Why attend?

Do you get tired of the same old thing summer after summer? If the answer is "yes" then you may want to attend Imagination 2015. You will be introduced to the exciting and fun "stuff" we do at Virginia Tech. We have engineers, scientists and college students ready to help you explore the world of science, technology and engineering ... Not by watching, but by DOING!

Who is eligible?

If you are a rising 7th or 8th grader, you are eligible to apply. First time applicants will be given preference. Imagination is part of a partnership between Virginia Tech's College of Engineering and Roanoke City Schools. However, the College of Engineering encourages students in Montgomery County and surrounding counties to participate in the experience.

What should I bring?

Wear what you usually wear to school, but keep in mind that some of the labs may be messy. Closed toed shoes are REQUIRED in the labs. Virginia Tech is a large campus, so you will do a lot of walking. Comfortable shoes are a must! You will use our computers and laboratory supplies. Lunch will be provided at one of Virginia Tech's dining halls.

What happens if I get sick or hurt?

All students are covered by a comprehensive accident and hospitalization insurance from the time they arrive until the time they leave campus. The Schiffert Student Health Center is able to handle most problems.





When should I plan to arrive and depart?

Imagination 2015 will take place from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm on the Virginia Tech campus. Transportation will be provided from Roanoke to Blacksburg and back *during the second week only* (July 20—24.)

Recommendation

A letter of recommendation from a current math or science teacher must accompany your application. The form is available at www.eng.vt.edu/ imagination/. Your application will not be considered without the letter of recommendation.

Commitment Fee

A \$125 non-refundable commitment fee will be required for those students who are accepted. PLEASE DO NOT SEND A CHECK OR MONEY ORDER WITH THE APPLICATION. This fee will confirm your spot in the program. Should payment of the \$125 fee cause undue hardship for an applicant, a small number of scholarships are available upon request. The fee is not intended to prevent anyone from participating due to financial concern. Call (540) 231-3973 for further information.

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Summer 2015



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IMAGINATION 2015 Application

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name:

Street Address:

City:	State:		Zip Code:	
Gender: □ Male □ Female	Date of Birth:			
Ethnic Origin: Asian Blac	k 🛛 Caucasian	Hispanic	Native American	Other
Current Grade: □ 6th □ 7th	Name of Scho	ol:		

Preferred week of attendance (check one):
□ July 13—17 □ July 20—24 □ Either week
Please note: Transportation will be provided to and from Blacksburg during the second week only (July 20-24.)

Have you previously attended an Imagination Camp? \Box yes \Box no

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Name:

Relationship to applicant:

Day Time Phone Number:

Place of Employment:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Email:

Home Phone Number:

□ Check if scholarship is needed

Return to: Imagination 2015 Virginia Tech 215 Hancock Hall (0275) Blacksburg, VA 24061 APPLICATION DEADLINE: MAY 15, 2015

Who Are Your Imagination Engineers?

Kim Lester: Coordinator for Pre-College Programs, Center for the Enhancement of Engineering Diversity

Instructors: Virginia Tech Faculty and graduate students

Counselors: Virginia Tech students



For more information

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