

EMBARK SUMMER PRECOLLEGIATE PROGRAM APPLICATION

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA: June 14th - 18th, 2020

THIS FREE, RESIDENTIAL PRE-COLLEGIATE PROGRAM EXPOSES HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS TO THE COLLEGE EXPERIENCE AND ENCOURAGES THEIR PURSUIT OF HIGHER EDUCATION The Embark Summer Program is supported with funds from Georgia RYSE-ILP/Georgia DFCS.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

> TO BE ELIGIBLE, A STUDENT MUST:

- Be in foster care, a ward of the state, or emancipated
- Be a rising 10th or 11th grade student
- Have the desire to go to a college or a university

> INSTRUCTIONS

- Complete all forms. Either fill out the form electronically or print in blue or black ink: illegible applications will be disqualified.
- Use the official application form.
- Answer all questions. Confine your responses to the space provided.

> APPLICATION CHECKLIST (All applications must include the following items)

□ TRANSCRIPT

Attach a current transcript of your grades to this application. An unofficial transcript is acceptable.

□ RECOMMENDATION FORM

This form (attached) must be completed by an **instructor or advisor.** Write your name at the top, and give your recommender at least two weeks to complete it. Ask the recommender to either email the recommendation form directly to Shirley Reyes **or** return the form to you in a sealed envelope with his or her signature written across the seal. Then leave the form sealed, and submit it with your application. **Choose a recommender who can address the following:**

- 1) Academic record, plans, and goals
- 2) Personal strengths including motivation, leadership, and commitment
- 3) Community service and extracurricular activities

DEADLINE May 15, 2020

Mail application to below address by the deadline: Embark Summer Precollegiate Program Attn: Kate Smith J.W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development/UGA 1240 S. Lumpkin Street Athens, GA 30602-3552

OR

scan and email application to: shirley.reyes@fanning.uga.edu

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

> David Meyers - 706 542-5062 office or Shirley Reyes 706-542-0159 office



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MEDICATION INFORMATION:

Will you have medication with you to be administered during the Program? \Box Y \Box N *If YES, additional forms will be mailed upon acceptance to the program.*

GENERAL INFORMATION:

1) How did you hear about the Embark Summer Precollegiate Program?

2) If you are returning, what made you decide to attend this year?

3) What are your dreams after high school? How will attending this camp help?

4) What are your concerns about life after graduation?

REQUIRED APPLICANT CERTIFICATION AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Applicant must read and sign below to be eligible:

- I certify that all information on this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
- I certify that I meet all eligibility requirements as specified on this application.
- I understand that I must notify the Fanning Institute of any change in my address or contact information.

1) Applicant's name:	
Signature:	Date:
2) Guardian's name:	
Signature:	Date:

(if filling out electronically, type full names above to reflect signature)



EMBARK SUMMER PRECOLLEGIATE PROGRAM RECOMMENDATION FORM

Applicant's name: _____

The student named above is applying to participate in the Embark Summer Precollegiate Program. This evaluation is a critical component of our decision regarding acceptance into the program. Please complete **both parts** of this form, and email to shirley.reyes@fanning.uga.edu **or** return it to the student in a sealed envelope so that s/he will be able to submit all application materials by the postmark deadline: **May 15**, **20209**.

PART 1: REFERRED BY INFORMATION

1) Name:	Professional Title:
2) Institution/Company:	
3) Address:	
City, ST:	
	5) Email:
6) How do you know the applicant?	
7) How long have you known him/her?	□ <1 yr. □ ≈1 yr. □ <2 yrs. □ 2± yrs.
8) How well do you know him/her?	□ Casually □ Fairly well □ Well □ Very well

PART 2: WRITTEN EVALUATION

In an attached letter, please describe specific instances of abilities, skills, and attributes, including any limitations as well as strengths, for the following areas:

- Academic habits (e.g. challenges oneself, manages time well, utilizes academic support networks)
- Leadership (e.g. ability to lead & motivate others)
- Motivation & long-term goals (e.g. sets realistic goals & develops strategies for completing them)
- Self-awareness / self-concept (e.g. understanding of personal strengths & weaknesses)
- Community involvement (e.g. family, school, community, or extracurricular activities)

Referred By Signature: _____ Date: _____

(If filling out electronically, type full name to reflect signature)

More information on the Embark Summer Precollegiate Program is available at www.fanning.uga.edu.