



STUDENT APPLICATION FORM – SUMMER 2019

Rising STISD 9th Graders Residential Exploration Camp at the Texas A & M University

June 24th – 28th, 2019

Camp Information:

This weeklong residential camp is organized to provide activities, experiments and projects for rising 9th-grade STISD students. The camp will focus introducing them to college life and promoting Science, Agriculture, and Geosciences subjects as a potential career path. Campers will attend classes that include problem solving, college access information, research and communication skills.

The camp will be held at the Texas A & M University, located in College Station, Texas. Students will be housed on campus under strict supervision.

Who Should Apply?

- Rising STISD 9th grade STPA students currently undergoing the enrollment process with one of our STISD high schools.
- Students interested in future careers in Science, Agriculture, and Geosciences or students interested in learning more about related fields and Texas A & M University.

Application Process:

- Parent/Guardian and student complete the attached student application form.
- Student writes a one page (250 word max) essay.
- We will collect a recommendation form from your 8th grade Science, Math, Social Studies and ELA teacher. Students are **not required** to get recommendation letters from teachers.
- The selection committee will select 30 participants and two alternates.
- **The committee's selection is final.**

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS March 22, 2019 4:00 pm. NO EXCEPTIONS

Texas A & M Residential Exploration Camp Student Application Form Summer 2019

Please type or print clearly in dark blue or black ink.

Name of Current 8th Grade Student: _____ DOB _____

Home Address: _____ ID _____

City

State

Zip Code

Student Email Address: _____

Student Cell Phone (if applicable): _____

School Team # _____

Please list school organizations that you have participated in. Include offices held.

Please list the total number of community service hours that you have accumulated while in **7th and 8th grade only**. Please attach documentation to this application. No exception.

Please list any other activity or achievement that you would like to share with the selection committee.

In which High School are you going to enrolled for 9th grade? _____

How confident are you in your ability to set goals? (Circle response)

Not at all Confident Not Confident Somewhat Confident Very Confident

How often do you reach the goals you set? (Circle response)

Never Sometimes Often Always

How often do you think about high school, college, and beyond (Circle response)

Never Sometimes Often Always

How committed are you to your school work? (Circle response)

Not committed Somewhat Committed Committed Very Committed

A **student-written essay** must be included with this application. The student essay is to be typed using Arial, Helvetica, or Times New Roman and in 12 point font. The essay is not to exceed 250 words (one double-spaced page). In your essay, tell the selection committee why you are interested in attending the Residential Exploration Camp at Texas A & M University. Include in your essay what you hope to gain from this experience and how you think it will help you in the future. **Be sure to write your name at the top of your essay.**

Signature of Student

Date

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Parent/Guardian Information

Instructions: Please complete the following information for at least one custodial parent, guardian, or both if available.

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____

Relationship: _____ Daytime Phone No.: _____

Cell Phone No.: _____ Home Phone No.: _____

Email Address: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____

Relationship: _____ Daytime Phone No.: _____

Cell Phone No.: _____ Home Phone No.: _____

Email Address: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student's Last Name: _____ First: _____

Pleas list below the names of the applicant's Science, Math, Social Studies and ELA Teacher(s):

SUBJECT	TEACHER
ELA	
SOCIAL STUDIES	
MATH	
IPC	
BIOLOGY	

**Media Permission Form
Texas A & M University Camp**

Student Name: (Please Print) _____

Session Attended:

- Residential Exploration Camp (June 24th- 28th)

___ I hereby grant permission to use my child's name, picture and comments in materials (television, video, world-wide web, audio and printed media) used to promote STISD.

___ I do not give such permission.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

If you have questions regarding this form, please contact STISD Public Relations & Marketing Coordinator Amanda Odom at (956) 514-4255.