



2020 GEAR UP Dougherty Summer Academy Program Application High School

GEAR UP Dougherty is excited to invite up to 45 students to participate in the 2020 GEAR UP Summer Academy, which is a **summer enrichment program** that is replete with academic, social, and cultural programming for rising 8th and 9th graders to ensure that these students are prepared to enter and succeed in post-secondary education. Participants will have the opportunity to participate in off-site programming, which includes campus- and career-based field trips.

ELIGIBILITY: This program is open to all rising 9th graders who are currently enrolled in the Dougherty County School System. **Please note that this program does not replace summer school. If you are required to participate in summer school, your spot will be given to another student.**

COST: There is no charge to participate in this program. Participants will be provided with the supplies necessary to participate in the program.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: The student and their parent/guardian shall complete all sections of this application. **Incomplete and/or unsigned applications will NOT be accepted.**

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE: Students will be enrolled into their Google Classroom(s) once their application has been completed.

Questions/Contact Information:

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APPLICATION FOR 2020 GEAR UP DOUGHERTY SUMMER ACADEMY

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Parent/Guardian #1: _____ Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Would you be interested in chaperoning a field trip if one is scheduled?

Parent/Guardian Name #2: _____ Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Would you be interested in chaperoning a field trip if one is scheduled?*

**If yes, please contact MS Elaine Williams @229.432.6837 or wil22543@bellsouth.net for the DCSS Background Check form.*

Emergency Contact Name & Number: _____

MEDIA RELEASE

I give permission for my child to be photographed, recorded, or interviewed for promotional and informational activities for the GEAR UP Dougherty Program.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____



STUDENT INFORMATION

Have you ever participated in any other GEAR UP activities? Check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Campus Tours	<input type="checkbox"/>	GEAR UP After-School Assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	Naviance
<input type="checkbox"/>	National GEAR UP Week	<input type="checkbox"/>	Girls Who Code	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

Student's Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

Student ID#: _____ T-shirt Size (Adult): _____

Grade Level in the Fall: _____ School Attending in the Fall: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Student's Phone Number: _____ Student's Email: _____
City State Zip Code

Gender: _____ Ethnicity: _____

DOCO Email Address: _____

Food allergies/Dietary Restrictions: _____

Do you require an accommodation? _____

Will you be the first in your family to attend a post-secondary institution? _____

Which two subjects in school do you feel you do your best work? _____

What is your weakest subject? _____

GEAR UP Dougherty Parent/Guardian Commitment

I understand that my student, _____, is applying to the 2020 GEAR UP Dougherty Summer Academy. As the parent/guardian of a student applying to this program, I realize that both my student and I have commitments, such as ensuring on-time attendance, active participation, and completion of the program. My signature indicates that I will do all I can to support and encourage my student in their path to post-secondary education. I understand that disruptive behavior and excessive absences will result in my student being dismissed from the 2020 GEAR UP Dougherty Summer Academy.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Applications can be faxed to 229.4329369.

All Applications are due by June 29, 2020