



SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS, CAMPS AND RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES



Not sure what to do this summer? Here are some ideas. Summer is a great time to explore an area of interest, travel somewhere new, spend time on a college campus or volunteer within your community.

SELECTIVE PROGRAMS

- From MIT's website – programs they host *and* other highly selective math/science: <http://mitadmissions.org/apply/prepare/summer>
- AFS Project Change – have an idea that could change the world for the better? Put your vision into action through this fully funded program: <http://www.afsusa.org/project-change>
- Michigan State – High School Honors Science, Math and Engineering Program: <http://education.msu.edu/hshsp>
- Telluride Association Summer Program: http://www.tellurideassociation.org/programs/high_school_students/tasp/tasp_general_info.html
- Yale Young Global Scholars: <http://globalscholars.yale.edu>
- Experiment Leadership Institute: <http://www.experiment.org/pn/programs/experiment-leadership-institute>

PROGRAMS ACADEMY STUDENTS RECOMMEND

- Operation Catapult at Rose Hulman: <http://www.rose-hulman.edu/admissions-financial-aid/early-planning/operation-catapult/about-operation-catapult.aspx>
- Summer at Georgetown: <http://scs.georgetown.edu/departments/21/summer-programs-for-high-school-students>
- The University of Iowa Secondary Student Training Program (SSTP) – participants conduct scientific research under the guidance of a faculty mentor and spend approximately 40 hours a week working in labs: <http://sstpuowa.wordpress.com/about>
- Nationwide Children's Hospital Mechanisms of Human Health and Disease: <http://www.nationwidechildrens.org/mechanisms-of-human-health-and-disease>
- US Naval Academy Summer Seminar – interested in exploring what life is like at a service academy? Spend six days immersed in the life of a cadet: <https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/NASS>
- Middlebury Monterey Language Academy – spend four weeks learning Spanish, French, Chinese, German or Arabic: <http://www.middleburyinteractive.com/summer-language-academy>

SPECIAL INTEREST PROGRAMS

- Field-Based Classes at OSU Stone Lab: <http://stonelab.osu.edu>
- Architecture Camp: <http://www.columbuscfad.org/camp-architecture>
- Ohio Business Week: <http://www.ohiobusinessweek.org>
- Kenyon Young Writer's Workshop: <http://www.kenyonreview.org/workshops/young-writers>
- MD Camp – OSU Medical School: https://medicine.osu.edu/students/diversity/Programs/md_camp/Documents/2016%20MD%20Camp%20brochure%20Final.pdf
- STEM Camps – OSU Engineering School: <https://stemoutreach.osu.edu/stem-programs/stem-summer-camps>
- Inclusive Summer High School Institute for Philosophy (ISHIP) – The Prindle Institute for Ethics at DePauw University: <http://www.depauw.edu/academics/centers/prindle/programs/iship>



What about expensive programs and fancy invitations to programs such as the National Youth Leadership Conference? Read the *NYTimes* piece: <http://www.nytimes.com/2009/04/19/education/edlife/leadership-t.html>

Please note:

Going to a program on a college's campus does not increase your chance of acceptance later on. Working a part-time job, volunteering, attending sports/arts camps and travel are also great options. This is not a comprehensive list of summer