Summer Programs for High School Students

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High school students who participated in our programs in past summers provided some of the images for the collage.

Thank you to those who shared their memories of past summers with us.
This summer, explore exciting courses, experience college life, and discover your passion at Georgetown University. The Summer Programs for High School Students offer an outstanding academic challenge and an unforgettable summer experience in Washington, D.C. Immerse yourself in the excitement of university life as you pursue your interests, meet new people, and get a head start on college.

As a “Summer Hoya,” you have the opportunity to live on campus, attend class side-by-side with current Georgetown undergraduate students, and experience college life firsthand. Designed and taught by Georgetown University faculty, scholars, and distinguished professionals, the programs provide a well-rounded collegiate experience, where you can expand both your intellectual and cultural knowledge.

Our 2015 programs and courses are detailed in this guide. Programs fill quickly and we encourage you to apply in advance of the **April 15, 2015 priority application deadline**. Upon approval of your application, you must enroll and register (pay in full) for each course to ensure your spot is held. Georgetown cannot guarantee or hold any student’s space in any program until tuition is received.
Enrolling in the Institutes will enable you to focus on the areas of study that define Georgetown’s tradition of academic excellence. As a student in the Institutes, you will enjoy an immersive learning experience exploring a single subject—without focusing on grades. Learn through an accelerated, hands-on program that combines off-site trips and guest speakers outside of class with discussion sessions and collaborative work in the classroom.

These are residential programs and students are required to live in the residence halls on campus to participate. Students check in to their program on Sunday afternoon and check out the following Sunday morning.

**Institutes**

- American Politics
- Digital Journalism
- Creative Writing
- Entrepreneurship
- Forensic Science
- International Law
- International Relations
- Law
- Leadership
- Medical
- National Security & Counterintelligence
- Sports Industry Management

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**5-WEEK FUNDAMENTALS COLLEGE CREDIT COURSES**

Immerse yourself in the dynamic and enriching college learning experience through the Fundamentals courses. Featuring a combination of lectures, discussions, and group projects, these courses provide you with the opportunity to earn college credit, explore a specific subject area, and experience campus life at Georgetown. Each of these college-level courses runs for five weeks, meeting between 7–10 hours per week.

Students may register for one or two Fundamentals courses during a single five-week session and earn up to six college credits* per session.

**Fundamentals**

**Arts and Humanities**

- Arabic: Language and Culture
- Economics
- English: Expository Writing

**Business**

- Business: Leadership in a Global Economy
- Law: The American Legal System

**Medicine**

- Anatomy
- Medicine
- Neuroscience

**Politics**

- American Government
- Foreign Policy

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Make your college application stand out from the crowd with Georgetown’s College Prep program. Our three-week program provides you with the tools and techniques you need to gain a competitive edge on your peers and get a head start on college. Master essential college skills as you expand your knowledge, meet new people, and experience the excitement of university life.

The College Prep Curriculum Includes:

**SAT Test Preparation**
Prepare for SAT success through comprehensive test preparation classes that provide you with individualized score reports, a personalized academic plan, and detailed examination essay critiques.

**Writing & Math**
Work with Georgetown English instructors to improve your writing and create a compelling college essay while advancing your math competencies in algebra and pre-calculus through focused attention from Georgetown math instructors.

**Skills for Academic Success**
Develop strategies for effective studying and note taking—two skills that are critical for your college career. You will also learn how to focus on key information during classroom lectures, streamline your study habits, and improve your aptitude for recalling facts during exams.

**LaFarge Lecture Series**
As part of the College Prep program, you will have the opportunity to attend engaging and enlightening undergraduate seminars conducted by Georgetown’s distinguished faculty and scholars. The seminars are part of the LaFarge Lecture Series, named after John LaFarge, a 20th-century Jesuit priest who was a devoted advocate of racial parity and human rights. Past lectures have focused on topics such as Shakespeare, international relations, and popular culture.

**DATES:**
June 21–July 11, 2015

**TUITION:**
$4,500

**ROOM:**
$625
REFLECTS PRICING PER 3-WEEK SESSION; THIS FEE IS ONLY APPLICABLE FOR STUDENTS WHO WISH TO RESIDE ON CAMPUS. PRICING SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

**MEAL PLAN:**
$266 per week
THIS FEE IS ONLY APPLICABLE FOR STUDENTS WHO WISH TO PURCHASE A MEAL PLAN. ESTIMATED 3-WEEK COST IS $798. PRICING SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

**PROGRAM:**
Noncredit

*Upon approval of your application, you must enroll and register (pay in full) for each course to ensure your spot is held. Georgetown cannot guarantee or hold any student’s space in any program until tuition is received.*
We invite you to spend your summer at Georgetown, where you can explore undergraduate courses, meet new people, and receive official academic credit.* Each program has two five-week sessions and offers courses in a range of stimulating subjects not typically available in high school classrooms. You can participate in either program as an on-campus resident, or choose to commute to campus.

**Summer College Courses**
If you are ready to dive directly into the college experience, there is no better way than attending classes alongside Georgetown undergraduate students in Summer College. Explore exciting fields of study, earn college credit, and discover what college is really like. As a student in the Summer College program, you have the opportunity to enroll in one undergraduate class per session, earning up to six college credits over the course of the summer.

**Summer Honors Intensive**
If you are ready for a more rigorous schedule, the Summer Honors Intensive program is open to highly motivated students who are ready for a challenging learning experience. Over the course of the 10-week summer, you will have the opportunity to enroll in up to four college courses and earn up to 12 college credits—considered a full semester at most universities.

Summer College and Summer Honors Intensive students can choose from more than 75 courses, including:

- Accounting
- Art
- Computer Science
- English
- Forensic Chemistry
- French
- German
- Government
- History
- International Relations
- Physics
- Pre-Calculus
- Psychology
- Public Speaking
- Sociology
- Probability and Statistics
- Theater
- Theology

**Session I:** May 31–July 3, 2015
**Session II:** July 5–August 8, 2015

**Tuition:**
- **Summer College Courses:** $3,648 per 3-credit course, subject to change.
- **Summer Honors Intensive:** $7,296 per 2 courses, based on a 3-credit course, subject to change.

**Pre-College Fee:**
$598 required for all students in credit-granting programs. Refer to page 20 for more information.

**Housing:**
$1,129 applicable only for those students who wish to reside on campus. Pricing subject to change.

**Meal Plan:**
$266 per week applicable only for those students who wish to reside on campus. Pricing subject to change.

**Program:**
Credit

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Browse the full course catalog online: summer.georgetown.edu/hoyas2015
Learn from distinguished scholars from around the world through a variety of course offerings in business, humanities, medicine, law, government, and foreign policy. Refer to the calendar of programs when planning your summer.

**2015 Summer Programs**

- Arts & Humanities Institutes
- Business Institutes
- Government Institutes
- Law Institutes
- Medical & Science Institutes
- College Prep
- Session I & II

### Program Calendar

**May** | **June**
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31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27

- Leadership Institute
- Creative Writing Institute
- International Relations Institute
- Digital Journalism Institute
- Entrepreneurship Institute
- Law Institute
- Medical Institute
- College Prep

### Session Dates:
**Fundamentals, Summer College, and Summer Honors Intensive**

**Session I: May 31–July 3, 2015**

- Summer College
- Summer Honors Intensive
- Fundamentals of English: Expository Writing
- Fundamentals of Medicine
Session II: July 5–August 8, 2015

Summer College
Summer Honors Intensive
Fundamentals of American Government
Fundamentals of Anatomy

Fundamentals of Arabic: Language and Culture
Fundamentals of Business
Fundamentals of Economics
Fundamentals of English: Expository Writing

Fundamentals of Foreign Policy
Fundamentals of Law: The American Legal System
Fundamentals of Medicine
Fundamentals of Neuroscience
**SUBJECT AREAS:**
**Arts & Humanities**

**Arts & Humanities**

**Digital Journalism Institute**
This eight-day Institute will show you what it takes to become a successful 21st-century journalist in the nation’s capital. From sports and science to politics and the arts, this exciting Institute will not only introduce you to a wide variety of journalism topics, but also give you the opportunity to learn from seasoned and emerging journalists and media professionals. Breakout sessions will help you sharpen your interviewing, research, presentation, and writing skills, while classroom debates will expose you to key ethical issues, such as the blurred line between reporting and commentary.

Put your skills into action as you create your own video reporting project based on a specific topic of interest. Visit the National Press Club and the Newseum—the nation’s foremost museum of journalism—and experience interactive exhibits that cover everything from the earliest days of newspapers to the latest in multimedia reporting.

**DATES:** June 21–June 28, 2015

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**Creative Writing Institute**
Transform your dreams, ideas, and stories into organized, compelling, creative written works while learning helpful techniques and receiving valuable guidance from renowned Georgetown faculty. Experiment with diverse types of creative writing—including personal narrative, short stories, fantasy, and poetry—while developing the skills you need to polish and publish your original work.

In this Institute, you will learn concrete elements of writing in daily workshops, where you will read excerpts from award-winning works, draw inspiration from a variety of sources, develop your own creative ideas, and explore D.C.’s lively literary culture.

**DATES:** June 14–June 21, 2015

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**Leadership Institute**
The Leadership Institute will not only help you develop your own leadership capabilities, style, and ethical code, but also enhance your ability to inspire and influence people to reach a collective goal. Visit local corporations, government agencies, Capitol Hill offices, and nonprofit organizations, where you can learn from those who make important and impactful decisions every day, often under challenging circumstances.

As a Leadership Institute student, you will follow in the footsteps of presidents, CEOs, cabinet secretaries, and foreign heads of state who studied at Georgetown. Learning from a faculty of leadership coaches, you will enhance your skills through innovative simulation exercises and apply your knowledge to real-world situations.

**DATES:** June 14–June 21, 2015
**Fundamentals of Arabic: Language and Culture**

Geographically vast and culturally diverse, the Arab world forms a great part of human society. Its historic intellectual and artistic achievements made lasting contributions to world history and its liveliness today is manifested in the political changes we are witnessing in many Arab countries. Learn about the Arab world’s past and present in this intensive three-credit course, which is designed not only to help you master the fundamentals of Modern Standard Arabic reading and writing at the elementary level, but also to provide you with a knowledge of and appreciation for its cultural richness. With an emphasis on speaking and comprehension skills, this program offers a comprehensive learning experience, where you will engage in various enrichment activities and workshops that give you a broader view of today’s Arab societies, including arts, history, economics, and political development. Designed to encourage active participation, the classes are lively and interactive and focus on enhancing individual initiative, problem solving, and collaboration.

**Fundamentals of Economics**

Learn about key economic principles and concepts that span a wide range of topics across microeconomics and macroeconomics. Throughout the duration of the program, you will explore how supply and demand affects the equilibrium of market structures, delve into consumer and corporate behavior, and examine the impact of public economics, such as the decision of how to tax the public and the impact of positive and negative externalities caused by governmental actions. You will also be introduced to the drivers of gross domestic product (GDP), growth and inflation, employment and unemployment, and national productivity growth.

At the end of the course, you and your classmates will enter a final debate on a current economic issue, which will be selected by the class. Past topics have included globalization and jobs offshoring, taxing the 1%, the economics of the marriage market, and the rise of emerging economies.

**Fundamentals of English: Expository Writing**

"Awkward!" "Unclear!" "Vague!" Many of us have received such comments on papers at one time or another, but, what do these comments mean and what are you supposed to do with them? This course will focus on developing your proofreading strategies, your approach to critical thinking, and your writing abilities. You will examine not only what is considered “good” writing, but also what sorts of arguments and evidence are privileged by academic culture.

Throughout the course, you will explore the rhetoric of academic writing and gain an understanding of how to use writing for inquiry, thinking, and communicating in ways that will enrich your undergraduate experience.

DATES: July 5–August 8, 2015

For tuition rates and other program information, please refer to page 3.
SUBJECT AREAS: Business and Government

Business
Entrepreneurship Institute
In this program, you will explore the advantages and challenges of managing your own enterprise, with a focus on ethical entrepreneurship and the business operations of both the private and nonprofit sectors. Build and improve your public speaking and communications skills in the classroom through practical experiences that include developing business plans, networking, and team-building exercises while exploring what it takes to become a successful entrepreneur through visits to area corporations and start-ups outside of class. Throughout the program, you will hear lectures from guest speakers, including faculty members from Georgetown’s prestigious McDonough School of Business as well as local entrepreneurs, who will discuss key concepts such as social responsibility, personal development, and risk management.

DATES: June 21–June 28, 2015

Sports Industry Management Institute
One of the fastest-growing fields in the world, the $250 billion sports industry offers a number of exciting career options. The Sports Industry Management Institute will show you how to transform your passion for sports into a profession. Gain a deeper understanding of the career tracks within the sports industry—including marketing and brand management, community relations, financing and contract negotiations, facility management, new media and fan promotions, and team, league, and player management.

Guest speakers have included a USA Today sports columnist; the chief operating officer of Players, Inc.; and executives from the Washington Capitals, Washington Redskins, and Washington Nationals. These industry titans will take you behind the scenes to show you how events on the field and in the front office are intricately linked to boardrooms, retail locations, and homes around the country.

DATES: June 28–July 5, 2015
Fundamentals of Business: Leadership in a Global Economy

This course offers a broad overview of the business school curriculum and an introduction to the world of business operations—including everything from labor relationships, negotiations, and decision making to marketing, corporate communications, and accounting. Learn from a framework that will help you develop the tools and skills necessary to analyze business opportunities and problems, develop opinions about best approaches, critically read business-related articles, and think like a business manager. As part of this course, you will also be exposed to the case study method, a teaching approach that is widely used in undergraduate curricula and business schools.

DATES: July 5–August 8, 2015

American Politics Institute

In this Institute, you will learn firsthand from experts in the nation’s capital about the separation of powers between the three branches of government: the legislative branch, the executive branch, and the judicial branch. Examine the role of Congress and how it interacts with the presidency and the legal system while exploring the important roles that political parties, public opinion, and special interest groups can play in shaping political behavior and decisions.

In the classroom and on offsite visits, you will meet with key elected officials, Capitol Hill staff, lobbyists, and policymakers to discuss congressional campaigns, legislative priorities, and emerging national issues. You will have the opportunity to explore how America’s changing culture impacts the development of political movements and its ultimate influence on federal, state, and local policies. Debate and simulation exercises will enable you to experience politics and policymaking firsthand as you put your new knowledge into practice.

DATES: July 5–July 12, 2015

International Relations Institute

Renowned as a center of international dialogue, Georgetown University is a venue that world leaders often leverage to state their positions and calls for action. As a student in the International Relations Institute, you will learn from distinguished Georgetown faculty as well as prominent guest speakers who have been key players in international diplomacy and crisis management.

Past guest speakers have included leaders from the Central Intelligence Agency, the National Counterterrorism Center, and the International Organization for Migration, who have addressed topics ranging from security and economics to U.S. foreign policy, international law, and ethics. During your time outside of the classroom, you will gain hands-on experience through site visits to a number of Washington, D.C., institutions responsible for shaping foreign policy, such as Congress, foreign embassies, the Islamic Center, and the Organization of American States.

DATES: June 14–June 21, 2015
SECTION II: July 12–July 19, 2015

For tuition rates and other program information, please refer to page 3.
SUBJECT AREAS:
Government (cont.) and Law

National Security & Counterintelligence Institute
In this Institute, you will explore the ideas, institutions, and ethics involved in homeland security, spy and covert operations, and counterinsurgency efforts. Learn about emerging technologies in the cybersecurity field, examine the political environment that exists when protecting both national security and civil rights, and discuss how public opinion can affect the security culture.

Throughout the program, you will have the opportunity to experience the University’s unparalleled government and international relations resources as faculty and guest lecturers—including high-level government officials and attorneys—offer unique perspectives on the practical problems and ethical dilemmas faced in national security and intelligence initiatives. Additionally, special site visits will take you on an insider’s tour of some of the prominent government institutions that focus on security and intelligence.

DATES: July 19–July 26, 2015

Fundamentals of American Government
There is no better location to learn about the American system of government than Washington, D.C.—the nation’s capital and the heart of the federal government. In this course, you will explore the foundations of U.S. political systems and examine the ideas, values, and traditions that shaped our modern-day political system. You will also study the interaction between historic political decisions and how they impacted the actions and roles that citizens and voters play in our democratic system today.

This course covers a range of topics, including federalism, bureaucracies, the media, jurisprudence, and the three branches of the United States government, as well as the interactions between public interest groups, public opinion, and elections.

DATES: July 1–August 8, 2015

Fundamentals of Foreign Policy
In this course, you will tackle the political, social, economic, and ethical issues and challenges that foreign policymakers encounter every day. Analyze the factors that affect modern-day foreign policy—including everything from the decision-making process to the methods used to formulate and implement policies. Throughout the course, you will develop critical thinking and interpretive skills as you participate in group exercises and discussions with Washington, D.C., policymakers; explore past and present international crises; and examine world leaders’ responses and policy choices within a global arena.

DATES: July 5–August 8, 2015
Law

Law Institute

In this Institute, you will learn about contemporary legal issues, controversial sentencing practices, and the significance of case law. Explore issues such as punishing minors as adults, the rights of victims versus the rights of prisoners, racial and socioeconomic disparities in arrests and sentencing, the value of the peer jury system, and the balance between personal and national security.

Throughout the program, you will examine the law through lectures and interactive discussions with legal and policy professionals, site visits to places where laws are made and enforced, and a trial simulation at Georgetown University’s Law Center, where you will have the opportunity to experience and participate in realistic courtroom proceedings. Not only will you discover how the many different beliefs and values that compose American society influence the rule of law, but you will also learn about—and witness firsthand—how laws are created and administered.

SECTION I: June 21–June 28, 2015
SECTION II: July 26–August 2, 2015

Fundamentals of Law: The American Legal System

This course combines theoretical analysis and hands-on clinical explorations of domestic and international justice systems with the goal of better understanding how courts and the legal system affect the resolution of conflict. Upon completion of this course, you will be better prepared for ethical and responsible citizenship as it pertains to the field of law. You will also have the opportunity to connect with individuals from the government, business, and nonprofit sectors, who will share their unique backgrounds, experiences, and philosophies.

DATES: July 5–August 8, 2015

International Law Institute

In this Institute, you will examine international law against the current state of international affairs in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors through a series of discussions, debates, and readings. You will also learn legal analysis through the use of the case method, an approach followed in most law schools. Throughout the program, prominent members of the Washington legal community, the Georgetown University Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service, the Georgetown College, and the Georgetown University Law Center will visit the classroom to provide valuable guest lectures.

DATES: July 19–July 26, 2015

For tuition rates and other program information, please refer to page 3.
Are you thinking about a career in medicine or medical research?

The Medical Institute is a pre-college summer medical program for dedicated high school students who are interested in exploring the field of medicine. This Institute provides a snapshot of the medical school curriculum, which includes human anatomy and physiology, microbiology and infectious diseases, surgery, cancer, healing methods, biological research, ethics, and other topics of medical study.

Designed by Georgetown University Medical Center (which includes the nationally ranked School of Medicine, School of Nursing & Health Studies, and the world-renowned Lombardi Cancer Center), the Medical Institute will engage you in a variety of hands-on activities. Immerse yourself in the fascinating world of modern medicine through real-world simulations, discussions, labs, interactive demonstrations, and hospital visits. As a student in the Medical Institute, you will also have the opportunity to work in the Georgetown University Medical Center Labs.

This eight-day program will give you the opportunity to experience several different medical careers and discern which career path is best for you. Gain an in-depth perspective of what it takes to enter the field of medicine while exploring medical breakthroughs, experiencing college life, and discovering your passions.

“I loved the hands-on experience of this program. I enjoyed the anatomy labs and patient simulators. Living independently was exciting! The whole experience reassured me I am heading in the right direction in choosing medicine as my future.”

— Allison, Rapid City, SD
SUBJECT AREAS:

Medicine & Science

**Medicine**

**Fundamentals of Neuroscience**

This course will introduce you to the exciting field of neuroscience. Learn about topics including brain anatomy, motor control, memory, aging, developmental disorders, sensation and perception, and medical research through a series of interactive discussions, projects, labs, and presentations from field experts.

Throughout the course, you will examine cellular composition and the organization of the nervous system while studying the relationship between the brain and human behavior. Your exploration will also include the signaling passages of the nervous system, neuroplasticity, and the input (sensory) systems and output (motor) systems. Outside of the classroom, you will have the opportunity to visit the Georgetown University Medical Center Labs to get a closer look at neuroscience research and experiments in action.

DATES: July 5–August 8, 2015

**Fundamentals of Anatomy**

This five-week course offers an introduction to the major human body systems and provides a solid foundation in the field of medicine. You will learn the various aspects of gross anatomy in a traditional laboratory format while using anatomical models, hanging skeletons, and dissected human cadavers.

Explore special topics in gross anatomy through applied learning exercises conducted in the Georgetown University Medical Center labs, patient case studies and class discussions, and guest lectures from members of the Washington, D.C., medical community.

DATES: July 5–August 8, 2015

**Fundamentals of Medicine**

In this course, you will get a snapshot of a first-year medical school student’s experience. Study a broad variety of subjects that range from cellular structure and osmosis to pulmonology, heart failure, and current medical trends. Throughout the duration of the course, you will also engage in hands-on activities, lab work, and demonstrations while attending lectures led by Georgetown faculty.

SESSION I: May 31–July 3, 2015
SESSION II: July 5–August 8, 2015

**Science**

**Forensic Science Institute**

In this Institute, you will test your critical thinking skills while collecting and interpreting evidence, learning the ins and outs of medical examinations, and studying the application of science and medicine in law enforcement. Learn about all aspects of forensic science directly from industry practitioners, including investigators, detectives, special agents, medicolegal death investigators, crime scene technicians, pathologists, and lawyers.

Throughout the program, you will interact with federal, state, and local organizations—ranging from crime laboratories to law enforcement agencies—while studying topics such as corporate fraud, computer forensics, and video forensic analysis. You will also examine the ethical dimensions of issues faced by security professionals, including loyalty, privacy, and the use of technology in a global environment.

DATES: July 19–July 26, 2015

For tuition rates and other program information, please refer to page 3.
Founded in 1789, Georgetown University is the nation’s oldest Catholic and Jesuit university. Today, Georgetown is a major international research university that embodies its founding principles in the diversity of our students, faculty, and staff; our commitment to justice and the common good; our intellectual openness; and our international character.

**Campus Location**

The campus is located in a residential section of historic Georgetown in Washington, D.C., at 37th and O Streets, NW, and within walking distance of M Street, which has many shops, restaurants, grocery and drug stores, and specialty merchants. Just a few miles away, you will find the National Mall and the Washington Monument, the White House, and the U.S. Capitol. There are plenty of shuttles, buses, and taxis that transport students to other areas within the District or to nearby Metro stations. The campus is conveniently located near three major airports in the D.C. area. Reagan National Airport (DCA) is just minutes from Georgetown; Washington-Dulles International Airport (IAD) is about 25 miles from campus and Baltimore/ Washington Thurgood Marshall International Airport (BWI) is about 40 miles from campus.

**Residential Life & Housing**

While all students participating in the summer programs are invited to live on the historic Georgetown University Hilltop campus, students participating in the eight-day Institutes are required to live on campus in the residence halls.

Residential life at Georgetown is as much a part of the college experience as the actual coursework. As a Summer Hoya living on campus, you will live in the residence halls located in the Southwest Quad. Each residence hall contains study areas, laundry rooms, and lounges that are used for studying and large gatherings. Each double room is equipped with typical college furniture—beds, desks with a hutch, bookshelves, drawers, built-in closets, carpeting, air-conditioning, and desk chairs. The rooms also come equipped with wireless Internet access.

Outside of the classroom, The Road to College lecture series provides additional opportunities for learning and personal development, including skill-building workshops and interactive discussions. This series is available to students enrolled in Summer High School credit courses.

**Roommates**

“Can I choose my roommate?” That’s our top question we get asked leading into each summer. The answer is no. We try to make the Summer Hoya experience as much like a first-year college experience as possible, and part of that experience is learning to live with new people. You will receive your room assignment and meet your roommate upon arriving to campus at the beginning of your program.

**Nonresident/Commuter Students**

Students participating in College Prep, Fundamentals, Summer College Courses, and the Summer Honors Intensive programs have the option of commuting from home. If you decide to commute to Georgetown on a daily basis, you will have the same access to campus resources as residential students. To get the full Summer Hoya experience, nonresidential students are encouraged to participate in the various summer events we offer—which range from movie nights and social activities to cookouts and dances.

**Meal Plans & Dining**

Stick with the meal plan and have dinner in the cafeteria, go for something quick at the Leavey Center food court, or take a short walk to dozens of restaurants and familiar quick-serve dining options in the Georgetown neighborhood. From distinctive vegetarian fare and top-notch burgers, to healthy eating choices and famous cupcakes, you’ll find exactly what you’re looking for within walking distance of campus.

Please note that a full meal plan is provided to students participating in the eight-day Institutes. Students in the College Prep, Fundamentals, Summer
College Courses, and Summer Honors Intensive programs have the option of purchasing meals directly through University Dining.

**Leo O’Donovan Hall**
Leo O’Donovan Hall (“Leo’s”) is the on-campus dining hall, open to all students, faculty, parents, and visitors. It is an all-you-can-eat dining space, great for eating and socializing. At Georgetown, we pride ourselves on serving you great food to ensure a healthy, balanced diet. Get meats served fresh from a carving stand, create your own pasta dish or stir fry combination, or try out our various vegan and vegetarian choices.

**Other On-Campus Dining Options Include:**
- **Epicurean and Co.**
  Variety of dining formats, including hibachi stations, a sushi bar, and a grill station
- **Vital Vittles**
  A grocery and convenience store, managed by The Students of Georgetown, Inc. (The Corp.)
- **Hoya Snaxa**
  A smaller convenience store, managed by The Corp.
- **Uncommon Grounds**
  A coffee house also managed by The Corp.
- **Starbucks**
  Coffee house
- **Cosi**
  Sandwiches and salads
- **Elevation Burger**
  Recognized as one of the most innovative burger chains in the country
- **Salad Creations**
  Offers chopped salads that not only taste great, but also make you feel good
- **Einstein Bros Bagels**
  Fresh baked bagels and sandwiches as well as coffee and other beverages

**Recreation: Cura Personalis**
Dedicated towards cultivation of the “whole” person, campus recreation programs provide a variety of opportunities for all students to enhance their Georgetown experience through recreation, fitness, and well-being.

**Yates Field House**
Yates Field House is the University’s recreation facility that offers extensive fitness and recreation programming available for students, staff, and faculty of Georgetown. Yates facilities and equipment are dedicated to serving the fitness needs of all students and members of the Georgetown community. Fitness schedules will be provided to students during the summer months.

**Program & Extracurricular Activities**
Students are encouraged to engage in the rich and varied cultural life of the University during the summer. For Summer Hoyas in particular, supervision and direction are provided by the Program Assistants and Resident Advisors. Students are encouraged to participate in organized carnivals, dances, movie nights, and other activities. Commuter students are welcome at all events.

**Summer Hoya Social Media**
Interested in seeing how last year’s Summer Hoyas took advantage of the variety of exciting events offered outside of the classroom? Check out our Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram pages to see all the fun students had last year and to stay up-to-date with our programs:
- Facebook: www.facebook.com/GeorgetownSPHS
- Twitter: twitter.com/GeorgetownSPHS
- Instagram: instagram.com/summerhoya
The admissions committee looks for mature students who will graduate from high school and enter college in 2016, 2017, or 2018.

Admissions decisions for all programs are made on a rolling basis, which means that we will review and act on completed applications as they are received. Our priority application deadline is April 15, 2015. It is to your advantage to apply early, before your preferred program fills to capacity.

Institutes & College Prep Programs Checklist

For the noncredit programs, each application must have the following*:

☐ A complete application for admission
  summer.georgetown.edu/HSApply2015

☐ A complete Guidance Counselor Form
  (Submitted online by your high school guidance counselor)

☐ A 300-word essay addressing why you want to attend a summer program(s) at Georgetown

☐ $50 application fee
  (Paid via credit card when you are ready to submit your application)

*Home-schooled students should visit our website for additional details regarding application requirements. Admission into the Summer Programs for High School Students does not guarantee a seat for enrollment. Students are encouraged to register and submit payment for courses as soon as possible after acceptance into the program.

Upon approval of your application, you must enroll and register (pay in full) for each course to ensure your spot is held. Georgetown cannot guarantee or hold any student’s space in any program until tuition is received.
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Georgetown welcomes international students and we encourage these students to take advantage of this opportunity to experience college life at a world-renowned university. Adequate command of written and spoken English is critical to your success at Georgetown. Courses are taught in English and you must be able to effectively communicate with faculty members, your fellow students, your roommate, and others in order to succeed.

Prior to submitting your application, please take a moment to review the important application and visa information listed here. If English is not your primary (or native) language, you must submit a TOEFL, IELTS, or Pearson PTE Academic score. Schedule your test appointment as early as possible. The University’s policy is to admit students who have a minimum score of 600 (paper-based test), 250 (computer-based test) or 100 (iBT) into credit-granting programs (Fundamentals, Summer College, Summer Honors Intensive). These minimum criteria cannot be waived.

Fundamentals, Summer College Courses, Summer Honors Intensive Programs Checklist

Each application for our credit programs must have the following*:

- A complete application for admission
  summer.georgetown.edu/HSApply2015
- A letter of recommendation from a teacher, school administrator, or guidance counselor
- Your PSAT, SAT, or ACT scores (required for Summer College Courses and Summer Honors Intensive)
- A 300-word essay addressing why you want to attend a summer program(s) at Georgetown
- $50 application fee
  (Paid via credit card when you are ready to submit your application)
- TOEFL scores
  (Non-native speakers of English only; please review the information provided for International Students listed on this page)

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The Summer Programs for High School Students attract rising sophomores, juniors, and seniors from across the nation and around the world. Attending a summer academic program at a university is a significant event for a high school student, and the students we admit to our programs are ready to handle the challenges of college life—both socially and academically. We are confident that your son or daughter will have a unique and memorable experience while enrolled in our programs.

**Selecting a Program**

If your student has determined a field of study, consider the length of time that he or she would like to spend at Georgetown. Our eight-day Institutes provide a taste of college life at Georgetown while offering an immersive academic experience. For those students looking for a more traditional college experience, a five-week program may be a better fit (Fundamentals, Summer College Courses, or Summer Honors Intensive). Outside of class, and when students aren’t engaged with homework, study groups, or working on other class assignments, they will have the opportunity to take advantage of a full calendar of activities, educational opportunities, and social events.

Whether your student is on campus for eight days or 10 weeks, our faculty expects students to give their best effort on all assignments. Talk to your student about what expectations might be set for him or her to be prepared to take on a college mindset. Summer at Georgetown is the perfect opportunity for your son or daughter to get a head start on college and preview what the transition to college life will be like when they enroll as an undergraduate student.

**Independence & Supervision**

Your student’s safety and health are our highest priority. Our Program Assistants and Resident Advisors—the majority of whom are Georgetown undergraduate students—are highly skilled, trained professionals who closely supervise all students and work with the students to encourage and maintain a positive community throughout the summer. All Program Assistants and Resident Advisors receive extensive training and live in the residence halls with students.

Independence is the primary theme of this stage in your student’s development and we hope that your son or daughter comes to Georgetown ready to embrace these new experiences. Because many students are away from parental supervision for the first time, this may be a time of major stress and demanding self-regulation. Students will need to have the self-discipline to manage their own time, set their priorities, and be mindful of eating balanced meals, getting enough sleep, and doing their own laundry—all without parental involvement.

Our goal is to create a positive, safe environment, which supports the academic success of your son or daughter.
What Is the Pre-College Fee?
Students enrolled in the credit-granting programs are assessed a $598 pre-college fee at registration. Items that are covered under this fee include program and residential supervision, orientation, social activities (cookouts, evening lectures, etc.), and access to Yates Field House. Should a student choose to withdraw, the pre-college fee is fully refundable within two weeks of a credit-granting program’s start date.

Getting to Campus
Georgetown University does not pick up students and bring them to campus. To get to campus, students must make arrangements to travel to and from area airports, train stations, Metro stations, and bus stations. The address of the main gates at Georgetown University is 37th and O Streets, NW, Washington, DC 20057. Students can take a cab or arrange to be picked up by Super Shuttle. From the main gates, students will be able to walk to the check-in location.

Insurance
All students enrolled in summer programs are required to show proof of health insurance. International students are required to purchase University-approved health insurance. More information regarding health insurance can be found on our website.

Do You Have Additional Questions?
If you would like more information regarding the application and admissions process, program content, and student life at Georgetown, you can contact us directly at highschool@georgetown.edu.
“The people participating during my studies were absolutely amazing. I have remained close with so many of the friends I made at Georgetown!”

— Katelyn, Bethesda, MD

“I was part of the Sports Industry Management program. The most fun I had was visiting the stadiums and working on the capstone project, which was a real-world experience that showed me how a marketing team works on a project.”

— Kate, Okemos, MI

“No only did I experience the best exposure into the medical field, but I also got the chance to think about what my passion for medicine is in detail. I met lifelong friends that I still talk to and enjoyed the ambiance of the D.C. area that Georgetown is surrounded by. Best summer experience ever.”

— Gabriella, New York, NY