



**HOWARD UNIVERSITY - WASHINGTON, D.C.**

July 5-17, 2009

“For the Launch through Innovation & Imagination Hands-On Science”

## **- STUDENT APPLICATION 2009 -**

**PURPOSE:** The ExxonMobil Bernard Harris Summer Science Camp (EMBHSSC) is organized to provide activities, experiments, projects, and field experiences to enrich students’ mathematics, science, technology, and communication skills.

**PROGRAM:** The EMBHSSC is a two-week academic, residential camp that emphasizes increasing students’ mathematics and science skills, introducing them to college life, and stimulating their interest in science and engineering as a potential career path. Each day, campers will attend classes that include problem solving, research, writing and communication skills incorporated with biology, chemistry, physics, environmental, earth science, engineering and design concepts, and field excursions. Certified classroom teachers and university faculty will teach the classes. This program is offered at no cost to the student.

**CAMP LOCATION:** The camp will be held at Howard University and campus housing will be provided.

**RECRUITMENT AREA:** Camp participants will be selected from public and private schools from the Metropolitan Washington areas, the District of Columbia, Prince George’s and Montgomery County Maryland and Northern Virginia.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

- Complete and submit the Student Application.
- Submit a current copy of the student’s official records. (**Standardized Test Scores, 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> Qtr. Report Card**)
- Submit a Teacher Completed Science and Math Recommendation Form.
- Submit a Student Written Essay. The essay topic is “Why I Am Interested in Attending the ExxonMobil Bernard Harris Summer Science Camp at Howard University. Include what you hope to gain from the experience and how you think it will help you in the future. Your essay should be 250 words or less. It must be neatly written or typed using a 12pt. font and 1inch margins.

**SELECTION PROCESS:** The above requested documents must be complete and received no later than: **May 29, 2009**. A student’s application package must include all the requested documents and the documents must be complete. Incomplete packages will not be considered by the Selection Committee. Selections for the camp will be made on **June 3, 2009**. Students that are selected will be notified in writing no later than **June 8, 2009**. Students must complete and submit the Acceptance Form no later than **June 12, 2009**, via fax or email. Accepting the appointment indicates that the camper will complete the entire two week program. Failure to submit the Acceptance Form by the deadline will forfeit the student’s selection. If you have further questions or require additional information, please contact Kevin I. Sewell, Camp Director at (202) 806-6644, [kisewell@howard.edu](mailto:kisewell@howard.edu).



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Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street

City

State

Zip Code

Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: Male  Female  T-Shirt Size: YL  YXL  S  M  L  XL  2X

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

School District/Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

2009 – 2010 Academic Year School: \_\_\_\_\_

School District/Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Courses

Math: \_\_\_\_\_ Science: \_\_\_\_\_

2009 – 2010 Courses:

Math: \_\_\_\_\_ Science: \_\_\_\_\_

List the organizations, science and or math activities (Science Fair, Science Olympiad, Math Club, et.) you have participated in during the 2008-2009 academic year. Include awards received and offices held. Attach additional sheet if needed.

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Page 2: Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE PROVIDE INFORMATION FOR THE CUSTODIAL PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S)**

Name of Male Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Time Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Male Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Name of Female Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Time Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Female Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Student

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



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## REQUEST FOR RECORDS

Dear Registrar: Please forward official records (Standardize Test Scores, 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> qtr. Report Card) along with this form:

**Howard University - Coll. of Eng., Arch. & Comp. Sci.  
2300 Sixth St., N.W., Rm. 1114  
Washington, D.C. 20059  
Attn: K. Sewell**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Student (please print/type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
D.O.B.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student ID#

\_\_\_\_\_  
Grade

Please check any that apply:  Free Lunch  Reduce Lunch

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

**I hear by authorize the release of the above requested documents to be sent as indicated.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



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## SCIENCE TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

**DIRECTIONS:** The above referenced student is applying to the ExxonMobil Bernard Harris Summer Science Camp. Please complete this form so that we may determine if you believe the student is a good candidate for the two-week residential program. Upon completion, please submit this for along with a Letter of Recommendation in a sealed envelope. Please place your signature across the seal. Submissions should be sent to: **Howard University, Coll. of Eng., Arch. & Comp. Sci., 2300 Sixth St., N.W., Rm. 1114, Washington, D.C. 20059, Attn: K. Sewell.** The deadline for receiving the documents is **May 29, 2009.**

Name of Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Course/Subject: \_\_\_\_\_ Grading Period: \_\_\_\_\_

	Very	Often	Sometimes	Never	n/a
1. The student was eager to learn.					
2. The student cared about other students.					
3. The student was late to class.					
4. The student skipped class.					
5. The student turned in homework and projects on time.					
6. The student participated in class and group activities					
7. The student participated in lab activities.					
8. The student participated in co-curricular activities.					
9. The student volunteered to help other students.					
10. The student was an asset to the class.					

Directions: Circle the answer that best describes your decision.

11. Would you recommend this student for the ExxonMobil Bernard Harris Summer Science Camp?

**STRONGLY RECOMMEND**

**RECOMMEND**

**DO NOT RECOMMEND.**



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# MATH TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Course/Subject: \_\_\_\_\_ Grading Period: \_\_\_\_\_

	Very	Often	Sometimes	Never	n/a
1. The student was eager to learn.					
2. The student cared about other students.					
3. The student was late to class.					
4. The student skipped class.					
5. The student turned in homework and projects on time.					
6. The student participated in class and group activities					
7. The student participated in lab activities.					
8. The student participated in co-curricular activities.					
9. The student volunteered to help other students.					
10. The student was an asset to the class.					

Directions: Circle the answer that best describes your decision.

12. Would you recommend this student for the ExxonMobil Bernard Harris Summer Science Camp?

**STRONGLY RECOMMEND**

**RECOMMEND**

**DO NOT RECOMMEND.**

