

Argonne Science Discovery Camp

Explore, Experiment, Innovate at a free, five-day camp experience

Is your middle school student very curious about STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) beyond the classroom? In Argonne Science Discovery Camp, rising eighth and ninth graders with a developing passion in the STEM areas come together to learn about the exciting work done at a national laboratory! By working in groups on hands-on projects, interviewing science and technology experts, and touring the labs and world-renowned scientific facilities, campers hone their skills and gain insight into the future of science and technology!

In this **free**, five-day enrichment experience, campers will learn about several STEM fields that Argonne specializes in, from computing to future energy innovations! This camp is designed for students that have a high curiosity about science and want to learn more and who enjoy working in groups with others. The camp will include opportunities for open-ended exploration and projects, creativity and teamwork that model how Argonne scientists do their exciting work.

In this camp, participants can expect to:

- Work with other STEM-interested students on *fun, hands-on* projects and activities that connect to the work done at the laboratory for which Argonne is famous around the world.
- Meet Argonne scientists and engineers and ask what it's *really* like to work at a national laboratory and have a career in STEM areas.
- Discover exciting areas of science and the latest discoveries!
- Hone STEM skills in a confidence-building environment.

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Applications are now open for the 2025 Argonne Science Discovery Camp that will be held July 1-18, 2025. Deadline to apply is April 28, 2025.

APPLY NOW!

Application Requirements

- Be a rising eighth or ninth grader this summer.
- Be available to participate in the full five-day program.
- Be able to provide their own transportation.

Application Process

Registration is limited to 24 students. Due to the popularity of our camps, families must submit an application by mid-April. Acceptances with additional information about the camp will be sent to selected applicants in early May.

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