

Regional Math Science Center

Upward Bound Math and Science Program

Frostburg State University



Do you enjoy math and science? Have you thought about becoming a scientist, an engineer, a doctor or other professional that uses math and science skills? The Regional Math Science Center (RMSC) at Frostburg State University (FSU) has an amazing opportunity for you!

WHY APPLY TO RMSC?

COLLEGE PREPARATION

- Summer residential program on a college campus to simulate the college experience
- Hands on science research
- Opportunity to present research findings to peers and professionals
- Career and college exploration workshops
- Assistance with college, financial aid, and scholarship applications
- Assistance with registration for SAT and ACT exams
- Interaction with professional and college student mentors

ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE

- Academic performance monitoring
- Study materials and tutoring
- Course recommendations and academic planning
- Study skill development

EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL FIELD TRIPS

- College visits
- Science and engineering festivals and presentations
- Summer and academic year trips to museums, plays and more

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- FREE Program
- Fee waivers for SAT & ACT exams
- Fee waivers for college applications

DO YOU QUALIFY?

MUST MEET ALL OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA

- Reside in Baltimore City or one of the following MD counties: Garrett, Allegany, Washington, or Frederick
- Currently be in the 8th, 9th or 10th grade
- Meet Federal Income Guidelines* and/or be a first-generation college student**
- Be at least 13 years old at the start of the summer program (mid-June)
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Have an interest in math and science

ARE YOU INTERESTED?

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO OBTAIN AN APPLICATION

- Visit us online at www.frostburg.edu/clife/mscenter
- View our program video, <http://www.frostburg.edu/clife/mscenter/video.htm>
- Call our office at 1-800-646-6004
- Email us at RMSC@frostburg.edu

* Income guidelines found at <http://www.frostburg.edu/clife/mscenter/eligibility.htm>

**Neither parent/guardian has a bachelor's degree



An RMSC student designs a glider and uses a 3-D printer to make a model.



An RMSC student examines a millipede that will be used in behavior studies.

"The summers spent at Frostburg during my high school years gave me direction, a sense of community and belonging among peers, and an inspiration to apply myself and delve into science- which would eventually become my career. I will be the first to admit that my time at RMSC was not without challenges, both personally internal and external, and at times I was far from the model student, but the program and the patience and guidance shown to me through those summers apparently did some good at shaping the future of a kid with little to no aspirations."

-Mike Shaffer- an RMSC participant 1995-98 who earned a bachelor's from FSU in 2002 and a PhD in Atomic Physics from Old Dominion University in 2008-

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