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Expected Outcomes

- Improved academic interest, study habits and performance
- Strengthen self-awareness and self-esteem, social skills, and relationships
- Heightened interest in college and/or career success
- Increased knowledge of technology and awareness of technology career options

Partners

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TECHNO-SCHOLARS

SUMMER ACADEMY

for Academic Achievement,
Social Development &
Technology Exploration

JULY 7-18, 2008

Exploring New Pathways



**Success is to be measured not so much by
the position that one has reached in life as
by the obstacles which he has overcome.**

Booker T. Washington

ACADEMY DESCRIPTION

The Techno-Scholars Summer Academy for Academic Achievement, Social Development & Technology Exploration is an exciting two-week enrichment experience, which provides an opportunity for African American males throughout Hampton Roads, ages 10-12 who are entering the 5th through 7th grades, the opportunity to enhance their academic, technological and social maturity. The Summer Academy is an intense yet abridged experience designed similar to that of our year-round NAFEO/NSU Techno-Scholars program which serves Norfolk's African American males from ages 12 to 16 years of age.

The objectives of the Techno-Summer Academy and the Techno-Scholars program are as follows:

- Build life-long skills in technology
- Sharpen male's academic capabilities
- Develop social behavior that would allow African American males the opportunity to earn a competitive living in society



As a means to accomplishing these objectives, the Techno-Summer Academy will employ three (3) challenging and experiential initiatives: Academic Support & Enrichment, Inter-Personal Skills & Development; and Technology Exploration.

ACADEMY INITIATIVES

✦ Academic Support & Enrichment

Math, writing and science classroom instruction and exploratory field activities; study skills development, test preparation, project management and college tours



Virginia State University Tour

✦ Inter-Personal Skills & Development

Gang and violence prevention, communications skills, leadership, team building, community service activities, interviewing skills ("hire or fire"), organization & space management, conflict resolution, decision making & problem solving, responsibility and accountability



William A. Hunton YMCA Clean-Up

✦ Technology Exploration

Multimedia presentation development, computer software training, college classroom, laboratory and professional site visits, video conferencing, internet safety, audio and video media production, computer graphics design, global positioning systems (GPS), basic maintenance, microcomputer and wireless networking technologies.

HOW TO APPLY — Only 20 slots available!

- Submit completed registration packet
- Two (2) recommendation letters
- Copy of student's most recent report card
- Copy of student's most recent SOL scores
- **Pay \$350.00 registration fee - includes housing, meals, fees, and costs associated with any travel taken as part of the program.** (\$200.00 non-refundable deposit is required by June 23, 2008. The balance of \$150.00 money order payment will be due no later than July 2, 2008.)

Download registration packet:

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**Make payment payable to
NSU Foundation – Urban Revitalization**

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