

# 2024 National Youth Science Cam

# IMPORTANT DATES

1 December 2023 Application Open\*

29 February 2024 Application Due\*

29 June 2024 Start of NYSCamp

20 July 2024 **End of NYSCamp** 

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\*FL, GA, MA and some International applicants do not use the online application. See apply.nyscamp.org for the application process in these states.

## OVERVIEW

Established in 1963 in West Virginia, the National Youth Science Camp (NYSCamp) is a free residential honors program for two accomplished high school graduates from each state in the USA, plus Washington, DC, and select international countries.

The 2024 NYSCamp aims to be held fully in-person at Camp Pocahontas in West Virginia and Washington, DC. NYSCamp's curriculum includes a broad range of science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM) topics that incorporates both creative and performing arts, as well as an outdoor adventure series with opportunities for overnight backpacking, biking, and more. The time spent in Washington, DC, allows delegates to tour museums and attend a panel discussion hosted by the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

The NYSCamp is hosted by the National Youth Science Academy, formerly known as the National Youth Science Foundation. More information can be found at apply.nyscamp.org.

### HIGHLIGHTS

- Daily lectures, directed studies, and seminars with leading scientists.
- Engaging programming in the natural, physical, and computer sciences, creative arts, and outdoor recreation.
- Opportunities for delegates to engage with STEAM professionals, staff, and each other in a fun and meaningful way.
- Special events and surprise guests throughout NYSCamp.
- Delegates attend free of charge including transportation, housing, and meals.

#### ELIGIBILITY

- Graduates from high school between 1 July 2023 and 30 June 2025.
- Documented superior academic proficiency.
- Recognition for notable achievements in STEAM program areas.
- Skills and achievements outside of STEAM and/or academics.
- Intent to pursue higher education and a career in STEAM.
- Submit an application at apply.nyscamp.org on/before the deadline.