

# *Stuyvesant Student Opportunity Bulletin #17L*

*January 6, 2023*

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Now that 2023 is here, Stuy students (with their parents' support & encouragement) should definitely be scanning the relevant sections of this newsletter for summer (and/or spring) programs, courses, internships, and any other possible activities that match their interests & talents. Let me know if you have any questions, and I am happy to meet in-person or via Zoom; some program deadlines are already not far away!!

In this week's EVENTS section, there are several upcoming summer program Fairs open to all students and parents. The in-person **National Summer Programs Fair** is set for John Jay College in Manhattan on the evening of January 24<sup>th</sup>; pre-registration is required. And there is a virtual **Summer Pre-college Academics Programs** event on January 28<sup>th</sup>.

For students interested in the ACADEMICS category, keep in mind that there are three free CUNY or NY State-sponsored spring & summer programs for high school students, with different eligibility requirements. **CUNY STEM Research Academies** are also offered at CUNY campuses around the city, often for current 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> graders. And the STEM-focused **STEP (Science & Technology Entrance Program)** is open to all grades, with a focus on students from lower-income and under-

represented backgrounds. You can find links to all three options in the ACADEMICS category.

In the STEM/Medical sections, all 10<sup>th</sup> grade and up students who identify as female or nonbinary may apply for the in-person **Perry Initiative** event with doctors & other medical professionals at NYU in March; check it out soon, as spots fill up quickly! (There are also the periodic virtual Perry Initiative sessions – the deadline to apply for the next one is **January 8<sup>th</sup>**!

And the **Goals for Girls** summer STEM program for 9<sup>th</sup> graders who identify as female is now open for registration – there is a virtual Information Session scheduled for tomorrow, **January 7<sup>th</sup>**!

### Events of Interest to Students:

#### **New: 2023 Summer Academic Programs Virtual Fairs**

“The Association for Pre-College Program Directors is proud to present the 2022-23 Summer Pre-College Program Fairs, a series of virtual events that provide students and their families the opportunity to learn about academic summer programs at top US colleges and universities. At each fair, attendees may visit virtual booths, where you can ask questions via text or video chat with summer program representatives.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** January 28 (1 – 3: 30 pm) & February 25 (10 – 12:30 pm)

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis (registration opens on January 18)

**Link:** <https://www.precollegeassociation.org/fairs>

### ***New:* The Perry Initiative STEM Outreach Program (In-person)**

“The Perry Outreach Program is a free, one-day, hands-on experience for high school women who are interested in pursuing careers in medicine and engineering. Students will hear from women leaders in these fields and try it for themselves by performing mock orthopaedic surgeries and biomechanics experiments.”

***Eligible:*** Students in 10th grade and up who identify as female or nonbinary

***Date:*** March 25

***Location:*** In-person at New York University

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **February 23** (Spots fill quickly, so apply ASAP!)

***Links:*** <https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-outreach-program-new-york-ny-nyu/>  
<https://perryinitiative.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/New-York-NYU-POP-032523-flyer.pdf>

### ***Event Today:* ReelWorks Film School Fridays**

“Looking to work on or promote your film? Reel Works Film School Fridays connect young filmmakers with peer mentors and craftspeople in the entertainment industry. Come sharpen your skills with us and receive tutoring support in editing, cinematography, storytelling, screenwriting, sound, lighting, and film festival submission tips!”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** **January 6**, and other Fridays (4:30 – 6:30 pm)

***Location:*** TBD

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

***Links:*** <https://www.reelworks.org/afterschool>

<https://reelworks.typeform.com/FilmSchoolFri>

***Event Today: Teens Art Connection - Pizza and a Movie (PaaM)***

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

***Eligible:*** All students who are at least 14 years old

***Dates:*** **January 6**, February 3, March 3, April 7, and the first Friday of subsequent months from 5 – 8 pm

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

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

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

***Event Approaching: Transition & College Access Centers Youth Mentoring Career Series***

“The Transition and College Access Centers (TCAC) offers experiences that will foster students’ academic, social, emotional, and vocational excellence and facilitate multiple pathways to graduation and post-secondary success through student-centered learning opportunities. This event series features panels on Careers in Art, Architecture, Engineering, Careers in Tech, and more.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** **January 11** & 18, February 1 & 15, and more

***Location:*** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Link:** <https://www.eventbrite.com/o/transition-amp-college-access-centers-17343168270>

***Deadline Approaching: Perry Virtual Experience***

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

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

**Eligible:** All female and nonbinary students

**Date:** January 17 (6:00pm–8:30pm)

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** January 8 (apply ASAP –spots are limited)

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-virtual-experience-open-registration-9/>

***Event Approaching: Met Museum Teen Fridays***

“Come on over to The Met for Teen Fridays—the place for teens to be creative, have snacks, and meet other teens with similar and different interests. Explore passions, ideas, and new activities every first and third Friday of the month. Drop in to join in teen-centered activities planned by teens, hang out and listen to music in a stress-free space meet and collaborate with teens and creative professionals, get creative in an

open studio, hone your skills and experiment with fashion, design, writing, performance, music, art, and more. For teens at all levels of expertise and interest.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** **January 20**, February 3 & 17, and subsequent Fridays (4:30 – 6:30 pm)

**Location:** The Met Fifth Avenue (1000 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.metmuseum.org/events/programs/met-creates/teen-fridays/teen-fridays>

### **Miss CEO Leadership Circle**

“The Miss CEO Leadership Circle is a specialized live-online leadership workshop series designed to empower young women with a wealth of practical insights, valuable mentorship, inspiring community and helpful resources. There is no cost to participate and students who attend at least 4 out of the 6 total workshops, which are scheduled on weekends from 1:00 – 2:00 pm EST, will receive a certificate of completion at the end of the series.”

**Eligible:** All female students

**Dates:** Create Winning Resumes and LinkedIn Profiles: **January 22** (1 – 2 pm)

Your Ultimate Guide to Internships, Programs, Jobs & More: February 26 (1 – 2 pm)

Expand Your Impact: Excel as A Leader In High School: March 12 (1 – 2 pm)

Adopt The Best Time Management and Personal Productivity Techniques: April 23

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.missceo.org/circle>



## National Summer Program Fair

“This in-person event will showcase dozens of ways high school students can spend summer 2023, including on-campus pre-college programs at the nation's most prestigious universities, study abroad opportunities, STEM programs, teen travel, art/portfolio prep, test prep, and even local volunteer organizations.

Students and parents need to pre-register to attend, and should do so now to reserve their place and receive event reminders. Like many major college fairs, we have partnered with StriveScan for registration, which enables students and parents to receive a QR code and show it at the event for easy access.

For any questions, please reach out to [info@summerprogramfair.com](mailto:info@summerprogramfair.com)”

**Eligible:** All students

**Date:** **January 24** (5–7:30pm)

**Location:** John Jay College of Criminal Justice (524 West 59th Street)

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.summerprogramfair.com/schools>

Registration: <https://www.summerprogramfair.com/students>

## 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:** Various

**Location:** Virtual and in-person (116 East 55<sup>th</sup> St, Manhattan) options available

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.suny.edu/attend/events/>

[https://engage.suny.edu/portal/how\\_to\\_apply](https://engage.suny.edu/portal/how_to_apply)

[https://engage.suny.edu/portal/fafsa\\_workshops](https://engage.suny.edu/portal/fafsa_workshops)

### **XSTEM All Access Virtual Interactive Speaker Series**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Date:** Various

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Links:** <https://usasciencefestival.org/x-stem-all-access-2022/>

<https://usasciencefestival.org/x-stem-all-access-register-2022/>

### **New York Public Library (NYPL) College and Career Pathways Resources**

“Whether you're looking for college guidance, career readiness, or adulting skills, The New York Public Library's College and Career Pathways program is here to help! Check out informational videos for guidance, **sign up for a one-on-one session with a College and Career Pathways librarian to get individual postsecondary readiness assistance online**, and get access to other online resources.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Location:** Various (virtual and in-person options available)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

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

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### Academic Programs:

#### **Deadline Extended: Baruch College Spring Term ‘STEP’ STEM Program**

“The Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP) at Baruch College is a state-funded innovative pre-college enrichment program for talented and motivated under-represented or economically disadvantaged students. Sample topics covered include Psychology, Coding, and Bioethics, along with SAT Prep, college prep advice, and more.”

**Eligible:** All African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian and economically disadvantaged White or Asian middle and high school students.

**Dates:** January 28 – April 20

**Location:** In-person or Virtual (55 Lexington Avenue, Manhattan)

**New Application Deadline:** January 15

**Cost:** Free

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

**Deadlines Approaching:**

**[Link to List of Free Spring Term Weekend ‘STEP’ STEM Enrichment Programs Throughout NYC](#)** (For students who meet lower-income criteria and/or those from under-represented groups)

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1NrrO31JbyfktTtVTV\\_fhIYzpyM3QiL9x/edit?usp=sharing&oid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1NrrO31JbyfktTtVTV_fhIYzpyM3QiL9x/edit?usp=sharing&oid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true)

***New: The Yale Summer Program in Astrophysics (YSPA)***

“YSPA is a research program in which students spend two weeks virtually learning skills in astronomy and programming. Then, they are invited to the Yale campus for four weeks to develop a complex astrophysics modeling project. Students gain skills in physics, math, astronomy, programming, data visualization, and data science.

Members of underrepresented groups in STEM are encouraged to apply

***Eligible:*** Current juniors

***Dates:*** June 26 – July 7 (online) & July 9 – August 6 (residential)

***Location:*** Hybrid (two weeks virtual & four weeks residential on the Yale campus)

***Cost:*** \$6,900 (excludes transportation fees; need-based financial aid available)

***Application Deadline:*** **March 13**

***Links:*** <https://yspa.yale.edu/>

<https://yspa.yale.edu/how-apply>

***Upcoming Information Session Approaching: John Hopkins Summer Programs***

There are upcoming virtual Information Sessions to learn more about John Hopkins University’s summer Engineering precollege programs – the first is at noon on

**Sunday, January 8** - check this link to register:

[https://wse.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_nautTRyEREScLz0ImpkhCQ](https://wse.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_nautTRyEREScLz0ImpkhCQ)

***Upcoming Information Session Approaching: Summer and Fall Term 2023 Pre-College Travel Programs from the Columbia Climate School***

“The Columbia Climate School offers two summer programs, one in the Green Mountains (Vermont), and Columbia Climate Corps for motivated high school students who are interested in traveling to engage in real-world research, ideas, and solutions for climate change. **They also offer a virtual fall 2023 program.**

Columbia Climate Corps consists of small group climate and sustainability focused travelling programs that combine international travel (Alaska, Chile, Peru, & Iceland) and climate-focused educational opportunities. Students will be joined by faculty and staff from the Columbia climate school who will engage them in cutting-edge research, leading lectures, facilitating workshops, and field-based & hands-on learning projects. Upon completion, participants will receive a certificate of participation from the Columbia Climate School. The next online information session is **January 10<sup>th</sup>**.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various; Next information session on **January 10th**

***Location:*** Virtual and in-person options available

***Cost:*** Fall term online: \$1,499.99

Summer Columbia Climate School in Green Mountains (In-person): \$6,920

Summer Columbia Climate Corps (In-person): (\$7,890 - \$8,290)

***Links:***

[https://apply.climate.columbia.edu/portal/pre\\_college\\_info\\_session?id=33d85765-0dd5-4316-879b-53aa595f0624](https://apply.climate.columbia.edu/portal/pre_college_info_session?id=33d85765-0dd5-4316-879b-53aa595f0624)

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/pre-college-programs>

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/frequently-asked-questions>

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/columbia-climate-corps>

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

***Deadline Approaching: University of Chicago Summer Session***

The University of Chicago Summer Session offers several precollege programs for students: Immersion, Pre-College Summer Language Institute, Summer Online, Research in the Biological Sciences (RIBS), Summer College. Each offers a variety of courses.

**Eligible:** Immersion: All Freshmen, Sophomores & Juniors

Pre-College Summer Language Institute: All Juniors & Seniors

Summer Online: All Freshmen, Sophomores & Juniors

RIBS: Sophomores & Juniors

Summer College: All Juniors & Seniors

**Dates:** Summer 2023 (various sessions available)

**Location:** Virtual and in-person options available

**Cost:** Various (need-based financial aid available)

**Application Deadline:** **January 18 (priority)**, March 1 (regular), April 6 (extended)

**Links:** <https://summer.uchicago.edu/pre-college-students>

<http://summer.uchicago.edu/faq>

<http://summer.uchicago.edu/faq>

**Link to List of Private/Public Spring & Summer Pre-College Offerings:**

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1AoySGuw1AXoZgm5J1OdIWnDl\\_HQLd6mG/edit?usp=sharing&oid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1AoySGuw1AXoZgm5J1OdIWnDl_HQLd6mG/edit?usp=sharing&oid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true)

**Deadline Approaching: Yale Young Global Scholars Summer Program**

YYGS invites students to several different ten-day sessions in which they can “experience life as a university student at Yale while attending an academic session of their choosing.” A variety of classes are available, including

‘Innovations in Science & Technology’ ‘Literature, Philosophy & Culture,’ ‘Solving Global Challenges,’ and others. Information webinars on the program are scheduled from early October to December and range from topics such as Admissions Advice to the Session Offerings.

**Eligible:** All Sophomores & Juniors 16 and older by July 19

**Dates:** Session I (June 18 – 30) **OR** Session II (July 2 – 14) **OR** Session III (July 16 – 28)

**Application Deadline:** **January 10**

**Cost:** \$6,500 (two-week residential session; need-based financial aid available)

**Links:** <https://globalscholars.yale.edu/how-to-apply>

<https://globalscholars.yale.edu/how-apply/info-sessions>

## **New York Math Circle Spring Programs**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Saturday and Sunday classes for the spring 2023 semester

**Locations:** Virtual *and* in-person on Sundays:

Columbia University, 2990 Broadway, New York, NY 10027 or

The Clinton School, 10 East 15 Street, Manhattan

**Cost:** \$345 (some financial aid available)

**Application Deadline:** **ASAP** – Classes fill up quickly!

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

### ***Upcoming Classes Approaching: Genspace Classes***

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

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

**Dates:** Various (ongoing through November)

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

**Cost:** Various

**Application Deadline: Rolling Basis**

**Links:** <https://www.genspace.org/classes#>

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

### ***Some Deadlines Approaching: College Now Spring Programs & Courses***

The CUNY College Now Program at campuses throughout the city offers free college-level science, math, & humanities classes to current juniors & seniors (sophomores may be eligible for some programs depending on requirements). The application deadlines and course times vary for each individual campus - students should explore their options and apply ASAP. See the links below for more detailed information about programs and courses.

**Link to List of Spring 2023 College Now Courses:**

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1t2RxFPBTT0TkfXeC1Sm3Yoq7H6V9tBKU/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true>



***Priority 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 Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Computer Science and AI, Data Science and Analytics, Electrical Engineering, Robotics Sustainability and Environmental Engineering.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Session 1: July 5 – 25, Session 2: July 26 – August 15

***Location:*** Columbia University's Morningside Campus

***Cost:*** \$4,900 (full, need-based scholarships available)

***Application Deadline:*** **January 15** (the priority deadline, application fee will be waived for students who apply by this date). ***Final Deadline:*** **April 15**

***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=22c46117-f33f-40e1-b50e-b1d555d07674>

***One Deadline Approaching: CUNY STEM Research Academies***

“The CUNY STEM Research Academy Program at campuses throughout the city offers a **free** pre-college course designed to build students’ basic research skills. A select group of participants will receive the opportunity to continue with a six-week summer research experience with the guidance of CUNY research faculty and a

**monetary stipend.”** The application deadlines, program times, and research opportunities vary for each individual campus - students should explore their options and apply ASAP.

## **1- City College**

**Eligible:** Sophomores and juniors with an average GPA of 80

**Dates:** Spring semester (February 14 - June 1) & Summer internship (June 29 - August 3)

**Location:** 160 Convent Avenue, Manhattan

**Examples of Research Opportunities:** Toxicology, Molecular Biology, Chemistry

**Application Deadline: January 20**

**Links:** <https://www.ccny.cuny.edu/collegenow/stem-research-academy>

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/5j6943xcs2ija0s/Spring%202023%20STEM%20Research%20Academy%20Application%20Packet.pdf?dl=0>

## **Link to List of Spring 2023 CUNY STEM Research Academies:**

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jtwuM12OTcWYupa->

[ja13hjgvIFYy9WN2/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1jtwuM12OTcWYupa-ja13hjgvIFYy9WN2/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true)

## **NYU Weekend Workshops**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Spring term

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

**Cost:** \$495 (per course, except for Investing Fundamentals, which is \$545) & \$25 application fee (financial aid not available)

**Application Deadline:** **February 10** (in-person courses) & **March 31** (online courses)

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

### **Stanford University Compression Forum Summer Internship for SHTeM**

“This unpaid internship is intended to provide early exposure to research transcending traditional disciplinary boundaries. Students will be grouped to multifaceted projects that will benefit from their existing interests and strengths, while exposing them to new areas. Projects will be mentored by students, faculty and staff of the Stanford Compression Forum and its affiliated organizations. Themes will span and combine the science of information and communication, engineering, the arts, linguistics, psychology, biology, neuroscience, computer science, technology, philosophy, and design, among other areas.”

**Eligible:** Current juniors and seniors

**Dates:** June 26 – August 18

**Location:** Tentatively virtual/hybrid

**Cost:** \$50 application fee (financial assistance and waiver available)

**Application Deadline:** **February 24**

**Link:** <https://compression.stanford.edu/outreach/shtem-summer-internships-high-schoolers-and-community-college-students>

## **MIT Lincoln Laboratory (LL) Beaver Works Summer Institute Spring Class and Summer Program**

“The four-week program teaches students programming & engineering skills through project-based, workshop-style courses. Currently, there are six courses available to students, including Programming for Autonomous Cars & Cognitive Assistants, Hack & Code, Analyzing the Building Blocks of Life, and more.” 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 earlier.)

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** February 1 - June 25 (Spring Online Courses) & July 11 - August 7 (Summer Program)

***Location:*** Virtual/In-Person at MIT

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **March 31 (both programs)**

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

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

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### **New: OnTRaC College and Creative Career Readiness Spring 2023**

“OnTRaC is a free after school college and career readiness program specifically designed for young people interested in going into the creative industries. You will network with industry professionals, build your resume writing & communication skills, and create a relationship with a mentor in your field of interest. Teens meet once a week to learn about the college application process, connect with industry professionals and develop their portfolio for future opportunities. Participants who successfully complete the program receive a \$140 stipend.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various dates from February 1 - May 10 (4:30-7:30pm)

**Location:** In person: Location TBD

**Application Deadline:** **February 5**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://teens.artsconnection.org/ontrac/>  
[https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=2a36503964&attribution=false&mc\\_cid=df7face77e&mc\\_eid=e22eb70ff3&e=e22eb70ff3](https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=2a36503964&attribution=false&mc_cid=df7face77e&mc_eid=e22eb70ff3&e=e22eb70ff3)

### **New: NYC Parks Lifeguard Summer Jobs**

“Spend your summer working outdoors – you’ll help keep New Yorkers safe, make new friends, and get paid to do it! Becoming a lifeguard is a rewarding experience. You’ll work outdoors in some of New York City’s most iconic locations, playing a critical role in helping New Yorkers of all ages and abilities have safe access to beaches and pools. As a lifeguard, you’ll work at some of NYC’s most iconic locations, become part of a team, make friends for a lifetime who are also committed to public service, get your certification, and practice your swimming.”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 16 years old and able to pass the qualifying test

**Dates:** Summer 2023

**Locations:** Various

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 28** (qualifying test deadline)

**Links:** <https://www.nycgovparks.org/opportunities/jobs/lifeguards>

<https://www.nycgovparks.org/reg/life-guard-test>

### **New: Summer Day Camp 2023 Job Fairs**

Apply to be a counselor in training, counselor, or head counselor at JCC Brooklyn Day Camp or Kings Bay Y (KBY) Summer Day Camp! Register for the job fairs to drop off your resume and complete a questionnaire! Direct any questions to:

[vgrant@kingsbayy.org](mailto:vgrant@kingsbayy.org)

**Eligible:** All students 15+, sophomores, juniors, & seniors

**Dates:**

KBY Camp Fair at 14 Hope Street, Bklyn: Sunday, February 26: 11 am – 3 pm

Sunday, March 19: 1:30 pm – 5:30 pm (Link for RSVP available Feb.1, 2023)

Sunday, May 7: 2 pm – 6 pm (Link for RSVP available April.1, 2023)

**Camp Locations:** JCC Brooklyn: Ft. Hamilton Army Base in Bay Ridge

KBY Summer Day Camp: Nostrand location: 3495 Nostrand Avenue

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://www.jcc-brooklyn.org/camp/work-with-us/>

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/summer-day-camp-2023-job-fair-tickets-492910016127>

<https://www.kingsbayy.org/programs/summer-camps/summer-day-camp/#overview>

### **Deadline Approaching: Young Founders Entrepreneurship Fellowship**

“The Young Founders Fellowship is a 6-week program that creates an incredible community around a cohort of founders & talented individuals in the formative stages

of starting a company. Each founder launches their own company with \$200 in capital and learns the ins and outs of product development and sales & marketing.”

**Eligible:** All Students

**Dates:** January 7 - February 12 (January cohort) OR February 25 – April 2 (February cohort)

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$1,700

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://youngfoundersinstitute.org/fellowship/>  
<https://youngfoundersinstitute.org/admissions-tuition/>

**Deadline Approaching: Bank of America Student Leaders Paid Internship Program**

“As a Student Leader, you will participate in an eight-week paid internship at a local nonprofit organization where you will learn first-hand about the needs of your community and the critical role nonprofits play. In addition, you will learn valuable civic, social and business leadership skills. Each Student Leader will attend the Student Leaders Summit held in Washington, D.C. where you will learn how government, business and the nonprofit sector work together to address critical community needs.”

Letter of recommendation required to apply.

Travel fees, hotel, meals, etc for the Washington Summit are covered.

**Eligible:** Current juniors and seniors

**Dates:** Summer (8 weeks)

**Location:** Various

**Application Deadline:** January 13

**Cost:** Free

*Link:* <https://about.bankofamerica.com/en/making-an-impact/student-leaders>

## ***Deadline Approaching: Leadership, Education and Development (LEAD)***

### **Programs**

#### **1- Global Summer Learning Institute (GSLI)**

*Eligible:* Current juniors

*Dates:* July 6 – July 22

*Location:* Hybrid (virtual, then in-person at a host institution)

*Cost:* \$3,250 (some financial aid available)

*Application Deadline:* **January 15**

*Link:* <https://apply.leadprogram.org/program/view?id=Fdonn7faxyP6pxMpaMPs&register=true>

#### **2- REEX JumpStart**

“The REEX JumpStart Scholars in Commercial Real Estate is a residential program that will focus on developing a Pipeline of high-achieving, diverse students (current high school sophomores and juniors) by providing an immersive learning opportunity and preparation to make meaningful change in the world. REEX JumpStart is a 2-week on-campus learning experience dedicated to helping high school scholars of color take charge of their future. Scholars will be provided training and exposure to Entrepreneurship & Commercial Real Estate Fundamentals, experiential learning, networking opportunities, and more.”

*Eligible:* Current sophomores and juniors

*Dates:* July 9 – 22

*Locations:* Various

*Cost:* \$3,200

*Application Deadline:* **TBD**

*Link:* [https://www.leadprogram.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC\\_ID=475666&type=d&termREC\\_ID=&pREC\\_ID=997796](https://www.leadprogram.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=475666&type=d&termREC_ID=&pREC_ID=997796)



### **Updated: Wharton School of Business Global Youth Summer Program**

“Wharton Global Youth’s On-Campus Programs are immersive, pre-collegiate experiences for students currently enrolled in grades 9 - 11. Led by Wharton faculty and instructional staff, these programs take place in person on Wharton’s Philadelphia or San Francisco campus. Students get to explore topics driven by Wharton research and teaching, engage with our rigorous business education, and network with peers in an Ivy League environment. Programs offered include Essentials of Entrepreneurship, Essentials of Finance, Data Science Academy, Management & Technology Summer Institute, Moneyball Academy, Leadership in the Business World, and Product Design Academy.”

**Eligible:** All Students with a minimum 3.3 GPA (depends on the program)

**Dates:** Various; July - August 2023

**Location:** Virtual or In-Person at Philadelphia, University of Pennsylvania

**Cost:** \$2,099 - \$9,099 (Need-Based Financial Aid Available)

**Application Deadline:** **January 25** (Priority Deadline), **April 5** (Final Deadline)

**Links:** <https://globalyouth.wharton.upenn.edu/application-information/>

[https://mysummerdiscovery.force.com/wharton/TX\\_SiteLoginWharton?startURL=%2Fwharton%2FTargetX\\_Portal\\_PB](https://mysummerdiscovery.force.com/wharton/TX_SiteLoginWharton?startURL=%2Fwharton%2FTargetX_Portal_PB)

<https://globalyouth.wharton.upenn.edu/costs-and-aid/>

### **Futures and Options Summer Internship**

“The Futures and Options Internship Program provides New York City high school students with critical work-readiness training and the opportunity to gain firsthand work experience as interns with a dynamic range of business partners.

Futures and Options interns work in paid, mentored internships that best match their skills and interests.”

A letter of recommendation and interview is required.

**Eligible:** Students 16 years or older (by summer)

**Dates:** July to mid-August (6 weeks, 100-150 hours total)

**Location:** Virtual, hybrid or in-person

**Application Deadline:** **January 27**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:**

[https://www.futuresandoptions.org/fao/what\\_we\\_do/how\\_to\\_apply/#internapply](https://www.futuresandoptions.org/fao/what_we_do/how_to_apply/#internapply)

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1bLCP9OqddPnFtVYf3TiULz7LZslEN9Ki/view>

### **Updated: 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 2022-2023 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. In-person and virtual meeting days are indicated below.” If you have any questions, please contact [info@endlessfrontierlabs.com](mailto:info@endlessfrontierlabs.com)

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** **January 27**, February 2, 3, March 17, 23, 24, OR May, 4 & 5

**Location:** Various

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://endlessfrontierlabs.com/young-ambassadors/>  
[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSciL0PaVR22DwxKlpBo0EJHMDKz6h9q3x12ej4UiTaFJvhU\\_Q/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSciL0PaVR22DwxKlpBo0EJHMDKz6h9q3x12ej4UiTaFJvhU_Q/viewform)

### **Harvard Student Agencies Weekend Junior Academies**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates/Times:** Various

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$300 (Some financial aid available)

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

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

### **Economics for Leaders (EFL)**

“Economics for Leaders (EFL) is a selective summer program that teaches student leaders how to integrate economics into the process of decision-making in an interactive learning environment. The goal of EFL is to give promising students the skills to be more effective leaders and to teach them how to employ economic analysis when considering difficult public policy choices. This course focuses on the introduction and application of economic concepts and economic reasoning skills and introduces students to leadership theory.”

**Eligible:** Current sophomores & juniors

*Dates:* Various (June - July)

*Locations:* In-person (at various partner colleges) & virtual options available

*Cost:* \$2,100 (full residential cost; scholarship assistance available)

*Application Deadline:* **February 8** (early deadline - \$200 tuition discount), March 16 (priority - \$100 tuition deadline), OR April 13 (final)

*Links:* <https://www.fte.org/students/2023-program-sites-and-dates/>

<https://www.fte.org/students/economics-for-leaders-program/frequently-asked-questions/>

### **NYU Weekend Workshops**

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

*Eligible:* All students

*Dates:* Spring term

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

*Cost:* \$495 (per course, except for Investing Fundamentals, which is \$545) & \$25 application fee (financial aid not available)

*Application Deadline:* **February 10** (in-person courses) & March 31 (online courses)

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

### **Lehigh Summer Entrepreneurship Program/Information Sessions**

“Join a group of emerging leaders from across the U.S. and around the world to create diverse teams and solve a real problem facing a company or organization. Through the Iacocca Global Entrepreneurship Intensive (IGEI), you’ll be able to do a dive deep into focus areas like sustainability, population health or business, take core sessions, and participate in business ethics workshops.

For four weeks, you will enhance your abilities in entrepreneurship, leadership, and global citizenship. IGEI offers entrepreneurial design challenges, business hackathons, and team projects that develop solutions for client organizations. Students stay at Lehigh University housing to experience roommates, cultural and social activities, and pre-college exposure, including admissions information, financial aid guidance, and college major/career exploration.”

**Eligible:** Current sophomores and juniors not older than 17 during program dates.

**Dates:** **June 25 – July 22**

**Location:** In-Person at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA., 18015

**Application Deadline:** Early Decision: **February 19**, **rolling basis** until capacity is reached

**Cost:** \$4,400

**Links:** <https://global.lehigh.edu/iacocca-institute/high-school>  
[https://lehigh.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_8xhIkftmVLkHFCm](https://lehigh.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_8xhIkftmVLkHFCm)

### **Virtual Summer Research Program @ Stevens Institute of Technology**

“In this six-week program, students will have the opportunity to work alongside a faculty member from the School of Business and assist them in their areas of research, such as entrepreneurship, marketing, management, economics, and finance. At the conclusion of the program, students will complete both a written and oral presentation. The written report will include a literature review, and the oral presentation will include a 5-minute video or a PowerPoint presentation detailing their research findings. Interns will be rewarded a \$500 stipend upon completion of the program.”

**Eligible:** Current Juniors

**Dates:** Summer 2023

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **March 1**

**Links:** <https://www.stevens.edu/school-business-high-school-programs-virtual-summer-research-program>

### **Summer Business Leadership Academy**

Mercy College in Westchester County is offering a Summer Business Leadership Academy. Current juniors may apply for any one of the one-week sessions offered in June and July. Participants live on campus for the week and engage in a variety of business & leadership focused activities, including visits to major businesses in Manhattan. Applicants should have an interest in business, leadership skills, and a strong academic record. Space is limited.

**Eligible:** Current juniors with GPA over 90

**Dates:** June 25 – July 1 OR July 9 – 15 OR July 23 – 29

**Location:** 555 Broadway, Dobbs Ferry, New York

**Cost:** \$495 (food and activities fee)

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://www.mercy.edu/business/leadership/academy>

<https://form.jotform.com/222424504901143>

### **InvestIn Summer Career Experiences**

“Our Summer Experiences offer the ultimate, 360-degree experience of professional life. Students will undertake immersive work experience activities in top industry sites across London. Available career explorations include Medicine, Engineering, Investment Banking, Law, Psychology, Architecture, Art, Dentistry, Entrepreneurship, Fashion, Filmmaking, Forensic Science, International Development, Journalism, Politics, Software Engineering, Vet, Video Game Design, and Writing.

**Eligible:** All students

*Dates:* Various

*Location:* In-person in London (and other areas) or Virtual

*Application Deadline:* **Rolling Basis**

*Cost:* Various, depending on number of days

*Links:* [https://investin.org/collections/young-summer-experiences-2023?filter.p.m.product\\_filters.age=Ages+15-18](https://investin.org/collections/young-summer-experiences-2023?filter.p.m.product_filters.age=Ages+15-18)

### **INVESTIN New Year Career Guide**

“The Guide provides exclusive insights on how students can succeed in their careers after school, including advice on how to find the right career, build resilience and use creativity in the workplace.”

*Link:* [https://investin.org/blogs/news/the-investin-new-year-career-guide?utm\\_source=US+SCHOOLS+MASTER&utm\\_campaign=a1a7c5da97-bankersschoolmar\\_COPY\\_04&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_8bff0ae415-a1a7c5da97-137735383&mc\\_cid=a1a7c5da97&mc\\_eid=100ce0f176](https://investin.org/blogs/news/the-investin-new-year-career-guide?utm_source=US+SCHOOLS+MASTER&utm_campaign=a1a7c5da97-bankersschoolmar_COPY_04&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_8bff0ae415-a1a7c5da97-137735383&mc_cid=a1a7c5da97&mc_eid=100ce0f176)

### **New York Women in Business Coalition**

“Kick off the school year with **The NYC Women In Business Coalition!** We invite all new and returning members to join us for their events of the fall season. Although membership is not required for this event, you will have an opportunity to join our coalition for the 2022-23 year.”

*Eligible:* All NYC high school young women

*Dates:* Various TBA

*Location:* Virtual

*Application Deadline:* **Rolling Basis**

*Cost:* Free

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

## **Junior Economic Club of New York City**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Date:** Ongoing

**Cost:** Free

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

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

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## **Community Service**

### **List of Current Volunteer Tutoring Opportunities:**

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/18gHumypxzbRcZmwR24GJpfIglzR3BkFV/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=101556942762799823370&rtpof=true&sd=true>

### **Volunteer with CAAV Organizing Asian Communities**

“CAAAV Organizing Asian Communities was founded in 1986 by working class Asian women to build power in Asian communities against rising hate and violence. CAAAV’s vision is that working class Asian immigrant members will make decisions



about their own housing and neighborhoods. Volunteer responsibilities may include direct action, outreach, administrative tasks, interpretation and/or translation.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Location:** Various

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

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

### **Campo Amigo 2023 Program - AYUDA**

“American Youth Understanding Diabetes Abroad (AYUDA) has applications open for their 2023 summer volunteering program, Campo Amigo! Working with a non-profit dedicated to empowering youths and educating communities living with diabetes worldwide, volunteers will attend virtual training programs on topics like cross-cultural communication and diabetes in a social context, develop strategies to fundraise \$6,500 for the program, and work directly with communities in collaboration with our local partner Fundacion Aprendiendo a Vivir (AAV) for two weeks in-country in the Dominican Republic! We are looking for highly motivated teens with adaptability and a multicultural outlook.”

**Eligible:** Anyone 16 years or older

**Dates:** Virtual weekly meetings starting March 5th, in-country **June 24th-July 12th**

**Location:** virtual, then Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

**Cost:** Free (excluding airplane fare and personal spending, but exceptions depending on how much you raise), with \$6,500 fundraising requirement

**Links:** <https://www.ayudavolunteer.org/campo>

<https://www.ayudavolunteer.org/application-info>

<https://ayudavolunteer.typeform.com/apply-campo2023?typeform-source=www.ayudavolunteer.org>

### **Become a Chess Tutor with NYC Chess Connections**

“NYC Chess Connections is a student-led chess tutoring service designed to connect students passionate about chess across the city. If you are a chess player who wants to volunteer, check the link below to sign up. Any student wishing to learn is welcome to join; potential chess tutors should have a 1,200 or higher chess rating.”

**Eligible:** All students with a chess rating of 1,200 or higher

**Dates:** Various

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://sites.google.com/view/nycchessconnections/home>

### **Camp Friendship Brooklyn Food Pantry**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Saturdays 10am – 12pm

**Location:** 339 8th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11215

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Link:**

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNDxfZwrCL9lXQrot\\_eKTYVVPTEonC-iXOLUItN6ctzljPAg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeNDxfZwrCL9lXQrot_eKTYVVPTEonC-iXOLUItN6ctzljPAg/viewform)

### **The Campaign Against Hunger (TCAH)**

Volunteers can help with tasks at warehouses, farms, pantries, or offices to help feed families in various communities.

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Locations:** 2010 Fulton Street Brooklyn NY 11233

975 Shepherd Avenue/744 Berriman Street Brooklyn NY 11208

57-17 Rockaway Beach Blvd., Arverne, NY 11692 Arverne View

385 Beach 45th Street Queens NY 11691

1965-1971 Fulton Street Brooklyn NY 11233

1420 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn NY 11233

**Application Deadline: Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.tcahnyc.org/volunteer/>

### **CommonPoint Queens Volunteering Opportunities**

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

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Locations:** Various

**Application Deadline: Rolling Basis**

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

[https://www.cervistech.com/acts/webreg/eventwebreglist.php?org\\_id=0295](https://www.cervistech.com/acts/webreg/eventwebreglist.php?org_id=0295)

### **Manny Cantor Center Volunteering Opportunities**

“The Manny Cantor Center and other Educational Alliance locations welcome volunteers for all kinds of events and programs, including holiday card writing, tutoring, community connection calling, food pantries, and more. Most of these

opportunities will be virtual, but there are a few in person ones. Requirements for each opportunity vary (one or two spots are limited to those 16 and older).”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various

***Locations:*** Various

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

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

### **Robotics for All Volunteer Tutor & Business Support Internships**

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

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various

***Location:*** Virtual

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

***Links:*** <https://www.roboticsforall.net/overview-of-positions.html>

<https://www.roboticsforall.net/internships.html>

### **GallopNYC Volunteering Opportunities**

“GallopNYC is a non-profit organization that uses horses and horseback riding to help children with disabilities. They welcome teen volunteers (no experience necessary) who like horses & want to help children at locations throughout the city. Only a weekly commitment of two hours is required.”

***Eligible:*** All students who are at least 16 years old

*Dates:* Various

*Location:* Forest Hills, Prospect Park, and the Bronx

*Application Deadline:* **Rolling Basis**

*Links:* <http://gallopnyc.org/ways-to-volunteer-as-an-individual>

<http://gallop.nyc/volregistration>

### **Immigrant Social Services (ISS) Volunteers**

“Immigrant Social Services welcomes volunteers who would like to offer different skills in support of organization’s work in Chinatown and Lower East Side. We often need volunteers with skills in the following areas:

- Chinese Language translation and interpretation in Simplified/Traditional and all dialects
- Graphic Design: Assistance with creating digital and printed collateral using photoshop and/or Canva
- Social Media Engagement Strategy: Help us amplify our programs and resources through Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter
- Website: frontend design, content management, and backend support on WordPress
- Communications: Assistance with managing our Wechat and email lists
- Tutoring, middle & high school admissions advice, and basic coding skill building”

*Eligible:* All students

*Dates:* November – January (at least once a week)

*Location:* Virtual

*Application Deadline:* **Rolling Basis**

*Links:* <https://issnyc.org/volunteer/>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeC8sVCJcExgmjtIQPII1yEjqsJVwvoFa4cTWnNt>

[WoZCvda\\_g/viewform](#)

### **A Brush with Kindness/Habitat for Humanity**

Brush with Kindness is an organization that paints, plants, and generally improves parks, schools, camps, and other public spaces around the city.

**Eligible:** All students 14 and older

**Dates:** Various

**Cost:** Free

**Location:** Various

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Links:** <https://habitatnyc.org/volunteer/faq/>

<https://habitatnyc.org/volunteer/a-brush-with-kindness/>

### **VISIONS Intergenerational Program for the Blind/Visually Impaired**

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

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

**[jgil@visionsvcb.org](mailto:jgil@visionsvcb.org).**”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Fall term

**Location:** 135 West 23 Street, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Links:** <https://www.visionsvcb.org/get-involved/volunteering/volunteering-highschool-students/>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfcfehk1qzxV82-cwZyMI4KaGcDDAVM\\_ThUhy3NLxbaTHR1Gg/formResponse](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfcfehk1qzxV82-cwZyMI4KaGcDDAVM_ThUhy3NLxbaTHR1Gg/formResponse)

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#### **New:** [City Council District 39 Youth Fellowship](#)

“The District 39 Youth Fellowship is a 5-month program that offers youth ages 14-18 who live in or go to school in New York City Council District 39 an inside look at local government. The fellowship engages youth in local democracy, cultivates civic-mindedness, and strives to increase youth-led participation in government affairs. Fellows will work with the Office of Council Member Shahana Hanif to staff events, answer phones, get out the vote for participatory budgeting, and work on a variety of projects. Fellows will be mentored by youth program chairs throughout the duration of the fellowship.” Check the first link below to view the location of District 39

**Eligible:** All students who live in City Council District 39

**Dates:** February - June 2023

**Location:** In-person at District 39 offices at 456 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Brooklyn, or 250 Broadway, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 16** (11:59 PM EST)

**Links:** <https://council.nyc.gov/district-39/>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSemimUJrwQbyr2Q3UTKkJOVWLUYmRgN9Nls2pgbFeeoSEvLMw/viewform>

<https://twitter.com/CMSShahanaHanif/status/1610377905766293512?s=20&t=cAIpFVkONuRL9cqm66qyzQ>

#### **New:** [Navigating College Virtual IAP Workshop](#)

“Provided by the New York City Department of Education’s Office of Multilingual Learners, and facilitated in partnership with CUNY this school year, the **Immigrant Ambassador Program** offers monthly workshops from current college students focused on topics related to postsecondary planning for immigrant NYC DOE students and families. In this workshop, families will understand the educational rights of immigrant students and policies designed to ensure a safe school environment for their children, regardless of immigration status.”

**Eligible:** All Students

**Date:** January 19 (6:00 - 7:00 PM )

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learning/multilingual-learners/college-career-readiness-for-english-language-learners>

<https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJYvf-qrrzkqH9PHLZY1EWxPNWykLwvMhaRz>

**New:** [Angelo Del Toro Hispanic Youth Leadership Institute](#)

“If you are a Puerto Rican, Hispanic, or Latinx public high school student, you may apply to this year’s virtual Puerto Rican/Hispanic Youth Leadership Institute. The Institute focuses on developing leadership skills, provides the chance to engage with elected officials, and helps you gain in-depth knowledge about the state legislative process. As part of the Institute, you will complete an advocacy project that you can use towards the New York State Seal of Biliteracy on your high school diploma, and if you are a high school senior, you may apply to a college scholarship through the Institute.”

**Eligible:** All Hispanic sophomores, juniors, and seniors

**Dates:** March 11 – 13



**Location:** TBD

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 3**

**Links:** <https://prhyli.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/Application-Participant-Information-1.pdf>

<https://prhyli.org/contact/#nyc>

## **New: Seeds of Peace Programs**

### **1- Seeds of Peace Summer Camp**

“Our in-person Camp program invites you to spend two and a half weeks at a summer camp on a lake in Maine where you will have the opportunity to live with and learn from other high-schoolers from different backgrounds, experiences, and identities from your own as you take part in camp activities, dialogue, and action-oriented learning.”

**Eligible:** Current freshmen and sophomores

**Dates:** July 9 – 23

**Location:** Otisfield, Maine

**Cost:** \$6,000 (scholarships available)

**Application Deadline:** **February 15** (priority deadline) & March 31 (final deadline)

**Links:** <https://www.seedsofpeace.org/programs/developing-leaders/camp/camp2023/>

### **2- RISE Core Leadership Program**

“During your Core Leadership Program experience, you will take part in a series of workshops and dialogues, as well as leadership and action-taking opportunities, all while being a part of a tight-knit cohort of young people from around the country representing different backgrounds, identity groups, and lived experiences. You will come away ready to take part in other increasingly rigorous Seeds of Peace leadership programs that challenge and push you to deepen your engagement in your community. You will also be ready to mobilize and take action to create more just and inclusive societies in solidarity with others.”

**Eligible:** Current freshmen, sophomores, and juniors

**Dates:** March 4, 5, 18, 19, & April 29, 30, & May 20, 21

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$500 (financial aid available)

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.seedsofpeace.org/programs/developing-leaders/united-states/united-states-core-leadership-program/>

### **New: Manhattan & NYC Community Boards**

In the area of government service, Stuyvesant students may now apply to serve as full voting members of local **NYC Community Boards**, which play an important role in the life of their neighborhoods. Students may: 1) to apply to join the Community Board at his or her home residence; and/or 2) to apply to join Manhattan Community Board One, where Stuyvesant is located.

All interested students living in Manhattan may consider applying to the Community Board of their home residence. Students living in the Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens, or Staten Island should either contact their own Borough President's offices to ask about joining a Community Board there or apply for a Manhattan Community Board One position.

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 16 years old

**Dates:** Various

**Locations:** Various

**Application Deadline:** **March 17**

**Links:** <https://www.manhattanbp.nyc.gov/communityboards/>  
<https://form.jotform.com/223404628070146>

**Deadline Today:** Programs at Columbia's Double Discovery Center

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

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

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

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

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

***Dates:*** Various

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

***Application Deadlines:*** January 6

***Cost:*** Free

***Links:*** <https://ddc.college.columbia.edu/content/eligibility-0>  
<https://ddc.college.columbia.edu/content/our-program-model>

***Deadline Approaching:*** **Thurgood Marshall Paid Summer Law Internship Program (TMSLIP)**

“The Thurgood Marshall Summer Law Internship Program is an intensive internship program that places diverse New York City public high school students with legal employers for the summer. This program has provides students with an experience

designed to develop them as young professionals and expose them to the legal profession. The Diversity Pipeline Initiatives Committee and the Office for Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging at the New York City Bar Association provide students with additional programming in preparation for their summer internship, which pays interns from \$15 - \$21 hourly.”

***Eligible:*** All students who will be at least 16 years old by June 1

***Dates:*** Summer 2023

***Locations:*** Various

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **January 8**

***Links:*** <https://form.typeform.com/to/fBuNFbdD>

<https://www.nycbar.org/serving-the-community/diversity-and-inclusion/student-pipeline-programs/programs/thurgood-marshall-summer-law-internship>

### ***Deadline Approaching: The OppNet Fellows Program for Sophomores***

“During this six-year program, Student Fellows are able to gain skills in networking, academic habits, professional know-how, interviewing, and self-advocacy. Through a unique program structure integrating college guidance, transition, and success with professional exposure, career development, and five summers of paid internships or enrichment experiences, Fellows leave OppNet with robust resumes and lifelong networks of support ready to drive their personal and professional success forward.”

***Eligible:*** Current sophomores who identify as low-income (household income < \$125,000) and as a member of an underrepresented community

***Dates:*** Summer Institute (July 10 – 28); 2023 – 2029 (six-year commitment through college)

***Location:*** Hybrid

***Cost:*** Free

**Application Deadline: January 9** (early action) & March 6 (regular)

**Links:** <https://opportunitynetwork.org/fellows/>

<https://opportunitynetwork.org/apply/>

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1yLOUoD3k7OBVpEPHt6Sp-Dq7g4mNeyW7/view>

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1yLOUoD3k7OBVpEPHt6Sp-Dq7g4mNeyW7/view>

### ***Deadline Approaching: Let's Get Ready (LGR) SAT and College Application Prep Program***

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

**Eligible:** Current juniors and seniors

**Dates:** January 30 – April 14 (Mondays & Wednesdays or Tuesdays & Thursdays from 5 – 7 PM)

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline: January 11**

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

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

### ***Information Sessions & Deadlines Approaching:***

#### **International Programs for High School Students**

##### **1- Council on International Exchange (CIEE) Study Abroad Programs**

CIEE offers a variety of programs for students to explore another culture and language in over 30 different countries. Through their **Summer Abroad, High School Abroad, and Gap Year Abroad** opportunities, students can “get fully immersed in the daily

life of a local high school student far away from home,” “choose to focus on language learning, service and leadership, or content studies,” or “build the perfect pre-college experience and immerse oneself in a new language and culture”. They are offering an **information session on January 11** at 8 pm.

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various

***Locations:*** Various

***Cost:*** Various (financial aid available)

***Application Deadline:*** **January 18** (summer session)

***Links:*** <https://www.ciee.org/go-abroad/high-school-study-abroad>

<https://ciee.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAuc-GqrD4oE9zHS9B3ZzG9b42BZU7h9MZx>

<https://www.ciee.org/go-abroad/high-school-study-abroad/summer/ciee-global-navigator-virtual-fair-lp>

### ***Event Approaching:*** 2-Summer and Fall Term 2023 Pre-College Travel Programs from the Columbia Climate School

The Columbia Climate School offers two summer programs, one in the Green Mountains (Vermont), and Columbia Climate Corps for motivated high school students who are interested in traveling to engage in real-world research, ideas, and solutions for climate change. **They also offer a virtual fall 2023 program.**

Columbia Climate Corps consists of small group climate and sustainability focused travelling programs that combine international travel (Alaska, Chile, Peru, & Iceland) and climate-focused educational opportunities. Students will be joined by faculty and staff from the Columbia climate school who will engage them in cutting-edge research, leading lectures, facilitating workshops, and field-based & hands-on learning projects. Upon completion, participants will receive a certificate of participation from the Columbia Climate School. Motivated students who meet the income eligibility guidelines are eligible to apply for full or partial scholarships. Emphasis is placed on first generation students and those underrepresented in science, technology, engineering, arts, and math (STEAM).

The next online information session is January 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various; Next information session on **January 10th**

**Location:** Virtual and in-person options

**Application Deadline:** **March 15 for need based scholarships**

**Cost:** Fall term online: \$1,499.99

Summer Columbia Climate School in Green Mountains (In-person): \$6,920

Summer Columbia Climate Corps (In-person): (\$7,890 - \$8,290)

**Links:**

[https://apply.climate.columbia.edu/portal/pre\\_college\\_info\\_session?id=33d85765-Odd5-4316-879b-53aa595f0624](https://apply.climate.columbia.edu/portal/pre_college_info_session?id=33d85765-Odd5-4316-879b-53aa595f0624)

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/pre-college-programs>

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/frequently-asked-questions>

<https://www.climate.columbia.edu/columbia-climate-corps>

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

Scholarships: <https://www.climate.columbia.edu/pre-college-programs/applications-scholarships>

### **3- Campo Amigo 2023 Program - AYUDA**

“American Youth Understanding Diabetes Abroad (AYUDA) has applications open for their 2023 summer volunteering program, Campo Amigo! Working with a non-profit dedicated to empowering youths and educating communities living with diabetes worldwide, volunteers will attend virtual training programs on topics like cross-cultural communication and diabetes in a social context, develop strategies to fundraise \$6,500 for the program, and work directly with communities in collaboration with a local partner for two weeks in-country in the Dominican Republic! We are looking for highly motivated teens with adaptability and a multicultural outlook.

*Eligible:* Anyone 16 years or older

*Dates:* Virtual weekly meetings starting March 5th, in-country **June 24th-July 12th**

*Location:* Virtual, then Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

*Cost:* Free (excluding airplane fare and personal spending, but exceptions depending on how much you raise), with \$6,500 fundraising requirement

*Application Deadline:* **February 12**

*Links:* <https://www.ayudavolunteer.org/campo>

<https://www.ayudavolunteer.org/application-info>

<https://ayudavolunteer.typeform.com/apply-campo2023?typeform-source=www.ayudavolunteer.org>

#### **4-AMIGOS Summer Study Abroad Service Project Program**

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

*Eligible:* All students

*Dates:* Summer 2023

*Location:* Ecuador: Chimborazo, Ecuador: La Sierra, **OR** Panama: Tierras Altas

*Cost:* \$4,375 - \$5,875 (Financial Aid Available, Deadline: January 17)

*Application Deadline:* **April 18** (Session A), **May 9** (Session B)

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

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



***Deadline Approaching:*** **Bezos Scholars Program**

“The Bezos Scholars Program is a transformative, year-long, no-cost leadership development program that amplifies youth voice and action. Join a diverse cohort passionate about improving their communities while engaging with global leaders on an all expenses-paid trip to the Aspen Ideas Festival in Colorado. Participate in dynamic virtual workshops designed to increase leadership skills and inform student designed and led community change projects.”

***Eligible:*** All juniors (additional requirements listed below)

***Dates:*** June 23 – 29

***Location:*** Aspen, Colorado

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **January 12**

***Link:*** <https://www.bezosscholars.org/apply>

***Deadline Approaching:***

**Bank of America Student Leaders Paid Internship Program**

“As a Student Leader, you will participate in an eight-week paid internship at a local nonprofit organization where you will learn first-hand about the needs of your community and the critical role nonprofits play. In addition, you will learn valuable civic, social and business leadership skills. Each Student Leader will attend the Student Leaders Summit held in Washington, D.C. where you will learn how government, business and the nonprofit sector work together to address critical community needs.”

Letter of recommendation required to apply.

Travel fees, hotel, meals, etc. for the Washington Summit are covered.

***Eligible:*** Current juniors and seniors

***Dates:*** Summer (8 weeks)

**Location:** Various

**Application Deadline:** January 13

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://about.bankofamerica.com/en/making-an-impact/student-leaders>

**Deadline Approaching:** The Louis August Jonas Foundation (LAJF)

### 1- Camp Rising Sun Leadership Summer Program

Camp Rising Sun is a free, four week in-person or two-week virtual, full-scholarship sleepaway summer program that is designed to promote personal growth, leadership skills, a service ethic, and intercultural understanding. Selected campers include high school students from around the world.

**Eligible:** All students who are between 15 and 16 years old

**Dates:** June 23 – July 21 (boys and non-binary session) OR July 26 – August 23 (girls and non-binary session)

**Location:** Upstate New York

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** January 15

**Links:** <https://www.lajf.org/appliers>

<https://submit.link/15M>

### 2- The Ethical Leadership Experience

“For two weeks, join an intimate virtual international cohort for a highly interactive exploration of leadership, identity, justice, action, and imagination. Explore some of the most fascinating open problems outside of the standard curriculum, from robot judges to sustainable futures.”

**Eligible:** All students who are between 15 and 18 years old

**Dates:** July 17 – 30 OR August 7 – 20

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$250 (partial and full scholarships available)

**Application Deadline:** **February 1**

**Links:** <https://www.lajf.org/applyvirtual>

<https://lajf.submit.com//show/13>

***Deadline Approaching: Seeds of Fortune Scholars Program***

“We are a non-profit organization that seeks to financially empower young women of color by helping them make better financial decisions starting with college. We help them to apply to college scholarships, teach financial literacy, and professional development skills.”

This program includes a 10 Day Summer College Prep Boot Camp, Research Project mentored by Yale Women in Economics and guest Yale professors, \$2000 Scholarship to cover the cost of a four-day visit to Yale, Scholarship/College application help, Interview Prep, and Business Plan Competition.

**Eligible:** Current female juniors of color with household incomes less than \$125,000

**Dates:** 10 month support program (meets monthly)

**Location:** Hybrid (virtual and at Yale)

**Application Deadlines:** **January 17 (earlier applications are given priority)**

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://www.seedsoffortune.org/apply>

***Program Start Date Approaching: Young Governors Leadership Training***

“Founded in 2011 by Delia Kim Sorto and based in Elmhurst & Corona in Queens, our youth-led grassroots organization integrates extensive and intensive community needs assessments, teamwork, and meaningful public discourse. We aim to cultivate a body of informed and empowered young leaders cognizant of their agency and

responsibility as change-makers of the present and the future by hiring and training them.”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 14 years old and live in Elmhurst, Corona, Jackson Heights, Maspeth, or nearby

**Dates:** January 20 – February 22 (every Wednesday from 5 – 7 PM & every Saturday from 10:30 AM – 1 PM)

**Location:** New Life Fellowship Church, 82-10 Queens Blvd Elmhurst, Queens

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Links:** <https://www.younggovernors.org/>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScMID9R98cMm9D3HckTgYqcyuLNRSWZ7tLb58Y4tnv30yKIQa/viewform>

### **Miss CEO Leadership Circle**

“The Miss CEO Leadership Circle is a specialized live-online leadership workshop series designed to empower young women with a wealth of practical insights, valuable mentorship, inspiring community and helpful resources. There is no cost to participate and students who attend\* at least 4 out of the 6 total workshops, which are from 1 – 2 pm EST, will receive a certificate of completion at the end of the series.”

**Eligible:** All female students

**Dates:** Create Winning Resumes and LinkedIn Profiles: **January 22** (1 – 2 pm)

Your Ultimate Guide to Internships, Programs, Jobs & More: February 26 (1 – 2 pm)

Expand Your Impact: Excel as A Leader In High School: March 12 (1 – 2 pm)

Adopt The Best Time Management and Personal Productivity Techniques: April 23

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

*Link:* <https://www.missceo.org/circle>

### **Rise Challenge**

“Rise is a global talent program that finds extraordinary young people who need opportunity and supports them for life as they use their talents to serve others. Winners will receive need-based financial support for university and internships, mentorship and career services, and access to funding to scale up their social impact throughout their careers.”

*Eligible:* Students ages 15-17

*Dates:* October 18 – January 25 (100-day challenge)

*Location:* Virtual

*Application Deadline:* **January 25**

*Cost:* Free

*Links:* <https://www.risefortheworld.org/apply-to-rise/>

<https://www.risefortheworld.org/apply-to-rise/>

### **Sonia & Celina Sotomayor Judicial Internship Program**

“For Summer 2023, this Judicial Internship offers students interested in law an opportunity to intern with a state or federal judge located in one of the five New York City boroughs. Students will also “attend educational and professional development workshops. Students will intern with a state or federal judge located in one of the five New York City boroughs. Internship hours will likely be from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., subject to the assigned judge’s discretion. They must also be available to attend a mandatory one-day Orientation, virtually or in Manhattan, on a date TBD in May 2023.”

*Eligible:* Current Juniors

*Dates:* July 2023

*Location:* Virtual or In-person (TBA)

***Application Deadline: February 1***

***Cost:*** Free

***Links:*** <https://www.scsjip.org/highschooldivision>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeEhWR9dFQc2RKyTa7B2CnXiAHeXdP7c4dmZrWXtmaPiT9wGg/viewform>

### **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 2023 – May 2024 (Four week summer program lasts from July 2 – 28)

***Location:*** TBD

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline: March 3 (early deadline)***

***Links:*** <https://freedomandcitizenship.columbia.edu/about>

<https://freedomandcitizenship.columbia.edu/apply>

### **National Labor Relations Board Student Ambassador Program**

“The National Labor Relations Board is a federal agency that enforces the National Labor Relations Act. Through the NLRB’s **Student Ambassador Program**, students will get to engage with NLRB attorneys and investigators, and will learn about the rights of workers and the responsibilities of employers and unions. Students will complete a learning phase and then students will get the opportunity to create a public

facing project that the NLRB will help shape and promote. **Each student will be assigned an attorney or investigator as a mentor for the public facing project.**

Examples of a public facing project can be an article in a student or local newspaper or a presentation with an NLRB representative in a class or conference. This Program is a wonderful opportunity for students to develop familiarity with the law, law enforcement, and federal agencies. Equally as important, students will get the chance to create a project centered on what they have learned. They will develop their project skills, use their creativity, and step forward as leaders. At the end of the Program, they will receive a Certificate of Accomplishment.”

***Eligible:*** Current sophomores, juniors, and seniors

***Dates:***

**Learning Phase: July 17 to August 18.** Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays, 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. (hours may be adjusted to accommodate all participants)

**Project Phase: July 31 to August 18.** One virtual group meeting per week while you work on your individual project.

***Location:*** Zoom, with the possibility of visits to the Manhattan Regional Office located at 26 Federal Plaza in Manhattan

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **April 14:** Submit a statement of interest in no more than 1,000 words to the National Labor Relations Board’s Student Ambassador Program, which must include name, grade level at Stuyvesant HS, email, and cell phone number. Submit it to: Teresa Poor, Assistant Regional Director, [teresa.poor@nlrb.gov](mailto:teresa.poor@nlrb.gov) AND to Joane Wong, Senior Attorney, [joane.wong@nlrb.gov](mailto:joane.wong@nlrb.gov)

***Links to learn more about the NLRB:***

Website: [www.nlrb.gov](http://www.nlrb.gov) Twitter: [@NLRB](https://twitter.com/NLRB)/[@NLRBGC](https://twitter.com/NLRBGC)

NLRB on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/NLRBpage>

### **Queens Public Library Youth Justice Court (YJC)**

“The goal of the YJC program is to provide an alternative response to youth crime in the community. By joining YJC, you will learn about the foundations of the criminal justice system and become trained to serve as peer defense attorneys, prosecutors, and

jurors. You will have a say in how your peers can be held accountable in a fair and dignified way. As a Youth Court Advocate, you will help other teens, build your resume, have fun, and receive a Certificate of Achievement signed by the Mayor.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various, depending on location

**Locations:** Cambria Heights Library (218-13 Linden Boulevard), Central Library (89-11 Merrick Boulevard), Far Rockaway Teen Library (2002 Cornaga Avenue), Flushing Library (41-17 Main Street), Long Island City Library (37-44 21 St)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://www.queenslibrary.org/index.php/programs-activities/teens/other-programs/youth-justice-court>

<https://qlmarketing.typeform.com/to/IN2uy4?typeform-source=www.queenslibrary.org>

### **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 junior and 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:** TBA



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

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

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

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

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

### **NYC Youth Leadership Councils (YLCs)**

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

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 14 years old

**Dates:** Various

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

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

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

### **Next Steps Advising Resources**

“With the support of College and Career Advising programs, NYC high school students and their families can take advantage of the robust resources listed under

Next Steps Advising to continue their journey with passion and purpose! Resources include **live 1-on-1 college and career advising** and weekly texts of reminders with deadlines, information, and opportunities.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Monday - Friday (4:30 - 8:30 PM), Saturday & Sunday (10 AM - 2 PM)

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.schools.nyc.gov/learning/student-journey/college-and-career-planning/choosing-the-right-college>

## Arab American Association of New York (AAANY) Youth Programs

### 1- Brooklynat

“Brooklynat is a virtual discussion group for high school and college age young Arab women that explores themes of identity, community, and activism. Our group is engaged in the strengthening of our Arab diasporic community, in unity and conversation with native, black and brown peoples.”

**Eligible:** All Arab or Arab American female-identifying students

**Dates:** Tuesdays starting from 4 pm

**Location:** 7111 5th Avenue, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn

**Application Deadline:** **ASAP**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.arabamericanny.org/youth-development>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdgw71vcdlljN7IRjBemCJAcczZ\\_uszbEE0xnqgKmycu1Uahg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdgw71vcdlljN7IRjBemCJAcczZ_uszbEE0xnqgKmycu1Uahg/viewform)

### 2- Brooklyn Arab Youth (BAY)

“BAY is a co-ed community organizing and youth activism afterschool program. With a series of theme-based workshops and community projects, students have the space to analyze systems of oppression that touch their lives, and develop tools to organize. This fall, we will be running an afterschool photography course to empower students to capture the world around them through the art of photography. A mix of technical instruction, art activism exploration and on-the-ground photography, BAY Photographers is a chance to learn how to show the world how you see the world, in hopes of changing it just a little bit.”

**Eligible:** All BIPOC high school students who live in the Bay Ridge, Sunset Park, or South Brooklyn area

**Dates:** Thursdays from 4:30 pm - 6 pm

**Location:** 7111 5th Avenue, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn

**Application Deadline:** ASAP

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.arabamericanny.org/youth-development>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1IApjWENIQYSUW6EjgRuIGbNAyDdR2DstZ5ivOuMLLXA/viewform?edit\\_requested=true](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1IApjWENIQYSUW6EjgRuIGbNAyDdR2DstZ5ivOuMLLXA/viewform?edit_requested=true)

### GenSpace Bio Lab Teen Leadership Council

“The Genspace **Teen Leadership Council** (TLC) is a group that promotes youth leadership as they take action, support their communities, and explore their interest in STEAM. We have multiple teams that lead projects in education, activism, and social activities. As a part of Genspace - the world’s first community biology lab and a place where people of all backgrounds can learn, create, and grow with the life sciences - TLC has a passion for learning, educating, and making science accessible for everyone. TLC strives to create a collaborative and inclusive space for teens to grow, learn, and give back. **Interested in joining?** Just send us an email at [tlc@genspace.org](mailto:tlc@genspace.org) with your name, contact information, why you’re interested in joining TLC, and anything else you want us to know about you. A few sentences is plenty!”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various throughout the school year

***Location:*** 132 32 Street, Brooklyn

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

***Cost:*** Free

***Link:*** <https://www.genspace.org/teen-leadership-council>

### **Lawyer Connection Club**

“We strive to provide high school students an opportunity to understand various careers in law, politics and government. In giving students the chance to both learn about said careers through talking to a diverse group of professionals, we actively work to create a more informed youth who have a more accurate understanding of their interests. The club meets once a week via Google Meet with guest speakers - there will be opportunities to hear the life experiences of lawyers, judges, and other officials, ask questions, and receive advice on striving for similar success in the future. In the club, students will build their knowledge of higher education, job applications, interview skills, and the lifestyles of those in the professions they’re interested in.”

***Eligible:*** All Students

***Dates:*** Saturdays (3:00 – 4:00pm)

***Location:*** Virtual

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

***Cost:*** Free

***Links:*** <https://lawyerconnectioncl.wixsite.com/tlcc>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf-v1LLaqh2rn3LeSH-0EnIPV2tkrzDtbjtnvQTXDo6w55mPA/viewform>

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## Museums, Art, Photography:

*New: Deadline Approaching:*

### **Student Wellness Poster Contest: Health Resource Room Promotion**

“Health Resource Rooms are safe, supportive, inclusive places in your school building where students can receive confidential support and services from trained DOE staff. The Office of School Wellness Programs is excited to use student voices in the creation of new Health Resource Room posters. By using poster designs created for and by students like you, we hope to increase the number of students who know about and use Health Resource Rooms in middle and high schools across NYC. Each winning student will receive a \$200 Visa gift card in spring 2023; their school will receive an \$800 grant in fall 2023 to start or sustain its Health Resource Room. The winning posters will be printed and distributed to secondary schools citywide, starting in fall 2023.”

*Eligible:* All Students

*Application Deadline:* **January 17** (11:59 PM)

*Links:* <https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/7070981/2022-23-Health-Resource-Room-Promotion-Student-Poster-Contest>

### *New:* **BRIC Youth Curatorial Fellowship Teen Art Exhibition**

“Students are invited to plan and stage this exhibition of teen art. The World, Reflected in Your Eyes is an immersive exhibition about our realities. What are your revolutionary ideas for the future? What problems are we trying to solve? What do you want out of this reality? The room will be split into two sides: one side is a natural, blooming dreamscape. The other side is industrial, steampunk; this is open to interpretation. The Youth Curatorial Fellowship invites young up-and-coming artists

to share their views on the present and their visions for the future. How do you want our world and your world to look in the future?”

**Eligible:** All students

**Location:** 647 Fulton Street, Brooklyn

**Application Deadline:** **January 31**

**Links:** <https://www.bricartsmedia.org/education-media-resources/youthfamilies/youth-curatorial-fellowship>  
<https://bric.slideroom.com/#/login/program/70695>

### **New: Pratt Young Scholars**

“Current freshmen with an interest in art and design whose family’s household income is within the limits defined by the NYS free/reduced lunches family income criteria may apply for this three-year program, which includes summer & academic year art/design programs. College admissions assistance is also provided to participants.”

**Eligible:** Current freshmen who are low-income

**Dates:** Fall 2023 – Spring 2026

**Location:** Pratt Institute, Brooklyn campus (200 Willoughby Avenue)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **March 1**

**Links:** <https://www.pratt.edu/about/offices/office-of-the-provost/center-for-art-design-and-community-engagement-k-12/pratt-young-scholars/>  
<https://www.formpl.us/form/5059765335752704>

### **New: Water Resources Art and Poetry Contest**

“The New York City Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is excited to announce the launch of this year’s Water Resources Art & Poetry Contest. Students are invited to create original art and compose poetry that reflects an appreciation for

our shared water resources. There are five contest themes: Water, A Precious Resource; NYC's Water Supply System; NYC's Wastewater Treatment System; Harbor Water Quality and Healthy Marine Ecosystems; and Water Stewardship and Climate Change."

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** March 3

**Links:** <https://www.nyc.gov/site/dep/environment/water-resources-art-poetry-contest.page>

<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/dep/downloads/pdf/environment/education/art-poetry-contest-flyer.pdf>

**Deadline Approaching: Museum of Arts & Design (MAD) RECESS Internships**

"RECESS is a week-long, intensive internship program at the Museum of Arts and Design (MAD) and meets for two separate sessions during winter and spring school breaks. As a Recess Intern, you will learn about art and art history with other teens from around New York City. During RECESS I, teens will interview an artist for MAD's Artist studio program and create a podcast. During RECESS II, teens go behind the scenes to develop their own tours. Every RECESS intern who completes the program receives a **stipend of \$200**, an unlimited MetroCard for the week, and membership to MAD's teen council." **Eligible:** All students (vaccination required)

**Dates:** Recess I: **February 21 – 24**; Recess II: **April 11 - April 14**

**Application Deadline:** January 8

**Location:** 2 Columbus Circle, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.madmuseum.org/programs/teen-programs-mad>

<https://forms.gle/jNUSSryiwPFJqn6x5>

**Deadline Approaching: Center for Architecture Discover Architecture Program**

“The 2023 Discover Architecture program combines a three-day externship at an architecture office with a culminating design workshop at the Center for Architecture during the public school mid-winter break: Tuesday, February 21 to Friday, February 24, from 10 am – 3 pm daily. Students will spend Tuesday through Thursday at a local architecture firm gaining valuable, first-hand experience, then have a chance to test out their own design ideas at a hands-on design workshop and concluding event at the Center for Architecture on Friday.”

**Eligible:** Current sophomores and juniors

**Dates:** February 21 – 24 (10 am – 3 pm)

**Location:** TBD

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 9**

**Links:** <https://www.centerforarchitecture.org/k-12/teen-programs/discover-architecture/>

<https://www.centerforarchitecture.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2022/11/2023-Discover-Architecture-Student-Application-Form.pdf>

### **Deadline Approaching: Summer Arts Institute (SAI)**

The Summer Arts Institute (SAI) is a free, four-week intensive arts program for public school students entering grades 8–12. Students study film, dance, concert band, orchestral strings, theater, visual arts or vocal music under DOE arts teachers, arts organizations, and master guest artists. Students build portfolios and develop audition skills. They also help students plan for their next level of study, be it an arts-focused high school, college, or conservatory. Students may apply to only one studio, and will be asked to submit a virtual audition.

**Eligible:** Current freshmen, sophomores, and juniors

**Dates:** July 5 – 28



**Location:** Frank Sinatra School of the Arts: 35-12 35th Avenue, Astoria, Queens

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** January 13

**Links:** <https://tinyurl.com/SAI2023Application>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJO1bQsiYJroLQfj1aMvkhIToYsiV3JOv5R4zLu6dYbi-M\\_A/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJO1bQsiYJroLQfj1aMvkhIToYsiV3JOv5R4zLu6dYbi-M_A/viewform)

[https://aiany.secure.force.com/pmtx/evt\\_QuickEvent?id=a0b4N000039Nze6](https://aiany.secure.force.com/pmtx/evt_QuickEvent?id=a0b4N000039Nze6)

**Discount Application Deadline Approaching: The Putney School Summer Arts**

“Join us to hear about this hilltop in Vermont where teens, artists, and writers gather each July to make art, write, and create community. Students live in dormitories for four weeks on campus to attend creative workshops and community building.

Workshops include animation, ceramics, dance, farming, filmmaking illustration, life drawing, metal jewelry, painting, printmaking, sculpture, songwriting, theater, vocal ensemble, weaving, and writing stories. Meet Tom Howe, Director, and Dan Folgar, Associate Director of The Putney School Summer Arts for an info session.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** July 1 – 28

**Location:** Putney, Vermont

**Cost:** \$8,750 (\$9,100 for applications received after January 15<sup>th</sup>)

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis (January 15 for discount)

**Links:** <https://www.putneyschool.org/summer/>

<https://www.putneyschool.org/summer/teens/>

**Deadline Approaching: Whitney Museum Youth Insights (YI) Artists**

“YI Artists is a free semester long program that brings teens together with contemporary artists, providing opportunities to work collaboratively, discuss art

critically, and think creatively. YI Artists make art inspired by this exchange. Join the Whitney this spring in creating, critiquing, discussing, and making art together with Artists in Residence!”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Spring semester

**Location:** 99 Gansevoort Street, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 20**

**Links:** <https://whitney.org/education/teens>  
<https://whitneyedu.wufoo.com/forms/w2bzg4o1ov7lb3/>

### **Event Approaching: Met Museum Teen Fridays**

“Come on over to The Met for Teen Fridays—the place for teens to be creative, have snacks, and meet other teens with similar and different interests. Explore passions, ideas, and new activities every first and third Friday of the month. Drop in to join in teen-centered activities planned by teens, hang out and listen to music in a stress-free space meet and collaborate with teens and creative professionals, get creative in an open studio, hone your skills and experiment with fashion, design, writing, performance, music, art, and more. For teens at all levels of expertise and interest.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** **January 20**, February 3 & 17, and subsequent Fridays (4:30 – 6:30 pm)

**Location:** The Met Fifth Avenue (1000 Fifth Avenue, Manhattan)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.metmuseum.org/events/programs/met-creates/teen-fridays/teen-fridays>

## Design Discovery Spring 2023 Series

“This series 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 Urban Planning, Architectural Mold Making, Soho, Architectural Sketching.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** February 4, March 4, April 4, May 6 (10 am – 3 pm)

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

**Cost:** \$100 (full scholarships available)

**Application Deadline:** **January 21** (scholarship deadline) & Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://calendar.aiany.org/2023/02/04/design-discovery-urban-planning-grades-9-12/>

## Student Art Program (SAP)

Submit your artwork for a chance to be part of a group exhibition and receive a \$100 Blick art store gift card. The themes this year are “Viewpoints, Stories & Connections and/or Wonders of NYC”.

Students may only submit one 2D piece of artwork, which must be mailed or brought in person. See website for more instructions.

**Eligible:** All students

**Date:** Ceremony date TBD

**Location:** 45 West 34th St., Suite 1210

**Application Deadline:** **January 27 (6pm)**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://teens.artsconnection.org/sap/>

[https://teens.wpenginpowered.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/SAP-FY23\\_Application-Preview\\_Winter-Spring-2023\\_TWO-THEMES.pdf](https://teens.wpenginpowered.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/SAP-FY23_Application-Preview_Winter-Spring-2023_TWO-THEMES.pdf)

### **Teens Curate Teens Curator Application**

“Teens Curate Teens is a semester long, weekly exhibition program in which a small group of teens will curate an art exhibition.

Over 15 weeks, participants learn about art curation while visiting galleries and museum. Teens will select artwork created by NYC teens that respond to a theme picked by teens, curate an exhibition, and install the artwork. This is a program for teens and by teens. At the end of the semester, participants will host an exhibition opening reception.

This year’s theme is “Body image, positivity, and liberation.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** February 16 – May 18(Thursdays, 4:30-6:30PM)

**Location:** 520 8th Avenue (#321), Manhattan

**Application Deadline:** **February 5**

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=3263017232&attribution=false>

### **National High School Design Competition**

Cooper Hewitt, Smithsonian Design Museum invites all students to create & submit original designs on the topic of “What would you design for a more peaceful and just world?” You can enter as an individual or as a team of up to three people.

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** **February 13**

*Link:* <https://www.cooperhewitt.org/design-competition-how-to-enter/>

### **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 \$15 an hour and receive a free MetroCard.”

*Eligible:* Rising sophomores and juniors

*Dates:* July 11 – August 18

*Location:* 2 Columbus Circle, Manhattan

*Cost:* Free

*Application Deadline:* **April 23**

*Links:* <https://madmuseum.org/programs/teen-programs-mad>

<https://forms.gle/dE5r5ZsdQNsEzpPc7>

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### **Parks/Nature:**

#### **New: Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS) Discovery Guide Program**

“The Discovery Guide program is an educational volunteer opportunity for youth at all 5 WCS Zoos and Aquarium: Bronx Zoo, Central Park Zoo, Prospect Park Zoo, Queens Zoo, and the New York Aquarium. As a Discovery Guide, you will engage

zoo or aquarium visitors in fun, educational activities throughout the park; assist with education programs; and support wildlife and the environment through WCS campaigns. There are many exciting opportunities for you to take advantage of, and opportunities to grow within the program throughout the seasons. In this role, you will join the WCS Education Department in our mission to inspire a diverse and inclusive movement of conservation advocates!”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 14 years old

**Dates:** Spring 2023

**Locations:** Various (In-person at the NYC park locations)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 8**

**Link:** <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdx7hfIGvMZUYc2RUS5RDM-b7Gc3LH5k8ssQKxI47NwPqTD2w/viewform>

### **Information Session Approaching: Inspiring Girls\* Summer Expeditions**

“Inspiring Girls\* Expeditions is a tuition-FREE, 12-day wilderness science education program for 16-18-year-old high school cisgender girls and transgender, agender, Two Spirit, nonbinary, intersex, and genderqueer youth. All interested students are encouraged to apply, even (especially) if they don’t feel like they fit the “typical” image of a scientist or outdoors person. The students we most want to connect with often believe they are not qualified enough for our program, but we know from years of experience that the support of a trusted adult (like a mentor or teacher) can make all the difference in a student finding the confidence to apply.

The aim of this program is to provide each participant with a unique opportunity to move beyond their comfort zone through field-based science research projects, wilderness exploration, and nature-based art. We do not consider a student’s grades in our selection process; we just want to connect with participants ready to explore their own curiosity, creativity, and courage. In the summer of 2023 (Covid permitting), supportive, experienced, and knowledgeable guides and scientists will lead participants in mountaineering, kayaking or packrafting in Alaska, or rock climbing in Colorado. Please note that travel outside of the USA is not required to participate in this program.”

**Eligible:** Students 16 – 18 years old

**Dates:** Summer 2023

Virtual information session **January 11** (9pm)

**Location:** Various

**Application Deadline:** **January 30**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.inspiringgirls.org/>

<https://www.inspiringgirls.org/about-apply>

Information session sign-up: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd9bR6ZnMLbcD-f5cWynjJRpkbXeQ24rHqTBbeGxOIEWrFISg/viewform>

Informational flyer: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1VzZCb8CRHVDzThcaC-z7ugCIDrNOVgHx/view?usp=sharing>

## **It's My Park**

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

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Links:**

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

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

[https://www.nycgovparks.org/events/its\\_my\\_park\\_day](https://www.nycgovparks.org/events/its_my_park_day)

## **Prospect Park Alliance Volunteering Opportunities**

“Prospect Park Alliance engages thousands of volunteers annually to help keep Brooklyn’s Backyard green, vibrant and welcoming. Register today to become a

volunteer! Full vaccination is now required in order to attend volunteer events at Prospect Park, and masks are not required for outdoor projects.” Outdoor activities such as bird watching and concerts are also available.

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various dates

***Location:*** 95 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

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

### **Van Cortlandt Park Volunteer Opportunities**

“Van Cortlandt Park Alliance works with 2,000+ volunteers a year to complete community stewardship projects throughout the 1,146 acres of Van Cortlandt Park. There are various stewardship programs available, including Vital Volunteers, Trail Work Wednesdays, Forest Fridays, and more.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various

***Location:*** 80 Van Cortlandt Park South, Ste. E1, The Bronx

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

***Links:*** <https://vancortlandt.org/programs-overview/community-stewardship/>  
<https://vancortlandt.org/calendar-of-events/>

### **NYC Rangers Conservation Corps Internships**

"Our Ranger Conservation Corps interns gain experience while working with the Urban Park Rangers on environmental restoration in natural areas in our flagship parks.



Participants may go on exciting field trips including canoeing, overnight camping, and more. Interns receive community service hours.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Fall term session of eight weeks, one afternoon weekly

***Location:*** TBD

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **Rolling Basis**

***Links:*** <https://www.nycgovparks.org/programs/rangers/conservation-corps>

<https://www.nycgovparks.org/programs/rangers/conservation-corps/contact>

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#### ***Information Event Approaching:***

#### ***New:*** **[GOALS for Girls Summer Program: Information Session on January 7th](#)**

“GOALS (Greater Opportunities Advancing Leadership and Science) for Girls is a FREE six-week summer intensive all about STEM. Spend six weeks at the Intrepid Museum diving deep into topics such as aviation, space science, technology, engineering, and more. Engage in hands-on activities, explore the city and beyond through field trips, and learn about career paths in STEM by meeting incredible women actively working in STEM jobs. Information sessions are scheduled for January 7 and February 4 at 10:30 AM.”

***Eligible:*** Current 9<sup>th</sup> – graders who identify as female

**Dates:** July 3 - August 11

**Location:** In-Person at the Intrepid Museum (Hudson River at 46<sup>th</sup> Street)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **March 17** (Information Sessions: **January 7**, February 4)

**Links:** <https://www.intrepidmuseum.org/education/goals-for-girls>

<https://intrepideducation.wufoo.com/forms/goals-for-girls-summer-intensive-2023/>

### **New: 2023 Quantum Computing Winter School**

“The Quantum School is an intensive introductory program for high school and undergraduate students to learn about the exciting interdisciplinary field of quantum computing. Offered virtually with live instruction, students will learn the foundations of quantum computing, including quantum mechanics, quantum circuits, and quantum algorithms and protocols, all while gaining familiarity with Microsoft’s quantum computing language, Q#. Each day, students will participate in a lecture and a lab. Additionally, they will hear from leading quantum experts in industry to learn about career pathways in quantum computing. Guest speakers and lab tours are also offered. No prior quantum knowledge is expected or required, but a basic computer science knowledge of variables, functions, and loops is necessary. Upon completion, students will receive a certificate of completion.” Email [quantum@the-cs.org](mailto:quantum@the-cs.org) with any questions

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Weekends: February 4-5 & 11-12, (12:00 – 4:00 PM )

**Location:** Virtual on zoom

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Deadline 1- (Priority): January 15<sup>th</sup>**

**Deadline 2- (Regular): January 31<sup>st</sup>, until full**

**Links:** <https://www.qubitbyqubit.org/winter-school>

<https://www.cognitofrms.com/TheCodingSchool1/MicrosoftQuantumWinterSchool>

### **New: The Yale Summer Program in Astrophysics (YSPA)**

YSPA is a research program in which students spend two weeks virtually learning skills in astronomy and programming. Then, they are invited to the Yale campus for four weeks to develop a complex astrophysics modeling project. Students gain skills in physics, math, astronomy, programming, data visualization, and data science.

Members of underrepresented groups in STEM are encouraged to apply

**Eligible:** Current juniors

**Dates:** June 26 – July 7 (online) & July 9 – August 6 (residential)

**Location:** Hybrid (two weeks virtual & four weeks residential on the Yale campus)

**Cost:** \$6,900 (excludes transportation fees; need-based financial aid available)

**Application Deadline:** **March 13**

**Links:** <https://yspa.yale.edu/>

<https://yspa.yale.edu/how-apply>

### **Deadline Extended/ Approaching:**

#### **New York Academy of the Sciences Junior Academy**

“Junior Academy participants are enthusiastic learners and problem solvers with a passion for science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). They have a desire to collaborate with international peers to address the world’s most pressing challenges.

This is a special student application cycle for students interested in Public Health and joining the Stevens Initiative in the Spring 2023 semester of programming.”

**Eligible:** All students who are 13 – 17 years old

**Dates:** Spring 2023

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

***New Application Deadline: January 8***

***Links:*** <https://www.nyas.org/programs/global-stem-alliance/the-junioracademy/?tab=for%20students>  
[https://gsa.smapply.io/prog/student\\_programs/](https://gsa.smapply.io/prog/student_programs/)

***Deadline Extended/ Approaching: Think MIT Scholars Program***

“The Think MIT Scholars Program research competition invites students to submit project proposals on science, technology, and engineering ideas that span many fields, from green technologies and practical devices to software applications. As long as it can be completed in one semester with a \$1,000 budget, almost anything is fair game! The prize is weekly mentorship meetings with THINK team members for technical guidance, helpful resources, and updates on the projects progress and are given up to \$1,000 in funding for their project. Additionally, if permitting, finalists are invited to a four-day all-expenses paid trip to MIT's campus, where they tour labs, present their research to MIT students and faculty, and hang out with members of the THINK team.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** January – June 2023

***Location:*** TBD

***Cost:*** Free

***New Application Deadline: January 9***

***Link:*** <https://think.mit.edu/>

***Deadline Approaching: Endless Frontiers Labs 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 2022-2023 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. In-person and virtual meeting days are indicated below.” If you have any questions, please contact [info@endlessfrontierlabs.com](mailto:info@endlessfrontierlabs.com)

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** TBD

***Location:*** Various

***Application Deadline:*** ASAP

***Cost:*** Free

***Links:*** <https://endlessfrontierlabs.com/young-ambassadors/>  
[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSciL0PaVR22DwxKlpBo0EJHMDKz6h9q3x12ej4UiTaFJvhU\\_Q/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSciL0PaVR22DwxKlpBo0EJHMDKz6h9q3x12ej4UiTaFJvhU_Q/viewform)

### ***Deadline Approaching: STEMPREP Project @ The Distance Learning Center***

“The Distance Learning Center (DLC) is a non-profit corporation whose mission is to increase the number of underrepresented minorities (African-Americans, Mexican-Americans, Native Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Mainland Puerto Ricans) in science, technology, engineering, math, and medicine (STEMM). In STEMPREP, students gain exposure to STEMM by working in STEMM-based labs during the summer starting as early as the seventh grade and, based upon performance, are invited back each subsequent year through college.”

***Eligible:*** All 7<sup>th</sup> through 10<sup>th</sup> grade students from under-represented minorities

***Dates:*** 2nd or 3rd Saturday, June – 2nd Saturday, August (Eight Week Session)

***Locations:*** Various

*Cost:* Free

*Application Deadline:* **January 15**

*Links:* <http://thedistancelearningcenter.org/>  
<http://thedistancelearningcenter.org/application-process/>

***Priority 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 Biomedical Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Computer Science and AI, Data Science and Analytics, Electrical Engineering, Robotics Sustainability and Environmental Engineering.”

*Eligible:* All students

*Dates:* Session 1: July 5 – 25, Session 2: July 26 – August 15

*Location:* Columbia University's Morningside Campus

*Cost:* \$4,900 (full, need-based scholarships available)

*Application Deadline:* **January 15** (priority deadline, application fee will be waived for students who apply by this date)

*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=22c46117-f33f-40e1-b50e-b1d555d07674>

***Deadline Approaching:* Future Engineers Power to Explore Challenge**

“Your challenge is first to research Radioisotope Power Systems (RPS) and dream up a new RPS-powered mission. RPS is a type of nuclear "battery" that, for over 60 years, has enabled many spacecraft to explore some of the harshest, darkest environments, and farthest reaches of our solar system. Three national finalists in each grade category (9 finalists total) will receive a virtual session with a NASA RPS expert. One grand prize winner from each grade category (3 grand prize winners in total) will receive a trip for two to NASA’s Glenn Research Center in Cleveland, Ohio, to learn about the people and technologies that power NASA missions.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** January 17

**Link:** <https://www.futureengineers.org/powertoexplore>

### **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:** **January 18**, and once a month on a Wednesday in subsequent months

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

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

### **Museum of Mathematics Programs & Volunteer Opportunities:**

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

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xhuw-uSfDYtMyYN9CLhpDJzIEfW4v0ykVU5rQypSMug/edit?usp=sharing>

***Deadline Approaching: Amazon Future Engineers Scholarship and Internship***

“Students interested in computer science & the Tech Industry should apply to the Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship program for a chance at a \$40,000 scholarship. Winners also receive a guaranteed, paid 12-week summer internship at Amazon after completing their freshman year of college. Interns get to work on some of Amazon's groundbreaking technologies and core platforms, like Alexa voice technology, Amazon Web Services, and the Amazon retail platform. At the end of the summer, most interns ship production-level code to Amazon!”

***Eligible:*** Current seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA and financial need who will be majoring in computer science or a related field

***Application Deadline: January 20***

***Links:*** <https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships>  
<https://scholarshipamerica.org/amazonfutureengineer/>

***Deadline Approaching: 2023 Columbia University ‘State Pre-College Enrichment Program’ (S-PREP)***

“The State Pre-College Enrichment Program is an academic enrichment program designed for students who are interested in pursuing a career in medicine or related STEM fields. S-PREP offers enrichment courses and activities geared toward preparing students for success in math and science. In addition to the rigorous academic schedule, the program offers college preparation and career development workshops, college counseling services, field trips, and college tours. S-PREP requires that students attend consistently and give their best effort.”



**Eligible:** All students who are NYS residents and meet the economic eligibility guidelines outlined by the state ([STEP Income Eligibility Guidelines](#)) **OR** self-identify as either Black/African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian.

**Dates:** Saturdays from 9am – 11am from January 21 to May 20

**Location:** Columbia's Vagelos Education Center: 104 Haven Ave, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 20**

**Links:** <http://www.vagelos.columbia.edu/sprep>

<https://www.vagelos.columbia.edu/education/academic-programs/additional-educational-opportunities/summer-youth-programs/middle-high-school-students/state-pre-college-enrichment-program-s-prep/how-apply>

[https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/CP/File.php?F=F\\_5BCtrBfN1w8HgA5](https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/CP/File.php?F=F_5BCtrBfN1w8HgA5)

## **New York Historical Society Tech Scholars Program**

“Where are all the women in history textbooks? Explore important contributions by underrepresented women in history, then code and create a website to amplify a woman’s story as you learn HTML and CSS.”

**Eligible:** All female-identifying students

**Dates:** Various (February 20 – 24, March 2 – April 6, OR April 10 – 14)

**Location:** 170 Central Park West, Manhattan

**Cost:** Pay what you want

**Application Deadlines:** **January 22** (first & second sessions) & **March 5** (third session)

**Links:** <https://www.nyhistory.org/education/teen-programs/tech-scholars>

<https://nyhistory.wufoo.com/forms/qv3seb61fksxr0/>

<https://nyhistory.wufoo.com/forms/qsq4o1z1o568da/>

<https://nyhistory.wufoo.com/forms/q1p2b52w1ww1sjk/>

## **eCyberMission**

ECyberMission is an online STEM contest for teams of freshmen, who devise solutions to community-based problems in their area. National winners will receive U.S. Series Saving Bonds worth \$6,000, regional winners will receive \$2,000 bonds, and state winners will receive \$1,000 bonds.

**Eligible:** All 9th graders

**Dates:** January – June 2022

**Registration Deadline:** **January 25**

**Links:** <https://www.ecybermission.com/Overview>

<https://www.ecybermission.com/Register>

## **Joint Science Education Project (JSEP) Program**

“The two-week virtual Joint Science Education Project Program (JSEP) based in Greenland takes place in late June and July and is open to current juniors who are American citizens. Program Activities: “U.S. students complete hands-on modules and a group research project. A series of interactive modules led by Dartmouth graduate students and faculty introduce them to various topics in polar research (e.g., snow and ice physics; cold engineering; ecology of soils, plants, and animal life; the human dimensions of Arctic change). U.S. students then complete an inquiry-based research project based on topics of interest under the mentorship of a graduate student or faculty instructor. We host a virtual project symposium at the end of the program for students to share their work with a broader audience.”

**Eligible:** All current juniors who are American citizens

**Dates:** June – July 2023 (field program) OR July 24 – 28 (remote program)

**Location:** Greenland (field-based JSEP) or virtual (remote JSEP)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 31**

**Links:** <https://sites.google.com/dartmouth.edu/jsep2020/program-details?authuser=0>  
<https://sites.google.com/dartmouth.edu/jsep2020/how-to-apply/jsep-students/u-s?authuser=0>

### **Sustainable Solutions Engineering Essay Contest**

Students are invited to consider “how have female and/or non-white engineers contributed to engineering’s great achievements” in a short essay. The winner will receive \$500 as a prize.

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** **February 1**

**Link:** <https://www.engineergirl.org/148000/2023-Contest>

### **Massachusetts Institute of Technology Student Programs**

MIT is offering two free programs for current high school juniors:

#### **1- MITES Semester**

“Join MITES Semester (formerly MOSTEC) for a six-month, hybrid learning STEM and college preparation experience. Become part of an inspiring community of intelligent, motivated, like-minded peers—while building the skills and confidence you need for success. Running June through December, this national program will take you through engaging, rigorous online courses and weekly virtual webinars, social events, workshops, and meetings with peers in the fall. You’ll also benefit from college admissions counseling and learn and network with STEM professionals.”

**Eligible:** Current juniors (underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged)

**Dates:** June – December 2023

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 1** (application deadline) & February 15 (recommender deadline)

**Links:** <https://mites.mit.edu/discover-mites/mites-semester/>  
<https://mites.mit.edu/discover-mites/apply-to-mites/prepare-your-application-mites-summer-and-mites-semester/>

## 2- MITES Summer

“Join MITES Summer (formerly MITES) for our six-week, on-campus program that immerses students from across the country in life at MIT. You’ll take five rigorous, rewarding math, science, and humanities courses—and discover all you can achieve. You’ll also participate in lab tours and social events, and benefit from college admissions counseling. This national program gives you firsthand insights into the value and reward of STEM degrees and careers, while also developing the academic and personal skills you need for success.”

**Eligible:** Current juniors

**Dates:** Summer 2023

**Location:** MIT Campus

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 1** (application deadline) & February 15 (recommender deadline)

**Links:** <https://mites.mit.edu/discover-mites/mites-summer/>  
<https://mites.mit.edu/discover-mites/apply-to-mites/prepare-your-application-mites-summer-and-mites-semester/>

## 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'll 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 (June 20 – 30), Session 2 (July 5 – 15), OR Session 3 (July 18 – 28)

**Location:** In-person and virtual options available

**Cost:** Various (\$1,650 - \$1,875, full scholarships available)

**Application Deadline:** **February 14** (for discount) & **March 15**

**Links:** <https://www.onelab.org/apply>

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

### Inspirit AI Scholars Sessions

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

**Eligible:** All Students

**Dates:** Early June - Early August

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$1,100 (Spring & Summer)

**Application Deadline:** **February 15**

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

<https://inspiritai.typeform.com/to/yq7A18WT>

## STEM Center SHINE Engineering Summer Programs

“USC Viterbi School of Engineering’s Summer High School Intensive in Next-Generation Engineering (SHINE) offers students the chance to join a USC Viterbi research team for seven weeks to discover how engineering addresses our real-world problems in various fields, including biomedicine, robotics, aerospace, and more. Each student works with an assigned professor and a mentor dedicated to training them in experimental lab work or computational research. Each student works on authentic, immersive lab projects within their choice of innovative research.’

**Eligible:** Freshmen, sophomores, juniors

**Dates:** July 12 – July 28

**Location:** TBD: If in-person, on the USC campus

**Cost:** \$35 application fee, fee waivers available (apply by 2/28/2023)

\$5,750 paid in 1-3 installments or full amount, scholarships available for low-income students

**Application Deadline:** **February 24**

**Links:** <https://viterbi12.usc.edu/shine/>

<https://viterbi12.usc.edu/shine/faq/>

<https://viterbi12.usc.edu/shine/overview/>

## NYU ARISE STEM Research Program

“In this free, five-week summer research program in STEM, selected students will receive a stipend of at least \$750, conduct authentic research in labs while being mentored by a graduate student/faculty member, and get training in the college application process, speaking/presentation skills, and skills such as scientific ethics, contemporary issues in scientific inquiry, data collection/analysis, research practices, and lab safety. The subject areas offered are Anthropology, Biology, Biomedical Engineering, Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, Civil and Urban Engineering,

Computer Science and Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering.”

**Eligible:** Current sophomores and juniors

**Dates:** June 23 (orientation) & June 28 – August 11 (program duration)

**Location:** NYU Tandon Brooklyn campus (1 MetroTech Center, 19th floor)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **March 1** (application deadline) & **March 5** (recommender responses deadline)

**Link:** <https://engineering.nyu.edu/academics/programs/k12-stem-education/nyc-based-programs/arise>

### **MIT Lincoln Laboratory (LL) Beaver Works Summer Institute Spring Class and Summer Program**

“The four-week program teaches students programming & engineering skills through project-based, workshop-style courses. Currently, there are six courses available to students, including Programming for Autonomous Cars & Cognitive Assistants, Hack & Code, Analyzing the Building Blocks of Life, and more.” 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 earlier.)

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** February 1 - June 25 (Spring Online Courses) & July 11 - August 7 (Summer Program)

**Location:** Virtual/In-Person at MIT

**Cost:** Free

***Application Deadline: March 31 (both programs)***

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

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

### **NYU Tandon School of Engineering Summer Pre-College Programs**

NYU Tandon offers a wide variety of STEM-focused programs for high school students. The competitive free programs for local students provide unique opportunities for in-depth STEM studies and range from Applied Research Innovations in Science and Engineering, Computer Science for Cyber Security, Innovation, Entrepreneurship and the Science of Smart Cities. The fee-based programs are Programs in Integrated Design & Media, Machine Learning, Computer Engineering for Good, and Automation, Robotics, Coding.

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** Various;

***Location:*** MetroTech Center in Brooklyn

***Application Deadline:*** **April 20**

***Cost:*** Various; Some free programs

***Links*** <https://engineering.nyu.edu/academics/programs/k12-stem-education>

<https://nyu.zoom.us/j/92689036950?pwd=aDkvUUdKMmorWmFrMVo2L25TZhd6UT09#success>

### **Manhattan College Summer Engineering Awareness Program**

“Manhattan College is recruiting for their free 2023 Summer Program for Minority and Women High School Students interested in Engineering and Science. Students will be introduced to different career opportunities within engineering, as well as training in applying for college, financial aid, and SAT prep. This program introduces students to many aspects of engineering.”



**Eligible:** Current sophomores and juniors (priority to underrepresented and female students)

**Dates:** Ten-day Program (July 10 – 14 OR July 17 – 21)

Six-day Program Session I (June 23 & 24, OR June 26 - 29)

Six-day Program Session II (July 24 – 29, July 31)

**Location:** Leo Engineering Building, Room 236, Manhattan College (3825 Corlear Avenue, Bronx)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **April 24** (limited seats)

**Link:** [https://manhattancollege.formstack.com/forms/summer\\_engineering\\_program\\_registration](https://manhattancollege.formstack.com/forms/summer_engineering_program_registration)

### **Steven H. Strogatz Prize for Math Communication**

“Cash prizes will be awarded for compelling math communication projects, with winning entries recognized online. Share your love of math with the world through social media, video, writing, song, poetry, dance, apps, art, or audio — or any other mode of public communication — celebrating the universality of math. Entries will be judged based on content, creativity, and communication.”

**Eligible:** All students between the ages of 15 and 18

**Application Deadline:** **April 28**

**Link:** <https://momath.org/the-stein-h-strogatz-prize-for-math-communication/>

### **Youth Drone Camps**

“Our Youth Drone Camp is an interactive program that engages students in the engineering design processes while having FUN!!

The students will learn the essentials of operating drones including piloting, regulations, safety, and communication. In addition, students will participate in a drone race against other students. Our certified Drone Pilot instructors will provide the

students with basic knowledge of drone photography, videography principles and basic drone coding commands.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various (2-day events during the weekend)

**Location:** In person

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Cost:** \$500

**Links:** <https://www.dronesined.com/camps>

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1olomjfrsHp8PHTT0yollwzfPtYqCVvY/view?usp=sharing>

### **ChickTech High School**

“ChickTech High School is a free year-long series of hands-on tech workshops, mentoring, and internship connections for 8th- to 12th-grade female, non-binary, and other gender minority students (including transgender youth of any gender presentation or identity). Students can expect monthly hands-on workshops, from video game design to robotics, web development to environmental science, a supportive Discord community to chat about tech (& beyond!), mentorship opportunities with industry professionals working in STEM fields, and panel discussions and talks with a focus on career skills and diversity in tech.”

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

**Dates:** November - June 2023

**Location:** TBA

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

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

## Blue Stamp Engineering (BSE) Summer Classes

Students engage in hands-on engineering & tech projects in fields of their choice, including robotics, coding, electronics, and more. They may register individually or as a small group – classes consist of 3-5 students.

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various during the Summer

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** \$2,200

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Link:** <https://bluestampengineering.com/programs/>

## World Science University Self-Paced Courses

“World Science U, the education platform of the World Science Festival, offers in-depth explorations of science guided by Nobel Laureates, renowned researchers, and master educators. Our mission is to cultivate a general public informed by science, inspired by its wonder, convinced of its value, and prepared to engage with its implications for the future. Courses offered include 100 Years of Gravitational Waves, A New Approach to the Search for Extraterrestrial Life, Big Brains, Small Brains, Computational Language: A New Kind of Science, Exploring Our Humanity, and more!”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <https://worldscienceu.com/> <https://worldscienceu.com/courses/>

## **Make School Tutorials**

The Make School website offers tutorials on Introduction to Computer Science as well as various CS projects such as mobile apps, websites, games, and more.

**Eligible:** All students

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://makeschool.org/mediabook/>

<https://makeschool.org/mediabook/tutorials/>

<https://makeschool.org/mediabook/course/cs-1-0/the-adventure-begins/the-adventure-begins/>

**NASA** offers a variety of resources and programs for students interested in aerospace technology.

**Links:** <https://www.nasa.gov/audience/forstudents/current-ops-index.html>

[https://www.nasa.gov/audience/forstudents/9-12/index.html#.UtAyv\\_vAG2k](https://www.nasa.gov/audience/forstudents/9-12/index.html#.UtAyv_vAG2k)

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

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

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**New: International Young Researchers' Conference Medicine and Research Summer Program**

“The Medicine and Research Summer Program hosted by the Columbia University Vagelos College of Physician and Surgeons (VP&S) is a 9-week summer program featuring physicians, researchers, and medical students at Columbia University who teach about diverse topics of medicine. Students will learn how to take a patient history, interview several standardized patients, engage in ethical discussions, and study human anatomy. In addition, students will learn research methods for finding sources, analyzing data, and writing a manuscript. This summer features an additional Brain Intensive focused on Neurology, Neurosurgery, and Psychiatry where students will learn about anatomy, diagnoses, and patient experiences.”

***Eligible:*** All Students

***Dates:*** June 24 - August 19 (10:30 AM - 1:00 PM EST)

***Location:*** Virtual

***Cost:*** \$300 - \$400 (depending on the deadline)

***Application Deadline:*** **January 29** (Early Deadline), **April 30** (Regular Deadline), **June 17** (Late Deadline)

***Links:*** <https://www.the-iyrc.org/summer-program.html>  
[https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_1TDKZzTqlm6TZJQ](https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1TDKZzTqlm6TZJQ)

### ***New: The Perry Initiative STEM Outreach Program***

“The Perry Outreach Program is a free, one-day, hands-on experience for high school women who are interested in pursuing careers in medicine and engineering. Students will hear from women leaders in these fields and try it for themselves by performing mock orthopaedic surgeries and biomechanics experiments.”

***Eligible:*** Students in 10th grade and up who identify as female or nonbinary

***Dates:*** March 25

**Location:** In-person at New York University

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 23** (Spots fill quickly, so apply ASAP!)

**Links:** <https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-outreach-program-new-york-ny-nyu/>  
<https://perryinitiative.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/New-York-NYU-POP-032523-flyer.pdf>

***Deadline Extended/ Approaching: Think MIT Scholars Program***

“The Think MIT Scholars Program research competition invites students to submit project proposals on science, technology, and engineering ideas that span many fields, from green technologies and practical devices to software applications. As long as it can be completed in one semester with a \$1,000 budget, almost anything is fair game! The prize is weekly mentorship meetings with THINK team members for technical guidance, helpful resources, and updates on the projects progress and are given up to \$1,000 in funding for their project. Additionally, if permitting, finalists are invited to a four-day all-expenses paid trip to MIT's campus, where they tour labs, present their research to MIT students and faculty, and hang out with members of the THINK team.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** January – June 2023

**Location:** TBD

**Cost:** Free

**New Application Deadline:** **January 9**

**Link:** <https://think.mit.edu/>

***Deadline Extended/ Approaching:***

## New York Academy of the Sciences Junior Academy

“Junior Academy participants are enthusiastic learners and problem solvers with a passion for science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). They have a desire to collaborate with international peers to address the world’s most pressing challenges. This is a special student application cycle for students interested in Public Health and joining the Stevens Initiative in the Spring 2023 semester of programming.”

**Eligible:** All students who are 13 – 17 years old

**Dates:** Spring 2023

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**New Application Deadline: January 8**

**Links:** <https://www.nyas.org/programs/global-stem-alliance/the-junioracademy/?tab=for%20students>

[https://gsa.smapply.io/prog/student\\_programs/](https://gsa.smapply.io/prog/student_programs/)

## **Classes Approaching: Genspace Classes**

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

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

**Dates:** Various (from early October to December)

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

**Cost:** Various

***Application Deadline: Rolling Basis***

***Link:*** <https://www.genspace.org/classes#>

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

***Deadlines Today: Rockefeller University Research Programs***

**1- Summer Science Research Program (SSRP)**

“Students who are accepted into the SSRP mentored bioresearch program will participate in their own research project as part of a themed research track (i.e. RNA bioinformatics or fly behavior). Each track will consist of 8-12 SSRP students led by a RockEDU Fellow and their facilitation team of Track Scientists. RockEDU Fellows and Track Scientists are members of the Rockefeller scientific community (Post-docs, graduate students, and staff scientists) who will guide students through their research projects through a combination of foundational lectures and skills building activities. Students will also attend a weekly suite of core lectures and courses that will bring together the entire SSRP cohort. These meetings will include talks from Rockefeller scientists as well as discussions of the styles of scientific reasoning, ethical practices in science, careers in science, and other topics.” The program includes a MetroCard for transportation as well as applications for stipends.

***Eligible:*** Current juniors and seniors

***Dates:*** June 26 – August 10 (35 hours/week)

***Location:*** The Rockefeller University (1230 York Avenue)

***Application Deadline: January 6***

***Cost:*** Free

***Links:*** <https://www.rockefeller.edu/outreach/ssrp/>

<https://www.rockefeller.edu/outreach/ssrp/faqs/>

<https://rocku.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJUudOyrrz4iE9TagTkGAuGJzF0nbGcU5hpJ>

About the SSRP: <https://www.rockefeller.edu/outreach/ssrp/>



## **2- Rockefeller University LAB JumpStart Spring & Summer Program**

“RockEDU’s LAB Jumpstart program supports 16 high school students attending NYC schools in a combined after-school and summer research experience. The 2023 LAB Jumpstart session will take place in person, and is specifically designed to promote the development of scientific thinking and research skills through a variety of talks, workshops, and individual mentorship. Those interested in applying to the LAB Jumpstart program must first be nominated. We welcome student nominations from any adult who has served in a formal or informal capacity as a teacher, counselor, mentor, employer, religious leader, community advocate, etc. for a prospective student applicant(s).”

**Eligible:** Current juniors & seniors who are at least 16 years old by the start of the program (Students from underserved backgrounds are encouraged to apply)

**Dates:** March 2 - June 20 & June 26 - August 10

**Location:** In-Person at Rockefeller University, 1230 York Avenue, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 6**

**Links:** [https://www.rockefeller.edu/outreach/lab-jumpstart/?mc\\_cid=44c58c0415&mc\\_eid=c789be8b18](https://www.rockefeller.edu/outreach/lab-jumpstart/?mc_cid=44c58c0415&mc_eid=c789be8b18)

[https://labjumpstart.rockefeller.edu/nominate/?mc\\_cid=12ce62b5d4&mc\\_eid=c789be8b18](https://labjumpstart.rockefeller.edu/nominate/?mc_cid=12ce62b5d4&mc_eid=c789be8b18)

### **Deadline Approaching: Perry Virtual Experience**

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

simulations and biomechanics experiments. The online session will be administered using Zoom meetings.

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

**Eligible:** All female and nonbinary students

**Date:** January 17 (6pm–8:30pm)

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** January 8

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://perryinitiative.org/event/perry-virtual-experience-open-registration-9/>

**Event Approaching: BraiNY Bunch Neuroscience Journal Club**

“The BraiNY Bunch Journal Club is an open, virtual meeting to discuss scientific papers co-presented by two students (high school juniors or seniors) who are mentored by a graduate student, postdoc, or research staff. The BraiNY Bunch will provide attendees with the opportunity to learn about different areas of neuroscience through careful reading and discussion of scientific findings. Join to hear the presentation and to participate in discussion and Q&A.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** January 8, February 5, March 5, and the first Sundays of the subsequent months from 12–1 pm

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.comebebrainy.com/brainy-bunch>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeS5\\_Yb4MtXi5QBxQIZNIUds9NdZTbSneufmh6bEo-893T8IA/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeS5_Yb4MtXi5QBxQIZNIUds9NdZTbSneufmh6bEo-893T8IA/viewform)

***Deadline Approaching:* Genspace Biorocket Research Internship Program**

“The Biorocket Program is a spring term after-school hands-on science program and summer research internship that gives students an opportunity to learn the latest advances in genetic engineering and biology laboratory skills. Teens will have access to scientific mentors, behind-the-scenes lab tours and field trips, and improv training for science communication skills at Genspace, a community biology lab in Brooklyn. Students will also earn a **\$2,000 stipend** and get career guidance and tour other research labs and biotech companies.”

***Eligible:*** All students who are at least 16 years old (underrepresented groups strongly encouraged)

***Dates:*** 2 days/week from February-May afterschool & 20-25 hours/week for 7 weeks from July-August

***Location:*** Genspace Lab - 132 32nd Street, Brooklyn

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:* January 11**

***Links:*** <https://www.genspace.org/biorocket>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc6LeDSOquzTAJP3LuaNnQAsm4XOc1kYc-avcCjnQoGUHXodw/viewform>

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“The State Pre-College Enrichment Program is an academic enrichment program designed for students who are interested in pursuing a career in medicine or related STEM fields. S-PREP offers enrichment courses and activities geared toward preparing students for success in math and science. In addition to the rigorous academic schedule, the program offers college preparation and career development

workshops, college counseling services, field trips, and college tours. S-PREP requires that students attend consistently and give their best effort.”

**Eligible:** All students who are NYS residents and meet the economic eligibility guidelines outlined by the state ([STEP Income Eligibility Guidelines](#)) **OR** self-identify as either Black/African American, Hispanic/Latino, Alaskan Native or American Indian.

**Dates:** Saturdays from 9am – 11am from January 21 to May 20

**Location:** Columbia's Vagelos Education Center: 104 Haven Ave, Manhattan

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 20**

**Links:** <http://www.vagelos.columbia.edu/sprep>

<https://www.vagelos.columbia.edu/education/academic-programs/additional-educational-opportunities/summer-youth-programs/middle-high-school-students/state-pre-college-enrichment-program-s-prep/how-apply>

[https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/CP/File.php?F=F\\_5BCtrBfN1w8HgA5](https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/CP/File.php?F=F_5BCtrBfN1w8HgA5)

### **Joint Science Education Project (JSEP) Program**

The two-week virtual Joint Science Education Project Program (JSEP) based in Greenland takes place in late June and July and is open to current juniors who are American citizens. Program Activities: “U.S. students complete hands-on modules and a group research project. A series of interactive modules led by Dartmouth graduate students and faculty introduce them to various topics in polar research (e.g., snow and ice physics; cold engineering; ecology of soils, plants, and animal life; the human dimensions of Arctic change). U.S. students then complete an inquiry-based research project based on topics of interest under the mentorship of a graduate student or faculty instructor. We host a virtual project symposium at the end of the program for students to share their work with a broader audience.”

**Eligible:** All current juniors who are American citizens

**Dates:** June – July 2023 (field program) OR July 24 – 28 (remote program)

**Location:** Greenland (field-based JSEP) or virtual (remote JSEP)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **January 31**

**Links:** <https://sites.google.com/dartmouth.edu/jsep2020/program-details?authuser=0>  
<https://sites.google.com/dartmouth.edu/jsep2020/how-to-apply/jsep-students/u-s?authuser=0>

### **Human Oncology & Pathogenesis Program (HOPP) Summer Student Program**

“HOPP provides high school students with hands-on experience in laboratory techniques. Students conduct independent research projects and attend enriching training sessions and tours designed to support their interest in the clinical side of translational research and fuel their curiosity for science. Students will receive a total **stipend amount of more than \$1,000** for participation.”

**Eligible:** All students who will be at least 14 by June 28 and have a 3.5 GPA in science subjects (underrepresented and disadvantaged student applications strongly encouraged)

**Dates:** June 28 – August 23

**Location:** Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center (1275 York Avenue, Manhattan)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 10**

**Links:** <https://sam.mskcc.org/>  
<https://www.mskcc.org/education-training/high-school-college/hopp-summer-student>  
[https://www.mskcc.org/sites/default/files/node/5607/documents/brochure\\_2023.pdf](https://www.mskcc.org/sites/default/files/node/5607/documents/brochure_2023.pdf)

### **Updated: Boston Leadership Institute Summer Programs**

“The Boston Leadership Institute is accepting applicants for its various summer 2023 STEM research programs. They offer one-week and three-week program options.

Participants will engage in experimental research with faculty experts and explore potential college majors and careers in science, medicine, business, engineering, and technology. Some programs include Biotech Research, Oncology Research, Marine Biology, Astrophysics, Pediatrics and Neonatal Medicine, Applied Physics and Engineering, STEM Entrepreneurship, Finance, Orthopedic Surgery, Pediatrics, and much more.”

***Eligible:*** All Students

***Dates:*** Various (June - August 2023)

***Location:*** Virtual or In-Person at Boston Leadership Institute, Massachusetts

***Cost:*** Various (\$1,200 - \$2,097) (Limited Need-Based Scholarships Available)

***Application Deadline:*** **May 15**

***Links:*** <https://www.bostonleadershipinstitute.com/three-week-programs/>

<https://www.bostonleadershipinstitute.com/application/>

### **Summer Science Program (SSP)**

“SSP is a unique immersion into hands-on experimental science. You and two teammates will perform real research, collecting your own data and doing your own analysis. (How? We'll teach you.) Guest lectures and field trips round out the jam-packed schedule, for what could be the best summer of your life.”

***Eligible:*** Current juniors

***Dates:*** Mid-June – late July

***Locations:*** Various

***Cost:*** \$7,950 (generous financial aid ranging up to full aid is available)

***Application Deadline:*** **March 3**

***Links:*** <https://summerscience.org/>

## Asia America Career Connection (AACCC) Summer Program

“Our shadowing programs are designed to help you not only to understand the realities of life as a doctor, or a nurse and to help you to create the knowledge you need when you apply to medical school, nursing school, or dental school, but also to better understand global healthcare systems and services. The program includes 40+ hours of small group lectures & discussions and student hands-on experiences with mentors and experienced doctors. Participants are able to select departments, including internal medicine, general surgery, neurology, pediatrics, cardiology, oncology, public health, Chinese medicine, and more. Participants can learn from premed & medical school students, pursue healthcare-related careers, gain professional experience and teamwork skills through group presentations, build up a healthcare career portfolio, and more. The program includes complimentary classes such as Tai Chi, Tea meditation, and more cultural and exploratory opportunities for on-site participants.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** July 7 - 30 (Virtual) **OR** June 25 - July 9 (In-Person)

**Location:** Virtual or In-Person in Guangzhou, China or Qingdao, China

**Cost:** \$749 (Virtual), \$2,998 (In-Person)

**Application Deadline:** May 26

**Links:** <https://shadowinchina.org/>

<https://shadowinchina.org/2019/07/online-program-2020/>

<https://shadowinchina.org/schedules/>

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**[New: Youth Communication Teen Writing Internship](#)**

“If you’re a New York City teen and like the idea of writing stories that will help your peers, Youth Communication is the place for you. Teen writers are mentored by full-time professional editors, learning memoir writing and journalism skills. As a group,

we will participate in discussions and activities related to journalism and issues you care about. Writers will be **paid \$100 per published article**. We will provide laptops to participants who do not have them.

Writers must commit to working with us two days a week, two hours a day, anytime between the hours of 1pm and 6pm to be arranged between you and your editor.”

Email [jreid@youthcomm.org](mailto:jreid@youthcomm.org) with any questions.”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 15 years old

**Dates:** Interviews: week of February 13<sup>th</sup>, internship starts on February 27

**Location:** In-person (242 W. 38th Street, Manhattan) and virtual options available

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 3**

**Link:** <https://youthcomm.org/teens-write-for-us/>

### **Updated: OnTRaC College and Career Readiness Spring 2023**

“OnTRaC is a free after school college and career readiness program specifically designed for young people interested in going into the creative industries. You will network with industry professionals, build your resume writing & communication skills, and create a relationship with a mentor in your field of interest. Teens meet once a week to learn about the college application process, connect with industry professionals and develop their portfolio for future opportunities. Participants who successfully complete the program receive a \$140 stipend.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various dates from February 1 - May 10 (4:30-7:30pm)

**Location:** In person: Location TBD

**Application Deadline:** **February 5**

**Cost:** Free



**Links:** <https://teens.artsconnection.org/ontrac/>  
[https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=2a36503964&attribution=false&mc\\_cid=df7face77e&mc\\_eid=e22eb70ff3&e=e22eb70ff3](https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=2a36503964&attribution=false&mc_cid=df7face77e&mc_eid=e22eb70ff3&e=e22eb70ff3)

### **New: Teen Reviewers and Critics (TRaC)**

“TRaC is a series of writing workshops in the visual arts, music, theater, dance, media, multi-arts, and film. Over ten weeks, participants learn the language of each art discipline while seeing shows and meeting professional artists. After each experience students write short, creative responses about what they saw and discuss with their peers.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Weekly Events from February 26 - May 7 (4:30 - 6:30 PM)

**Location:** In-person at various locations

**Application Deadline:** **Sunday, February 26**

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://teens.artsconnection.org/trac/>  
[https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=42fe1d447e&attribution=false&mc\\_cid=df7face77e&mc\\_eid=e22eb70ff3&e=e22eb70ff3](https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=42fe1d447e&attribution=false&mc_cid=df7face77e&mc_eid=e22eb70ff3&e=e22eb70ff3)

### **New: NYC Public School Film Festival/Contest**

“The 5th Annual Film Festival invites students to create original films (5 minutes or shorter) in any of the following categories: animation, short feature/narrative, documentary, experimental, and public service announcement/advocacy. A panel of educators and media professionals will select approximately 20 films for recognition. Each film selected will receive a certificate of official selection. Filmmakers of

selected films will be invited to a special Screening Day and Career Development event tentatively scheduled for April 25.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** **March 7**

**Link:** <https://filmfreeway.com/NYCPublicSchoolFilmFestival>

### **New: Young Writers Workshop at John Carroll University**

“John Carroll University invites students to participate in a program that introduces the art and craft of poetry, short fiction, and creative nonfiction. Workshop sessions and individual conferences with the teachers take place. Students will submit writing for the anthology, which will be published by the final day of the camp.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** July 24 – 28

**Location:** Virtual and in-person options available

**Cost:** \$380 (online and day camp) OR \$980 (overnight camp); scholarships may be available

**Application Deadline:** **June 1**

**Links:** <https://www.jcu.edu/academics/english/undergraduate/special-programs/yww/how-to-apply>  
<https://admission.jcu.edu/register/youngwritersworkshop>

### **Deadline Approaching: Asian Youth for NYC News (AYNYC) Journalism Project**

“AYNYC is a youth-led and produced online newspaper currently looking for new writers. Students can find us on Instagram: @dearasianyouthbrooklyn. If you have any questions, feel free to reply to: [dearasianyouthbrooklyn@gmail.com](mailto:dearasianyouthbrooklyn@gmail.com)

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Rolling Basis

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis; Spots are limited, so apply ASAP!

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfQkcyYWSJCIBFT2LnvRj8G-dvLaYznxpI8lcNZGrpURH4B5A/viewform>

### **Deadline Today: Youth Communication Writing Contest**

“Youth Communication is sponsoring a writing contest for young people. Every three months, we will highlight five recent articles and ask readers to write a response to the author of a story. Tell them how you related to their story, what lessons you learned, or other ways the story impacted you. We will choose three winners with prizes of \$150 (1st prize), \$75 (2nd prize), and \$50 (3rd prize.)”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 14 years old

**Application Deadline:** January 6

**Link:** <https://youthcomm.org/teen-writing-contest/>

### **Event Today: ReelWorks Film School Fridays**

“Looking to work on or promote your film? Reel Works Film School Fridays connect young filmmakers with peer mentors and craftspeople in the entertainment industry. Come sharpen your skills with us and receive tutoring support in editing, cinematography, storytelling, screenwriting, sound, lighting, and film festival submission tips!”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** January 6, and other Fridays (4:30 – 6:30 pm)

**Location:** TBD

**Cost:** Free

***Application Deadline: Rolling Basis***

***Links:*** <https://www.reelworks.org/afterschool>

<https://reelworks.typeform.com/FilmSchoolFri>

***Audition Dates Approaching:***

### ***Bolshoi Ballet Academy Summer Intensive Program Auditions***

“Bolshoi Ballet Academy Summer Intensives in NY provide a unique opportunity to train with the Bolshoi Ballet Academy's Master Teachers. The program offers pre-professional ballet training through class instruction, a final performance, and other related activities. BBASI NY is designed to ensure that students achieve maximum individual progress with a focus on clarity of technique, strength, and musicality. The Program’s overall environment is non-competitive and teamwork is emphasized.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** January 7 (in-person audition), January 15 (virtual), and February 11 (virtual)

***Location:*** In-person (Marymount Manhattan College 221 East 71st Street, Manhattan) and virtual options available

***Cost:*** \$40 (in-person audition fee) or \$45 (virtual and video audition fee)

***Application Deadline: Rolling Basis***

***Link:*** <https://www.bolshoiballetacademy.com/auditions>

***Deadline Approaching: Japan Center Essay Competition (JCSB)***

“The aim of the JCSB essay competition is to provide young Americans with an opportunity to think creatively and critically about their lives by relating them to some aspect of Japan to help them broaden their horizons and develop global citizenship.

Winners will receive cash prizes of up to \$3,000 and a Canon camera.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Application Deadline: January 8***

*Link:* <https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/japan/programs/essay-comp.php>

***Deadline Approaching: Summer Arts Institute (SAI)***

The Summer Arts Institute (SAI) is a free, four-week intensive arts program for public school students entering grades 8–12. Students study film, dance, concert band, orchestral strings, theater, visual arts or vocal music under DOE arts teachers, arts organizations, and master guest artists. Students build portfolios and develop audition skills. They also help students plan for their next level of study, be it an arts-focused high school, college, or conservatory. Students may apply to only one studio, and will be asked to submit a virtual audition.

***Eligible:*** Current freshmen, sophomores, and juniors

***Dates:*** July 5 – 28

***Location:*** Frank Sinatra School of the Arts: 35-12 35th Avenue in Astoria, Queens

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **January 13**

***Links:*** <https://tinyurl.com/SAI2023Application>

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJO1bQsiYJroLQfj1aMvkhIToySiV3JOv5R4zLu6dYbi-M\\_A/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJO1bQsiYJroLQfj1aMvkhIToySiV3JOv5R4zLu6dYbi-M_A/viewform)

***Deadline Approaching: JFK Profiles in Courage Essay Contest***

The JFK Profiles in Courage essay contest offers a \$10,000 top prize along with other prizes and certificates. The topic is: “Describe and analyze an act of political courage by a US elected official who served during or after 1917.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Application Deadline:*** **January 13**

**Links:** <https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essaycontest/getting-started> <https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest/eligibility-andrequirements>

***Discounted Application Deadline Approaching: The Putney School Summer Arts***

“Join us to hear about this hilltop in Vermont where teens, artists, and writers gather each July to make art, write, and create community. Students ages 14-17 live in dormitories for four weeks on campus to attend creative workshops and community building. Workshops include animation, ceramics, dance, farming, filmmaking illustration, life drawing, metal jewelry, painting, printmaking, sculpture, songwriting, theater, vocal ensemble, weaving, and writing stories. Meet Tom Howe, Director, and Dan Folgar, Associate Director of The Putney School Summer Arts for an info session.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** July 1 – 28

***Location:*** Putney, Vermont

***Cost:*** \$8,750 (\$9,100 for applications received after January 15<sup>th</sup>)

***Application Deadline:*** Rolling Basis (apply by January 15 for discount)

***Links:*** <https://www.putneyschool.org/summer/>  
<https://www.putneyschool.org/summer/teens/>

***Deadline Approaching: Wingspan Arts Summer Conservatory***

“Wingspan Arts is returning for summer 2023 to explore theater and musical theater with students. The Wingspan ensemble is for high school students who love theatre and look forward to exploring more challenging work to broaden their theatrical skillset. Students take a wide variety of specialized classes, focusing on both skills-building and exposure to the professional art world. The goal of the Ensemble is to

enable our students to expand their range and find new depth in their work. Ensemble students focus on less frequently produced plays and musicals: In past years, the Ensemble has performed shows such as Merrily We Roll Along, Ragtime, Twelfth Night, The Heidi Chronicles, and The Laramie Project. Students are cast the first week in either the play or the musical, which the directors decide.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** July 5 – August 13<sup>th</sup> 2023 10am – 5pm Mon-Thurs, 10am – 1pm Fri

Performances: August 10-13

***Location:*** Virtual and in-person, location TBD

***Cost:*** Free

***Application Deadline:*** **January 20 @ 5 PM**

***Link:*** <https://wingspanarts.org/conservatory/>

### ***Audition Dates Approaching: Brooklyn Youth Chorus Classes***

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

***Eligible:*** All students

***Dates:*** **January 9, 17, & 20** (available audition times from 3:30 – 6 pm) & January – May (for in-person classes)

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

***Cost:*** Various (extensive need-based financial aid available)

**Application Deadline: January 20** (final audition date)

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

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

### **The Lucille Lortel Theater High School Playwriting Fellowship Contest**

“In this program, students must submit an original one-act play, approximately 10 minutes in length with no more than ten pages of dialogue, two scenes, two locations, and four characters. Each of the seven selected Fellows will receive a professional staged reading of the Fellow’s play, mentoring from theatre professionals, a publication of the Fellow’s play, a certificate of recognition, dinner and tickets to a Broadway show, and complimentary theatre tickets to productions at the Lucille Lortel Theatre for one season (subject to availability).”

**Eligible:** All Students

**Application Deadline: January 23** (11:59 PM)

**Links:** <https://lortel.org/hspf/>

<https://lortel.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/hspf-2022-2023-FLYER.pdf>

### **National Children's Chorus Academy**

“The country's leading music educators work with students ages 5-17 in small groups weekly to develop their vocal and musicianship skills from the most basic concepts through the college level. Tone quality, breath support and musical expression are cultivated within the individual singers, while working together as an ensemble culminates in an exciting array of performances and collaborating with an exceptional roster of professional artists from around the world.”

**Eligible:** All students – Auditions required

**Dates:** Program begins January 2023

**Location:** Virtual



***Application Deadline: January 23 (auditions by appointment)***

***Cost:*** \$259 - \$299/month, need-based scholarships offered

***Links:*** <https://nationalchildrenschorus.com/auditions/>

<https://nationalchildrenschorus.com/>

<https://nationalchildrenschorus.com/education/senior-division-new-york/>

### **Penguin Random House Creative Writing Awards**

“Through this program, Penguin Random House will award college scholarships of up to \$10,000 each to five public U.S. high school seniors, nationwide. Students may submit one original literary composition in English in one of the genres of poetry, spoken word poem, fiction/drama or personal essay/memoir. They will also offer an additional first-place prize of \$10,000 to the top entrant from the NYC area.”

***Eligible:*** Current seniors

***Application Deadline: February 1, or when 1,000 applications have been submitted***

***Link:*** <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/penguinrandomhouse/>

### **Urbanity Dance Summer Intensive 2023**

“Each summer, intermediate to advanced dancers ages 11-24 are selected for a unique contemporary dance intensive to work with nationally acclaimed guest artists, Urbanity Dance Company members, and Urbanity’s most popular faculty. Students receive 7 hours of daily instruction from 10 - 5 pm in ballet, modern, and contemporary techniques, as well as supplementary courses in jazz, musical theater, improv, hip hop, and repertory. During week one, dancers will create a professionally recorded, edited, and presented music video. Week 2 will be dedicated to gaining insight into professional careers through informative career panels and workshops. Week 3 will be for a showcase performance that will be performed live.

**Eligible:** All students with an interest in dance.

**Dates:** July 31 – August 18

**Location:**

In person at the Boston Center for the Arts. <https://www.urbanitydance.org/directions>

**Cost:**

3 weeks: \$1,500, 2 weeks: \$1,200, 1 week: \$650.

\$15-dollar virtual audition, \$30-dollar in-studio audition.

**Application Deadlines:**

In-Studio: **February 12**, March 4<sup>th</sup>, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 3 - 4:30PM.

Video Audition: April 15.

**Link:** <https://www.urbanitydance.org/summer-intensive-2022>

### **Live Deliberately Essay Contest**

“Each year, the Live Deliberately Essay Contest invites youth around the world to consider a selected Henry David Thoreau quotation and accompanying prompt. Contestants are asked to write a thoughtful essay that uses personal experience and observation to demonstrate how that year’s quotation and prompt relate to their own lives and to the world around them. In 750 words or less, thoughtfully convey what, who, or where you can never have enough of and how your experience has taught you to exceed your own limits.”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 14 years old

**Application Deadline:** **February 20**

**Link:** <https://www.walden.org/education/essay-contest/>

### **Teen Reviewers and Critics (TRaC) Spring 2023**

“TRaC is a series of writing workshops in the visual arts, music, theater, dance, media, multi-arts and film.

Over ten weeks, participants learn the language of each art discipline while seeing shows and meeting professional artists. After each experience students write short, creative responses about what they saw and discuss with their peers.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Weekly after school (4:30–6:30PM)

**Location:** Theater/Dance: Fort Greene, Brooklyn

Film: 53rd St. New York Public Library

Media Arts: The Shed, Hudson Yards, Manhattan

Music: Midtown, Manhattan

**Application Deadline:** **February 26**

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://us6.list-manage.com/survey?u=4cd5bd25e0&id=42fe1d447e&attribution=false>

### **Princeton University Summer Journalism Program**

“This free virtual program is for low-income juniors who might be interested in journalism as a career. Students participate in a range of workshops, lectures, and activities led by professional journalists, Princeton professors, and program alumni.”

**Eligible:** Low-income juniors (family income below \$60,000) with a minimum 3.5 GPA

**Dates:** Mid-June to Early August

**Location:** Princeton, NJ

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **February 27**

**Links:** <https://psjp.princeton.edu/about-program/apply>  
<https://psjp.princeton.edu/apply/application-process>

## **Spinning Bubbles Dance Program**

“Spinning Bubbles is an all-girls free virtual dance program. Get dance supplies including leotards, dance shoes, costumes, leggings, and many more items in addition to dance classes from November 27 – February 22 in the winter session and April 3 – July 17 in the spring session. We also have an awards ceremony at the end presented by well-known dancers. Explore cultures through dance styles like Flamenco, Bollywood, capoeira, jazz, ballet, hip-hop, folk dancing, and gymnastics, among a multitude of other styles!”

**Eligible:** All female students

**Dates:** November 27 – February 22 (winter) OR April 3 – July 17 (spring)

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Links:** <http://bit.ly/spinning-bubbles-3>

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

<https://bit.ly/spinning-bubbles>

## **Voices of Queens Teen Radio Podcast**

“Learn how to produce your own podcasts and social media content in this free workshop! You will pick up new presenting skills, audio recording skills, and editing skills, all while learning what makes a podcast fun and entertaining. Your podcast can be about a range of topics — spread the word about new music and movies, talk about issues facing you and your peers, or investigate local history. 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 in broadcast journalism, audio engineering, news reporting, podcasting, influencing, or TV & radio. 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 13 – June 30 (Tue/Wed/Thurs 4-6pm)

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

**Application Deadline:** Rolling Basis

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.queenslibrary.org/programs-activities/teens/otherprograms/podcast-workshop>

<https://queenspubliclibrary.webex.com/webappng/sites/queenspubliclibrary/meeting/register/d0829c6af1474d0c96ae5da08a174345?ticket=4832534b00000005ff4ba07ab088d7590867f2d68bd543a2772c282df58fecdd12b6d7e04a2f4b57&timestamp=1665094903918&RGID=r4139d88fcb1e9ec43805bf50d28f72e1>

## **Litchfield Jazz Camp & Scholarship Opportunity**

“LJC is a non-competitive program focusing on musical and personal growth. No pre-audition is required. We listen to you when you arrive and assign you to a combo at *your* level.

In a month-long program on the campus in Washington, Connecticut, Litchfield Jazz Camp embraces all learners - students 13 years to adult, beginners, intermediate and advanced players, students with learning disabilities, and others. Each year Litchfield Performing Arts awards approximately 1/3 of their students need-based scholarships to Jazz Camp, thanks to additional funding made available through grants, foundations, and individual donors. To apply for a Litchfield Performing Arts scholarship to the 2023 Jazz Camp, follow the instructions during registration and send us a copy of pages 1 & 2 of your most current Tax Form 1040 as soon as possible but no later than April 15.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** July 2 - July 28

**Location:** 22 Kirby Rd, Washington, Connecticut

**Cost:** Various (Need-Based Scholarships Available)

***Application Deadline: TBD***

***Links:*** <https://litchfieldjazzcamp.com/camp-registration/>  
<https://litchfieldjazzcamp.com/camp-registration/scholarships/> <https://litchfieldjazzcamp.com/camp-registration/tuition/>

### **Neighborhood Playhouse Junior Acting School**

“Modeled after the adult conservatory, the Junior School trains all its students in the core principles of acting, applying techniques and skills learned to various classes in singing, movement/dance, scene study, monologues, voice & diction, stage combat, Shakespeare, acting for film & television, commercials, voice overs, auditioning, improvisation and more--giving students complete actor training and the skills needed to be creative and competitive in their craft and in life.”

***Eligible:*** All Students

***Dates:*** January 7 – April 1 (Saturdays)

***Location:*** 340 East 54<sup>th</sup> St. Manhattan

***Cost:*** Various (\$50 application fee)

***Application Deadline: Rolling Basis***

***Links:*** <http://www.playhousejuniors.com/saturday-online-application.html>  
<http://www.playhousejuniors.com/>

### **Emma Bowen Foundation Fellowship**

EBF offered paid summer media-industry internships (with an affiliated scholarship) for students from ethnic groups which are under-represented in media corporations (including, among others, Latinos, Asian & African Americans). These spots are available at leading local media companies via the Emma Bowen Foundation. Eligible students who are interested in technical/engineering or news, broadcast, studio and other non-technical aspects of this industry are invited to apply.”

**Eligible:** Current seniors from under-represented groups with a minimum 3.0 GPA

**Dates:** Summer

**Locations:** Various (TBA)

**Cost:** Free

**Application Deadline:** **May 1**

**Links:** <http://www.emmabowenfoundation.com/>

<https://www.emmabowenfoundation.com/application>

### **Writopia Lab**

“In both multi-genre and themed workshops, writers work with a published author or produced playwright (highly trained in teaching the form, genre, or topic).

Participants discuss, share, develop, and complete their own original works. Workshops are age-based and enroll a maximum of eight writers. Different options are offered from half-day to full day to weekly workshops.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Various

**Locations:** Virtual and in-person workshops available

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Cost:** Various

**Link:** <https://www.writopialab.org/programs/when-we-workshop>

### **Uptown Stories Winter 2023 Writing Workshops**

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

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

**Eligible:** All students (various ages for each class)

**Dates:** Various

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

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Cost:** Optional

**Link:** <https://www.uptownstories.org/fall-workshops-2022/>

### **Sarah Lawrence College: Writing Courses**

“Whether this is your first writing class or you’re finishing your next book, The Writing Institute at Sarah Lawrence College helps writers grow and connect with a community of passionate writers. Our classes and workshops range from generative experiences to revision-focused workshops, including one-day craft intensives and seminars on publishing. Virtual writing workshops and in-person classes at our Bronxville, NY campus are available. All writers are welcome! Questions about which class is best for you? Contact the Writing Institute at [writinginstitute@sarahlawrence.edu](mailto:writinginstitute@sarahlawrence.edu).”

**Eligible:** All Students

**Dates:** Various

**Location:** Virtual or In-Person at: 1 Mead Way, Bronxville NY

**Cost:** Various

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Link:** <https://www.sarahlawrence.edu/writing-institute/courses/>

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## **Contests & Competitions:**

### ***New:* Student Wellness Poster Contest: Health Resource Room Promotion**

“Health Resource Rooms are safe, supportive, inclusive places in your school building where students can receive confidential support and services from trained DOE staff. The Office of School Wellness Programs is excited to use student voices in the creation of new Health Resource Room posters. By using poster designs created for and by students like you, we hope to increase the number of students who know about and use Health Resource Rooms in middle and high schools across NYC. Each winning student will receive a \$200 Visa gift card in spring 2023; their school will receive an \$800 grant in fall 2023 to start or sustain its Health Resource Room. The winning posters will be printed and distributed to secondary schools citywide, starting in fall 2023.”

***Eligible:*** All Students

***Application Deadline:*** **January 17** (11:59 PM)

***Links:*** <https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/7070981/2022-23-Health-Resource-Room-Promotion-Student-Poster-Contest>

### ***New:* Water Resources Art and Poetry Contest**

“The New York City Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is excited to announce the launch of this year’s Water Resources Art & Poetry Contest. Students are invited to create original art and compose poetry that reflects an appreciation for our shared water resources. There are five contest themes: Water, A Precious Resource; NYC’s Water Supply System; NYC’s Wastewater Treatment System;

Harbor Water Quality and Healthy Marine Ecosystems; and Water Stewardship and Climate Change.”

*Eligible:* All students

*Application Deadline:* **March 3**

*Links:* <https://www.nyc.gov/site/dep/environment/water-resources-art-poetry-contest.page>  
<https://www.nyc.gov/assets/dep/downloads/pdf/environment/education/art-poetry-contest-flyer.pdf>

### ***New:* NYC Public School Film Festival/Contest**

“The 5th Annual Film Festival invites students to create original films (5 minutes or shorter) in any of the following categories: animation, short feature/narrative, documentary, experimental, and public service announcement/advocacy. A panel of educators and media professionals will select approximately 20 films for recognition. Each film selected will receive a certificate of official selection. Filmmakers of selected films will be invited to a special Screening Day and Career Development event tentatively scheduled for April 25.”

*Eligible:* All students

*Application Deadline:* **March 7**

*Link:* <https://filmfreeway.com/NYCPublicSchoolFilmFestival>

### ***Deadline Today:* Youth Communication Writing Contest**

“Youth Communication is sponsoring a writing contest for young people. Every three months, we will highlight five recent articles and ask readers to write a response to the author of a story. Tell them how you related to their story, what lessons you learned, or other ways the story impacted you. We will choose three winners with prizes of \$150 (1st prize), \$75 (2nd prize), and \$50 (3rd prize.)”

*Eligible:* All students who are at least 14 years old

***Application Deadline: January 6***

***Link: <https://youthcomm.org/teen-writing-contest/>***

***Deadline Today: Sony World Photography Awards Youth Competition***

“For this year’s Youth competition, we’re asking you to show us Your Everyday. What does your day-to-day look like? What people surround you? What scenes do you see – bustling streets or idyllic landscapes? Whatever the genre, technique or subject matter, we want to embrace your unique view of the world. Enter up to three images for free now! The winner will receive the Youth Photographer of the Year title, Sony digital imaging equipment, a certificate, a trophy, and more!”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Application Deadline: January 6***

***Link: <https://www.worldphoto.org/sony-world-photography-awards/youth>***

***Deadline Approaching: Japan Center Essay Competition (JCSB)***

“The aim of the JCSB essay competition is to provide young Americans with an opportunity to think creatively and critically about their lives by relating them to some aspect of Japan to help them broaden their horizons and develop global citizenship. Winners will receive cash prizes of up to \$3,000 and a Canon camera.”

***Eligible:*** All students

***Application Deadline: January 8***

***Links: <https://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/japan/programs/essay-comp.php>***

***Deadline Approaching: JFK Profiles in Courage Essay Contest***

The JFK Profiles in Courage essay contest offers a \$10,000 top prize along with other prizes and certificates. The topic is: “Describe and analyze an act of political courage by a US elected official who served during or after 1917.”

*Eligible:* All students

*Application Deadline:* **January 13**

*Links:* <https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essaycontest/getting-started> <https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-contest/eligibility-andrequirements>

### **The Lucille Lortel Theater High School Playwriting Fellowship Contest**

“In this program, students must submit an original one-act play, approximately 10 minutes in length with no more than ten pages of dialogue, two scenes, two locations, and four characters. **Each** of the seven selected Fellows will receive a professional staged reading of the Fellow’s play, mentoring from theatre professionals, a publication of the Fellow’s play, a certificate of recognition, dinner and tickets to a Broadway show, and complimentary theatre tickets to productions at the Lucille Lortel Theatre for one season (subject to availability).”

*Eligible:* All Students

*Application Deadline:* **January 23** (11:59 PM)

*Links:* <https://lortel.org/hspf/>  
<https://lortel.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/10/hspf-2022-2023-FLYER.pdf>

### **Princeton Prize in Race Relations**

“Princeton University sponsors the Princeton Prize in Race Relations for high school students, with \$1,000 awards to students who are working to help their schools or communities in this field. Recipients are also invited to participate in an all-expenses paid weekend trip to the Symposium on Race, during which they will have the opportunity to meet and learn from other winners.”

*Eligible:* All students

*Application Deadline:* **January 31**

*Links:* [https://princetonprize.smapply.io/prog/princeton\\_prize\\_in\\_race\\_relations/](https://princetonprize.smapply.io/prog/princeton_prize_in_race_relations/)  
<https://pprize.princeton.edu/>

### **Penguin Random House Creative Writing Awards**

“Through this program, Penguin Random House will award college scholarships of up to \$10,000 each to five public U.S. high school seniors, nationwide. Students may submit one original literary composition in English in one of the genres of poetry, spoken word poem, fiction/drama or personal essay/memoir. They will also offer an additional first-place prize of \$10,000 to the top entrant from the NYC area.”

*Eligible:* Current seniors

*Application Deadline:* **February 1, or when 1,000 applications have been submitted**

*Link:* <https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/penguinrandomhouse/>

### **Sustainable Solutions Engineering Essay Contest**

Students are invited to consider “how have female and/or non-white engineers contributed to engineering’s great achievements” in a short essay. The winner will receive \$500 as a prize.

*Eligible:* All students

*Application Deadline:* **February 1**

*Link:* <https://www.engineergirl.org/148000/2023-Contest>

### **National High School Design Competition**

“The 2023 National High School Design Competition challenges high school students around the country to use design and data to support their community. The data can come from an official source, or you can collect information by talking to people or observing the world around you. Be ambitious, innovative, and bold! Create a sketch

of your idea and describe how your design addresses the challenge. You can enter as an individual or as a team of up to three people.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** February 13

**Link:** <https://www.cooperhewitt.org/design-competition-how-to-enter/>

### Live Deliberately Essay Contest

“Each year, the Live Deliberately Essay Contest invites youth around the world to consider a selected Henry David Thoreau quotation and accompanying prompt. Contestants are asked to write a thoughtful essay that uses personal experience and observation to demonstrate how that year’s quotation and prompt relate to their own lives and to the world around them. In 750 words or less, thoughtfully convey what, who, or where you can never have enough of and how your experience has taught you to exceed your own limits.”

**Eligible:** All students who are at least 14 years old

**Application Deadline:** February 20

**Link:** <https://www.walden.org/education/essay-contest/>

### World of 7 Billion Student Video Contest

“In a 1-minute video, students should explain how population growth impacts one of this year's global challenges – climate change, gender equality, and waste – and offer an idea for a sustainable solution. The first-place winner receives \$1,200, second place winner receives \$600, and two honorable mention winners receive \$300.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Application Deadline:** February 22

**Cost:** Free

**Links:** <https://www.worldof7billion.org/student-video-contest/>

<https://www.worldof8billion.org/video-contest/submit-your-video/video-submission-form/>

## **Spectrum News Challenge**

“Are breaking headlines always in your Twitter and Tik Tok feeds? Are you interested in what's happening in current events, politics, science, the environment, sports, wellness and pop culture? Feel like you're up to date on world news? PROVE IT! Become a contestant on the Spectrum News Challenge, a national televised program where high school students compete head-to-head to win prizes and the title of ‘Spectrum News Challenge Champion.’”

**Eligible:** Current juniors and seniors

**Dates:** Show will air through February 1

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://charter.jotform.com/211444483735053>

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## **Opportunity Lists and Resources:**

### **1:1 College & Career Advice Resource**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Continuous

**Location:** Virtual

**Application Deadline:** **Rolling Basis**

**Cost:** Free

**Link:**

<https://app.grouptrail.com/public/externalForm/KNXjUkuDEVpTRquVIdE07oCWtAor45LABYtssvzZ> (Log in with NYC DOE account to access page)

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

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

Learn more at the link below.

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

### **Class Central**

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

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Self-paced

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

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

### **HippoCampus**



“The free, open-source HippoCampus website provides multimedia resources for high school and college students. Explore lessons on topics ranging from DNA to the chemical and physical properties of solutions to kinetic theory and thermodynamics. HippoCampus includes presentations and videos in several subject areas, including biology, statistics, calculus, environmental science, physics, and algebra. The website also offers algebra and calculus lessons in Spanish.”

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Self-paced

**Location:** Virtual

**Cost:** Free

**Link:** <https://www.hippocampus.org/>

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

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

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

**Torus Arts Resource** is an arts link for teens for programs in the arts. Topics include art, dance, filmmaking, and more. Each program has different dates, prices, and locations.

**Eligible:** All students

**Dates:** Varied

**Location:** Various locations in NYC

**Cost:** Various – some free programs

**Link:** <https://torusteens.com/search?interest=arts&city=>

### **GrowingUp NYC**

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

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

### **NYC Online Department of Youth Activities**

Free programs in dance, music, art, poetry, filmmaking and more:

[https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dycd/services/special\\_initiatives.page](https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dycd/services/special_initiatives.page)

### **Torus Teens General Opportunity Site**

This website provides helpful information about a wide variety of opportunities for students.

**Links:** <https://torusteens.com/about>

<https://torusteens.com/search?interest=&city=>

### **Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth:**

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

**Teen Life:** Useful alphabetized list of local programs:

[https://www.teenlife.com/?SPNYC\\_View\\_All](https://www.teenlife.com/?SPNYC_View_All)

### **Inspirit AI Toolkit**

Inspirit AI shares this free step-by-step guide for students to kick-start their own

AI project this weekend, complete with datasets and example projects to explore. One of their most popular project tracks, AI + Arts & Music is an exciting gateway for all students to explore Machine Learning basics:

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1hgm-rafLXrnz5QKaqXAp-qGBMrYI7uCY?\\_hsmi=187038166&hsenc=p2ANqtz---C8x2wp5ps9QM6q19JQe28N1Bm7-7S6XjZgSTmGul-VI53Ut3wrOuhPGwLLeCqMhSsQHgwzalBQzDQpmewj4gmKGGqA](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1hgm-rafLXrnz5QKaqXAp-qGBMrYI7uCY?_hsmi=187038166&hsenc=p2ANqtz---C8x2wp5ps9QM6q19JQe28N1Bm7-7S6XjZgSTmGul-VI53Ut3wrOuhPGwLLeCqMhSsQHgwzalBQzDQpmewj4gmKGGqA)

### **The Academy of Applied Science**

AAS connects high school students to high quality enrichment programs in science, math, and technology. Learn more at these links:

<http://www.aas-world.org/>

<http://www.aas-world.org/interest-pages/for-students.html>

### **Gilder Lehrman Institute's History U**

“History U offers free, self-paced courses in American history to high school students. These courses, led by the nation’s top historians, are drawn from our MA in American History program and allow you to study history at your own pace. Taking a History U course can enhance college applications, supplement classroom learning, and allow you to explore your own love of history. Courses include American Immigration History, The American Revolution, World War II, and more.”

<https://www.gilderlehrman.org/programs-and-events/history-u>

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## **Scholarships:**

### **New: Julie Schoo Scholarship for Diversity in Journalism**

“The Scholarship for Journalism Diversity Honoring Julie Schoo consists of a \$5,000 one-year scholarship. The award can be renewed for up to three years, for a total of \$20,000 toward educational expenses. The purpose of the scholarship, named for the former executive director of the National Press Club Journalism Institute, is to recruit promising future journalists who will bring diversity to American journalism.”

**Eligible:** Current Seniors pursuing Journalism with a minimum 3.0 GPA

**Application Deadline: February 15**

**Links:** <https://www.pressclubinstitute.org/national-press-club-scholarship-opportunities/>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSchJtTIISsRzbzjc4oh7rUbWU7F-l6Ly-mC1eg29aEbx-wdWQ/viewform>

### **New: Richard G. Zimmerman Journalism Scholarship**

“The Richard G. Zimmerman Scholarship is named for a long-time National Press Club member who died in 2008 and endowed a scholarship in aid of high school seniors who wish to pursue a career in journalism. Recipients receive a one-time scholarship of \$5,000.”

**Eligible:** Current Seniors pursuing Journalism with a minimum 3.0 GPA

**Application Deadline: February 15**

**Links:** <https://www.pressclubinstitute.org/national-press-club-scholarship-opportunities/>

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScXPmHGLBRVrV1BCTjGKEPR6UUMRAifoaWzNMfamOmMf-dqEA/viewform>

### **New: Richard Holland Memorial Scholarship**

“The Holland Family Legacy Foundation has established the Richard Holland Memorial Scholarship Fund to be awarded annually to a chosen qualified applicant. This scholarship is a \$2,500 award, renewable for up to three additional years.”

**Eligible:** Current Seniors with a minimum 3.5 GPA with financially disadvantaged backgrounds

**Application Deadline: March 15**

**Link:** <https://www.rjhollandscholarship.org/the-scholarship>

### **Deadline Approaching: APIA Scholarship Program**

“The APIA Scholarship is our largest scholarship program, open to AANHPI undergraduate students attending any U.S. accredited university or college. Scholarship amounts range from \$2,500 one-year awards to \$20,000 multi-year awards. APIA Scholars has a special focus on supporting AANHPI students who live at or below the poverty line; are in the first generation of their family to attend college; are representative of the APIA community’s diversity, (geographically and ethnically}, especially those ethnicities that have been underrepresented on college campuses due to limited access and opportunity. Strong applicants would also have an emphasis on community service and leadership.”

**Eligible:** Current seniors who are of APIA ethnicity

**Application Deadline: January 12** (recommender deadline) & **January 19** (application deadline)

**Link:** <https://apiascholars.org/scholarship/apia-scholarship/>

### **Deadline Approaching: Scholarship Plus Award**

“The Scholarship Plus award is a scholarship and community for New York City students who have demonstrated strong academic achievement in the face of

significant obstacles. Scholarship Plus offers such students a competitive four-year scholarship PLUS individualized, wraparound support. The scholarship, up to \$8,000 a year, may be used to pay tuition, room and board, fees, and other educational expenses. Each scholarship will be renewable annually for up to four years of study as long as the student maintains a good academic record and makes standard progress toward a degree.”

**Eligible:** Current Seniors who have financially disadvantaged backgrounds  
(Preference given to first-generation students)

**Application Deadline:** **January 18** (11:59 PM)

**Link:**

[https://www.scholarshipplus.org/splus/apply/?mc\\_cid=c9224cb446&mc\\_eid=9d1db7e3b2](https://www.scholarshipplus.org/splus/apply/?mc_cid=c9224cb446&mc_eid=9d1db7e3b2)

**Deadline Approaching: Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship and Internship**

“Students interested in computer science & the Tech Industry should apply to the Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship program for a chance at a \$40,000 scholarship. Winners also receive a guaranteed, paid 12-week summer internship at Amazon after completing their freshman year of college. Interns get to work on some of Amazon's groundbreaking technologies and core platforms, like Alexa voice technology, Amazon Web Services, and the Amazon retail platform. At the end of the summer, most interns ship production-level code to Amazon!”

**Eligible:** Current seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA and financial need who will be majoring in computer science or a related field

**Application Deadline:** **January 20**

**Links:** <https://www.amazonfutureengineer.com/scholarships>

<https://scholarshipamerica.org/amazonfutureengineer/>

## **The Coolidge Scholarship**

“The Coolidge Scholarship welcomes applications for their full, four-year college scholarship for students with an interest in public policy and demonstrated service/leadership experience. Anyone of any background, pursuing any academic discipline of study, may apply to this non-partisan, need-blind program.”

***Eligible:*** Current juniors

***Application Deadline:*** **February 23**

***Links:*** <https://coolidgescholars.org/apply/>

<https://coolidgescholars.org/>

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

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

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

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