



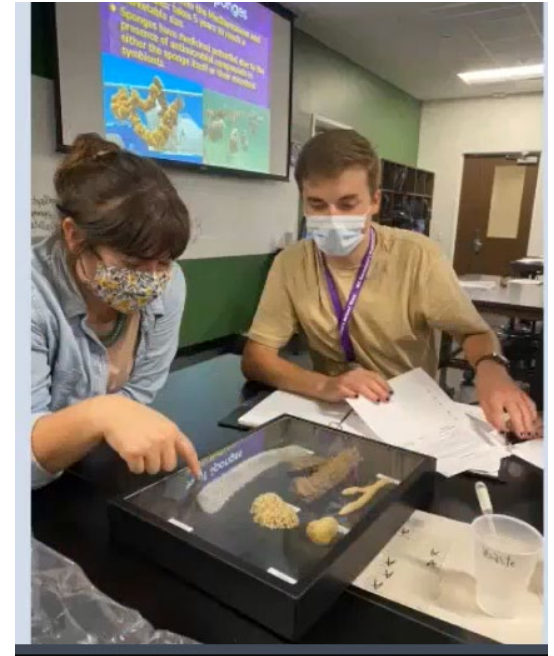
Public Schools of North Carolina

North Carolina Governor's School 2022-2023



A Quick History Lesson & Overview

- 1963
- One program, two campuses
- More than 36,000 alumni!
- Program Components
 - Bridge high school to college
 - 'Question Everything'
 - Emphasis on contemporary thought
- No tests or grades, just learning



Information

- [Governor's School Family Overview](#)
- Governor's School website
 - www.ncgovschool.org
 - [Student application](#)
 - [Recommendation form](#)
 - [Informational Video](#)
 - Email: ncgovschool@dpi.nc.gov
- Contact your high school counselor



Information

- Four-week program
- June 18-July 15, 2023 (likely)
- In person on college campuses
- Area I, II, III



East Campus:



West Campus:



What do I study? Well, for starters...Area I

Academics

- English
- Spanish (one site)
- Mathematics
- Natural Science
- Social Science

Arts

- Choral Music (Mixed Chorus; Treble Choir)
- Dance
- Instrumental Music (Wind Ensemble/Band; Full Orchestra)
- Theater
- Visual Art



Is that all? Just 'camp'?

Well, not exactly...

Area II

- Philosophical thinking and questioning
- Epistemology
- Beauty? Art? Truth? Time?
- Tools for thinking

Area III

- 'Self & Society'
- Encountering values and approaching ethics
- Personal reflection



But wait, there's more...

- Seminars
- Exhibitions
- Electives
- Sports
- Speakers
- Field trips
- Convocations
- Dances
- Concerts



“Governor’s School is a diverse educational experience like no other. Learning occurs everywhere.”

Governor’s School West Student,





Timelines

- October – Nomination packets and applications available
- Late October/Early November - GCS application deadline
- December 16, 2022 – Nominations due to State
- Early March – Notification about selection
- April 2023 – Acceptance due
- June 18 – July 15 (likely) – Governor’s School!



Eligibility

Residency

- North Carolina resident
- No exchange or visiting students

Enrollment

- In a North Carolina public or non-public school (no out-of-state schools)
- Current 11th grade for all discipline
- Current 10th or 11th for Choral, Instrumental and Dance



Nominations

(Submitted by the school system)

Student Application

- Use the official GS form
- Essays/Audition
- Personal Readiness
- Students submit electronically to counselor

Recommendations (2)

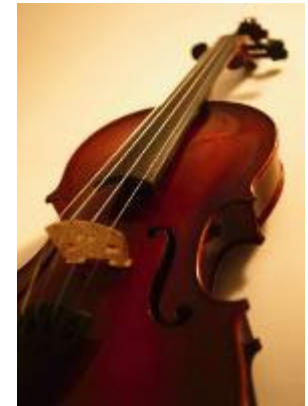
- Use the official GS form
- #1 – HS teacher (Area 1)
- #2 – Another teacher, counselor, coach, community leader, etc.
- No family
- Recommender sends directly to school official



Auditions



- [Choral Music](#)
 - [Dance](#)
 - [Instrumental Music](#)
 - [Theater](#)
 - [Visual Arts](#)
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- [GCS Arts Application Audition Supplement](#)





What About Tuition?

- \$500 per student, to complement partial funding by NC General Assembly
- Guilford County Schools pays the tuition for all students accepted to participate



Chances?

- One sure way to **not** get into Governor's School...
- 25% to 40%
- If NOT selected, KEEP FOLLOWING YOUR DREAM!



Questions?

- ASK!
 - Local: high school counselor
 - State: www.ncgovschool.org or ncgovschool@dpi.nc.gov
- Contacts
 - Rodney Allen, Coordinator
 - ncgovschool@dpi.nc.gov

GCS Participation Summer 2022

- 41 students selected
- 12 GCS Schools represented at Governor's School 2022:
 - Andrews, Eastern, Grimsley, Early College at Guilford, High Point Central, Northern, Northwest, Page, Southwest, STEM Early College, Weaver, Western
- Areas of selection:
 - Spanish (2), Natural Science (10), Math (5), Social Science (7)
 - Choral Music (4), Instrumental Music (5), Dance (1), Visual Art (4), Theater (2)

Hear from GS Alum!

