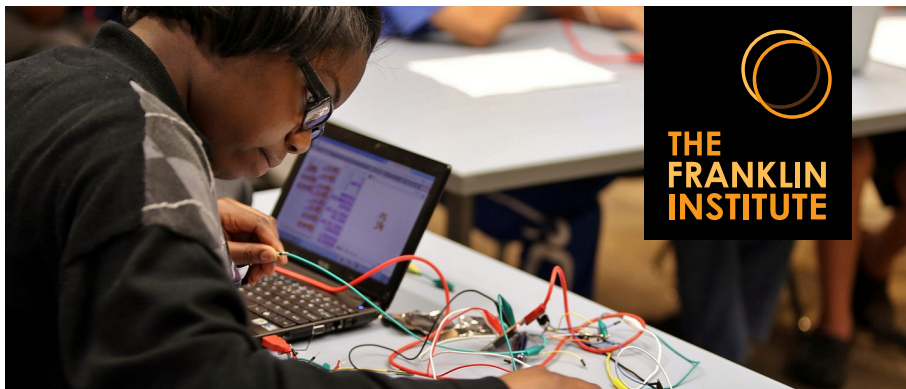


STEM SCHOLARS



MISSION: To provide immersion in science, technology, engineering, and math for highly motivated urban students to enhance their skills and support their matriculation into college and careers in STEM fields.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

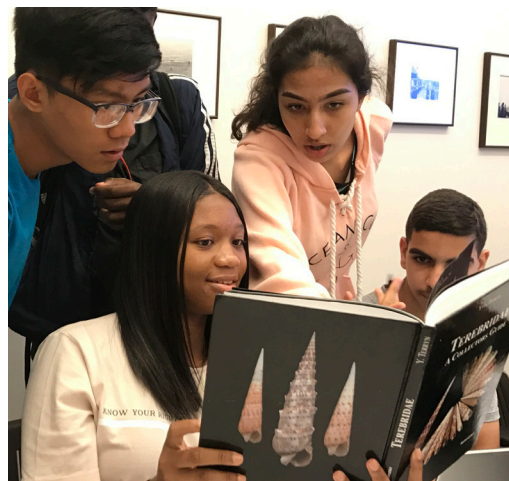
- High school freshmen in the Philadelphia area
- Interest in STEM and STEM-related careers
- High school career commitment
- Completion of application and essay
- Fees covered by generous donors of The Franklin Institute

PROGRAM SPECIFICS:

- Each year, The Franklin Institute recruits 15 freshman students in the Philadelphia and Camden areas, specifically targeting those from challenging socioeconomic backgrounds.
- Scholars programming includes hands-on technology workshops, academic enrichment, exposure to various industries, test prep, career development, entrepreneurial experiences, and college readiness.
- Previous field trip sites have included Fox Chase Cancer Center, Penn Vet Working Dog Center, Rutgers Haskin Shellfish Research Laboratory, and Drexel University's College of Engineering.
- The STEM Scholars attend weekly workshops during the academic year and a summer program that runs Monday through Thursday in July and August.
- Rising senior STEM Scholars participate in an off-site internship and are matched with professionals for a summer of immersive, real-world learning.

“From learning how to code, visiting numerous universities, and receiving an incredible internship, being a STEM Scholar has undoubtedly been the highlight of my high school career.”

*-Eva Adjei-Danquah
STEM Scholars Alumna | Swarthmore College Class of 2020*



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