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## MEMORANDUM NO. 2018-129

**TO:** School District Superintendents  
High School Principals  
Curriculum Directors  
High School Counselors  
High School Teachers

**FROM:** Megan Degenfelder, Chief Policy Officer

**DATE:** November 26, 2018

**SUBJECT:** National Youth Science Camp Applications Open

## HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS SOUGHT FOR 2019 NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE CAMP® HONORS

Graduating high school seniors have the opportunity to represent Wyoming at the 2019 National Youth Science Camp (NYSC). This no cost, month-long experience includes lectures and hands-on research projects presented by scientists from across the nation, backcountry adventure trips, and a visit to Washington D.C. Delegates must demonstrate superior academic proficiency in mathematics and science, exhibit leadership abilities, have community involvement, and enjoy challenging themselves in the areas of biological and physical sciences.

Delegates are selected through an online state-based competition; students chosen must be able to participate in the entire NYSC program. The camp is tentatively set for Thursday, June 27, 2019 through Saturday, July 20, 2019. The camp is held near the community of Bartow in the eastern mountains of West Virginia, within the Monongahela National Forest.

The online application is available on the [NYSC website](#).

All applications must be submitted electronically by **4 p.m. MST on February 28, 2019.**

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