2017 Governor's Honors Program

Useful information for RHS scholars and parents about the 2017 GHP program and application process





What is the Governor's Honors Program?

- GHP is a four week program for gifted and talented students. Finalists take courses in their major (nomination) area as well as an elective (formerly minor) course. The program has been in existence since 1963, and it is the longest running program of its kind in the United States.
- Students can participate in the program through a variety of nomination areas.
- More information about GHP is available online at the website for the Governor's Office of Student Achievement









Who can participate?

- The Governor's Honors Program is a summer program for rising juniors and seniors. Students can apply in the 10th or 11th grade.
- Students are only allowed to participate in GHP one time, however, students who were nominated in their sophomore year and were not selected can reapply for the program in their junior year.
- Detailed requirements for each area of nomination can be found here.









In what areas can a student be nominated?

Agricultural Science	Science	Engineering	Social Studies	Dance
Theatre	Visual arts	Mathematics	World Languages	Music
		Communicative Arts		









When is the program?

- GHP will be held June 18 July 15, 2017
- Click here for a detailed timeline of the 2017 GHP process









How much does the program cost?

- GHP is a **FREE** program! Those chosen to participate will receive all housing, meals, instruction and activities free of charge.
- The only costs students may incur will be travel to and from the program site and spending money.









Where is the program?

- This year's program will be held at Berry College in Rome, Georgia.
- Learn more about Berry College here









How do I apply?

Students interested in applying to GHP should do the following:

- 1. Secure a nominating teacher.
- 2. Complete the application for students and parents.
- 3. Return the application to Ms. Price in the counseling suite by the *October 21st deadline*.









When is my application due?

Completed applications due back to Ms. Price in the counseling suite no later than October 21, 2016.







Who can I go to if I still have questions?

Please see Ms. Price in the counseling suite if you have any questions or need assistance.



