

2026 SUMMER RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS





PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

We invite high school students interested in biomedical sciences to participate in leading-edge cancer research and career exploration at the Georgia Cancer Canter (GCC) at Augusta University.

Participants will spend 6 weeks alongside top cancer researchers and help advance novel research projects in cell and molecular biology, cancer immunology, metabolism, clinical investigation, developmental therapeutics, genomics, population science, health disparities, or other focus areas. Students will learn key principles of cancer biology and laboratory investigation, gain hands-on laboratory experience, explore possible career paths, and benefit from individual mentoring and ongoing interactions with multidisciplinary researchers, students, and colleagues in the GCC community.



ELIGIBILITY

- BE AT LEAST 16 YEARS OLD BY THE START OF THE PROGRAM FOR BENCH RESEARCH PROJECTS (IN A LABORATORY SETTING). HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS UNDER THE AGE OF 16 CAN APPLY TO PARTICIPATE IN BIOINFORMATICS OR COMMUNITY-BASED RESEARCH PROJECTS
- DEMONSTRATE INTEREST IN THE BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES AND ESPECIALLY IN CANCER RESEARCH





APPLICATION FORM & INSTRUCTIONS

APPLICATION OPENING DATE: OCTOBER 15, 2025
APPLICATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 15, 2026



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Ouestions?

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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

INDIVIDUALLY MENTORED TRAINING IN CANCER RESEARCH LABORATORIES

WEEKLY SEMINAR SERIES ON CANCER RESEARCH AND CAREER EXPLORATION OPPORTUNITIES

INTERACTION WITH MULTIDISCIPLINARY RESEARCHERS, STUDENTS, AND STAFF WITHIN THE GCC COMMMUNITY