

Bridge to Big Ideas

ENGAGE • LEARN • PREPARE



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Newberry College Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences offers a two-week summer seminar for rising high school seniors. The program is designed to provide students with an intellectually rigorous college-style experience, enhance critical thinking and writing skills, and promote engaged citizenship.

RECEIVE INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION and support in small classes taught by Newberry College professors.

GET REAL COLLEGE EXPERIENCE taking classes on the Newberry College campus, eating in the college Cafe and utilizing campus amenities.

GAIN COLLEGE SKILLS in reading, writing, critical thinking and analysis.

MAKE COLLEGE CONNECTIONS with support from student mentors and professors, while producing college level writing samples.

- Explore classical and contemporary writings
- Work with Newberry College student mentors
- Participate in discussions led by a variety of Newberry College professors
- Receive college recommendation letters from professors who have first-hand knowledge of your ability to handle college work

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APPLY NOW!

APPLICATION DEADLINE
April 12, 2019

WHO SHOULD APPLY

All rising seniors should consider applying! We especially encourage students to apply who may not be certain whether they can, or want to attend college but have an interest in learning and in their ability to grow.

PROGRAM DATES AND DAILY SCHEDULE

June 6 – 20, 2019

9 AM – 3 PM, Monday – Friday

- Meet with Newberry College student mentors for questions about the day's assignments.
- Attend a two-hour seminar with Newberry College professors.
- After a short break, meet with student mentors to discuss readings and assignments for the following day.
- Enjoy lunch in the college cafe or catered meals.
- Reading time and activity, such as field trips to interesting sites in Newberry, or other recreational activities.

READ original works across a variety of disciplines.

EXPLORE and discuss classical works of literature.

Make historical **CONNECTIONS** between readings and contemporary experiences in school, community and society.

WRITE reflection essays, assisted by student mentors and Newberry professors.

CONSIDER the personal and historical idea of American identity, reflecting on who we are, how others perceive us and the world we envision for the future.

DEVELOP critical thinking skills as you analyze and discuss readings.

MATERIALS AND COST

This is a **FREE** program!
Your acceptance into this program provides you with the following at **NO** cost:

Daily instruction and facilitated discussion

All course books and materials

Daily lunch either in the Cafe or catered

Access to student mentors during the program and the following school year

“Education is a human right with immense power to transform.”

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