: \$50 Application Fee, \$600 for new students (fee waivers available for eligible

students)

Application Deadline: March 27

Links: https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/SHP

https://apply.engineering.columbia.edu/apply/?sr=cb47d608-d191-4270-9853-8598aae73bf1

Deadline Approaching: ProCSI-H STEM Camp at the University of Wisconsin

"ProCSI-H is an annual, free, week-long camp offered at the University of Wisconsin–Madison. Participants attend lectures on a range of engineering-related topics, tour campus and lab spaces, participate in hands-on activities, and experience campus life during this fun-filled week. Students will also be provided with housing at dorms and food at university dining halls, both at no cost."

Eligible: All students (priority given to first-generation students and underrepresented – but all may apply)

Dates: July 14 – 19 OR July 21 – 26

Location: University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 29

Link: https://sbel.wisc.edu/procsi-h/

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Engineering/Math/Computer Science

For a list of several Computer Science Opportunities, check this link:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1hHoc3GpLP-

<u>kkdRZioU0pEZDFHEySvSUn/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true</u>

For a list of several programs & opportunities in Mathematics, check this link (several program application deadlines are approaching!):

 $\underline{https://docs.google.com/document/d/1UCf0UYIuW_3q9bjqvnCLnQhSNALQWloE/edit?usp=sharing\&ouid=101556942762799823370\&rtpof=true\&sd=true$

New: Events Approaching:

Carnegie Mellon University picoCTF 2024 Hacking Competition

"picoCTF is the largest cybersecurity hacking competition for middle, high school, and college students. Participants 13 years and older of all skill levels are encouraged to compete. Competitors must reverse-engineer, break, hack, decrypt, and think creatively and critically to solve the challenges and capture the digital flags.

Competition prizes have eligibility requirements, but everyone is encouraged to play for fun and learning."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 12 – March 26

Locations: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.picoctf.org/competitions/2024-spring.html

Deadlines Today & Approaching: One Lab Summer Studio

"ONE Lab Summer Studio runs in 2-week summer sessions for high school students. Each session consists of a design studio, discussion, lectures, workshops, worksite tours and guidance on advanced study and potential careers in environmental design. Students will learn about topical environmental issues, hear from top design experts in the field and work with biomaterials in designing and producing objects that address today's environmental challenges."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Session 1 (July 8 – 18) OR Session 2 (July 22 – August 1)

Location: In-person and virtual options available

Cost: Various (\$1,930, full scholarships available)

Application Deadline: March 15, 29 (early bird discounts), Rolling Basis

Links: https://www.onelab.org/apply

https://www.onelab.org/important-dates

Deadline Approaching: Girls Who Code Summer Programs

"Girls Who Code offers two summer programs: the Summer Immersion Program and the Self-Paced Program. The Summer Immersion Program (SIP) is a 2-week introductory computer science course during which participants learn web development with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript while getting an inside look into the tech industry through incredible company partners. The Self-Paced Program is a 6-week flexible computer science course in which participants can choose to earn beginner-level badges in HTML, CSS, and JavaScript for web development or an intermediate-level badge in Python for cybersecurity."

Eligible: All students 14 and older who identify as girls or non-binary

Dates: Various

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free (grants and tech support available)

Application Deadline: March 22

Links: https://girlswhocodesm.smapply.io/prog/

https://girlswhocode.com/programs/summer-immersion-program

NASA offers a variety of other resources, programs, and challenges for students interested in aerospace technology.

Links: https://www.nasa.gov/learning-resources/search/
https://www.nasa.gov/audience/forstudents/current-opps-index.html

Early Deadline Today: NYU G-STEM Program

"NYU offers current 11th grade students entry into G-Stem, a five-week summer program in math, science, & technology. The program includes classes, field trips, and

development/presentation of a research topic. Students are paired with a STEM professor or researcher and work on individual projects in a field of their choosing."

Eligible: Current juniors (priority given to under-represented students, but all may

apply)

Dates: July 1 - August 9

Location: NYU G-STEM Campus (251 Mercer Street, Manhattan)

Cost: \$5,300 – Financial aid is available

Application Deadlines: March 15 (Early deadline) & April 15 (Regular deadline)

Link: https://cims.nyu.edu/gstem/apply/

Priority Deadline Approaching: Kode With Klossy

All female students are invited to engage in online coding and other computer science activities over the summer. Students may choose among three camp programs - building a website, mobile applications, or data visualization & building. A series of two–week programs are offered, beginning June 6. No prior knowledge is necessary.

Eligible: Students who identify as female, gender-nonconforming, & trans students

Dates: Various (two-week sessions from June - August)

Locations: Virtual and in-person locations available

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 18 (priority deadline)

Link: https://www.kodewithklossy.com/apply

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: March 20, and once a month on a Wednesdays in subsequent months

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

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

Updated: 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:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/16W8o0uQZA9O_gzTKNAiO-P4IIO6qlxwfpEUNHxQypPY/edit?usp=sharing

Events Approaching: Endless Frontiers Lab Youth Ambassador Program

"Endless Frontier Labs invites high school students interested in the intersections of entrepreneurship, technology, and/or science-based innovation to apply for our 2023-2024 Young Ambassadors cohort! During the EFL Young Ambassadors experience, students will have the opportunity to shadow world-renowned scientists, CEOs, and business leaders and observe their meetings with startup founders in the Endless Frontier Labs startup program. Students will be admitted on a rolling basis. If admitted, students will attend at least one (1) EFL Meeting Day. The EFL program will be operating in a hybrid model this year." If you have any questions, please contact info@endlessfrontierlabs.com

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 22, 28, 29, and more

Locations: NYU Stern (50 W 4th St, Manhattan) or Virtual

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Free

Links: https://endlessfrontierlabs.com/young-ambassadors/

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdt5v26k4iTF8FmKHTxBZ0rPCD-nQ7Sf8aW0zE-

hsWSzoxJOQ/viewform

Deadline Approaching:

Center for Architecture Winter/Spring 2024 Teen Workshops

"The Winter/Spring 2024 Teen Workshops will focus on developing fundamental architectural design skills and exploring the architecture of New York City. Each workshop focuses on a different core lesson that will help high school students explore their interest in architecture as well as hone skills that will be helpful for portfolio development. These workshops are open to all levels of architecture and art experience. Attend all four sessions, or just select the workshops that appeal most to you! The workshops available are Generation Green, Architectural Model Making, Exploring SoHo."

Eligible: All students

Dates: April 6, May 4 (10 am -4 pm)

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

Cost: \$125 (full scholarships available)

Application Deadline: March 23, April 20 (scholarship deadlines) & Rolling Basis

Links: https://www.centerforarchitecture.org/k-12/teen-programs/teen-workshops/ https://aiany.my.salesforce-sites.com/pmtx/evt__QuickEvent?id=a0bPO000000ubPt

Deadline Approaching:

Columbia University: Engineering the Next Generation (ENG) Program

"For six weeks, students work with Columbia Engineering researchers and participate in programming to develop their academic and professional skills. Students gain practical research experience, collaborate with research faculty, staff, and students, practice new skills, and take part in multi-level mentorship.

Program components include experience in working on genuine engineering research projects, research skills and college prep workshops, science communications workshops, and additional supplemental seminars and opportunities. Students **are also provided with a stipend** to support them over the summer. If the student lives in Harlem, they can opt to spend their internship with the CS3 My Streetscape Summer Research Institute."

Eligible: Current juniors and seniors

Dates: July 8 – August 16

Location: Columbia University, 116th and Broadway, Manhattan

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 26

Links: https://outreach.engineering.columbia.edu/eng

https://cs3-erc.org/

 $\underline{https://apply.engineering.columbia.edu/apply/?sr=df1e9ee0-7369-43c7-8829-bc79d10e3cfa}$

Deadline Approaching: Cooper Union Summer STEM Program

"The Cooper Union Summer STEM Program offers introductory and advanced design and engineering classes for high school students. Summer STEM is an opportunity to try engineering for the first time or to dive deeper into engineering team work. Each 3-or 6-week class covers college-level topics and activities completed by The Cooper Union undergraduates in their first or second year. This selective program encourages

all curious, compassionate, and college-interested students to apply regardless of prior experience."

Eligible: Current freshmen, sophomores, and juniors

Dates: Various (July - August)

Location: Cooper Union (41 Union Square, Manhattan)

Cost: \$1,950 (three-week classes) OR \$3,950 (six-week classes); need-based financial

aid available

Application Deadline: March 27 (5:00 pm)

Links: https://cooper.edu/engineering/stem/summer

https://cooper.edu/engineering/summer-stem/frequently-asked-questions

Deadline Approaching: Cooper Union Summer STEM 2024 Program

"Summer STEM is an opportunity to try engineering for the first time or to dive deeper into engineering teamwork. Each 3- or 6-week class covers college-level topics and activities completed by The Cooper Union undergraduates in their first or second year or explores student and faculty research projects. This selective program encourages all curious, compassionate, and college-interested students to apply regardless of prior experience. Available classes include: Intro to Engineering, Sustainable Futures, Digital Electronics for the Inventor, Design and Drawing for Engineering, and Linear Algebra for Engineering Research."

Eligible: All students

Dates: July - August 2024 (Monday - Thursday, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM EST)

Location: The Cooper Union (41 Union Square, Manhattan)

Cost: \$1,950 - \$3,950 (Financial Aid Available)

Application Deadline: March 27

Links: https://cooper.edu/engineering/stem/summer

 $\underline{https://cooper.edu/engineering/summer-stem/frequently-asked-questions}$

Deadline Approaching: TryEngineering Summer Institute Program

"Innovative design challenges, along with exciting field trips, personalized instruction, weekend activities, and advice from industry guest speakers, make the TryEngineering Summer Institute a program like no other.

TESI gives students ages 13-17 the opportunity to explore a variety of engineering disciplines in a fun, hands-on way. The program is ideal for students who are considering a degree or career in engineering, as well as for those that are curious to learn more. Whether your teen is brand new to engineering, or has taken a few classes in school, every student will have fun tackling a variety of engineering design challenges while developing skills in engineering, communication, and consensus-building. The program is designed by IEEE STEM summer specialists specifically for our TryEngineering Summer Institute.

Scholarships offer financial assistance to students interested in attending the TryEngineering Summer Institute. Awards for 50% - 100% of the full tuition cost may be offered to accepted students."

Eligible: All students

Locations: University of Pennsylvania, Rice University, UC San Diego

Application Deadline: March 31

Cost: Free

Links: https://tryengineeringinstitute.ieee.org/summer-program/

https://tryengineeringinstitute.ieee.org/engineering-summer-camp-registration-details/scholarships/

Deadline Approaching: MIT Lincoln Laboratory (LL) Beaver Works Summer Institute Spring Class and Summer Program

"This is a dual program; – spring term self-paced online classes (open to all juniors, and some 9th and 10th graders may be accepted as well), followed by an in-person or virtual summer program at MIT, which is selective. The four-week program teaches students programming & engineering skills through project-based, workshop-style courses. Students must complete self-paced online courses over the spring semester if they wish to be considered for the summer program. (Students can still apply for the online courses after they are released on February 1st, but should apply as soon as possible.)"

Eligible: Preference to current juniors, but all students may apply

Dates: February 1 - June 16 (Spring Online Courses) & July 8 – August 4 (Summer Program)

Location: Spring Courses are virtual; the summer program is Virtual/and/or /In-Person at MIT

Cost: Free for those with family incomes under \$150,000; otherwise -\$1,750

Application Deadline: March 31 (both programs)

Links: https://beaverworks.ll.mit.edu/CMS/bw/bwsi

https://beaverworks.ll.mit.edu/CMS/bw/bwsiapply

https://beaverworks.ll.mit.edu/CMS/bw/FAQ

https://mit-bwsi.formstack.com/forms/bwsi_student_registration_onlinecourse_2024

Deadline Approaching: TryEngineering Summer Institute Program

"Innovative design challenges, along with exciting field trips, personalized instruction, weekend activities, and advice from industry guest speakers, make the TryEngineering Summer Institute a program like no other."

This scholarship that offers financial assistance to students interested in attending the TryEngineering Summer Institute. Awards for 50% - 100% of the full tuition cost are offered to accepted students.

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: March 31

Cost: Free

Link: https://tryengineeringinstitute.ieee.org/engineering-summer-camp-registration-details/scholarships/

For a list of helpful **STEM resources**, tutorials, and more, check this link: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1hOol9QIRvgFLqI2QLyoRUY6QHQgPMBqp/edit?usp=sharingwouid=115396606750532126369&rtpof=true&sd=true

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Medical/Life Sciences

For a list of some previously listed **Biomedical/Life Sciences** Opportunities, check this link:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1JN7guZiAlNlcouFkLlAtEM3v4csEIUSw/edit?usp=sharing &ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true

New: 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 sessions 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: March 18 (6:00pm–8:30pm) and **April 13** (10am – 12:30pm)

Location: Virtual

Application Deadlines: ASAP for 3/18 Event and April 3 for 4/13 event

Cost: Free

Links:

https://secure.perryinitiative.org/np/clients/perryinitiative/survey.jsp?forwardedFromSecureDomain=1&surveyId=86&ga=2.85094289.984531113.1710456659-

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https://perryinitiative.org/pve/

https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-virtual-experience-open-registration-24/

New: Columbia University SBI Synthetic Biology Workshop

"Each year, Columbia SBI hosts a free workshop series, in which students learn the critical techniques used within synthetic biology, the theoretical basis of these techniques and synthetic biology as a whole, along with the frontiers of current research in the field. This 4-week long workshop will begin with 3 lessons dedicated to an in-depth look at the fundamental biological processes important in synthetic

biology. Then, students will have the opportunity to delve deeper into the frontiers of synthetic biology research through specialty workshops on cutting edge genetic engineering and synthetic biology technology. The workshops will take place from 1-3pm every Sunday from 03/31/24 to 04/21/24 and will be held virtually via zoom. This application is due on Wednesday, March 27th, 2024 at 11:59pm. For any questions, please contact us at cu.syn.bio.initiative@gmail.com. The goal of these workshops is to afford students an in-depth look into the exciting areas of current synbio research, and prepare them with the tools to be able to design their own research projects in the future!"

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 31 - April 21 (Sundays, 1:00 - 3:00 PM)

Location: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 27 (11:59 PM)

Links: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeYBoTEnQFSiPce2c3iUbSpC-

wO5FP61DKNXlzg1g4YqbW3ig/viewform

https://columbiasbi.wixsite.com/cusbi/hsworkshops

New: Rosetta Institute of Biomedical Research Workshops

"The Rosetta Institute of Biomedical Research is entirely focused on creating highly regarded workshops for high-achieving high school students. Our instructors are PhD-level scientists who are actively engaged in medical research, and they expose students to cutting-edge molecular biology through engaging lectures, real-world labs, and independent projects. Our in-person workshops at various universities include AI-enhanced bioinformatics, Molecular Neuroscience, Bioinformatics of Cancer, Molecular Biology of Cancer, Molecular Immunology, Molecular Biology of Aging,

Astrobiology, Neurological Bioinformatics, and Biomedical Research. Our online workshops are separate concurrent sessions of Medicinal Chemistry, Medical Bioinformatics, and Introduction to Cellular and Molecular Medicine."

Eligible: All students

Dates: Various (June - August 2024)

Location: In-Person at UC Berkeley, UC San Diego, or Columbia University, And, at

Imperial College London, **OR** Virtual

Cost: \$430 - \$4,380

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis (Limited Spots)

Links: https://www.rosettainstitute.org/

https://www.rosettainstitute.org/biomedical-summer-camps/applyfinances/

Deadline Approaching: CDC Museum Disease Detective Camp

"The Centers for Disease Control Disease Detective Camp is a free one-week summer public health program. Students will learn the fundamentals of CDC's work: the field of public health and the science of epidemiology. The camp does not have a medical treatment focus. While we do briefly discuss the pathology of some diseases, most of the time is spent focused on the collection and analysis of data and the use of that data to improve people's health. The camp also covers the many different career options available within public health."

Eligible: All current sophomores and juniors who will by 16 by the start of camp

Dates: June 24 – 28 OR July 22 - 26

Location: CDC campus (Atlanta, Georgia)

Cost: Free (housing and transportation not provided)

Application Deadline: March 22

Links: https://www.cdc.gov/museum/camp/detective/

 $\underline{https://www.cdc.gov/museum/camp/detective/faq.htm}$

Deadline Approaching: Summer Scholar Visiting Program

"The Feinstein Medical Research Institute in Manhasset, Long Island offers the eight-week Summer Scholar Visiting Program for high school students. Participants must be 16 years old at the start of the program and follow the instructions for contacting participating Institute medical mentors – obtaining a Feinstein Institute mentor is a requirement."

Eligible: All students who are at least 16 years old

Dates: Summer 2024

Location: Manhasset, Long Island

Cost: Free (housing not provided)

Application Deadline: March 22

Link: https://feinstein.northwell.edu/education/summer-student-intern-program

Event Approaching: Health Professions Week Pediatrics Webinar

"In this webinar, you will hear from a panel of healthcare providers who work with children from different disciplines, such as pharmacy, physical therapy, dentistry, and more. They will share their insights and experiences on how to provide high-quality, patient-centered, and collaborative care for the pediatric population. You will also learn about some of the unique challenges and opportunities of working with children and their families, as well as the ethical and evidence-based principles that guide their practice. This webinar is a great opportunity to explore the diverse and rewarding careers in pediatric care and to interact with experts from various fields."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 27 (6:30pm)

Locations: Virtual

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: http://hpw.explorehealthcareers.org/pediatriccare324/inquiryform

Deadline Approaching:

Brookhaven National Laboratory High School Program (HSRP)

Brookhaven National Laboratory is holding a summer research program. 12th graders (juniors may also apply) with an interest in STEM subjects are encouraged to apply for their six-week summer program. Students are paired with Brookhaven scientists and participate in lab research. This is a commuter program – no residence provided. *Eligible:* Current 11th and 12th graders 16 and older (preference to 12th grade

students)

Dates: July 8 - August 16

Location: Virtual or on-site in Brookhaven, Long Island

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 27

Links: https://www.bnl.gov/education/programs/program.php?q=219

https://surveys.external.bnl.gov/TakeSurveyPage.aspx?s=13ccb4d0f706456f823a69e5e1a39631&tsid=af02f047c1fe492aaedb3049f5c22653&c=en-US

Deadline Approaching: Maimonides Medical Center Women in Science Program

"The program provides a unique opportunity for qualified female applicants to intern in the hospital under the guidance of an assigned physician and experience life as a surgeon. The program's objective is to inspire young women by providing a hands-on learning experience, during which the students will be paired with a mentor, who will provide one-on-one guidance to the students; be assigned their own research projects, leading to a presentation upon completion of the program; assist surgeons in an outpatient setting, learning more about direct patient experience; join surgeons in the

operating room to view firsthand the process of surgery; use the simulation equipment to "operate" on a patient; join resident-led lectures and discussions; read and discuss articles written by female surgeons and about female surgeons."

Eligible: Current juniors who identify as female

Dates: Summer 2024

Location: Maimonides Medical Center (4802 Tenth Avenue, Brooklyn)

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 28

Links: https://maimo.org/careers-and-volunteers/volunteer/

https://maimo.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/Women-in-Science-Program-Application-2024.pdf

Deadline Approaching:

The Scripps Translational Institute Student Research Internship Program

"SRTI offers a 10-week residential Student Research Internship Program for highly motivated high school, undergraduate, graduate, and professional students. Interns will work with and learn from a multi-disciplinary team of scientists, who include internationally-renowned investigators in the areas of genomics, bioinformatics, digital medicine, and community engagement. The primary aim of the internship program is to train and prepare students interested in health sciences, statistics, and computational/computer science to become future leaders in the realm of translational medical research."

Eligible: All students who will be at least 16 years old by the start of the internship

Dates: June 3 – August 9 OR June 17 – August 23 OR 10 weeks specified by student

Location: San Diego, California

Cost: TBD

Application Deadline: March 30

Links: https://www.scripps.edu/science-and-medicine/translational-

institute/education-and-training/student-research-internship/?tab-1-drawers=1

https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/7581264/Student-Research-Internship-2024-Application

Deadline Approaching:

Manhattan/Staten Island Summer Health Internship Program (SHIP)

SHIP invites students with an interest in the health professions to apply for a summer health internship program that allows students to interact with medical professionals.

The medical sites for this six-week program are in Manhattan and Staten Island.

Eligible: Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors (at least 16 years old) who live or

attend school in Manhattan or Staten Island

Dates: Summer

Locations: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 31

Links: https://msiahec.org/ship/

 $\underline{https://msiahec.org/ship-application/}$

Deadline Approaching:

Bronx/Westchester Summer Health Internship Program (SHIP)

SHIP invites students with an interest in the health professions to apply for a summer health internship program that allows students to interact with medical professionals.

The medical sites for this six-week program are in the Bronx and Westchester.

Eligible: Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors (at least 16 years old) who live or

attend school in the Bronx or Westchester.

Dates: Summer

Locations: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: March 31

Links: https://bwahec.org/our-programs/highschool/

https://bwahec.org/ship-application/

Perry Initiative Experience at the NYU Lamgone Medical Center

"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 sophomores and older students who identify as women or nonbinary

Date: Saturday, May 4

Location: NYU Langone Medical Center, Manhattan

Application Deadline: April 4 (limited capacity, seriously interested students should

apply soon)

Cost: Free

Links: https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-outreach-program-new-york-ny-nyu-2/

https://perryinitiative.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/NYC-NYU-050424-POP-Flyer.pdf

Hospital Volunteer Opportunities

Most NYC hospitals welcome high school student helpers. Age requirements and time commitments vary, so contact locations of interest for more specific information.

Eligible: Various – check individual sites

Dates: Various

Location: Various

Cost: Free

Application Deadlines: Rolling Basis

Links: http://www.nychealthandhospitals.org/volunteering/

- Hospital for Special Surgery (16 and older)
 http://www.hss.edu/volunteer-in-new-york-city.asp
- Mount Sinai Beth Israel Hospital: (15 and older)
 https://www.mountsinai.org/locations/beth-israel/about/volunteer
- Memorial-Sloan Kettering Hospital: (16 and older) (For Pediatrics & Caring Volunteers, must be 17 and older)
 - https://www.mskcc.org/about/get-involved/volunteering
- Mount Sinai Hospital (16 and older):
 https://www.mountsinai.org/locations/mount-sinai/about/volunteer/patient
- Flushing Hospital (16 & over):
 https://flushinghospital.org/volunteer-information/
- NYU/Langone Medical Center (Manhattan -16 and older)
 http://nyulangone.org/volunteer
 https://langone.vsyslive.com/pages/app/LANGONE
- New York Presbyterian Hospital (16 and over)
 https://www.nyp.org/volunteer/summer-volunteering
 https://www.nyp.org/volunteer/becoming-a-volunteer

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Theater/Writing/Music/Video:

For a list of some writing programs, check this link:

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New: Event Approaching: Publishing a Digital Book 3- Night Seminar/Contest

"Yes, I Am An Author": Publishing A Digital Book: Sign up to receive the Zoom link

The content is delivered over three (3) 90-minute online seminars at 6pm EST on Tuesday, March 19, Wednesday, March 20 and Thursday, March 21. Daily prize giveaways in the form of \$50 Amazon gift cards and a grand prize of a PS 5 and Oculus VR will maintain a high level of student engagement. Thursday, April 11 at 6pm EST is the date for the virtual Book Launch Party with special guests and prizes."

Eligible: All students

Dates: March 19 -21 (6:00-7:30pm)

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: ASAP

Cost: Free

Links: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfnca4-p1F 4C-

PDYhYTgcV8eQp9O8JaZgjvtKb3W62JqpYCw/viewform?mc_cid=567872d4b9&mc_eid=6e24a7402d&pli=1

New: Deadline Approaching: NYC Public School Film Festival

"The 6th Annual NYC Public School Film Festival is open to all NYC Public School middle and high school students. All entries must be five minutes or less, in the categories of Animation, Documentary, Experimental, or Short Feature/Narrative.

Each selected film may appear on the City's television network, NYC Media, and the NYC Media Website."

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: March 25

Cost: Free

Link: https://filmfreeway.com/NYCPublicSchoolFilmFestival

New: Octavia Project Summer Program: Science Fiction/Fantasy Workshops

"ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ANIME/MANGA AND FANTASY CULTURE? DO YOU WRITE SCIENCE FICTION OR LOVE TO DRAW? WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN NEW CODING SKILLS? THEN JOIN THE OCTAVIA PROJECT!

The Octavia Project Summer Institute is a free five-week-long program for people who are into science fiction/fantasy and interested in workshops that combine art, writing, science, and tech. Participants will create an online multimedia portfolio; strengthen skills in digital-media, art, and writing; and have access to a network of professional women and opportunities for fellowships and other leadership positions. Metrocards will be provided."

Eligible: Students who identify as female, trans, nonbinary, or non-conforming and are 14 - 18 years old

Dates: July 15 – August 15, Mondays – Thursdays

Location: Pratt Institute in Fort Greene, Brooklyn

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: April 8

Link: https://www.octaviaproject.org/join-the-octavia-project-summer-institute/

New: #USvsHATE Anti-Hate Messaging Contest

"#USvsHate is about inviting student-made public messages insisting that we value all participants in our diverse schools and society. Our lesson offerings, partner book

lists, and PD resources support dialogue about respect, invite deeper exploration of biases and injustices, and lay the foundation for embracing inclusion and justice for all."

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: April 5

Links: https://usvshate.org/

https://usvshate.org/getting-started/

New: Think for Yourself Essay Contest

"Applicants are required to write a 600–800-word essay on one of five prompts. Four winners will receive Scholarship Prizes. One winner will receive \$5,000 and three winners will receive a Scholarship Prize in the amount up to \$1,000."

Eligible: All students who are at least 15 years old

Application Deadline: April 30

Link: https://letgrow.org/program/think-for-yourself-scholarship-2/

Updated: DIGIVATIONS Summer Camp & Academies @ Cornell University and other locations

"Innovation and Literary Summer Camps & Pre-Collegiate Academies, with available programs like: Harry Potter, Half-blood, Fandom & Model UN Institute,

Eligible: All students

Dates: June 27 – August 18 (Various)

Cost: Various

Location: Various (Cornell University, UCLA, Sao Paulo)

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Link: https://www.harrypottercamps.org/index.html

Program Start Dates Approaching: Uptown Stories Writing Workshops

"Let's shake off the cold and get ready for spring! Embrace the opportunity to take your writing to new heights and check out our Spring Workshop offerings on our website. All our workshops are Pay-What-You-Can for every family—no exceptions, no proof of income needed. All you need to do is register before our workshops fill up!"

Eligible: All students (various ages for each class)

Dates: Various starting in March

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

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Optional

Link: https://www.uptownstories.org/workshops

Program Ongoing: Voices of Queens Teen Radio Podcast

"The Voices of Queens Teen Radio Podcast, a podcast station run by teens, for teens, is part of Queens Public Library's Podcast Programs. You will learn how to produce your own podcasts and social media content, pick up new presentation, audio recording and editing skills, all while learning what makes a podcast fun and entertaining. Completion of this course gives you access to scholarship opportunities, enhances your resume, and can even get you started on the road to a rewarding career. The first 15 participants to complete the program's requirements will receive a special prize related to podcasting. Past prizes have included Samsung tablets and Beats headphones!"

Eligible: All students

Dates: February 1 – June 21 (Mon/Tue/Wed/Thurs 3 – 6 pm)

Location: Central Library: 89-11 Merrick Boulevard, Queens

Application Deadline: Rolling Basis

Cost: Free

Links: https://www.queenslibrary.org/programs-activities/teens/other-

programs/podcast-workshop

http://qlmarketing.typeform.com/to/szSPIj

Deadline Approaching: The Apprentice Writer

The Apprentice Writer is a national literary magazine for high school writers, and it

welcomes student submissions of prose, poetry, graphic fiction, and photography.

Authors of selected entries could win prizes of up to \$200.

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: March 22

Links: http://www.apprenticewriter.com/

https://www.apprenticewriter.com/submission-guidelines/

Deadline Approaching: Ned Vizzini Teen Writing Contest

"Student writers in New York City are invited to enter the Brooklyn Public Library's

Teen Writing Contest. Entries will be accepted in two categories: Poetry (up to 500)

words) and Prose (up to 2,500 words). Submissions will be judged by a panel of

BPL's expert young adult librarians for creativity, style and voice and winners will

receive the Ned Vizzini Teen Writing Prize with cash awards (\$500; \$250), have their

pieces published in the Teen Writing Journal distributed by the Library and be

honored at a celebration in June."

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: March 31

Link: https://www.bklynlibrary.org/teen-writing-contest

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Contests & Competitions:

New: Deadline Approaching: Personal Finance Video Contest

All students may submit a short (45 seconds - two minutes) video on personal finance topics (check link for examples) – the top prize is \$2,500.

Eligible: All students

Location: Virtual

Application Deadline: March 25

Links: https://wisenyorg-my.sharepoint.com/personal/intern_wise-

ny org/ layouts/15/onedrive.aspx?id=%2Fpersonal%2Fintern%5Fwise%2Dny%5Forg%2FDocuments%2FAttachments %2FFinancial%20Literacy%20Video%20Contest%20%282%29%2Epng&parent=%2Fpersonal%2Fintern%5Fwise%2Dny%5Forg%2FDocuments%2FAttachments&ga=1

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New: Judge Richard L. Price Essay Contest

"The New York County Lawyers Association is pleased to announce its annual Hon.

Richard L. Price New York City Public High School Essay Contest. We invite

students to submit essays on the following topic: "Does the government banning of

books violate the First Amendment of the US Constitution?" Explain fully. Committee

members will review the essays and select the winners who will receive prizes of \$750

for first place, \$500 for second place, \$400 for third place, \$300 for fourth place, and

\$150 each for fifth to tenth places. An awards ceremony will be held in the spring of

2024 at NYCLA."

Eligible: All students

Cost: Free

Application Deadline: April 5

Links: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dDRVfnp6eN-csGAT8GSWfylr-

VOXEX2T/view?usp=sharing

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1u7JAvK9yKD4iFfnzW8JqS-DCCxNkSCLL/view?usp=sharing

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Link: https://www.bklynlibrary.org/teen-writing-contest

National Peace Essay

The National Peace Essay offers a \$2,500 top prize for high school essayists. This year's essay topic focuses on describing how the United States Foreign Service was successful or unsuccessful in advancing American foreign policy goals – including promoting peace in a certain country/region and proposing ways in which it might to continue to improve those goals in the coming years. Essays must be at least 1,000 words long.

Eligible: All students

Application Deadline: April 1

Links: https://afsa.org/essay-contest

https://afsascholarships.communityforce.com/

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Opportunity Lists and Resources:

Click on the link below for a list of helpful lists and guides to a wide variety of programs and other opportunities:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1tsBE5hPg9NqZ-

mU2FwEVScTpkLpJkQeA/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=115396606750532126369&rtpof=true&sd=true

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Scholarships:

Stuyvesant Alumni Association Scholarships

The Stuyvesant Alumni Association awards more than 40 scholarships totaling more than \$100,000. These scholarships are available only to Stuyvesant seniors. (There is one scholarship available to juniors, The Carol and Theodore Lerner Award for Creativity).

Some answers to common questions on the FAFSA/providing financial information:

- If the students have already provided their colleges with the CSS Profile, they can submit that form in lieu of the FAFSA, but only if they did not submit a FAFSA.
- If the student never filed either the CSS or FAFSA because they are not a citizen or legal permanent resident, they should be sure to state it's because they are not a citizen or legal permanent resident in the "Financial aid information" question on the application. All information submitted by the students in their application is kept to the strictest confidentiality. All of the staff and any scholarship committee members, as well as any other additional parties who read the scholarship applications, must sign and adhere to a confidentiality agreement.
- Students must provide the financial information listed in the checklist in some form, even if they submit a one-page doc with all of it listed out.

If you have any questions, please email <u>alumni@shsaa.org</u>.

Eligible: All Seniors (one scholarship is available to juniors)

Application Deadline: <u>April 26</u> (9:00 PM EST)

Link: https://www.stuyalumni.org/scholarships-spring-2024/

General List of Available Scholarships via Fastweb

https://www.fastweb.com/college-scholarships/articles/scholarships-for-high-school-seniors

Deadline Approaching: Islamic Scholarship Fund

"Students who are Muslim or active members of the Muslim community may apply for the Islamic Scholarship Fund. The ISF awards multiple scholarships each year ranging from \$3,000 - \$10,000, though the amounts and number of recipients will vary. Students must submit applications including essay questions, work samples, and letters of recommendation, and must also be majoring in an ISF-supported field related to media or politics."

Eligible: All students who identify as Muslim

Application Deadline: March 21

Links: https://islamicscholarshipfund.org/

https://islamicscholarshipfund.submittable.com/submit

Deadline Approaching: Shui Kuen and Allen Chin Scholarship

The Asia Pacific Fund offers two one-time \$1,000 scholarships established in honor of Shui Kuen and Allen Chin.

Eligible: All students who have worked in an Asian restaurant or whose parents have done so

Application Deadline: March 29

Links: <a href="https://asianpacificfund.org/what-we-do/scholarships/apply-for-do/scholarships

scholarship/#chin

Deadline Approaching: The Brandon Hendricks Scholarship

"The fifth annual Brandon Hendricks Scholarship applications are now open! This scholarship aims to honor the memory of Brandon Hendricks, a remarkable young man whose life was tragically cut short by senseless gun violence. We are offering two scholarships of \$20,000 each to support college-bound Bronx high school seniors over a four-year period. The application process requires candidates to submit written statements reflecting on Brandon's life and outlining their aspirations to contribute to the betterment of the Bronx through their education."

Eligible: College-bound seniors who live in the Bronx

Application Deadline: March 31

Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PY32GTH

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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/l/blhighschool2.htm http://jobsearch.about.com/od/resumetemplates/a/templatehs.htm

Working Papers: Some summer jobs, internships, and programs do require students 14-17 years old to obtain working papers (official name: employment certificates). The necessary application form may be obtained from Mr. Myles Sebastien (who can explain the procedure and answer any questions) in the Stuyvesant Guidance Office (Room 236) between 8:00am – 3:30pm. Check the BUSINESS category for a link with more information.

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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.