

2019 Southern Indiana Youth Science Summit

Friday, January 25, 2019

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Where is the Youth Science Summit located? On the campus of Ivy Tech, Sellersburg: 8204 County Rd 311, Sellersburg, IN 47172

How to register for the Youth Science Summit? Registration is available online at KYScienceCenter.org or by calling 502-561-6100.

Are there multiple days of the Youth Science Summit?

No, the 2018 Louisville Youth Science Summit is a singular full-day experience; however the Science Center is offering various Youth Science Summits at other locations throughout the state – visit <https://kysciencecenter.org/programs/future-stem-professionals-summit/> for details.

Which Youth Science Summit should I attend?

All Youth Science Summits will provide a quality experience with area-specific partners for the lab offerings, discussion groups and information sessions. There may be some duplicate content, so it is up to the individual to choose which event to attend. The 1/25/19 Summit date has been selected specifically for teachers to register their classes as they would for a field trip, but individuals are also welcome.

My student will be entering High School in the Fall. Which track should I sign up for?

This is more of an issue for Summits that occur in the Summer. For the 1/25/19 event, teachers should register their groups according to age. Content will be provided by a variety of community partners, researchers, professionals, etc. and will be adjusted to skill level. Youth Science Summits are also social experiences, so all participants, even very accelerated Middle Schoolers, should sign up for tracks with their similarly-aged peers.

Will food be provided?

Lunch will be provided for student participants. A vegetarian option is available, but all other dietary restrictions are the responsibility of the participant.

Are parents allowed to attend?

Yes, adults may attend as chaperones with their schools. Also, it takes a village of adult STEM professionals to make these Summits a success. If you would like to get involved as a mentor or lab presenter please email Andrew.spence@louisvilleky.gov.

Can students leave program early?

Possibly. Full day participation is crucial for the optimum experience, but some school groups may be dismissed early depending on bus availability.

What do students need to bring?

Students should bring completed Health and Permission Forms, closed toe shoes, and enthusiastic attitudes.

Where to park?

Ample parking is available at Ivy Tech. All school vehicles that arrive will be directed to parking upon student drop-off.

What time should we arrive for check-in?

High School groups should arrive by 8:30am and Middle School groups should arrive by 9:00am.

What time should guardians arrive for pick up?

Buses will board for departure between 1:00 and 2:00.

How much is registration?

There is a \$20 registration fee.