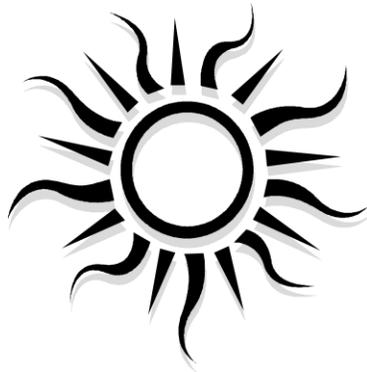


# Summer Programs

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# Summer Enrichment Programs

## MXGlobal Recommended Programs

### **Felsted International Summer School**

<http://www.felsted.org/SummerSeniorCampus>

The Felsted School in Felsted, England offers a summer program that gives students a taste of British boarding school life with a focus on Global Studies through stimulating lessons, fun activities and cultural experiences.

### **St. Mark's Global Citizenship Institute**

<http://www.stmarksschool.org/gci>

St. Mark's School and Salzburg Global Seminar Faculty join together for a week of intensive exploration of what it means to be a global citizen in a globalized, interconnected 21st Century world. Participants will hear leaders in the field talk about the issues related to Global Citizenship and will participate in numerous small group discussions focusing on the themes of Global Citizenship.

## Art/Music/Writing/Journalism Programs

### **American University – School of Communications**

[www.audiscover.org](http://www.audiscover.org)

Discover the world of communications in professional, hands-on summer workshops. A wide range of courses are offered in the areas of Film Video and Photography, Writing, Journalism & Broadcasting, and Communication.

### **Berklee College of Music**

[www.berklee.edu/summer/](http://www.berklee.edu/summer/)

Berklee offers five- to twelve-week programs that focus on performance, music theory, recording sessions, song writing, and specific instruments.

### **Boston University Visual Arts Summer Institute, Summer Theatre Institute and Media Production**

<https://www.bu.edu/mysummer/arts/visual-arts-summer-institute/>

<https://www.bu.edu/mysummer/arts/summer-theatre-institute/>

<https://www.bu.edu/mysummer/arts/academy-of-media-production/>

BU offers an intensive four-week visual art program designed to help students build their art portfolios for the college process. BU's Summer Theatre Institute is a five-week conservatory experience for highly motivated high school theatre artists. The College of Communication also offers a summer workshop for students interested in the many aspects of media production.

### **Creative Writing Program at St. Andrews University (Scotland)**

<https://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/subjects/non-degree-courses/summer-courses/academic-experience/creative-writing/>

### **Cow House Studios Summer Art Programs**

<https://cowhousestudios.com/summer-art-programs/>

Located in Wexford, Ireland, this 25-day program focuses on drawing, painting, photography and new media through guided classes and studio practice.

### **Denison University: The Jonathan R. Reynolds Young Writers Workshop**

<https://reynolds.denison.edu/>

The Reynolds Young Writers Workshop at Denison is an energizing 8-day program for motivated high school students (rising juniors and seniors) who love to write.

### **Duke TIP Summer Studies**

<https://tip.duke.edu/programs/field-studies/courses>

Programs offered in Creative Writing at Ghost Ranch, New Mexico and Filmmaking at Duke University.

### **Emerson College Pre-College Program**

<http://www.emerson.edu/academics/pre-college>

One-, three- and five-week programs are offered in Filmmaking, Studio Television, Theater, Stage Design, and Creative Writing and Journalism.

### **Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising Summer Programs**

<http://fidm.edu/en/calendar/summer+programs/>

Ranging from a nine-day immersive program to a three-day workshop, high schoolers have a chance to experience what it's like to be FIDM student and develop a greater understanding of the fashion and design industry.

### **Gettysburg College Young Writers Workshop**

<http://www.gettysburg.edu/academics/english/writing-camp/index.dot>

This program gives students an in-depth introduction to all four genres of creative writing: fiction, poetry, nonfiction and writing for the stage and screen.

### **Interlochen Center for the Arts**

<http://camp.interlochen.org/>

Each summer, young artists from around the world gather to learn, create and perform alongside leading artists and instructors.

### **Interplay Jazz Camp**

<http://interplayjazzandarts.org/interplay-jazz-arts-summer-intensive/>

A week-long holistic jazz workshop that integrates meditation, yoga and natural foods to enhance creativity and support a relaxed approach to practicing and performing.

### **Jazz in July: Summer Music Program at UMass Amherst**

<http://www.umass.edu/fac/jazz/info/>

Over thirty years of jazz instruction connecting innovation, education, and inspiration.

### **The Juilliard School Pre-College Summer Programs**

<https://www.juilliard.edu/juilliard-all/summer-programs>

Applications are reviewed in early January and some programs require auditions. Juilliard offers a full range of opportunities in theatre, music, dance, and vocal studies.

### **Kenyon College Review Young Writers Summer Program**

<http://www.kenyonreview.org/workshops/young-writers/>

Young Writers is an intensive two-week workshop for intellectually curious, motivated high-school students who value writing.

### **School of the Museum of Fine Arts: Pre-College Summer Studio**

<http://summer.tufts.edu/study-studio-art.asp>

Join a community of working artists and be immersed in thinking, creating and making. While maintaining a focus on developing a unique artistic vision, take classes in the foundations of drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpture and installation.

### **New York Film Academy**

<https://www.nyfa.edu/summer-camps/teens/>

In locations throughout the world, high school students can hone their skills in film, acting, screenwriting, game design and more.

### **The New York Times Academy**

<https://nytedu.com/pre-college/summer-academy/nyc/>

Two and four-week programs bring students to New York City to study topics ranging from journalism, media, technology, arts, culture, sports, fashion, business, science and more. Students are taught by Times journalists and industry experts.

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

<http://nhsi.northwestern.edu/>

Approximately 400 students will enroll in the Institute's 3 Divisions: Debate, Film & Video Production, and Theatre Arts. Students in the Institute are affectionately called Cherubs, a tradition that began in the 1930s with the founder of the Institute, Dean Ralph Dennis.

### **Rhode Island School of Design**

<http://precollege.risd.edu/>

The Pre-College summer program in the visual and liberal arts is a six-week, college-level curriculum with day-long studio classes, critiques and final projects.

### **Savannah College of Art and Design Summer Seminars**

<https://www.scad.edu/academics/pre-college-summer-programs/scad-summer-seminars>

Intended for rising high school seniors, students deepen their understanding of art and design while engaging in their creative vision.

### **Sewanee Young Writer's Conference**

<http://www.sewanee.edu/sywc/about/>

Two-week workshops for serious high school writers in playwriting, fiction, poetry and literary nonfiction are led by writers of significant accomplishment and promise.

### **Skidmore Summer Studio Art Program**

<https://www.skidmore.edu/precollege/about/studioart.php>

Exceptional studio art courses, workshops, lectures, and special events combine to create a veritable hothouse of creative energy and artistic production.

### **Tisch School of the Arts**

<http://tisch.nyu.edu/special-programs/high-school-programs>

Tisch programs for high school students are a way to develop talents and explore the possibilities of a career in the arts.

### **Vassar College Powerhouse Summer Theatre Program**

<https://powerhouse.vassar.edu/apprentices/>

The Powerhouse Theater Training Program is the result of a unique collaboration between Vassar College and New York Stage and Film, an established professional theater company. Participants choose a discipline (acting, directing, or writing) and then work alongside some of the country's leading and emerging theater practitioners for five weeks, observing and participating in the process through which new works are brought to life.

### **Washington University, St. Louis Architecture, Art & Design Pre-College Programs**

<https://samfoxschool.wustl.edu/precollege>

Students have a chance to explore college level courses in topics such as architectural drawing, studio art and fashion design.

### **Yale Daily News Summer Journalism Program**

<http://yaledailynews.com/about-us/sjp/>

Yale's undergraduate newspaper offers a seven-day summer internship program for aspiring journalists.

## **Business Programs**

### **Babson Entrepreneurial Development Experience**

<http://www.babson.edu/admission/visiting-students/high-school/Pages/entrepreneurial-development-experience.aspx>

Develop your skills as a passionate, self-motivated entrepreneur within a close-knit driven community, during this four-week, on-campus course.

### **Barnard College Athena Summer Innovation Institute**

<https://barnard.edu/precollegeprograms/summer-programs/athena-summer-innovation-institute>

Students will take courses and work in groups as they develop their own ventures, build public speaking skills and ultimately pitch their ideas to mentors, staff, judges, and fellow students.

### **Bentley University Wall Street 101**

<http://www.bentley.edu/centers/trading-room/wall-street-101>

A five-day, non-residential program for students to learn about the financial industry and other business fields.

### **Boston University**

<http://www.bu.edu/summer/high-school-programs/summer-challenge/seminars.shtml#business>

Explore fundamental business principles and how they are applied in today's marketplace. Learn what a business plan is and the importance of developing one to effectively market and finance any new venture. Students work in groups to develop their product ideas.

### **University of California, Berkeley Business Academy for Youth**

<https://haas.berkeley.edu/businessacademy/>

A two-week introduction to the disciplines and skills that make business work. Students gain hands-on learning experience in Entrepreneurship or Case Study/Critical Thinking.

### **Cornell University Summer College**

<https://www.sce.cornell.edu/sc/>

Programs offered in business, hotel management and leadership.

### **George Washington University Business Pre-College Courses**

<http://summer.gwu.edu/business>

Students investigate management disciplines such as leadership, marketing, innovation, finance and strategy within a variety of business contexts, from technology start-ups to well-established multinational corporations and non-governmental organizations.

### **Georgetown University Business Academy**

<https://summer.georgetown.edu/institutes-and-immersions>

Dig into a single subject through an experiential, hands-on course that integrates field trips and guest speakers with discussion sections and collaborative work during this 3 week program. Students can expect to amass a wealth of knowledge and college experience in a short amount of time.

### **Lehigh University Pennsylvania School for Global Entrepreneurship**

<https://global.lehigh.edu/iacocca-institute/high-school>

PSGE was developed to inspire the spirit of entrepreneurship, and expose students to the creative processes, cultural understanding, and effective business practices of tomorrow leaders.

### **MIT LaunchX**

<https://launchx.com/summer-program/>

Program focused on foundations of entrepreneurship, idea development and teaming, Disciplined Entrepreneurship, and professional skills development.

### **University of Pennsylvania-Wharton Pre College Business Programs**

<https://www.wharton.upenn.edu/pre-college-programs/>

Summer programs for high school students that provide an opportunity to develop leadership skills and explore an interest in business.

### **USC Summer Business Programs**

<https://summerprograms.usc.edu/programs/4-week/>

Four-week courses are offered, including Exploring Entrepreneurship and Introduction to Business.

### **Stanford University Summer Institutes in Business**

<https://summerinstitutes.spcs.stanford.edu/>

Three-week course in Business and Strategic Marketing offers an intensive introduction to core business disciplines, addressing a wide range of topics including business fundamentals, marketing and communication.

## **Summerfuel Social Entrepreneurship**

<http://www.summerfuel.com/>

Programs offered on the Columbia University and Stanford campuses which challenge high school students to become the next generation of business innovators and find creative solutions to key social issues in their communities and around the globe.

## **Community Service Programs**

### **Community Harvest Project**

<http://www.community-harvest.org/>

A non-profit farm that engages volunteers to grow fresh fruit and vegetables to provide to those experiencing hunger.

### **Community Servings**

<https://www.servings.org>

A not-for-profit food and nutrition program providing services throughout Massachusetts to individuals and families living with critical and chronic illnesses.

### **Cradles to Crayons**

<https://www.cradlestocrayons.org/>

Cradles to Crayons provides children from birth to age 12, living in low-income and homeless situations, with the essential items they need to thrive at home, school and play.

### **Drumlin Farms**

<https://www.massaudubon.org/get-outdoors/wildlife-sanctuaries/drumlin-farm>

Drumlin Farm offers a variety of volunteer opportunities and internships for people of all interests and experience levels. Volunteers are valued members of the Mass Audubon team and provide an important link to the local communities.

### **Fenway Health LGBT Helpline**

<http://fenwayhealth.org/give/get-involved/>

A community assistance hotline to aid the LGBT community of greater Boston.

### **The Food Project**

<http://thefoodproject.org/volunteer>

Social change through sustainable agriculture.

### **Habitat for Humanity**

[www.lowellhabitat.org](http://www.lowellhabitat.org)

Since 1976, Habitat for Humanity has helped 6.8 million people find strength, stability and independence through safe, decent and affordable shelter. 1.8 million people have been helped through home construction/rehab/repairs.

### **Merrimack Valley Food Bank (MVFB)**

<http://mvfb.org>

MVFB transports, stores and distributes food to disadvantaged members of the greater Lowell community.

### **Mill City Grows**

<http://www.millcitygrows.org/>

An urban farm, located in Lowell, MA, with a mission is to increase community access to healthy, fresh food through the development of urban food production and distribution networks.

### **Rosie's Place**

<http://www.rosiesplace.org/volunteer>

A women's shelter with the mission to provide a safe and nurturing environment that helps poor and homeless women maintain their dignity, seek opportunity and find security in their lives.

### **SquashBusters**

<http://squashbusters.org/>

SquashBusters is a sports-based youth development program whose mission is to challenge and nurture urban youth – as students, athletes and citizens – so they recognize and fulfill their fullest potential in life.

## **Debate Programs**

### **Cornell University International Summer Debate Camp**

<http://summerdebatecamp.cornell.edu/>

Students learn and advance their argumentative, debating and public speaking skills.

### **Dartmouth Debate Workshop and Institute**

<http://ddidebate.org/>

The Dartmouth Forensic Union offers several premier debate programs, serving the needs of the young and advanced debaters.

### **Harvard Debate Council Summer Workshops**

<http://hdcsw.org/>

The Harvard Debate Council offers instruction in tradition and contemporary debate styles, using cutting edge technology to expand research methodologies.

### **University of Michigan Debate Institute**

[www.michigandebate.com](http://www.michigandebate.com)

Since 1985, Michigan Debate Institutes have offered a strong faculty, innovative curriculum design and the tremendous resources of the University of Michigan to thousands of students from all 50 states, representing over one thousand high schools. Graduates have experienced great competitive success.

## **Secondary School/College/University Summer School Programs**

### **American University – School of International Community of Scholars**

[www.american.edu/sis/communityofscholars](http://www.american.edu/sis/communityofscholars)

The program offers the opportunity to study international relations in Washington, DC with other students passionate about creating meaningful change in the world.

### **Barnard College Summer Program**

<http://barnard.edu/precollege>

The program provides an opportunity for rising juniors and seniors to experience the challenges and rewards of college life against the exciting backdrop of New York City.

### **Boston College Experience**

<https://www.bc.edu/bc-web/sites/bc-experience.html>

Students have the opportunity to live and learn as students at Boston College and to participate in courses, service learning activities, cultural and social outings.

### **Boston University Summer School**

<http://www.bu.edu/summer/high-school-programs/index.shtml>

The program offers challenging summer programs for high school students at Boston University Summer Term. With five programs to choose from, you can earn college credit, discover a new subject area, perform cutting-edge research in university labs, or immerse yourself in hands-on learning.

### **Brown University Summer School**

<https://precollege.brown.edu/>

The program for high school students provides opportunities to participate actively in and out of class, grow as a learner and a person in an Ivy League environment, enjoy extracurricular activities and trips, and become a member of this dynamic campus.

### **Carnegie Mellon University**

<http://admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/pre-college/>

CMU offers courses in AP classes, architecture, art, design, drama, and music, as well as the National Game Academy.

### **Choate Rosemary Hall Summer Programs**

<https://www.choate.edu/summer>

They offer a 5-week Academic Enrichment Program for high school students, as well as 4-, 2-, and 1-week signature programs. Programs range from writing and theater arts to athletics and study abroad.

### **University of Chicago**

<https://summer.uchicago.edu/high-school>

Whether you are intrigued by languages, law, or the latest laboratory techniques, U. Chicago offers an exciting array of one-of-a-kind learning experiences.

### **Colorado College Pre-College Summer Program**

<https://coloradocollege.edu/offices/summersession/pre-college>

The summer program offers a variety of classes and summer experiences for rising high school juniors and seniors, introducing students to the college's unique Block Plan.

### **Columbia University High School Programs**

<http://sps.columbia.edu/high-school>

Study with distinguished instructors, exchange ideas with intellectually curious peers, and be inspired. Noncredit courses in law, politics, business, engineering, arts, sciences and more. Programs available in NYC and Barcelona.

### **Cornell University Summer College**

<https://www.sce.cornell.edu/sc/index.php>

A comprehensive academic summer program for high school sophomores, juniors and seniors.

### **Duke University**

<https://summersession.duke.edu/high-school-students/summer-college-for-high-school-students>

A challenging experience for academically talented and motivated students, Duke offers a range of activities outside of class, including student government, drama, intramural sports, and community service.

### **Georgetown University Summer Program**

<https://summer.georgetown.edu/>

Ranging in length from one to five weeks, their programs span a wide range of subjects, covering everything from forensic science and politics to creative writing and digital design.

### **George Washington University Summer Program**

<https://summer.gwu.edu/precollege>

High school students in the Pre-College Program spend a summer in Washington, D.C., taking advantage of GW's expertise in global development, international relations, public policy and administration, politics, diplomacy, history, biomedical engineering, museum studies and the arts.

### **Gettysburg College Civil War Institute Summer Conference**

<http://www.gettysburg.edu/cwi/>

The High School Student Scholarship component of this program provides students an opportunity to explore the history of the Civil War era on the site of the war's most decisive battle.

### **Harvard Summer School**

<https://www.summer.harvard.edu/high-school-programs>

Students can choose from either a Pre-College program, which is a two-week residential program, featuring non-credit courses or their Secondary School program, which features college courses for credit, in a seven-week program.

### **Johns Hopkins University**

<https://summerprograms.jhu.edu/programs-and-courses/pre-college-students/>

Students can choose from a two-week, non-credit program focusing on medicine, psychology and the sciences; a two-week, for-credit mini-term, featuring interdisciplinary approaches to medicine, sciences, technology, and the humanities; or a five-week summer term program offering qualified students the opportunity to take freshman- and sophomore-level credit classes in arts and sciences and engineering.

### **Northwestern University College Prep Program**

<https://sps.northwestern.edu/college-preparation/>

High school sophomores and juniors enroll in undergraduate courses for college credit, or a two-week IN FOCUS seminar in a special topic area.

### **University of Pennsylvania Pre-College Program**

<http://www.sas.upenn.edu/summer/programs/high-school/pre-college>

The Pre-College Program is designed for academically curious high school students interested in the intellectual challenge and residential freedom of a true undergraduate experience. Pre-College students reside in campus dorms and enroll in summer courses alongside Penn undergraduates.

### **Phillips Academy – Andover**

<https://www.andover.edu/summer>

Fostering a passion for lifelong learning, the Summer Session combines a full-boarding, pre-college experience with small classes in a multicultural community with innovative pedagogy complementing traditional areas over a five-week period.

### **Phillips Exeter Academy**

<https://www.exeter.edu/exeter-summer>

A residential program for motivated, rising 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> graders. More than 90 courses offerings where the focus is on “learning for learning’s sake.”

### **Skidmore College Pre-College Program in the Liberal Arts**

<https://www.skidmore.edu/precollege/>

Skidmore’s innovative summer curriculum allows students to take two liberal arts courses, two studio art courses, or one of each.

### **University of Southern California Summer Programs**

<http://summerprograms.usc.edu/>

USC offers one- and four-week courses in a variety of subjects through a college immersion experience.

### **Stanford University Summer School**

<https://summer.stanford.edu/program/high-school-high-school-summer-college>

Choose from more than 145 courses offered by 30 departments within the schools of Humanities and Sciences, Earth Sciences, and Engineering. Summer courses feature a smaller class size, accessible instructors, and a diverse student body with students from over 30 different countries.

### **Tufts University Summer Study**

<http://summer.tufts.edu/>

Open only to students who can commute to Tufts, this program allows motivated high school students to enroll in up to 2 Tufts Undergraduate courses or college-level courses designed specifically for high school students.

### **Vanderbilt Summer Academy for Talented Youth**

<https://pty.vanderbilt.edu/>

Students in this enriching residential program get a taste of life on a college campus in one-, two- or three-week sessions. They engage in accelerated coursework taught by Vanderbilt faculty and scholars while living in a vibrant social community of intellectual peers.

### **Summer at Smith College**

<https://www.smith.edu/academics/precollege-programs>

The pre-college programs offer intellectually stimulating and unique opportunities for high school women, in a variety of different fields from science and engineering to writing and history.

### **Wellesley College Summer School**

<https://www.wellesley.edu/summer/summerprograms/immersive>

Wellesley offers a four-week, residential, Pre-College Immersive Program, as well as one- and two-week Pre-College Exploratory Workshops.

### **Wesleyan University PreCollege Study**

<http://www.wesleyan.edu/summer/precollege/>

PreCollege Study offers a month-long residential immersion program that includes college credit courses, for college-bound high school students eager to gain an academic edge. Commuting high school students are also encouraged to apply.

### **Yale University Pre-College Programs**

<https://summer.yale.edu/pre-college-students-0>

Students explore the breadth of a liberal arts education and pre-professional curriculum.

### **Yale University Young Global Scholars Program**

<https://globalscholars.yale.edu/>

A highly selective, two-week academic and leadership program, drawing together a diverse group of high school students from all 50 states and 120 countries.

## **International Programs**

### **Adventure Ireland**

[www.adventure-ireland.com](http://www.adventure-ireland.com)

Adventure Ireland offers an authentic cultural experience in Ireland for American students.

### **American University of Paris**

<https://www.aup.edu/academics/summer>

The American University of Paris mounts the largest and most varied offering of English-language summer courses in France and in Europe, in addition to an intensive French Immersion program.

### **Campus Oxford**

<https://campusoxford.com/>

The Advanced Studies Program is one of the longest-established academic and cultural summer programs for high school students. It offers a wide choice of stimulating study courses; the small seminar group and one-on-one tutorial teaching method enables students to develop as confident, decisive and independent learners.

### **Center for International Studies**

[www.cisabroad.com](http://www.cisabroad.com)

Assists in finding educational opportunities for students across the globe.

### **CIAO! (Center for International Architecture Overseas)**

<https://ciaocfsu.org/>

Rome is the perfect living laboratory to introduce students to the built environment from a holistic and sustainability perspective. This immersion gives future designers and builders the understanding of sustainable development.

### **Knowledge Exchange Institute (KEI)**

[www.keiabroad.org](http://www.keiabroad.org)

KEI offers international summer enrichment programs around the world through classes, internships, field trips, cultural activities, and research opportunities.

### **Leysin American School in Switzerland**

[www.las.ch/summer](http://www.las.ch/summer)

LAS Summer allows students to create a program that is tailored to their personal interests and aspirations. Students are invited to select from one of three morning programs: the Language program, Academic program, or Sports program.

### **Middlebury Interactive Languages Summer Academies**

<https://www.middleburyinteractive.com/summer-language-academy>

The Academy offers a rigorous four-week language immersion experience for rising 8th grade through graduated 12th graders who are passionate about language proficiency and cultural understanding.

### **New York Times Student Journeys**

<https://www.nytimes.com/times-journeys/students/>

Students visit destinations the *Times* has covered and, through hands-on experiences with *New York Times* experts, explore topics of their choosing, ranging from immigration, technology, international relations and more.

### **Oxbridge Academic Programs**

[www.oxbridgeprograms.com](http://www.oxbridgeprograms.com)

Over 70 innovative, challenging courses for students in Oxford, Cambridge, Barcelona, Paris and several other locations.

### **Project Abroad**

[www.projects-abroad.org](http://www.projects-abroad.org)

Multiple opportunities for overseas volunteer projects and international internships.

### **Putney Student Travel**

[www.goputney.com](http://www.goputney.com)

Since 1951 Putney has been the standard for travel programs for high school students, delivering active, educational, safe, and fun programs around the world.

### **University of St. Andrews Scottish Studies Summer Program**

<https://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/study/non-degree/summer/programmes/>

Sample student life at the University of St. Andrews. Come and learn about Scottish History, Literature, Archaeology, Art and Music, under the direction of full professors, in a university environment.

### **School for Field Studies**

[www.fieldstudies.org](http://www.fieldstudies.org)

SFS sends high school seniors to internationally-based field stations to take on a rigorous course of experimental, field based study.

### **School Year Abroad (SYA)**

[www.sya.org](http://www.sya.org)

An academic program for high school students who want to study overseas.

### **Service Learning in Paris**

[http://www.studyabroad.com/programs/service\\_learning\\_in\\_paris.aspx](http://www.studyabroad.com/programs/service_learning_in_paris.aspx)

Offers culture immersion through community service and study in France.

### **The Sol Education Abroad Experience**

[www.soleducation.com](http://www.soleducation.com)

With Sol Education Abroad, you will achieve a genuine cultural immersion through housing with carefully selected local host families, first-rate Spanish language classes, stimulating excursions, and some of the most rewarding cultural activities possible.

### **Spoletto Study Abroad**

[www.spoletostudyabroad.org](http://www.spoletostudyabroad.org)

The program is designed for high school students interested in the arts and humanities, located in the beautiful Spoleto Valley in Central Italy.

### **Summerfuel**

[www.summerfuel.com](http://www.summerfuel.com)

Offers academic programs for students in English, France, Spain, Italy, and the United States.

### **Visions Service Adventures**

[www.visionsserviceadventures.com](http://www.visionsserviceadventures.com)

Visions offers summer programs focused on service work and cross-cultural exchange for high school students around the world.

### **Where There Be Dragons**

[www.wheretherebedragons.com](http://www.wheretherebedragons.com)

WTBD offers travel packages, trekking trips, service projects, language immersion, wilderness exploration, cultural studies, and home stays in countries around the world.

## **Leadership, Political Science and History Programs**

### **African Leadership Academy**

[www.africanleadershipacademy.org](http://www.africanleadershipacademy.org)

Students live and learn on the beautiful African Leadership Academy campus in the outskirts of Johannesburg, South Africa for an intense, 10-day or 18-day pre-university program, building lasting friendships with Africa's future leaders. Engage in deep study of the African continent, and design and implement a community service project.

### **Barnard Young Women's Leadership Institute**

<https://barnard.edu/pre-college-program/young-womens-leadership-institute>

This program combines an academic component, focusing on women's studies and feminist leadership, followed by workshops led by prominent women leaders in the community, as well as site visits and collaborative team projects.

### **The Bronfman Youth Fellowship in Israel (BYFI)**

[www.bronfman.org](http://www.bronfman.org)

This is a program for promising young people in the North American Jewish community to study Judaism and the Jewish world through the eyes of Israel.

### **Eisenhower Institute's Campaign and Elections Academy**

<http://www.eisenhowerinstitute.org/programs/campaigns-and-elections-academy/index.dot>

An intensive summer program for highly motivated high school leaders with a strong interest in campaigns and elections, a passion for public service, and a drive to make a difference.

### **Global Scholar**

<https://ampglobalyouth.org/global-scholar/>

Based at American University and George Washington University, Global Scholar is an international relations summer program that builds the knowledge and skills high school students need to make social change on a local and global scale.

### **Junior State of America**

[www.summer.jsa.org](http://www.summer.jsa.org)

For students interested in politics, law, economics, and philosophy, JSA is a nationally recognized program located on the campuses of five, highly selective college campuses. Students are involved in classes and sessions are designed to develop their knowledge of political systems, their ability to speak and write persuasively, and their appreciation for intellectual and ethical principles. JSA also offers a variety of five-day institutes focusing on Women's Leadership, Media and Politics, and Civic Leadership.

### **Leadership on the Lawn at University of Virginia**

<http://vpsa.virginia.edu/leadershiponthelawn>

UVA offers a 5-day residential leadership program on the most historic part of their campus.

### **National History Academy**

<https://www.historycamp.com/>

A five-week summer program for rising 10th-12th graders with a blend of classroom learning and first-hand experiences at historic landmarks in Virginia, Maryland, West Virginia and Pennsylvania.

### **St. Albans School, School of Public Service (SPS)**

<http://www.stalbansschool.org/page/about/school-of-public-service>

SPS offers summer programs for 40 rising seniors in politics, government, and public service on the campus of St. Albans School in Washington, D.C.

### **Segl Summer Ethics and Leadership Institute**

<http://schoolforethics.org/admissions/summer-at-segl/>

This five-week, London-based program challenges rising juniors and seniors to tackle important global ethical issues, while collaborating in small groups and being led by highly knowledgeable, guest experts.

### **University of Pennsylvania Leadership Program in the Business World**

<https://www.wharton.upenn.edu/leadership-business-world/>

Leadership in the Business World is a four-week program that offers opportunities to learn about leadership in 21st century organizations through a dynamic and rigorous mix of classes with Wharton professors and business leaders, company site visits, and team-building activities.

### **William and Mary National Institute of American History and Democracy**

<https://www.wm.edu/as/niahd/>

A three-week American history course for rising high school juniors and seniors, with a "hands-on" focus to more than a dozen historic sites and museums in Virginia.

## **Mindfulness Programs**

### **Stevenson School Leadership Program**

<https://www.stevensonschool.org/summer-programs/core-leadership-california>

Core Leadership California students work with world-class mentors in a culturally diverse residential setting. Students practice the capacities and skills they need to lead with resilience, courage, and integrity; connect authentically with themselves, peers, and mentors; communicate across cultural divides, and respect the natural world through surfing, kayaking, and hiking.

### **Brown University Contemplative Studies Department**

<https://www.brown.edu/academics/contemplative-studies/>

Through Brown's Pre-College program, for rising or recently graduated high school seniors, students can take courses in Brown's Contemplative Studies Summer Intensive program.

### **iBme Teen and Young Adult Retreats**

<https://ibme.info/programs/youth/>

Multi-day residential retreats teach participants proven awareness and concentration practices. Through guided mindfulness meditation, small group discussions, and mindful movement, participants learn how to settle a busy mind, direct and sustain attention, investigate emotions and thoughts, cultivate compassion, and communicate with their peers.

## **Military Academy Summer Programs**

### **United States Army Educational Outreach Program**

<https://www.usaeop.com/>

The Army's Educational Outreach Program (AEOP) offers several summer apprenticeship programs for high school students – all provide educational stipends while working with a mentor in a research lab.

### **United States Military Academy (West Point)**

<http://www.westpoint.edu/Admissions/SitePages/Summer.aspx>

The Summer Leaders Experience (SLE) for rising high school seniors is a one-week immersion in academic, military and social life for those considering the United States Military Academy.

### **United States Naval Academy Summer Session**

[www.usna.edu/admissions/nass](http://www.usna.edu/admissions/nass)

The USNA Summer Seminar offers the opportunity for rising high school seniors to visit the Naval Academy for one-week during the summer. Students will experience all aspects of the Naval Academy including the academic program and midshipman life.

## **Programs for Minority Students**

### **LEAD**

[www.leadprogram.org](http://www.leadprogram.org)

LEAD offers minority high school juniors (rising seniors) with strong academic credentials and demonstrated leadership skills an opportunity to explore challenging careers in business. LEAD's summer business institutes are held for three to four weeks at 10 leading graduate business schools such as UPenn, Duke, Northwestern, Virginia and Dartmouth.

### **SAMS: The Summer Academy for Mathematics + Science**

<http://admission.enrollment.cmu.edu/pages/diversity-sams>

The Summer Academy for Mathematics and Science at Carnegie Mellon University is a rigorous residential summer experience for good students who have a strong interest in math and science and want to become excellent students. Students who are entering their junior or senior year and are considering careers in engineering, science and other math-based disciplines are eligible to apply.

### **W.E.B. DuBois Scholars Institute**

[duboisscholars.org](http://duboisscholars.org)

The Institute provides leadership, scholarship, community service, and entrepreneur training along with exposure to science and technology for high-achieving youth attending secondary schools. It was founded with the goal of solving some of society's intractable social problems by training problem solvers.

### **MIT Minority Introduction to Engineering and Sciences (MITES)**

<https://oeop.mit.edu/programs/mites>

MITES is one of the top programs for under-represented minorities who are rising high school seniors. Students study physics, calculus, humanities, and life sciences as part of the six-week residential program.

## **Outdoor Programs**

### **Adventures Cross-Country**

[www.adventurescrosscountry.com](http://www.adventurescrosscountry.com)

Since 1983, ACC has been offering 90-day programs in Latin America, Africa, and Asia, allowing students to become part of the community they join.

### **Adventure Treks**

[www.adventuretreks.com](http://www.adventuretreks.com)

Each adventure includes a wide variety of exciting wilderness activities such as rock climbing, whitewater rafting, sea kayaking, mountain biking, canoeing, mountaineering, and backpacking in some of the most breathtaking scenery in western North America.

### **National Outdoor Leadership Schools**

[www.nols.edu](http://www.nols.edu)

Blending the finest parts of a traditional school with the best wilderness education available, NOLS offers outdoor programs throughout the world from the United States and India to New Zealand and Patagonia.

### **Sail On**

[www.seagull-seafarer.org](http://www.seagull-seafarer.org)

Students set sail on a 70' schooner and gain advanced seamanship knowledge while developing teamwork and leadership skills in the "floating classroom."

### **Student Conservation Association**

*www.thesca.org*

The Student Conservation Association (SCA) is America's conservation corps. Volunteers restore national parks, marine sanctuaries, cultural landmarks and community green spaces in all 50 states. There are opportunities to find free internships throughout the United States.

### **Wilderness Ventures**

*www.wildernessadventures.com*

Outdoor adventures with expeditions across the globe.

## **Science/Engineering/Mathematical Programs**

### **Army Educational Outreach Program – Science and Engineering Apprenticeship Program**

*https://www.usaeop.com/program/seap/*

High school students work alongside Department of Defense scientists, while receiving hands-on research experience in Department of Defense labs.

### **Boston University PROMYS**

*www.promys.org*

PROMYS offers a six-week, intensive experience in creative mathematical exploration, taught by Boston University faculty to approximately 65 high school students with an exceptionally strong interest in mathematics.

### **Boston University Research in Science and Engineering (RISE) Program**

*https://www.bu.edu/summer/high-school-programs/research/*

This six-week program is intended for high school juniors interested in the sciences and laboratory research.

### **Bucknell Engineering Camp**

*http://www.bucknell.edu/EngineeringCamp*

### **Carnegie Mellon University Summer Academy for Mathematics and Science**

*https://www.cmu.edu/pre-college/academic-programs/sams.html*

This program is designed for students in their junior or senior year with a strong interest in math and science.

### **Cornell University Engineering Experience**

*https://www.sce.cornell.edu/sc/programs/index.php?v=184*

A six-week program offered in collaboration with Cornell's College of Engineering.

### **Design the Future**

*https://designthefuture.dcdesignltd.com/*

Design the Future is a week-long, design-thinking program for rising 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> graders. During the six-day program, students will work to design and manufacture solutions to real problems faced by individuals with physical disabilities.

### **Duke University Youth Program**

<http://www.learnmore.duke.edu/youth/>

Summer academic enrichment programs for academically motivated youth for over 30 years. Camps include Biosciences & Engineering, Cracking the Code and the Accelerated STEM Academy.

### **Gettysburg College Camp Pysch**

<http://www.gettysburg.edu/academics/psychology/student/camp-psych/index.dot>

Camp Psych provides rising high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors a window into how psychological science works.

### **Gettysburg College IT Summer Camps**

<http://itsummerncamps.sites.gettysburg.edu/>

Students gain hands-on experience in either Coding for Robotics & Electronics or 3D Object Modeling and Printing.

### **Harvard Medical School MEDscience**

<http://hmsmedscience.org/>

A one-week science programs comprised of hands-on activities.

### **Hobart and William Smith Colleges Environmental Studies Summer Youth Institute**

<http://essyi.hws.edu/>

A two-week, college-level, interdisciplinary summer program for talented high school students entering their junior and senior years. ESSYI introduces students to environmental issues and interdisciplinary techniques for addressing environmental problems.

### **Hofstra University Summer Science Research Program**

<https://www.hofstra.edu/academics/colleges/hclas/sse/index.html>

This seven-week program matches selected applicants with Hofstra science faculty to work on an on-campus research project.

### **Holy Cross WISER**

<https://www.holycross.edu/wiser>

WISER (Women's Institute of Summer Experimental Research) provides accomplished young women the opportunity to earn college credit through a seminar-style course in the natural sciences as well as to gain hands-on research experience in a state-of-the-art laboratory.

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### **MIT Women's Technology Program**

<http://wtp.mit.edu/>

A four-week residential summer school for high school girls exploring electrical engineering and computer science.

### **MIT Research Science Institute (RSI)**

[www.cee.org/research-science-institute](http://www.cee.org/research-science-institute)

RSI is the first cost-free to students, summer science & engineering program to combine on-campus course work in scientific theory with off-campus work in science and technology research.

### **New York University Introduction to Engineering and Design**

<http://engineering.nyu.edu/highschoolsummer>

### **Ohio State University Ross Mathematical Program**

<http://u.osu.edu/rossmath/>

The Ross Program is an intensive summer experience designed to encourage motivated pre-college students to explore mathematics. During those eight weeks, students are immersed in a world of mathematical discovery.

### **UMASS Lowell**

[www.uml.edu/engineering](http://www.uml.edu/engineering)

Two different week-long engineering camps at The Francis College of Engineering at UMASS Lowell. One is specifically designed for female students interested in pursuing Engineering for Sustainability.

### **University of Pennsylvania Applied Science and Technology**

<https://esap.seas.upenn.edu/>

The School of Engineering at the University of Pennsylvania offers a unique opportunity for high school students to study computer graphics, nanotechnology, biotechnology, and robotics.

### **RPI Aerospace Engineering**

<http://summer.rpi.edu/programs>

Explore the field of aerospace engineering, tour RPI's top-tier research labs and learn how experimental data are collected by running wind tunnel tests.

### **The Rockefeller University Summer Science Research Program**

<https://www.rockefeller.edu/outreach/lab-initiative/summer-science/>

This free-of-charge, selective summer program is designed for high school students 16 years of age or older, interested in hands-on research in the biomedical field.

### **Shoals Marine Laboratory (SML) Summer Courses**

[http://www.sml.cornell.edu/sml\\_students\\_creditcourses.html](http://www.sml.cornell.edu/sml_students_creditcourses.html)

Marine biology based courses offered as part of a joint program run by Cornell University and University of New Hampshire.

### **Smith College Summer Science and Engineering Program**

<https://www.smith.edu/academics/precollege-programs/ssep>

This four-week residential program is designed for young women with strong interests in science and engineering.

### **Stanford University Investigations in Engineering**

<https://summerinstitutes.stanford.edu/courses/high-school/Engineering>

### **Stony Brook University Garcia Research Scholar Program**

[https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/garcia/summer\\_program/about](https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/garcia/summer_program/about)

Students perform research on the forefront of polymer science and technology together with Garcia faculty and staff.

### **The Summer Science Program**

<http://www.summerscience.org/home/index.php>

The program is organized around a classic astronomical research curriculum.

### **Syracuse University Animation and Game Development**

<http://summercollege.syr.edu/program/animation-game-design/>

This 3-credit summer program for high school students offers a highly visual, non-mathematical introduction to computing and computer programming.

### **Union College Educating Girls for Engineering (EDGE)**

<http://engineering2.union.edu/edge/>

EDGE is a program designed for rising sophomore, junior, and senior girls interested in engineering. It is a two-week residential program, offering a unique opportunity to explore engineering fields in areas beyond basic math and science.

### **Vanderbilt Summer Engineering, Science, and Technology**

<http://vanderbilt.edu/cso/>

The Vanderbilt Center for Science Outreach (CSO) is dedicated to enhancing literacy in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics through the establishment of unique partnerships between University scientists, K-12 educators and students, and the local and global science community.

### **Williams College Math Camp**

<https://sites.williams.edu/mathcamp/>

Recommended for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> graders, Williams College offers a residential math camp for about 20 mathematically gifted high school students who have completed or are currently enrolled in Algebra 2 or its equivalent.

### **Worcester Polytechnic Institute Frontiers Program and Launch Programs**

<https://www.wpi.edu/academics/pre-collegiate/summer/stem->

<https://www.wpi.edu/academics/pre-collegiate/summer/stem-day/launch-program>

## **Resource Websites and Books**

### **American Camp Association**

*<http://www.acacamps.org/>*

### **Science Training Programs Directory**

*<https://www.societyforscience.org/search?st=science%20training%20programs>*

### **Summer Program Finder**

*<http://summerprogramfinder.com/>*

### **TeenLife**

*[www.teenlife.com](http://www.teenlife.com)*

### **Peterson's Summer Opportunities**

*<https://www.petersons.com/college-search/study-summer-abroad.aspx>*