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**WHITE PINE SCHOOL
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM
2019**

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Michigan Tech Summer Youth Programs . . . *where college begins!*

SPEND A WEEK ON CAMPUS AT MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY THIS SUMMER THROUGH THE WHITE PINE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

an opportunity ONLY for students from the geographic area of the former WHITE PINE SCHOOL to enjoy an exciting week-long exploration, and experience university life

PROGRAM INFORMATION

The White Pine School Scholarship Program is an experiential pre-college summer scholarship program for one talented student from geographic area of the former White Pine School.

- Choose from a variety of hands-on camps and career explorations in engineering, science and technology, and computing.
- Learn about exciting career opportunities.
- Interact with alumni and role models to get first-hand accounts of the diverse careers in the fields you're interested in.
- Experience college life—stay in a residence hall, explore campus, and meet other students with similar backgrounds and interests.

Upon request, arrangements can be made for you to speak with faculty from disciplines or areas in which you have special interests, as well as admissions and financial aid staff.

HOW TO APPLY

Applications will be considered on a first-come, first served basis, if they show merit. Late applications may be considered. You can also request additional applications from your school counselor, or by emailing rmmartel@mtu.edu. Send your completed application, including the required short responses to questions, and a copy of your unofficial school transcript AS SOON AS POSSIBLE-- by scan to rmmartel@mtu.edu, or fax to 906-487-1136, or hard-mail to the contact info at the bottom of this page.

COST

One selected participant will receive a scholarship valued at up to \$1,000, which covers all tuition costs, classroom supplies, and room and board for one week.

TRANSPORTATION

You are responsible for your own transportation costs.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Open to students in grades 6–11 (as of fall 2019) only from the White Pine School geographic area (or near-by). Participants are selected on a competitive basis. Preference will be given to applicants who are academically successful and have demonstrated a strong interest in STEM fields (science, technology/computers, engineering, and math). The selection committee also reviews involvement in extracurricular activities and outside interests or responsibilities, short responses to questions, your teacher's recommendation, and school transcripts. Neatness, accuracy, and following directions will also be considered.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Completed application | <input type="checkbox"/> Signature of applicant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Short responses to questions | <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of unofficial school transcript, including 1st semester of this year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Signature of parent or guardian | <input type="checkbox"/> Short Teacher recommendation |

CONTACT OUR OFFICE WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

Michigan Tech Summer Youth Programs
ATTN: White Pine School Scholarship
1400 Townsend Drive
Houghton, MI 49931-1295

Toll-free 888-773-2655
Fax 906-487-1136
Email syp@mtu.edu

www.mtu.edu/precollege/syp

WHITE PINE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION

ALL APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM.

First-come, first serve, by merit, so HURRY!

Late applications may be considered.

TO APPLY— mail your application with the 3 additional attachments to SYP by Scan, hard-mail, or Fax.

Please complete both sides of this application and send it with your transcript and short responses to questions.

Legal name _____
First Middle Last Suffix (Jr., Sr., II, etc.)

Preferred name/nickname _____
This is how your name will appear on your participant ID.

HAVE YOU APPLIED TO OR ATTENDED ANY OF THESE PROGRAMS IN THE PAST? DO YOU PLAN TO APPLY?

National Summer Transportation

Institute (NSTI)

Previously applied

Attended

Plan to apply

Engineering Scholars Program (ESP)

Previously applied

Attended

Plan to apply

Women in Engineering (WIE)

Previously applied

Attended

Plan to apply

Summer Youth Programs (SYP)

Previously applied

Attended

Plan to apply

Which SYP Exploration? _____

CONTACT INFORMATION

Participant's email _____

Address/PO Box _____

City _____

State/province _____

ZIP or postal code _____

County _____

Country _____

Telephone _____

Participant's cell phone _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Gender _____ Birth date _____ Age _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION

What is the name of the school you attended this year?

What grade will you have completed by June 2019? _____

Current class rank _____ out of _____

Cumulative GPA _____

Note: If your school uses a grading system other than the 4.0 scale, an explanation of the method must accompany your transcript.

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION—EACH PARENT/GUARDIAN MUST FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING:

Parent first name Middle name Last name Suffix

Relationship to applicant _____

Evening phone _____

Day phone _____

Cell phone _____

Email _____

Is your address the same as the participant's? Yes No

Parent first name Middle name Last name Suffix

Relationship to applicant _____

Evening phone _____

Day phone _____

Cell phone _____

Email _____

Is your address the same as the participant's? Yes No

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT YOUR RESPONSES TO THE QUESTIONS BELOW ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER.

Be sure to put your full name at the top of the page and that you are applying for the White Pine School Scholarship.

1. List the courses you are currently taking in math, science, and computers, and the courses you plan to take next year.
2. Tell us about your current career plans: for instance, what career options are you considering, and how certain or uncertain are you about your career plans?
3. List any extracurricular activities, hobbies, or community organizations with which you are involved.
4. Which SYP program are you most interested in? <https://www.mtu.edu/precollege/syp/discover/courses/>
5. Write a brief statement (**about 150 words**) discussing why you would like to attend this program and what you would like to gain from this experience.

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION LETTER

The Waupaca High School Scholarship Program is competitive. Students should be recommended to attend if they have the aptitude to engage in academic pre-college studies and would benefit from this experience.

Have one of your teachers write a very short letter of recommendation, preferably from a math, science, computer, or agriculture class, telling us how you would benefit the most from this scholarship; include it with this application.

SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

Enclose your most recent transcript of your high school course work through the first semester of this year. If your school uses a grading system other than the 4.0 scale, send an explanation of the method with the transcripts.

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT OUR PROGRAM?

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Counselor or teacher | <input type="checkbox"/> Internet search |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Previous participant | <input type="checkbox"/> Michigan Tech alumni or faculty/staff |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Youth Programs website | <input type="checkbox"/> Mind Trekkers event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friend | Date and place _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Catalog | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Enrollment

For the Scholarship award, choose from a variety of hands-on career explorations only in the sections labeled: **Engineering, Science and Technology, and Computing**. <https://www.mtu.edu/precollege/syp/discover/courses/>
(If you wish to sign up for a second week at your own expense, you may add that here on line 2, from any section.)

I am enrolling in the following exploration(s):

Exploration number	Exploration name	Dates	Live-in	Commuter	(scholarship covered) Cost
Example: #51209	Chemical Engineering	June 23-29	X		\$1,000
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Please list alternate exploration choices in order of preference.

TRANSPORTATION

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When do you plan on arriving at Michigan Tech?

Day _____ Time _____

How do you plan on arriving at Michigan Tech?

- Car
 Other _____

When do you plan on departing from Michigan Tech?

Day _____ Time _____

How do you plan on departing from Michigan Tech?

- Car
 Other _____

Please note: If you will be arriving before the program begins, or departing after its conclusion, there is an additional fee. See website for details: www.mtu.edu/precollege/syp.

PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT

I approve of _____ applying for the **White Pine School Scholarship Program**.
Applicant name

Signature _____ Date _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE

I attest that the information provided in this application is correct.

Signature _____ Date _____