

# Summer Opportunities

- Check Websites for updates on registration deadlines, cost, and actual dates of the camp as each can vary year to year. Some as early as February
  - The [Bellingham Assistance League](#) offers a scholarship for summer camps each year. Opens February, closes mid-March
- This is a list of opportunities within our community, state, country; they are all independent and not supported by the Bellingham School District
- The categories below are: [Academics](#), [Arts](#), [Athletics](#), [Dance](#), [College Prep](#), [Employment](#), [Language](#), [Leadership](#), [Medical](#), [Music](#), [Outdoors](#), [Science & Engineering](#), [Service](#), and [Technical](#), [University Programs](#). Click on any subject in blue to be taken directly to that listing

<b>ACADEMICS</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Berkeley Summer Focus	<a href="http://www.educationunlimited.com">www.educationunlimited.com</a>
Boston U- Summer Challenge	<a href="http://www.bu.edu/summer/high-school-programs/summer-challenge/?gclid=CM-b6LzD4L0CFVJffgodRG4AkQ">http://www.bu.edu/summer/high-school-programs/summer-challenge/?gclid=CM-b6LzD4L0CFVJffgodRG4AkQ</a>
Carnegie-Mellon	<a href="http://www.cmu.edu/enrollment/admission">www.cmu.edu/enrollment/admission</a>
Columbia U	<a href="http://www.ce.columbia.edu/hs/">www.ce.columbia.edu/hs/</a>
Cornell U	<a href="http://www.summercollege.cornell.edu">www.summercollege.cornell.edu</a>
Delphian	<a href="#">Summer Camp - Delphian School</a>
EWU Summer Session	<a href="https://sites.ewu.edu/summersession/">https://sites.ewu.edu/summersession/</a>
Georgetown U	<a href="http://scs.georgetown.edu/departments/21/summer-programs-for-high-school-students">http://scs.georgetown.edu/departments/21/summer-programs-for-high-school-students</a>
Harvard U Summer School	<a href="https://www.summer.harvard.edu/high-school-programs">https://www.summer.harvard.edu/high-school-programs</a>
Johnson & Wales U- Culinary Arts	<a href="https://sites.jwu.edu/cx/index.html">https://sites.jwu.edu/cx/index.html</a>
Oregon St. U	<a href="http://oregonstate.edu/precollege/">http://oregonstate.edu/precollege/</a>
Pratt Institute- Art and Design	<a href="http://www.pratt.edu/precollege">www.pratt.edu/precollege</a>
U of Washington	<a href="http://www.summeryouth.washington.edu">www.summeryouth.washington.edu</a>

US Naval Academy	<a href="https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/index.php">https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/index.php</a>
Writer's Conference-Port Townsend, WA	<a href="http://centrum.org/the-port-townsend-writers-conference/">http://centrum.org/the-port-townsend-writers-conference/</a>
Washington Business Week	<a href="http://www.wbw.org/">http://www.wbw.org/</a>
WWU	<a href="https://ee.wwu.edu/youth-programs/programs">https://ee.wwu.edu/youth-programs/programs</a>
Washington U - St Louis	<a href="http://www.ucollege.wustl.edu/hssp">www.ucollege.wustl.edu/hssp</a>
<b>ARTS</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
California Acting Workshop	<a href="http://www.educationunlimited.com">www.educationunlimited.com</a>
FIDM	<a href="http://fidm.edu/">http://fidm.edu/</a>
G.I.F.T.S. the Indie Film School	<a href="http://www.GIFTSfilms.com">www.GIFTSfilms.com</a>
Mt. Baker Youth Symphony	<a href="http://www.mbys.org/">http://www.mbys.org/</a>
Otis College of Arts and Design	<a href="https://www.otis.edu/k-12-pre-college-programs-landing">https://www.otis.edu/k-12-pre-college-programs-landing</a>
The Summer at Cornish	<a href="http://www.cornish.edu/summer">www.cornish.edu/summer</a>
Bellingham Arts Academy for Youth	<a href="http://www.baay.org/">http://www.baay.org/</a>
Pace Atelier Art Camps	<a href="http://www.paceatelier.com/">http://www.paceatelier.com/</a>
Summer at Cornish Art and Design	<a href="http://www.cornish.edu/summer/">http://www.cornish.edu/summer/</a>
International Thespian Festival	<a href="https://www.schooltheatre.org/itf2018/home">https://www.schooltheatre.org/itf2018/home</a>
SCAD- Savannah College of Art & Design	<a href="http://www.scad.edu/admission/pre-college/index.cfm">http://www.scad.edu/admission/pre-college/index.cfm</a> Pre-college Rising Star earn college credit & build your visual arts portfolio
The Art Institute of Seattle	<a href="https://summerstudio.com/">https://summerstudio.com/</a>
REEL Grrls	<a href="http://reelgrrls.org/">http://reelgrrls.org/</a> Students interested in media and film

<b>ATHLETICS</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Stanford U Sports Camp	<a href="https://cardinalatwork.stanford.edu/benefits-rewards/worklife/children-family/summer-activites-camps">https://cardinalatwork.stanford.edu/benefits-rewards/worklife/children-family/summer-activites-camps</a>
U of W- Cheerleaders of America	<a href="http://www.COAcHeer.com">www.COAcHeer.com</a>
Universal Cheerleaders	<a href="http://www.uca.com">www.uca.com</a>
WWU Girls& Boys Basketball camps	<a href="http://www.wwuvikings.com/camps/">http://www.wwuvikings.com/camps/</a>
YMCA -	<a href="http://www.whatcomymca.org/teens-2.html">http://www.whatcomymca.org/teens-2.html</a>
<b>COLLEGE PREP</b>	
College Success Foundation	<a href="http://www.collegesuccessfoundation.org/makeithappen">www.collegesuccessfoundation.org/makeithappen</a>
Boston U- PROMYS	<a href="http://www.pace.edu/summerscholars">www.pace.edu/summerscholars</a> Program in Mathematics for Young Scientists
College Admission Prep –	<a href="http://www.educationunlimited.com">www.educationunlimited.com</a> college admission and SAT preparation class
Math - Promys	<a href="http://www.promys.org">www.promys.org</a>
College Visits	<a href="http://www.college-visits.com">www.college-visits.com</a> Organized tours of colleges around US
Harvard U Summer School Pre-college	<a href="https://www.summer.harvard.edu/high-school-programs">https://www.summer.harvard.edu/high-school-programs</a>
WWU College Quest	<a href="http://www.edu/CollegeQuest">www.edu/CollegeQuest</a>
<b>DANCE</b>	
Bellingham Dance Company	<a href="http://www.bellinghamdancecompany.com/index.html">http://www.bellinghamdancecompany.com/index.html</a>
Houston Ballet Academy	<a href="https://www.houstonballet.org/about/academy1/summer-intensive-program/">https://www.houstonballet.org/about/academy1/summer-intensive-program/</a>

Northwest Ballet Academy	<a href="http://northwestballet.org/">http://northwestballet.org/</a>
<b>Employment</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Ecology Youth Corp	<a href="http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/eyc/nwro.html">www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/eyc/nwro.html</a> highway crews
Job Corps – Post HS employment	<a href="http://jobcorps.dol.gov/">http://jobcorps.dol.gov/</a>
LIONS Camp Horizon – PD counselor for summer camp for physically challenged children	<a href="http://www.lionscamphorizon.org">www.lionscamphorizon.org</a>
WA Conservation Corps Environmental jobs	<a href="https://ecology.wa.gov/wcc">https://ecology.wa.gov/wcc</a>
<b>LANGUAGE</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Blue Star Camp -Hebrew	<a href="https://www.bluestarcamps.com/blog/category/camp-news/">https://www.bluestarcamps.com/blog/category/camp-news/</a>
Middlebury College- School of English	<a href="http://www.middleburyinteractive.com/elevate-your-summer-language-immersion?">http://www.middleburyinteractive.com/elevate-your-summer-language-immersion?</a>
Canoe Island French Camp	<a href="http://www.canoeisland.org/">http://www.canoeisland.org/</a>
<b>LEADERSHIP/MISC</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Boy Scouts-Venturing	<a href="https://www.mountbakerbsa.org/">https://www.mountbakerbsa.org/</a> Co-ed adventure, leadership
Evergreen Boys State	<a href="http://www.EvergreenBoysState.org">www.EvergreenBoysState.org</a>
Evergreen Girls State	<a href="http://www.evergreen-girlsstate.com/">http://www.evergreen-girlsstate.com/</a>
Foundation for Teaching Economics- Economics for Leaders	<a href="http://www.fte.org/students">www.fte.org/students</a>

Girl Scouts Programs	<a href="https://www.girlscoutsww.org/">https://www.girlscoutsww.org/</a>
Junior Statesman	<a href="http://www.jsa.org/summer">www.jsa.org/summer</a> Leadership and Politics at UW or abroad
WA Business Week	<a href="http://www.wbw.org">www.wbw.org</a> Business Week, Advanced Business Week, Healthcare Week Manufacturing Week, Energy Week
BYU Youth Programs	<a href="https://ce.byu.edu/youth">https://ce.byu.edu/youth</a>
Davidson THINK Summer Institute	<a href="http://www.davidsongifted.org/THINK-Summer/Admissions/Eligibility">http://www.davidsongifted.org/THINK-Summer/Admissions/Eligibility</a>
Lewis & Clark Forensics Pioneer Debate	<a href="https://college.lclark.edu/departments/rhetoric_and_media/opportunities/forensics/institute/">https://college.lclark.edu/departments/rhetoric_and_media/opportunities/forensics/institute/</a>
Envision National Youth Leadership Forum	<a href="https://www.envisionexperience.com/explore-our-programs">https://www.envisionexperience.com/explore-our-programs</a>
EWU Satori Camp	<a href="https://sites.ewu.edu/satoricamp/">https://sites.ewu.edu/satoricamp/</a>
Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership	<a href="http://www.hoby.org/programs/leadership-seminars/dates-locations">http://www.hoby.org/programs/leadership-seminars/dates-locations</a>
John Hopkins Center for Talented Youth	<a href="https://cty.jhu.edu/summer/grades7-12/">https://cty.jhu.edu/summer/grades7-12/</a>
WorldStrides	<a href="https://worldstrides.com/">https://worldstrides.com/</a>
Whatcom YMCA	<a href="http://www.whatcomymca.org/programs.html">http://www.whatcomymca.org/programs.html</a>
Camp Woolman	<a href="https://woolman.org/camp">https://woolman.org/camp</a>
NY Times Summer Academy	<a href="https://www.nytedu.com/pre-college/nyc-summer-academy/">https://www.nytedu.com/pre-college/nyc-summer-academy/</a>
<b>MEDICAL</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
American Red Cross Youth in Emergency - Emergency training	<a href="http://www.redcross.org/local/washington/programs-services/get-prepared/youth-preparedness">http://www.redcross.org/local/washington/programs-services/get-prepared/youth-preparedness</a>
UW Nursing Camp	<a href="https://nursing.uw.edu/community/nurse-camp/">https://nursing.uw.edu/community/nurse-camp/</a>

National Hispanic Youth Initiative- InterAmerican College of Physicians and Surgeons	<a href="https://www.hsf.net/youth-leadership-institute">https://www.hsf.net/youth-leadership-institute</a>
WWU College Quest	<a href="https://oce.wvu.edu/collegequest">https://oce.wvu.edu/collegequest</a> Behavioral Neuroscience Program
WA Business Week's Healthcare Week	<a href="http://www.wbw.org">www.wbw.org</a>
<b>MUSIC</b>	
Peterson Conservatory of Music and Art	<a href="http://www.pcmusical.org/nw-music-camps/summer-sounds.php">http://www.pcmusical.org/nw-music-camps/summer-sounds.php</a>
Marrowstone Music Festival	<a href="https://marrowstone.org/">https://marrowstone.org/</a>
Suzuki Education and Research Association	<a href="https://suzukiassociation.org/events/institutes/">https://suzukiassociation.org/events/institutes/</a>
WWU Chamber Days	<a href="https://cfpa.wvu.edu/summerwinds">https://cfpa.wvu.edu/summerwinds</a>
Centrum's Jazz Port Townsend	<a href="http://centrum.org/jazz-port-townsend-the-workshop/">http://centrum.org/jazz-port-townsend-the-workshop/</a>
Central Washington University Music camps	<a href="http://www.cwu.edu/music/music-camps-at-cwu">http://www.cwu.edu/music/music-camps-at-cwu</a>
Drayton Harbor Music Festival Camp	<a href="https://www.draytonharbormusic.org/about-us">https://www.draytonharbormusic.org/about-us</a>
Lake Samish Music Camp	<a href="http://lakesamishmusiccamp.org/">http://lakesamishmusiccamp.org/</a>
Icicle Creek Symphony Camp	<a href="https://icicle.org/arts-education/summer-camps/summer-symphony/">https://icicle.org/arts-education/summer-camps/summer-symphony/</a>
<b>OUTDOORS</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Camp Firewood	<a href="http://www.thefirs.org">www.thefirs.org</a> non-denominational church recreation camp
Camp Kirby- Summer Fun	<a href="http://www.campkirby.org">www.campkirby.org</a>
Coastal Insights	<a href="https://www.raincoast.org/coastal-insights/">https://www.raincoast.org/coastal-insights/</a> Grades 9-11
Young Life-	<a href="http://www.younglife.com">www.younglife.com</a> non-denominational church recreation camp

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North Cascades Institute	<a href="http://www.ncascades.org">www.ncascades.org</a> Outdoor recreation & sciences
Northwest Mountain School WA	<a href="http://www.mountainschool.com/">http://www.mountainschool.com/</a>
Wild Whatcom	<a href="http://www.wildwhatcom.org/summer-adventures/">http://www.wildwhatcom.org/summer-adventures/</a>
<b>SCIENCE &amp; ENGINEERING</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Summer Cougar Quest/WSU	<a href="https://www.collegexpress.com/summer-programs/washington-state-university8212cougar-quest/3379/">https://www.collegexpress.com/summer-programs/washington-state-university8212cougar-quest/3379/</a> Science, archeology, engineering, etc.
Smith College	<a href="http://www.smith.edu/summerprograms/ssep">www.smith.edu/summerprograms/ssep</a> Summer Science and Engineering Program for HS girls
University of Idaho	<a href="http://www.egr.uidaho.edu">www.egr.uidaho.edu</a> Junior Engineering, Mathematics, and Science
Washington Aerospace Engineers	<a href="http://www.museumofflight.org/was">www.museumofflight.org/was</a> 206-764-5866
WA Business Week	<a href="http://www.wbw.org">www.wbw.org</a> Manufacturing Week, Business Week, Energy Week, Agri-Business Week, Healthcare Week 1-800-686-6442
Space Camp	<a href="https://www.spacecamp.com/">https://www.spacecamp.com/</a>
SERA Science & Engineering Research Academy	<a href="http://www.sera@summer.ucsb.edu">www.sera@summer.ucsb.edu</a>
Pacific Science Center	<a href="https://www.pacificsciencecenter.org/">https://www.pacificsciencecenter.org/</a>
Salish Sea Expeditions	<a href="https://www.salish.org/programs/">https://www.salish.org/programs/</a> Marine Science and Sailing programs
NOAA Science Camp	<a href="https://wsg.washington.edu/students-teachers/k-12-activities/noaa-science-camp/">https://wsg.washington.edu/students-teachers/k-12-activities/noaa-science-camp/</a>
Olympic Park Institute	<a href="https://naturebridge.org/">https://naturebridge.org/</a>
MESA Mathematics, Engineering, Science, Achievement	<a href="http://www.washingtonmesa.org/">http://www.washingtonmesa.org/</a>

RMP Research Mentorship Program	<a href="http://www.summer.ucsb.edu/pre-college/research-mentorship-program-rmp">http://www.summer.ucsb.edu/pre-college/research-mentorship-program-rmp</a>
Vancouver Island University, BC	<a href="https://www2.viu.ca/summercamps/">https://www2.viu.ca/summercamps/</a> Marine Biology, outdoor science
<b>TECHNICAL</b>	
<b>Program</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
American Computer Experience	<a href="http://www.computercamp.com">www.computercamp.com</a>
Bellingham Public Library	<a href="https://www.bellinghampubliclibrary.org/volunteer/tech-helper-volunteer-position">https://www.bellinghampubliclibrary.org/volunteer/tech-helper-volunteer-position</a>
Computer Camp	<a href="http://www.educationunlimited.com">www.educationunlimited.com</a>
WA Business Week's Manufacturing Week	<a href="http://www.wbw.org">www.wbw.org</a>
Digipen Institute of Technology	<a href="https://projectfun.digipen.edu/summer-programs/">https://projectfun.digipen.edu/summer-programs/</a>
Whatcom Community College CyberSecurity	<a href="http://whatcom.edu/about-the-college/cybersecurity-center/wcc-cybercamp">http://whatcom.edu/about-the-college/cybersecurity-center/wcc-cybercamp</a>
Montana Tech Mines Camp	<a href="http://www.uscga.edu/AIM">www.uscga.edu/AIM</a> Summer STEM Camp for Young Women interested in STEM
United States Naval Academy	<a href="http://www.usna.edu/admissions/stem">www.usna.edu/admissions/stem</a> Summer seminar Summer STEM Camp. Local contact Joe Ihlan 360-739-7311
<b>University Programs</b>	
Western Washington University	<a href="http://www.wwu.edu/youth">www.wwu.edu/youth</a> <i>College Quest</i> provides a comprehensive university experience for college-bound high school students to explore educational, personal and career goals in a safe student-centered environment
University of Washington	<a href="http://www.summer-camp.uw.edu/">www.summer-camp.uw.edu/</a> <i>Summer Youth Programs</i> offer exciting and engaging day camps for students entering 1st–8th grade and short courses for students entering 8th–12th grade
University of British Columbia	<a href="http://www.summerprogram.isi.ubc.ca">www.summerprogram.isi.ubc.ca</a> Summer Scholars Program ages 16-18 on UBC Okanagan Campus
Washington University in St. Louis	<a href="http://www.wustl.edu/summer/hs-student-programs.html">http://www.wustl.edu/summer/hs-student-programs.html</a>
George Washington University Washington DC	<a href="http://precllege.gwu.edu/">http://precllege.gwu.edu/</a> Summer Immersion & College Intensive programs.
University of Notre Dame	<a href="http://precollege.nd.edu">http://precollege.nd.edu</a>



Lewis & Clark College	<a href="http://college.lclark.edu/programs/firacres/">http://college.lclark.edu/programs/firacres/</a> 2 week summer residency Workshop in <b>Writing and thinking.</b>
Stanford Summer Session	<a href="https://summer.stanford.edu/program/high-school-high-school-summer-college">https://summer.stanford.edu/program/high-school-high-school-summer-college</a>
U of Idaho Virtual Summer Days	<a href="https://www.uidaho.edu/caa/highschool-events/design-days?utm_source=email_registration-open-counselor&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;utm_content=learn-more&amp;utm_campaign=caa-design-days-2021">https://www.uidaho.edu/caa/highschool-events/design-days?utm_source=email_registration-open-counselor&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;utm_content=learn-more&amp;utm_campaign=caa-design-days-2021</a>