

# Rainier Scholars Summer Programs for 2022

Hello Scholars & Families!

*\*\*Si desea consultar esta información en Español, ver pagina 2.*

This booklet provides an overview of summer programs available to Rainier Scholars in summer 2022 including camps, educational enrichment programs, boarding schools, public service, and other meaningful summer opportunities. These are programs where we have existing relationships, and which are committed to enrolling and supporting Rainier Scholars. This is not an exhaustive list, but a starting point for you to find the summer enrichment program that works for you or your scholar - you are welcome to apply to programs beyond those listed here.

**As a quick reminder – Rainier Scholars requirements for summer enrichment programs are as follows:**

- Scholars must participate in at least 1 during middle school
- Scholars must participate in at least 1 during high school
- *Scholars are strongly encouraged to participate in a summer enrichment program every summer!*

**Summer Program Questions & Application Support:**

For general questions and support, please plan to attend the weekly office hours or application support sessions in January and February 2022. We will hold summer program application support sessions (via Zoom) on the following dates (see zoom link below):

- **Saturday, January 8<sup>th</sup> from 1-3pm**
- **Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup> from 5-7pm**
- **Saturday, January 29<sup>th</sup> from 1-3pm**

**Weekly Application Support – Office Hours:** Fridays from 11am-1pm (beginning January 14<sup>th</sup>)

**Zoom Link for ALL support sessions and Friday office hours:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8858025146>

For urgent or time-sensitive inquiries, contact Sara Jackson at [sjackson@rainierscholars.org](mailto:sjackson@rainierscholars.org). Please include your (or your scholar's) name, grade, cohort number, and the program you are inquiring about.

**IMPORTANT APPLICATION & FUNDING NOTE:**

Some programs below have early deadlines (and/or have financial aid deadlines in advance of their application deadlines). *Please review the dates and requirements carefully and give yourself time to complete applications well in advance of the deadlines. For programs with rolling admissions, early application is encouraged.*

Rainier Scholars is usually able to cover round-trip transportation costs for out-of-state programs and is able to provide assistance with program costs on a case-by-case basis. Be sure to apply for financial aid through the program(s) that you apply to and let us know if you end up with a significant financial gap so we can discuss your options.

# Programas de verano de Rainier Scholars para 2022



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¡Hola estudiantes y familias!

Este folleto proporciona una descripción general de los programas de verano disponibles para Rainier Scholars en el verano de 2022, incluidos campamentos, programas de enriquecimiento educativo, internados, servicio público y otras oportunidades significativas de verano. Estos son programas en los que tenemos relaciones existentes y que están comprometidos a inscribir y apoyar a Rainier Scholars. Esta no es una lista exhaustiva, sino un punto de partida para que encuentre el programa de enriquecimiento de verano que funcione para usted o su estudiante; puede postularse a programas más allá de los enumerados aquí.

## **Como recordatorio, los requisitos de Rainier Scholars para los programas de enriquecimiento de verano son los siguientes:**

- Los estudiantes deben participar en al menos 1 actividad de verano durante los grados 6-8 (middle school)
- Los estudiantes deben participar en al menos 1 actividad de verano durante la escuela secundaria
- ¡Se anima a los estudiantes a participar en al menos una actividad de enriquecimiento de verano cada verano!

## **Preguntas sobre el programa de verano y asistencia para solicitudes:**

Para preguntas generales y soporte, planea asistir al horario de oficina semanal o sesiones de soporte de aplicaciones en enero y febrero de 2022. Celebraremos sesiones de soporte de aplicaciones del programa de verano (a través de Zoom) en las siguientes fechas (vea el enlace de zoom a continuación):

- Sábado 8 de enero de 1-3pm
- Miércoles 19 de enero de 5-7pm
- Sábado 29 de enero de 1-3pm

**Soporte de aplicaciones semanal - Horas de oficina:** Viernes de 11am-1pm (A partir del 14 de enero)

## **Zoom Link para TODAS las sesiones de soporte y el horario de oficina de los viernes:**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8858025146>

Para consultas urgentes, comuníquese con Sara Jackson en [sjackson@rainierscholars.org](mailto:sjackson@rainierscholars.org). Incluya su nombre (o el nombre de su hijo/hija), grado, número de cohorte y el programa sobre el que está preguntando.

## **NOTA IMPORTANTE DE APLICACIÓN Y FINANCIAMIENTO:**

Algunos programas a continuación tienen fechas límite anticipadas (y / o tienen fechas límite de ayuda financiera antes de las fechas límite de solicitud). Revise las fechas y los requisitos detenidamente y tómese el tiempo necesario para completar las solicitudes con bastante anticipación a las fechas límite. Para los programas con admisiones continuas, se recomienda aplicar temprano.

Rainier Scholars generalmente puede cubrir los costos de transporte de ida y vuelta para programas fuera del estado y puede brindar asistencia con los costos del programa según cada caso. Asegúrese de solicitar ayuda financiera a través de los programas a los que solicita y avísenos si termina con una brecha financiera significativa para que podamos analizar sus opciones.

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## BOARDING SCHOOLS

### Choate Rosemary Hall

| Dates             | Location   | Grade Level(s)  | Deadlines                                  |
|-------------------|--|---|--|
| June 26 – July 22 | In-Person and Online<br>Wallingford, Connecticut | MS - Current 6th and 7th graders<br>HS - Current 8th through 11th graders | App: Rolling Basis<br>Fin Aid: February 11 |

Application available online: <http://www.choate.edu/summer>

Choate offers a flexible curriculum for students to pursue their creativity, curiosity, and passion for discovery. Choate Summer Programs will be offering online and in-person options for Summer 2022. Online

Enrichment programs for **middle school students** include courses from Puzzles and Logic, Model UN, Foreign Language, Art, Science of the Brain, and more. Their Academic Programming for **high school students** will deliver online education for students to fast-forward their learning. Enrichment courses covering a wide array of subjects are offered across all subject areas. Academic Bridge courses help students solidify their understanding of curricular areas and expand their horizons in preparation for the 2022-2023 school year.

For more information on courses, visit: <https://www.choate.edu/summer/programs>

**NOTE:** Course credit may be received for some courses. If students are interested in this option, they should contact their school's counselor before enrolling.

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### Northfield Mount Hermon School Summer Session

| Dates             | Location                                   | Grade Level(s)                   | Deadlines                              |
|-------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| July 2 – August 6 | Online and in Mt. Hermon,<br>Massachusetts | Current 6th through 11th graders | App: Rolling Basis<br>Fin Aid: March 1 |

Application available online: <https://www.nmhschool.org/summer-session/summer-program-overview>

The closing date for receipt of complete applications (including all supporting materials) is 9amPST March 1 for financial aid applications, and June 1, 2022 for all other applications.

#### **College Prep: For students entering grades 10–12 in fall 2022**

It's all about focus. You'll choose one subject and dig into it with inspiring teachers, motivated peers, and small classes. You'll make real progress; in fact, we think you'll be amazed by what you can accomplish. Some courses cover a full academic year of content, so there are opportunities to earn credit and prepare to move to the next level. Courses include Math, U.S. History, Economics, Bio/Chem, Psychology, Creative Writing, Sports Analytics, and more!

#### **Rising Scholars: For students entering grades 7–9 in fall 2022**

Experienced and supportive teachers. Small classes. Opportunities to gain confidence and knowledge. This Summer Session program will help you hone your academic skills in courses that most middle schools don't offer and in small

groups where you'll get individual attention from expert teachers. Courses include Pre-Algebra, Geometry, The Art of Writing, Forensic Science, Social Psychology, Heroes and Villains, Medieval History, and more!

**The Lamplighter Literary Arts Summer Writing Institute: For students entering grades 7–12 in fall 2022**

Spend time this July with fellow writers. The Lamplighter Literary Arts Summer Institute (LLASWI) offers middle and high school students from around the globe the opportunity to immerse themselves in a community of peers with shared creative interests and to learn from professional writers and teachers who are as passionate about their craft as you are. Practice the fundamentals and nuances of a variety of writing genres. Build skills and create work you can be proud of. Program also offered virtually.

Virtual learning options here: <https://www.nmhschool.org/summer-session/virtual-learning-programs>  
 For course descriptions, visit: <https://www.nmhschool.org/summer-session/course-descriptions>

**The Putney School Summer Programs**

| Dates            | Location                                | Grade Level(s)                   | Deadlines                          |
|------------------|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| July 2 – July 29 | In-person<br>(based in Putney, Vermont) | Current 8th through 11th graders | App: Rolling Basis<br>Fin Aid: TBD |

Application available online: <https://www.putneyschool.org/summer/summer-workshops-teens/>

Putney Summer Arts is a summer camp like no other. Over the course of four weeks, you'll have dedicated and focused time every day to grow as an artist in a supportive community where you can truly be yourself. Whether you're trying something for the first time or honing your craft, their faculty will be there to guide you on your individual path. All of this happens on their beautiful 500-acre campus in Southern Vermont. Workshop options include Creative Writing; Dance, Music, and Theater; Farming and Visual Arts.

**NOTE:** Early applications encouraged. Course credit may be received for some courses. If students are interested in this option, they should contact their school's counselor before enrolling.

**ACADEMIC CAMPS**

**Lakeside Summer School**

| Dates     | Location   | Grade Level(s)                   | Deadlines   |
|-----------|--|----------------------------------|---|
| July 6-30 | In-person and Online<br>(Lakeside School, North Seattle) | Current 5th through 11th graders | App: June 1<br>Fin Aid: First-come,<br>first-served |

Application available online starting Feb 28: <https://www.lakesideschool.org/summer/summer>

Lakeside offers two different summer programs that nurture and develop students' passions. Each summer, over 600 students from the greater Seattle area spend between one to six weeks on campus, enjoying thoughtful and engaging classrooms, fun outdoor activities and sports, and quality time with their peers and teachers.

**(In-person) Investigative Learning Camp (Grades 5-8):** Exploration and play lead to serious learning at Lakeside's Investigative Learning Camp. Students from any school entering grades 5-8 enjoy morning and afternoon classes in the STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics) realm. Courses include DNA to Disease, Marine Biology, Medical Mysteries, Website Design using HTML, Debate, Digital Music Production, Sculpture, and much more! To learn more, visit: <https://www.lakesideschool.org/summer/investigative-learning-camp>

**(In-person and Online) Academic Courses (Grades 9-12):** Why spend the summer in class? Students value the ability to delve deeply into one content area without other demands on their schedule and to engage in immersive learning environments like the IslandWood environmental learning center. For-credit classes help students advance in a subject area or fulfill a graduation requirement in order to free up space in their school-year schedule. Courses include math, science, art, history, and much more! To learn more, visit: <https://www.lakesideschool.org/summer/high-school-courses>

### LEEP (Lakeside Educational Enrichment Program)

| Dates     | Location                                 | Grade Level(s)                      | Deadlines     |
|-----------|--|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| July 5-29 | TBD<br>(Online or In-Person at Lakeside) | Entering Grades 6 or 9 in fall 2022 | April 1, 2022 |

Application available online on Feb. 1: <https://www.lakesideschool.org/summer/leep>

Lakeside Educational Enrichment Program (LEEP) is a **FREE** four-week summer program designed for Seattle Public School students entering grades 6 or 9 in fall 2021. Through engaging and fun activities and classes, LEEP aims to build students' confidence, excitement about school and learning, prepare students for middle or high school academics, and connect with new friends. A decision on the 2021 LEEP model (remote or in-person) and extension activities will be made later this spring.

LEEP continues during the school year to help students build skills and access support in meeting their middle or high school's academic requirements. Students attend seasonal Saturday sessions between October and April.

Sessions are a chance for students to reconnect with their cohort, as well as provide a touch point for academic support in the form of activity days or class days. Activity days offer an assortment of social activities, service learning, and/or college and career preparation depending on a student's grade level. Class days are modified academic days that mirror aspects of a LEEP summer day.

To learn more about the LEEP Experience, visit: <https://www.lakesideschool.org/summer/leep>

### Seattle University Pre-Collegiate Summer Programs

| Dates     | Location                                    | Grade Level(s)                   | Deadlines   |
|-----------|---|----------------------------------|---|
| June-July | Online or In-person<br>(Seattle University) | Current 9th through 11th graders | Available Feb 15<br>Deadline – rolling basis<br>priority deadline April<br>15 |

Application available soon online: <https://www.seattleu.edu/precollege/>

### **The Albers Summer Business Institute (Prep: July 3-July 9 / Program: July 10- July 15):**

The Albers Summer Business Institute (SBI) at Seattle University is a credit-bearing, project-based learning program focused on social entrepreneurship. The program provides youth from African-American, LatinX/Hispanic, Native American Indigenous, and Pacific Islander heritage the opportunity to explore entrepreneurship, marketing, data visualization, accounting, economics, and more! Students who are accepted into the program pay \$50 deposit to reserve their spot. Both the residential cohort and the virtual cohort of SBI have a tiered scholarship model for tuition and provide as much support as possible based on need. In-person capacity limit of 24 students; virtual program will still operate and have a larger capacity for those interested in participating.

To learn more, visit: <https://www.seattleu.edu/business/centers-and-programs/summer-business-institute/>

### **Seattle University AI4ALL (July 11-23):**

The Seattle University AI4ALL is an experience for high school students interested in criminal justice and artificial intelligence (AI). Throughout the two weeks, students learn about the intersection of modern technology and criminal justice issues, such as facial recognition, bias, and equity. The program is a hands-on experience that includes law enforcement and local organizations. Thanks to the support of their generous sponsors, they offer full, holistic, merit scholarships to students who need financial assistance to attend.

To learn more, visit: <https://www.seattleu.edu/precollege/seattle-university-ai4all/>

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### **Purdue University Pre-College Programs**

| Dates         | Location                                  | Grade Level(s)                                  | Deadlines                          |
|---------------|---|---|------------------------------------|
| June and July | Online and In-Person (West Lafayette, IN) | 15+ years old + completed 9 <sup>th</sup> grade | Rolling Basis<br>Deadline – June 1 |

To learn more, visit: <https://www.purdue.edu/summer-high-school/>

Purdue University is excited to offer multiple intensive 1-week, 1-credit opportunities for high school students during June and July. Move-in and orientation for each experience will occur on Sunday and class sessions will begin on Monday. Summer College for High School students will offer a traditional mix of residential and online options for Summer 2022.

Online Courses: <https://www.purdue.edu/summer-high-school/online-courses/index.php>

1-Week, 1-Credit Courses: <https://www.purdue.edu/summer-high-school/enrollment-options/fun.php>

Application details here: <https://www.purdue.edu/summer-high-school/Application.php>

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## OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP

### YMCA Girls LEAD (Lead, Empower, Adventure, Discover)

| Dates | Location                  | Grade Level(s)                  | Deadlines       |
|-------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| TBA   | Camp Orkila, Orcas Island | Current 7th through 8th graders | To Be Announced |

We are waiting to confirm whether this program will be offered in Summer 2022. More information forthcoming!

Girls LEAD is a powerful, two-week experience at Camp Orkila that empowers girls with the self-confidence to lead, the spirit to give back to their communities and a personal awareness to live a healthy and balanced life. Girls take part in group-building activities and challenge stereotypes about what it means to be a girl today. In these 14 days of laughter, deep discussions, games, outdoor adventures and creative workshops, LEAD participants will make new friends and challenge themselves. From BMX biking to salsa dance to hiking, girls will move their bodies and stretch past what they thought possible. By the end of the camp, girls will know that the confidence, strength, and friendships they've developed will help them meet any challenge that comes their way.

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### YMCA BOLD & GOLD (Boys & Girls Outdoor Leadership Development)

| Dates         | Location          | Grade Level(s)                   | Deadlines       |
|---------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| June – August | Pacific Northwest | Current 6th through 12th graders | To Be Announced |

Application available online starting in January 2022: <https://www.seattleyymca.org/programs/camp-and-outdoor-leadership/boldgold>

BOLD is an outdoor education program, created by the Metrocenter YMCA, to develop multicultural leadership skills in young men through wilderness experience. The 5–16 day backpacking, rock climbing, and mountaineering expeditions provide an opportunity for young men from different economic, ethnic, religious, and social backgrounds to build leadership, communication, and decision-making skills through shared challenges, problem solving and fun.

For many girls, adolescence is marked by a significant drop in self-esteem, loss of confidence, and a growing sense of personal inadequacy. Through GOLD programs, girls discover and nurture their true selves, learn about community and the environment, develop responsibility, and gain the skills to confidently articulate and pursue their individual goals and aspirations. GOLD participants **develop physical courage** to face their fears and keep moving forward, build **creative courage** and learn to connect with and express her own unique voice, and foster **inquisitive courage**, where participants learn to think critically and discover how their actions impact the environment and their communities.

*\*Note: BOLD camps are for self-identifying boys only; GOLD camps are for self-identifying girls only.*

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## Salish Sea Sciences

| Dates              | Location                               | Grade Level(s) | Deadlines                       |
|--------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|
| June 20 – August 1 | In-person and online (San Juan Island) | Ages 14-18     | Rolling basis, limited capacity |

For more information and application, visit: <https://salishseasciences.org/admissions.html#s3>

Salish Sea Sciences extends an opportunity to motivated science students everywhere, offering a rare chance for high school students to participate with real science and working scientists in a range of hands-on projects - investigating incredible water, land, flora, and fauna of the Salish Sea. Equivalent to 200 instructional classroom hours in leadership training, environmental science, and biology. Develop your scientific literacy; learn from working research scientists; participate in active investigations; and experience the scientific life.

**Field & Lab Science** (June 20-July 16)

**Ecology & Conservation** (July 18 – August 1)

**Scientific Diving** (July 18 – August 1)

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## STEAM CAMPS

### Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Summer Programs

| Dates       | Location                                | Grade Level(s) | Deadlines                           |
|-------------|---|----------------|-------------------------------------|
| June-August | Online or In-Person (Prescott, Arizona) | Ages 12-18     | Registration opens mid-January 2022 |

<https://summercamps.erau.edu/camps>

Each year, we have several reserved spots for Rainier Scholars, and they are invited to attend for free. We will provide more information once details are finalized. To apply, you must submit a paper application directly to RS.

Does your interest lie in aviation? Or do you want to become an engineer? Or maybe you are drawn towards a career in cybersecurity? You can explore all these things, and more, at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in Prescott, AZ!

**Aviation Discovery:** This three-day, residential camp is for students 12-15 years old who are interested in aviation. Students will be taught from ERAU faculty and flight instructors to gain an introductory experience. Classes will include ground school, ATC Airspace, careers in aviation, aerodynamics, aircraft and aviation safety, accident investigation, Unmanned Aircraft Systems Lab (UAS), and a weather lab. Students will be taking a flight in a Cessna 172 on the second day of the camp and will learn what flight students do during their training.

**Flight Exploration:** In this program you will work with a certified Embry-Riddle Flight Instructor to experience the world of flight and becoming a pilot. In the high desert of Northern Arizona, where our flight line and campus facilities are located, you will get a flight experience that incorporates the challenges of flying in high altitude. In the Flight Exploration Program, you will receive ground training, gain experience in reading weather reports, and learn to fly under Visual Flight Rules. You will gain experience in our simulators, fly in, and pilot one of our Cessna 172s. Other topics

covered include navigation systems, aerodynamics, aircraft systems and performances, and aircraft safety. The best part – you will fly the airplane!

**Computer, Electrical, & Software Engineering - Arduino:** This hands-on experience provides students the ability to learn about software, hardware, and applying the Arduino. Each student will be tasked with programming an Arduino Microcontroller, and testing applications such as sensing temperature and pressure, and controlling motors. Students will also learn about printed circuit board design and fabrication, soldering surface mount components, and designing their own applications for the Arduino to be used in labs. Labs will consist of creating a prototype design on a breadboard and verifying the design works using our state-of-the-art test and measurement equipment.

**Aerospace Engineering Aero/Astro Track:** This 5-day intensive program will teach the fundamentals of aerospace engineering, space mission concepts, and the science of flight. Classes include aerodynamics, astrodynamics, and propulsion systems. Students participating in this program will have an in depth look at aerospace engineering while learning the principles of aerospace design.

**Additional camps include** Cybersecurity, Drone Flight Exploration, Helicopter Exploration, Rocket Propulsion Engineering, and the Spy Program. For course descriptions, visit: <https://summercamps.erau.edu/camps>

### Girls Who Code - Summer Immersion Program (SIP)

| Dates       | Location | Grade Level(s)   | Deadlines                                     |
|-------------|----------|--|---|
| June-August | Online   | Current 9th through 11th graders who identify as girls/young womxn or non-binary | (Priority) February 17<br>(Regular) Mid-March |

The application will become available in mid-January. To get notified first, sign up here: <https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6481035/outreach>

During this FREE 2-week virtual program, you'll learn the computer science skills you need to make an impact, get an inside look into the tech field, and join a supportive lifelong sisterhood — all while being virtually hosted by influential companies, like Twitter, AT&T, Bank of America, Walmart, and more. SIP is 100% free and need-based stipends of up to \$300 are available for those who qualify. Low tech? No tech? No problem! Girls Who Code is there to support you!

### Coyote Central

| Dates       | Location                            | Grade Level(s) | Deadlines     |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| June-August | TBD (based in the Central District) | Ages 10-15     | Rolling Basis |

To learn more, visit: <https://coyotecentral.org/>. Program offerings will be updated in winter/spring of 2022.

Coyote Central challenges young adolescents of every background to build skills, creative thinking, self-awareness, and social awareness through hands-on projects with professionals in creative fields. Coyote Central offers a wide range of classes and programs for a variety of age groups such as woodshop, glass flameworking, and video game production, and much more. ALL STUDIO COURSES ARE PAY-WHAT-YOU-CAN!

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

### Teens in Public Service (TIPS)

| Dates                   | Location         | Grade Level(s)                              | Deadlines                                  |
|-------------------------|------------------|---|--|
| May 25 – Aug 12<br>2022 | Puget Sound Area | HS Graduating Class 2022-2025<br>Ages 15-19 | Application due -<br>March 4 <sup>th</sup> |

To learn more, visit: <https://teensinpublicservice.org/internship-overview>

Teens in Public Service (TIPS) selects teenage leaders for PAID community service internships and pairs them with charitable organizations over the summer. During the program, interns spend 6-8 weeks working with their nonprofits in a variety of service areas. They develop skills and have the chance to work on a wide array of projects with some of the most driven and inspiring nonprofit organizations in the Puget Sound area. TIPS also provides interns with several opportunities to work with their larger class at a job-readiness orientation, a leadership and professional development training day, a day of service, and a celebration of service. For eligibility requirements: <https://teensinpublicservice.org/intern-eligibility-requirements>

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*\*\*Some of the programs listed below were put on temporary hold due to the pandemic. We will continue monitoring to see whether they will be available for summer 2022. Additional information will also likely be available on this website: <https://www.seattle.gov/parks/about-us/jobs/job-opportunities-for-teens>*

### Summer of Service (S.O.S.) - City of Seattle

**More information to come!**

The SOS program helps rising 7th through 9th graders identify needs and make a difference in their community while gaining leadership and work skills. Participants involved in this intensive summer program will learn about issues affecting their communities and then design their own project to take action. Previous projects have included: waste reduction and composting, organizing and implementing community events and habitat and trail restoration. Youth volunteer in various parks, facilities and programs throughout Seattle, and upon completion of the program, youth will receive a \$150 stipend.

### YES! (Youth Engaged in Service) - City of Seattle

**More information to come!**

YES! is a job readiness and leadership development program for youth ages 13-19 that will connect you to a broad range of service and training opportunities preparing you for the working world. YES participants can work individually or in small teams on a project and will be partnered with an adult mentor and support the operations and programming at a Seattle Parks and Recreation facility, park or program. YES is inclusive and will help build skills and confidence that extend into the school year and beyond. By participating a minimum of 120 program hours, 60 service hours can go towards your high school graduation requirement and for the remaining 60 service hours, receive a stipend of \$150.

## **Youth Heritage Project**

### **More information to come!**

Experience the majestic beauty of the North Cascades, while learning about its historic built environment at the Washington Trust's Youth Heritage Project (YHP). The program explores the balance between protecting both historic and environmental resources, and the role of our national parks in the field of historic preservation. Current 8th to 12th graders will earn 10 service hours by participating in YHP! YHP is an annual multi-day (overnight) heritage field school that engages youth by connecting them to historic, cultural, and natural resources in Washington. YHP engages students hands-on as they expand their knowledge about historic preservation and develop an understanding of how cultural resources affect a community. In addition to exposing students to the benefits of historic preservation, YHP strives to teach youth that they can be a part of shaping their own communities through participation and activism.