



Young Scholars Institute 2009

Sponsored by the Advanced Academy of Georgia



WHO: Academically gifted and curious rising eighth and ninth graders. Space is limited to 24 participants in each session.

WHAT: The Young Scholars Institute (YSI) provides highly able students with a unique opportunity to learn in a challenging and fun-filled program designed to provide intellectual development and stimulation in a university environment.

YSI participants reside with professional, highly-trained staff in a secure, air-conditioned university residence hall. University professors teach daytime classes in which students explore different disciplines in depth; evenings are filled with social and recreational activities that promote interaction and friendships. Former YSI campers report that they have maintained contact with their new friends and their professors years after their summer experience at West Georgia.

WHEN: June 14 - June 20 • Math & Science

Students will investigate Chemistry, Geology, Physics/Astronomy and Mathematics. The week will conclude with a closing ceremony in which students will highlight their discoveries from the week.

June 21 - June 27 • Arts & Humanities

Classes include Computer Animation, Debate, Creative Writing, and Art. Students will demonstrate what they have learned during an end of week closing ceremony.

WHERE: On the campus of the University of West Georgia, Carrollton, GA.

COST: \$500 for one week or \$900 for both sessions, which includes housing, food, instruction, and supplies. A limited number of scholarships are available.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: *May 11, 2009*

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