EIT MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER SCIENCE CAMP
STUDENT APPLICATION FORM 2019
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK
July 7-13, 2019
July 14-20, 2019

Camp Information:
The Engineering and Information Technology Middle School Summer Science Camp (EITMSSSC) is organized to provide activities, experiments, projects, and field experiences for students entering 6th, 7th, or 8th grade in the summer of 2019. The camp promotes science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) education and supports historically underserved and underrepresented students with limited opportunities. Students attend the camp free of charge. Students currently in grade 5, 6, or 7 who have an interest in science and mathematics, at least a B average in science and mathematics courses and a passing score on the state’s standardized science and mathematics tests are eligible to apply. Immediate family members of the university staff, EITMSSSC camp staff are not eligible.

The EITMSSSC is a one-week, academic, residential camp that emphasizes increasing students’ mathematics and science knowledge and skills while introducing them to college life and stimulating their interest in science and engineering as a potential career path. Campers will attend classes that include problem solving, research, critical thinking and communication skills incorporated into biology, chemistry, physics, environmental sciences, earth sciences, engineering, technology and design concepts, and go on field excursions. Certified secondary teachers, university faculty, and other professionals will serve as instructors.

The camp will be held on the campus of University of Arkansas at Little Rock, 2801 S. University Avenue, Little Rock, AR. Students will stay in a dorm on the campus of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock on Fair Park Boulevard.

Camp participants will be selected from the state of Arkansas.

Application Process:
- Parent/Guardian and student complete requested information on the attached Student Application Form (pages 2 – 4).
- Parent/Guardian or student gives the request for records to the student’s school registrar (page 5).
- Parent/Guardian or student gives a recommendation form to the student’s current science teacher (page 6) and current mathematics teacher (page 7).
- Student writes a 250-word essay. Instructions for the essay are at the bottom of page 3.

Send the completed Student Application Form, essay, records and teacher recommendations to Ashley Henry-Saorrorno, EITSSC at UALR, 2801 S. University Avenue, EIT 114, Little Rock, AR 72204. All requested documents must be postmarked by, April 26, 2019. If all requested documents are not postmarked by the deadline date, the application will not be considered. You will receive notification on the status of the application no later than May 24, 2019. Students may be interviewed prior to being selected, if deemed necessary. If you have questions or need additional information, call Ashley Henry-Saorrorno, (501) 569-8597.

PLEASE KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR REFERENCE
STUDENT APPLICATION FORM 2019
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APPLICATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 26, 2019
Student Information

Please print in blue or black ink or type. Please provide all requested information.

Name of Student: ________________________________

Home Address: __________________________________

City __________________ State ______ Zip Code ______

Ethnicity: __________________ Date of Birth (month/date/year): ________________

Gender: Female_____ Male:_______ Adult T-shirt Size: ______

Name of School student is currently attending: ________________________________

Type of School (Circle all that apply):
Elementary (K-5) Middle (6-8) K-8 K-12
Other: _________ Public Parochial Private Charter

Current Grade level _________ School District/Parish: ____________________________

Courses Taken during the 2018-2019 academic year:

Mathematics: ____________________ Science: ____________________________

Courses Enrolled or plan to enroll in for the 2019-2020 academic year:

Mathematics: ____________________ Science: ____________________________

How did you find out about the EITMSSSC? ________________________________

Please rank your preference in attending EITMSSSC:

___ July 7-13, 2019  ___ July 14-20, 2019  ___ No Preference
Name of Student: ____________________________________________

School: __________________________ Current Grade level: __________

List school organizations, any science and/or mathematics activities (Science Fair, math club, after school programs, summer programs, etc.) you have participated in 2017, 2018 and/or 2019. Include awards received and offices held. You may attach a separate sheet, if needed.

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List any community activities and/or community groups that you have been a part of this school year.

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List any other activities or achievements that you would like to share with the selection committee.

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A student-written essay must be included with this application. The student essay is to be typed or neatly hand written. If typed, use Arial, Helvetica, or Times New Roman and a font size of 12 points. The essay should not exceed 250 words. In your essay tell the selection committee why you are interested in attending the 2019 EIT Middle School Summer Science Camp at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock. Include in your essay what you hope to gain from this experience, how you think it will help you in the future and why you think you should be selected to attend this camp. Be sure to write your name, current grade level, school and school district at the top of your essay.

Signature of Student __________________________ Date ________________
Name of Student: ________________________________

School: ________________________________ Current Grade level: __________

Parent/Legal Guardian Information

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

Name of Parent or Legal Guardian: ________________________________

Employer: ________________________________

Occupation: ________________________________

Daytime Phone No.: ________________ Home Phone No.: ________________

Cell Phone No.: ________________________________

E-mail Address: ________________________________

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Signature of Parent or Guardian  Date

Number of People in the Household: ______

Household Yearly Income Level:

_____ Under $15,000   _____ $15,001 to $30,000   _____ $30,001 to $45,000

_____ $45,001 to $60,000   _____ $60,001 to $75,000   _____ $75,001 - $90,000
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**at UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK**  
Request for Records Form

**Applicant instructions:** – You or your parent or legal guardian must complete the information below and give this form to your school’s registrar. A parent or legal guardian must sign this request so that the registrar can release the records.

Dear Registrar:

My child, ____________________________ is applying to attend the Engineering and Information Technology Middle School Summer Science Camp at University of Arkansas at Little Rock this summer. We are requesting a copy of his/her official records for this student (grades and standardized test scores) and for this completed form are forwarded to Ashley Henry-Saorrono, EITMSSSC at UALR, 2801 S. University Avenue, EIT 114, Little Rock, AR 72204 by April 26, 2019.

The records must include a copy of the most recent grades/report card and standardized test scores. This form, along including information below on whether this child receives free or reduced lunch, must accompany the records.

**I hereby grant permission for the release of the information requested on this form regarding my child.**

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Name of Student (please print)

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Student ID Number

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Signature of Student

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School

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Grade Date of Birth

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Homeroom Teacher

**The school registrar or appropriate administrator must complete the following.**

Does this child receive **FREE** or **REDUCED** lunch?  
_____Yes  _____No

If yes, which?  
_____Free Lunch  _____Reduced Lunch
Recommendation from Current SCIENCE Teacher
For a Student applying for
The EIT Middle School Summer Science Camp (EITMSSSC) 2019 at
University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Name of Student Applicant__________________________________________

Course taken with this teacher: Subject _____________________________ Year 2018-2019

Name of Teacher ____________________________________________________

Directions to teacher:
The student who has given you this form is applying to attend the BHSSC this summer. You have taught this student, so you can tell if she/he is a good candidate for this two-week residential program designed to enhance the lives of students with limited opportunities.

Please complete the chart below and write a letter of recommendation for this student. Place completed form and letter of recommendation in an envelope, seal it, and write your name across the sealed flap, so that your comments will be private. Please return the sealed envelope to the student as soon as possible so that he/she may include it in their application packet, which is due by April 26, 2019.

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Yes, definitely   Maybe   Definitely not

In your letter of recommendation, please include this student’s outstanding school achievement, the qualities this student possess that makes him/her stand out from the rest, and any concerns you would like to share. Your comments will be especially useful in the selection process. Thank you.
Recommendation from Current MATHEMATICS Teacher
For a Student applying for
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