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TO: School District Superintendents
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FROM: Wanda Maloney, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: January 9, 2023

SUBJECT: National Youth Science Camp Applications (NYSCamp)

HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS AND SENIORS SOUGHT FOR 2023 NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE CAMP® HONORS

Applications are now being accepted from high school juniors and seniors in the classes of 2023 and 2024 to represent Wyoming at the 2023 National Youth Science Camp (NYSCamp). Two students from each state, Washington, D.C., and select countries will attend the all-expenses-paid program, which will be held from June 19 through July 12, 2023.

Hosted in Monongahela National Forest in West Virginia since 1963, the [NYSCamp](#) is a residential science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM) program designed to honor and challenge some of the nation’s rising STEAM leaders, and provide them with opportunities to engage with STEAM professionals and participate in exciting outdoor activities. The 2023 NYSCamp will include five days of virtual programming beginning on June 19, 2023, and two-and-a-half weeks of in-person programming beginning on June 24, 2023. Selected delegates must commit to attending the entire camp.

This experience will include world-class lectures, directed studies, and seminars with prestigious and up-and-coming STEAM professionals who are making a difference in their fields of study and changing the world for good. The NYSCamp is offered to selected participants at no cost—including meals, housing, and transportation—so that talented students may attend regardless of their financial ability.

Applications to attend the 2023 NYSCamp are due by 11:59 PM EST on February 28, 2023. Delegates are selected through an online state-based competition. The online application is available [here](#).

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