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Dear Students and Parents:

Listed below is information regarding summer opportunities that have arrived in the Guidance Office. If you are interested in any of these programs, please see Mrs. Rothe in the College Resource Room. She is available from 10:30am until 2:30pm on school days and can be reached at 992-7570.

Sincerely,  
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Director of Guidance

### COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY PROGRAMS

**Alfred University:** offers classes in Astronomy, Business, Creative Writing, Theatre, Women's Leadership, Computer Engineering, Girls Basketball, Equestrian, Art Portfolio Prep, and Swimming. Cost for this program is \$595 (\$425 for Swimming, \$695 for Computer Engineering). Deadlines vary. Please visit [www.alfred.edu/summer](http://www.alfred.edu/summer) for additional information.

**Barnard College:** offers co-ed programs for students in grades 10-11. This program gives students the opportunity to live and learn like a college student, explore your future career goals, discover New York City, and build leadership skills. Students have two programs to choose from, a 4-week co-ed Pre-College session or a 1-week co-ed Liberal Arts session, both beginning on June 29. The college is also offering a Young Women's Leadership Institute beginning July 13. Apply online at [www.barnard.edu/pcp](http://www.barnard.edu/pcp). For more information e-mail Barnard at [pcp@barnard.edu](mailto:pcp@barnard.edu) or call (212) 854-8866.

**Boston University:** offers a 6-week the High School Honors Program where students ages 16–17 may conduct scientific research or earn up to eight college credits by enrolling in two BU undergraduate courses. The University also offers the “Summer Challenge Program.” This is a 2-week program where students enroll in two non-credit seminars for students age 14–17. Seminar topics this year include Business, Creative Writing, International Politics, Mass Communications, Law, Persuasive Writing, Psychology, and Visual Arts. Costs range from \$5,970 - \$6,470. Deadline to apply for Research Internship is April 1 and May 15 for High School Honors and Summer Challenge.

**Boston University:** offers (PROMYS) Program in Mathematics for Young Scientists. This is a 6-week residential program that offers an intensive experience in creative mathematical exploration to approximately 65 ambitious students with an exceptionally strong interest in math. Classes begin June 29. Cost for this program is \$2,500. Deadline to apply is May 30.

**Carnegie Mellon:** offers students entering grades 11-12 an opportunity to study in a college setting for 6-weeks. Students can study Advanced Placement courses, Architecture, Art, Design, Drama or Music. Students may also take part in the National High School Game Academy. This Academy allows students to learn Interactive Digital Game Development through hands-on experience. Costs for these programs range between \$5,775 and \$6,967. Classes begin June 28. Students can obtain complete program information by visiting [www.cmu.edu/enrollment/pre-college](http://www.cmu.edu/enrollment/pre-college).

**China Institute:** will offer scholarships worth \$3,000 each to 25 students to attend a 6-week Chinese Language Summer Immersion Academy in NYC. Classes will be held July 7 – August 15, Mondays through Fridays from 9:30am – 3:30pm at the Dalton School, 108 East 89 Street (between Lexington and Park Avenues). Applicants who are selected will receive a small daily stipend for local transportation and lunch, in addition to the full scholarship. Deadline to apply is April 18.

**Harvard University:** offers two sessions with a full range of courses. It is open to students entering their sophomore, junior and senior year. In addition, many activities are offered such as concerts, dances, sports, talent show, trivia, movies and trips to Boston. Tuition is \$4,550 for the short session and \$9,025 for the longer session. Classes begin June 23. Deadline to apply is May 15.

**Indiana University of Pennsylvania:** offers a 2-week summer honors program for sophomores and juniors. This program is designed for students who desire a serious academic challenge in a college setting. Classes include Forensics, Biochemistry, Physics, Journalism, Film, Web Design, Music, Law, Leadership, and Chemistry. Classes begin July 13. Cost for this program is \$750. Deadline to apply is April 1.

**Ithaca College:** offers 1, 3, and 5-week summer session college programs for sophomores and juniors. Courses include Introduction to Sports Media, Writing, Music, Media and Film Production, Photography, and much more. Classes begin July 22 or 29 for the 1-week session, and July 1 for the 3 and 5-week session. Cost for these sessions range from \$1,130 - \$6, 690. Deadline to apply is May 1.

**Mount Holyoke College:** offers the “Take the Lead” program for women. This is a 2-week residential program for like-minded, action-oriented advocates who are passionate about important issues, such as cleaning up a river, making arts come alive, involving youth in the political process, addressing homophobia in high schools, promoting animal rights, and combating racism and sexism. Cost for this program is \$2,950. Classes begin June 29. Apply on-line at [www.mtholyoke.edu/summeraction](http://www.mtholyoke.edu/summeraction). Deadline to apply is May 1.

**New York Institute of Technology:** is offering “Explore Architecture in Manhattan” for juniors and seniors. This challenging program includes design projects, a digital media lab, lectures, walking tours, office visits, and exhibitions. Classes begin July 7 and take place on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays 10am – 3pm until July 31. Cost for this program is \$1,835. Deadline to apply is May 17.

**New York University:** offers over 60 courses of study and the ability to earn up to eight college credits with this Pre-College program. These are 6-week programs open to students entering their junior and senior year. Classes begin June 25. Cost for this program is \$4,381. Deadline to apply is April 1.

**Oxford Advanced Studies Program:** this summer course takes place at Somerville College, Oxford, England from July 1 to July 25 for sophomores and juniors. It is an academic course mixed with cultural visits (London, Stratford, Blenheim Palace, and Warwick Castle) and social activities. Brochures may be obtained by calling the Oxford Advanced Studies Program in Darien, CT. (203-966-2886), by visiting their website at [www.oasp.ac.uk](http://www.oasp.ac.uk), or by e-mail at [oxedge@optonline.net](mailto:oxedge@optonline.net).

**SUNY Stony Brook:** offers a 16-day Biotechnology Summer Camp. The goal of this program is to introduce motivated students to the techniques used in modern biotechnology research. Students will live on campus during the week and go home on weekends. Cost for this program is \$2,195. Classes begin July 14. Deadline to apply is April 1.

**SUNY Stony Brook:** offers Explorations in Forensics. This 5-day workshop is open to students entering grades 10-11 who have not yet taken a formal Forensics course. It can serve to help students to decide if they are interested in taking forensics in high school. Classes begin July 21. Deadline to apply is June 1.

**Susquehanna University:** offers a week long advanced writers workshop. The workshop is open to experienced writers in grades 11-12. Applicants must have teacher/counselor recommendations and portfolio submissions. Each applicant is required to submit 5-6 poems or 6-8 pages of fiction/creative nonfiction. Classes begin July 6. Cost for this program is \$600. Deadline to apply is May 1.

**University of Delaware:** offers “Summer College” for sophomores and juniors. This 5-week program is overseen by the competitive University Honors Program and students can take core courses for credit. Classes begin July 12. Cost for this program is \$5,095. Deadline to apply is May 15.

**University of Virginia:** offers a 2 or 4-week program for students entering grades 10-12. The program is designed to meet the special challenges and opportunities facing teenagers as they begin the transition to young adulthood, college and beyond. Activities include SAT Prep, Creative Writing, Essay Writing, Public Speaking, Geometry, Political Science, Stock Market Game, Human Anatomy & Physiology, and Introduction to Psychology. Students also take part in fun activities such as Recreational Sports, Studio Art, Photography, Acting, and Film. Classes begin July 6 or July 20. Deadline to apply is May 1.

**Worcester Polytechnic Institute:** offers a 2-week residential program open to juniors and seniors interested in Science, Math, and Engineering. Tuition cost is \$2,100. Deadline to apply is May 31.

### **ART, MUSIC, DANCE, AND MEDIA PROGRAMS**

**New Hampshire Institute of Art:** offers a 15-day summer workshop designed to develop college application portfolios and earn college-level credit. Choose from Digital Imaging, Photography, Ceramics, Drawing, Illustration, Metalworking, Printmaking and Liberal Arts. Cost for this program is \$1,650. Classes begin July 6. Deadline to apply is June 1.

**Northwestern University:** offers the National High School Music Institute. Programs of study include Composition, Jazz, Music Education and Conducting, Piano, Strings, Voice, Winds and Percussion, and Classical Guitar. Cost for these programs is \$4,400 (**\$1,850 for Classic Guitar**). Classes run June 29 – August 1 (**June 29 – July 11 for Classic Guitar**). Deadline to apply is **March 10** for **early decision** and **April 25** for **regular decision**.

**NYS Summer School of the Arts:** offers professional summer training programs, to students in grades 8 – 12. Through NYSSSA’s eight component schools in Ballet, Choral Studies, Dance, Jazz Studies, Media Arts, Orchestral Studies, Theatre, and Visual Arts students will get the opportunity to experience daily life with professional artists. Tuition varies between \$1,100 and \$1,500 and courses last between two and four weeks.

**Otis College of Art and Design:** offers an intensive 4-week pre-college program for students 15 years of age and older. Courses include Animation, Fashion Design, Architecture/Landscape/Interiors, Digital Media, Digital Photography, Graphic Design, Illustration, Life Drawing, Painting, and Black and White Photography. Cost for this program is \$4,105. Classes begin July 7. Deadline to apply is June 25.

**Penn State:** offers a 1-week music summer camp for students in grades 9-12. Take part in Concert Band, Concert Choir, Orchestra, Piano, and Jazz Band. Cost for this program is \$545. Classes begin July 13. Deadline to apply is July 1.

**Pratt Institute:** offers a Pre-College Program. Students have an invaluable opportunity to sharpen their portfolios, or get a taste of college life by taking classes, and earning 4 college credits. Cost for this program is \$2,295. Classes begin July 7.

**Quinnipiac University:** offers students interested in broadcast journalism a unique opportunity to learn from the professionals through its week long Television News Institute. Experience the thrill of standing in front of the camera or the satisfaction of writing, editing and producing your own news and sports stories. Classes begin July 7. Cost for this program is \$1,075. Deadline to apply is June 6.

### **VOLUNTEER WORK AND COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS**

**Nassau University Medical Center:** is offering a Summer Junior Volunteer Program called "Great Explorations." Junior volunteers are students between the ages of 14-18. Tasks include filing, running errands, answering phones, and assisting with mailings, transporting patients, visiting patients and much more. The program will provide students with the opportunity to serve as a liaison between patients, family members and Emergency Department Staff. This 7-week program begins on June 30. Deadline to apply is May 1.

### **EMPLOYMENT, APPRENTICESHIP, and INTERNSHIP WORKSHOPS**

**Jones Beach State Park:** offers a summer employment program open to students 16 years of age or older. Duties may include painting, landscaping, rule enforcement, litter control, cashiering, accounting and safety patrol. Salary range is \$7.88-\$8.12 per hour. Interviews will take place in the College Resource Center on March 18 during 5<sup>th</sup> period.

**Washington Workshops Foundation:** offers The Washington Internship Experience to motivated students interested in government and politics. This is a 3 to 6-week internship in a Congressional office or politically related committee, council or state office on or near Capitol Hill. The 3-week internship costs \$3,750; additional weeks are priced on a pro-rata, proportional basis. Classes begin June 15.