

Summer and School Year Enrichment Programs, many on College Campuses

Develop practical skills and learn more about college majors on a college or university campus. Many programs are free.

Reminder: Scholarships are available for summer programs. MHS offers a STEM EXPLORERS summer program scholarship. Check with the CCRC for more detailed information.

See the box at the end of the document for a breakdown of grade level eligibility .

Additional summer program/internship information can be found in the CCRC.

Green highlight: Free program.

Blue highlight: Fee program - pay required. Scholarship options are indicated.

SCHOOL-YEAR PROGRAMS

Astronomy:

Adler Planetarium Youth Leadership Council:

<https://www.adlerplanetarium.org/learn/teens/teen-opportunities>

Youth Leadership Council (School year program). Provide input on relevant youth spaces for museums. Application closes in September. Also Far Horizons Teens (same link), a group of students who measure light pollution. Fall and Spring cohorts.

Business:

Kelley Sprint Case Competition

<https://kelley.iu.edu/undergraduate/pre-college/kelley-sprint-case-competition.html>

A day-long high school business program designed for students with a passion for problem-solving and innovation. Solve real-world business challenges, participate in interactive lectures with world-class Kelley faculty, and connect with current Kelley students in a true pre-business environment. For rising sophomores, juniors and seniors. Application deadline late August. Event held on a Saturday in early October.

Women's Leadership Institute for Juniors, Indiana University:

<https://kelley.iu.edu/programs/undergrad/pre-college/ywi.html>

Virtual programs centering on leadership and business offered during the school year. For sophomores, juniors and seniors. Application opens in August.

Government:

Senator Adriane Johnson Internship

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd95zhGMMwB5l2Pd44FSxoWDSDXNqXFHXiP-u2MP2mUnLalwA/viewform>

Intern with State Senator Adriane Johnson 30th District. Typically Senator Johnson supports students to develop internships that align with their personal/career interests. Questions? Send an email to Communications Director and Outreach Coordinator Ms. Shanale Mason at shanale@senatoradrianejohnson.com.

Health Care:

Northwestern University Healthcare Mentorship & Exposure Program (NUHMEP)

(application link) <https://forms.office.com/r/2Y1EpExC80>

This is an annual five-week program for high school students of diverse backgrounds that meets on Saturdays at the hospital's Chicago loop location. This program gives students an introduction to medical school curriculum, career options in healthcare, and tools for academic success. It is taught by current medical students, graduate students, PA, PT students and other healthcare professionals. Any grade can apply. Deadline in December. Although the website indicates the program is for CPS students, MHS students have attended this program. Program typically starts in late January.

Northwestern Medical (NM) Grosvenor Discovery Program (Northwestern University):

https://www.nm.org/about-us/community-initiatives/northwestern-medicine-discovery-program/discovery-program-north?fbclid=IwAR3MSCQKI0K_LRoWAaq5wWDdy3d-s7efWj0F1e9g83uzMLaFRvsj6ZPvVgU Monthly meetings at Northwestern U. Lake Forest Hospital held mostly on Saturday mornings from 9am - noon. Must currently be a sophomore or junior and commit to a two-year program. Applications open early August; deadline late September.

Pen-Wa-Sciz, Advocate Condell Hospital:

<https://www.advocatehealth.com/condell/patients-visitors/hospital-information/penwasciz-health-careers-program>

Pen-Watch-Scissors are tools needed on the job in health care. Condell's competitive school-year internship guides students through each hospital department. Must be 16 or older (Junior or Senior). Application opens for one day in early Sept.

Physics:

Fermilab (National Accelerator Lab, Batavia):

<https://education.fnal.gov/program/saturdaymorningphysics/>

Saturday Morning Physics (fall and spring sessions). Free physics lectures offered by scientists both in-person and virtual. Registration opens in August for the fall program and December for the Spring program. Open to all grade levels.

STEAM:

ATAC Argonne National Lab Teen Advisory Council:

<https://www.anl.gov/education/argonne-education-teen-advisory-council>

STEM teen advisory council. Argonne is a multidisciplinary science and engineering US Dept. of Energy research facility. From the website: "While the ATAC is not a hands-on STEM program, as a member you'll have access to STEM professionals and resources that align with your interests in a variety of fields. You'll also have the opportunity to learn what it's like to work at a United States Department of Energy (DOE) laboratory." For 9th-12th grade. Must provide teacher recommendation. Applications due mid-October.

Congressman Brad Schneider STEAM Scholars Academy:

Link to previous year application: <https://schneider.house.gov/STEAMscholars>

For rising sophomores and juniors living in the 10th Congressional District. From the website: "The program aims to connect highly-motivated students interested in science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics with hands-on learning experiences throughout our district." Application deadline in late September.

Writers

Young Writer's Workshop, University of Iowa:

<https://iyws.clas.uiowa.edu/>

Online options available for winter and spring sessions. Sessions include fiction, TV writing, poetry, creative writing, playwriting. For students who are currently in 9th -12th grade. Applications open in September.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

Actuarial Science and Risk Management:

Redbird Risk Management Challenge, Illinois State University:

<https://business.illinoisstate.edu/katie/outreach/minority.shtml>

A program for rising seniors called Redbird Risk Management Challenge (insurance risks), a weeklong summer program, places students in teams that strategize to keep their corporation from bankruptcy. Applications due in May. The program offers an introduction to jobs in quantitative analytical fields, especially actuarial jobs and other careers in insurance. **Some college scholarships available.** Deadline late May.



Architecture:

Discover Architecture Pre-College Program, University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana):

<https://arch.illinois.edu/programs-applying/discover-architecture/>

Intensive 1-week residential program. Includes architectural graphics, design and modeling. Rising sophomores through seniors. **Two partial scholarships awarded.**

Experiment in Architecture (Illinois Tech):

<https://arch.iit.edu/programs/summer-workshop>

Two -week workshop open to students in all grades. The session offers a comprehensive overview of the study and practice of architecture, includes field trips. Helps students to learn more about architecture education and careers. Residential and commuter options Application opens early January.

New!

University of Illinois Chicago, HiArch Summer Program:

<https://arch.uic.edu/hiarch>

Week-long program taught by UIC Architecture faculty that builds foundational skills in architectural drawing, design, and problem-solving. The program begins with basic skills, then students learn digital applications using drafting software and 3D-modeling. Not a residential program. Open to all high school grades.



Art, Animation, Drawing, Design, Fashion, Painting, Writing and more:

School of the Art Institute (Chicago)

Online courses: <https://www.saic.edu/continuing-studies/high-school/ecpsi-online>

Registration opens Nov. 1. Faculty-taught art courses that provide college credit. Must have completed sophomore year and be 15 years old. Those who complete courses are eligible to apply to the college in advance of other students.

In-person courses:

<https://www.saic.edu/high-school-programs/early-college-program-summer-institute>

Must be 15 (sophomore) to register for summer classes. Dozens of courses for visual art, animation, graphic art-graphic novel art, fashion, photography. Students can create portfolios for faculty review. Residential options. College credit available. Some scholarship available. Webinar/info session offered.

Astronomy:

Adler Planetarium:

<https://www.adlerplanetarium.org/learn/teens/teen-opportunities>

Far Horizons explores the ecological effects of light pollution and collects data from photos. Application opens in February.

Summer Internship helps teens build networking, leadership development and STEM skills.

Business:

BEL Business Emerging Leaders, University of Wisconsin Madison:

<https://wsb.wisc.edu/programs-degrees/undergraduate-bba/bel-program#important-dates>

FREE program, **for current seniors who have applied to UW Madison business** (summer before college freshman school year). Explore business majors, visit businesses.. Designed for students from diverse backgrounds. See website for eligibility. **Students who complete this program are eligible for UW Madison \$10,000 annual college scholarships.** Application opens in early February and closes in early April.

Business is Global, Indiana University:

<https://kelley.iu.edu/faculty-research/centers-institutes/international-business/programs-initiatives/business-is-global.html>

Two-week program that offers a mix of business and foreign language to gain an understanding of foreign business. Open to rising sophomores, juniors and seniors. Some scholarships available. Mid-April application deadline.

Business and Leadership Camp UW Whitewater

<https://www.uww.edu/ce/camps/additional/businesscamp#cost>

Five-day camp offering topics that include entrepreneurship, marketing, finance, and sales through interactive workshops and competitions. Guided faculty and college mentors, campers build communication, teamwork, and problem-solving skills while crafting their resumes and learning how to pitch business ideas. Open to students ages 14-19. Some scholarships are available.

Emerging Business Leaders, University of Illinois Champaign Urbana:

<https://giesbusiness.illinois.edu/undergraduate-hub/access-multicultural-engagement/emerging-business-leaders>

One-week business program for high achieving rising seniors (current juniors) from underrepresented groups. Students completing the program receive a UIUC application fee waiver. **Students accepted into Gies College of Business receive a \$5,000 renewable scholarship.** Application opens early March and closes early June.

Summer Business Programs (single day events) at UIC:

<https://applynow.uic.edu/register/bizsummer2025>

Three separate sessions offered: Summer Finance Day (juniors and seniors), Future Business Tech (all high school grades), Everyone Wants to be a Marketer (all high school grades). Early June application deadline.

Young Women's Institute, Indiana University:

<https://kelley.iu.edu/programs/undergrad/pre-college/ywi.html>

The program has changed to 1-day events and virtual events. Virtual programs available during the school year. November event has August application deadline.

Chemistry/Coding/Healthcare/Cybersecurity/Psychology:

Summer Programs: III. Tech

<https://www.iit.edu/academics/elevate-college-prep/summer-programs>

STEM and other programs offered. Specific course titles available in December. Most programs open to all grades. Residential and commuter options.

Education:

I Want to be a Teacher Camp, UW Whitewater

<https://www.uww.edu/ce/camps/additional/teachercamp#cost>

Sponsored by the UW Whitewater College of Education this 4-day overnight camp not only introduces students to the education career but also prepares them for applying to college. Registration opens in November.

Materials Science and Engineering, Northwestern University

<https://sites.northwestern.edu/nurph/>

Selective program that invites rising sophomore, juniors and seniors to participate in a 7-week on-campus program to conduct materials science research with professors. Materials science is a broad category that includes applications in energy, medicine and computing, among others. Stipend offered. Application available early in the year.

STEM/Environment/Health Care:

Summer Camps, Northern Illinois University:

<https://niusteamcamps.com/high-school-camps/>

Northern Illinois University: Various subject-specific. STEM and STEAM course offerings. All high school grades included. Camp information available early in the year.

(See also listing below under 3-D Deeper Dive Aerospace/AI/Chemical/Computer Coding/Engineering/IT)



Engineering including Aerospace/Artificial Intelligence/ Computer Coding/ET/Video Game Design and other applications

3-D Deeper Dive (Grainger Engineering Summer Camp): UIUC

<https://wyse.grainger.illinois.edu/summer-programs/summer-camps>

One-week engineering camps for the following grades:

9-12: Aerospace Institute, Bioengineering, Video Game

10-12: Aerospace, city design-build, chemical engineering, electronics/AI, mechanical science, GEMS food-Ag-Construction, material science

11-12: Roboscape cybersecurity, mechanical, plasma-nuclear-radiological.

Complete course list available in early February. Email list available for notifications. Some scholarship available.

Digital Scholars, Chicago

<https://dpi.uillinois.edu/tech-talent-development/high-school-and-community-college-student-programs/digital-scholars/>

Free six-week program offered by a partner of the U of I system. This program strengthens college readiness while teaching students about tech and offering networks into the Chicago tech community. For underrepresented students entering junior and senior year in high school (and first-year college students at Illinois schools). Students enroll in one of the following courses: data science, electrical and computer engineering, computer science and coding, iOS app design or programming in Swift. Application opens late Feb. and closes in early May.

Game Development, UW Whitewater

<https://www.uww.edu/ce/camps/additional/gamedevelopment/highschoolgamedevelopment>

For high school students interested in video game development. Activities include developing games in teams, working on programming as well as the creation and manipulation of art and sound assets. Ages 14-18. Registration opens in November.

ESP: University of Wisconsin, Madison

<https://www.engr.wisc.edu/academics/student-services/diversity-programs/engineering-summer-program/>

FREE ESP (Engineering Summer Program) three-week engineering program for rising juniors and seniors. Core curriculum of math, physics, chemistry and engineering design. Students will participate in hands-on workshops, visit industry sites, go on field trips, and receive mentoring from faculty. Application opens in January.

Focus and Explore Summer Programs, Milwaukee School of Engineering:

<https://www.msoe.edu/academics/high-school-programs/summer-programs-at-msoe/>

Series of week-long Focus on engineering includes sessions on biomedical and chemical, cybersecurity and mechanical, architectural/construction engineering. Explore offers two engineering specialties each day including construction management, architectural, biomedical, chemical & biomolecular, civil, computer, electrical, mechanical, and software engineering. Women in Tech is available for grades 10-12. Two additional non-engineering programs, one on business and one on nursing, are also offered. Course details available in late Nov.

Kettering LITES for Women in Engineering, Kettering University

<https://www.kettering.edu/academics/precollege/LITES>

Two-week residential science and engineering camp. Various types of engineering explored including environmental and crime-connections. For current junior girls-only (rising seniors).. Some scholarships are available.

Leap Camp (UIUC)

<https://wyse.granger.illinois.edu/summer-programs/summer-camps/72565>

Combining environmental issues, computer programming and AI, the week-long camp offers instruction on electrical engineering and computer science in which students will learn how individual components of an embedded system work and how to combine them to create a portable weather station. The embedded system will communicate with powerful cloud computers. Students will use artificial intelligence algorithms to analyze data gathered. For students in grades 10-12. Up to 50 percent scholarship offered.

Seminar for Top Engineering Prospects (STEP), Purdue University:

<https://engineering.purdue.edu/Honors/SeminarforTopEngineeringProspects>

Week-long residential program for rising seniors. The program includes overview of engineering design skills, including principles of design and teamwork. Students are assigned to a team that learns engineering skills while preparing for a multifaceted design competition. Industry site visit. Some need-based scholarships available. Applications open in January.

STEAM residential camps, Northern Illinois University:

<https://niusteamcamps.com/high-school-camps/>

Topics include tech careers/gaming/robotics; digital fabrication, forensics, sustainability, speech, STEAM sports (psychology, sports marketing, etc.) film camp; food, health and medicine careers. For students entering grades 9-12. Some scholarship available. Camp information available early in the year.

Summer Engineering Experience, Marquette University:

<https://www.marquette.edu/engineering/k12-outreach/summer-engineering-experiences.php>

Half day, non-residential program for rising 10th grade and older. Past course offerings include engineering to withstand earthquakes, biomedical, coding for climate information, automation, car build week, microcontrollers and AI applications. Some scholarship available.

Women in Engineering Summer Program: UIC

<https://wiep.uic.edu/communityoutreach/wiesp/>

Free three-week-long summer program (non residential) covers all six engineering departments offered at UIC and field trips. Not residential. For rising junior and senior young women.

Women in Technology, Milwaukee School of Engineering

<https://www.msoe.edu/academics/high-school-programs/summer-programs-at-msoe/women-technology/>

Week-long program for rising sophomore and juniors. The program includes a focus on construction management and architectural, biomedical, chemical & biomolecular, civil, computer, electrical, mechanical and software engineering as well as industry tours. Some scholarship available. Reach out directly to MOSE, 1- (800) 332-6763.

Young Scholars STEMM program: UIUC

<https://wyse.grainger.illinois.edu/summer-programs/young-scholars-summer-research>

Six-week on campus research opportunity for rising sophomores through seniors. Research includes cancer immunology, neuroscience, artificial intelligence, physics, quantum mechanics, bioengineering, electrical engineering, and more. Students are assigned to three research groups: SpHERES for young scholars that supports medicine, engineering, innovation and/or entrepreneurship, GENYus engineering scholars offering research in computer science, mechanical engineering, nuclear or quantum physics, aerospace engineering, materials science, electrical engineering, civil engineering, bioengineering and Army Research AEOP research on batteries with energy options. Stipend provided. Applications open in February.

Forensics:

Northern Illinois University

<https://niusteamcamps.com/high-school-camps/>

Forensics: Evidence Collection and Interpretation. Grades 9-12. Camp information available early in the year.

Crime Scene Investigation, Western Illinois University

http://www.wiu.edu/sao/outreach/youth_enrichment/summer_camps/crime_investigation.php

Five-day residential program covering CSI Crime Scene. Focuses on crime scene investigation and other forensic applications (drone disaster response included). For students in 10th, 11th and 12th grades. Scholarship available on a first come, first served basis. Details available early in the year.

General:

New!

College for Kids and Teens Classes, UW Milwaukee

https://uwm.edu/sce/program_area/college-for-kids-teens-classes/?_cfk_grade=cfk-09-12

A large selection of course topics offered including architecture, data science, medical camp, science, math, history, writing, photography, digital art, among others. Many programs are for grades 9-12. See link for registration and cost information. Details available early in the year.

National Student Leadership Conference

<https://www.nslcleaders.org>

Dozens of topics offered, locations all around the country, generally grades 9-12. Check website for details. Scholarships available.

Northern Illinois University

<https://niusteamcamps.com/high-school-camps/>

Film, journalism, food systems, environmental sustainability, tech careers/gaming/robotics; digital fabrication, forensics, sustainability, speech, STEAM sports (psychology, sports

marketing, etc.) film camp; food, health and medicine careers. For students entering grades 9-12. Some scholarships available. Camp information available early in the year.

Leadership/Politics:

American Legion Boys/Girls State at Eastern Ill. University (rising seniors only)

Illini Boys State: <https://illinoisboysstate.org/>

Illini Girls State: <https://alaigs.org>

Selective, **free**, week-long leadership/civics program. Contact Mr. Tagtmeier (World Studies, US History teacher) for application information and guidance: dtagetmeier@d120.org. All applications are to be approved by Mr. Tagtmeier. Essential for those applying to U.S. Service Academies (Naval, West Point, Air Force, Coast Guard, Merchant Marine). Students who are interested in government, politics and gaining skills/confidence with public speaking should apply. Two students from each session are selected for a free trip to Boys/Girls Nation in Washington, D.C.

New!

Bank of America Student Leaders

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

Free summer leadership program. Students assigned to local not-for-profit organizations and provided paid internships. Includes Washington D.C. Student Leaders Summit (expenses paid). For juniors and seniors. Application deadline January.

Congregational Hispanic Caucus Institute

<https://chci.org/programs/nextgen/>

Free Latino leadership program in Washington, DC, all expenses paid, for rising juniors and seniors. Deadline late January.

New!

Notre Dame Leadership Seminars

<https://precollege.nd.edu/leadership-seminars/>

10-day session. For academically talented juniors (rising seniors— 16 and older) who show impressive leadership within their communities. Topics include business, data analytics, global issues, the environment, investing, and others. Seminar can provide transferable college credit. Applications open in October; deadline in early January. Program and housing are free but there are application and enrollment fees. Limited scholarship available.

f(x) Math/Analytics/Risk Management:

New!

YSP at University of Illinois, Chicago

<https://sites.google.com/view/yspatuic/>

Free one-week non-residential math and math application courses taught by professors. For rising 9th through 12th graders. See link for registration form.



For Medicine/Biology/Healthcare

Allied Health Radiology Internship, Northwestern Medicine (Chicago)

<https://www.nm.org/about-us/workforce-development/beyond-high-school-programs/allied-health-intern-radiology>

Free 8-week paid internship in radiology imaging such as CT, mammography, ultrasound and nuclear medicine. Must be 18 and have high school degree or GED. Application closes mid-January.

Chicago Eyes on Cancer

<https://www.uchicagomedicine.org/cancer/education-outreach/student-education/high-school-undergraduate/eyes>

Highly competitive research program funded by National Cancer Institute. Two-year summer program for cancer research under guidance of professors and grad students doing accredited cancer research. For students 16 years and older including sophomores, juniors and seniors in high school (as well as college students). Stipend offered. Early December deadline.

Jim Holland Summer Science program in biology at Indiana University:

<https://biology.indiana.edu/about/outreach/k-12-students/holland-summer-science-programs/index.html>

Genetics, biology, molecular biology. Three separate week-long programs offered. The first, SEP, covers bio and molecular bio. The second, SSRP, focuses on research. The third, RISE, for rising seniors only, offers guided research and college planning/support. For students from diverse backgrounds in grades 9-11. One week residential session, housing included. Application opens in January. \$125 fee if accepted.

Kimberly Querrey Summer Research Program

<https://www.medicine.northwestern.edu/divisions/pulmonary-critical-care/index.html#education>
(BE SURE TO CLICK THE KIMBERLY QUERREY TAB TO ACCESS HIGH SCHOOL INTERNSHIP INFORMATION)

Intensive, hands-on biomedical research training combined with academic and professional development opportunities to support the next generation of scientists with interest in lung research. Provided by the Division of Pulmonary & Critical Care. Must be a rising senior

(currently a junior) at time of application. Non-residential; requires roundtrip transportation to Northwestern Chicago campus. Stipend provided. Applications open in January; late Jan. application deadline.

Health Careers, Northern Illinois University:

<https://niusteamcamps.com/high-school-camps/>

Meet with pharmacologists, biomedical engineers, epidemiologists and other health professionals to explore a variety of health careers through hands-on investigations. Residential camp. For rising 9-12th graders. Course topics and registration available early in the year.

ResearchHStart: University of Chicago/UIC/Rush/Northwestern(junior or senior, 16 years old)

<https://www.uchicagomedicine.org/cancer/education-outreach/student-education/high-school-undergraduate/researchstart>

Highly selective research program. Funded by the National Cancer Institute, this non-residential program introduces students to cancer research in a fully accredited and nationally funded lab and promotes career opportunities. For juniors or seniors. Stipend provided. Webinar mid-December that describes the application process. January 20 application deadline.

SHE in Oncology University of Chicago:

<https://www.uchicagomedicine.org/cancer/education-outreach/student-education/high-school-undergraduate/she>

Virtual 2-week program for rising sophomore through freshman in college. Applicants instructed to log into October webinar. Applications due early March. Small stipend provided.

For Nursing:

Milwaukee School of Engineering: Focus on Nursing (must be 16 to participate)

<https://www.msoe.edu/about-msoe/k-12-stem-at-msoe/k-12-programs/programs-for-families/focus/>

See "Focus" nursing program at Milwaukee School of Engineering. Updated programming and application available early in the year.



For STEM:

Argonne National Lab: College Bound Research Program:

<https://www.anl.gov/education/college-bound-research-program>

Argonne is one of 17 national labs. Argonne is a multidisciplinary science and engineering US Dept. of Energy research facility. Students will perform research, meet scientists and engineers, become part of the process in scientific discovery. Stipend provided. Must be able to commute to Argonne Monday-Friday during the summer (located in Lemont, IL). Must be enrolled in a

college in the fall after high school. Eligibility: Must be a graduated senior 18 years and older to participate. February application deadline.

SAMS (Summer Academy for Math and Science at Carnegie Mellon):

[Summer Academy for Math and Science - Pre-College Programs - Carnegie Mellon University](#)

FREE Selective 5+-week program designed to develop mastery of critical concepts in higher-level collegiate math and science. See link for eligibility (first gen./under-represented populations-demonstrated financial need). Students engage in specific projects like math, biology, physics and computer programming while also attending college admissions-prep workshops. Must be a junior and 16 by start of program. Feb. application deadline.

Fermilab, Batavia

Internships

Fermilab is the US government's premier national particle physics and accelerator laboratory (US Dept. of Energy).

TECHS: for summer after junior year. Prepares apprentices for careers as technicians at Fermilab. Hourly pay provided.

Prism: 4-week STEM internship; small stipend provided. High school senior or recent high school graduate. For students with an aptitude for physics, mathematics, computer science, and engineering. Topics covered include particle physics, quantum science, engineering design, and artificial intelligence. Students participate in hands-on activities, expert-led lectures, and exclusive tours of Fermilab's research facilities. Must be able to commute daily to Fermilab.



For Veterinary Medicine:

<https://vet.purdue.edu/boilervetcamp/>

Junior and Senior Vet Camp (Purdue University):

Veterinary in-residence camp. Junior is for students in 8th and 9th grade; Senior Camp is for students entering grades 10 -12. Applications deadline early February. Partial scholarships available.

For Writers:

Northern Illinois University

<https://niusteamcamps.com/high-school-camps/>

Journalism. Camp information available early in the year.

Young Writer's Workshop, University of Iowa:

<https://iyws.clas.uiowa.edu/>

Writing programs taught by Iowa Writers Workshop graduate students. Online and in-person course options. Sessions include fiction, tv writing, poetry, creative writing, playwriting and fiction. For students who are currently in 10th, 11th or 12th grade. Applications or online winter programs available September and October. In person applications available late January.

What grade levels are eligible for programs/research opportunities?
See charts below:

All Grades Summer after Freshman year through Summer after Junior year	Adler Planetarium school-year and summer programs Argonne Teen Advisory Council Business is Global (Indiana University) Business and Leadership (UW Whitewater) Chicago Eyes on Cancer CSI (Western Illinois) College of Kids and Teens (UW Milwaukee) Discover Architecture (UIUC) Experiment in Architecture (Ill Tech) Fermilab Saturday morning physics Focus (Milwaukee School of Engineering) Focus on Nursing (Milwaukee School of Engineering-must be 16) Health Careers (Northern Illinois) HiArch Architecture, UIC HPREP, Northwestern University I Want To Be A Teacher (UW Whitewater) Game Development(UW Whitewater) Grainger Summer Camps (UIUC) Jim Holland (Biology and research, Indiana University) Journalism (Northern Illinois University) Kelley Sprint Case Competition Kelley (Indiana U.) Women's Leadership Institute National Student Leadership Conference Saturday Morning Physics (school-year program) School of the Art Institute Sen. Adriane Johnson Internship STEMM (UIUC) Summer Business Programs (UIC) Summer Engineering Experience, Marquette U Summer Programs (Illinois Tech) STEAM and Summer Camps, (Northern Illinois University) YSP (UIC) Young Scholars STEMM Research, UIUC Young Writer's Workshop (Iowa State) <table border="1" data-bbox="605 1648 1372 1890"> <tr> <td data-bbox="605 1648 852 1890"> (Rising) SOPHOMORES AND JUNIORS ONLY </td><td data-bbox="852 1648 1372 1890"> Chicago EYES cancer research program (U of Chicago) Congressional Hispanic Caucus Kelly Young Women's Grosvenor Discovery Program at Northwestern U. Hospital (school </td></tr> </table>	(Rising) SOPHOMORES AND JUNIORS ONLY	Chicago EYES cancer research program (U of Chicago) Congressional Hispanic Caucus Kelly Young Women's Grosvenor Discovery Program at Northwestern U. Hospital (school
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Mundelein High School ARC
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