**“Biotechnology Essentials and Beyond” June 26-30, 2017**

**“Biotechnology and Infectious Disease” July 10-14, 2017**

**“Biotechnology and the Environment” July 24-28, 2017**

**Introduction and Camp Selection**

Rising 9th through 12th graders are invited to apply for one or more PROJECT BIOTECH five-day summer camps providing an introduction to biotechnology techniques, hands-on labs and computer experiences, career exploration and guest speakers from the Puget Sound biotechnology community.

If you participate in PROJECT BIOTECH, you are expected to:
 a. Attend all five days of camp, for the full day, 9:00am to 4:00pm.

**NOTE:** Tours in Seattle are tentatively planned for one day of Biotechnology and Infectious Disease camp and one day of Biotechnology and the Environment camp. On those days, camp will not take place at Shoreline Community College and camp hours will be slightly different.

1. Provide your own transportation to and from Shoreline Community College
2. Provide your own lunch (e.g., bring from home or purchase at the on-campus cafeteria or bookstore)

**NOTE**: Lunch will be provided on Fridays thanks in part to camp sponsor Shoreline Central Market.

**Applications are accepted online only**. Students will be notified by mail of acceptance status (accepted or on wait list) within three weeks of application.

Scholarship request is due at the time of application submission and is included in the online application. Registration fees are $450 per camp, payable by check or credit card. Payment process information and due date will be included in your acceptance letter.

You will have to complete the online application in one sitting. It is suggested that you use this form to answer all of the application questions prior to beginning the online application.

**PREVIEW of PROJECT BIOTECH APPLICATION QUESTIONS**

**Note**: Question order below may vary from the question order on the online application.

1. Which camp(s) are you applying for? Check all that apply.
* Biotechnology Essentials and Beyond (June 26-30, 2017)(Recommended for up-coming 9th & 10th graders to provide basic biotechnology training.)
* Biotechnology & Infectious Disease (July 10-14, 2017) (For students with biology or biotech lab experience, including PROJECT BIOTECH camp alumni)
* Biotechnology & the Environment (July 24-28, 2017) (For students with biology or biotech lab experience, including PROJECT BIOTECH camp alumni)

**Applicant Contact Information:**

2. Applicant Name:

 First Name:

 Last Name:

 What would you like to be called (if different from your first name)?

3. Applicant date of birth (MM/DD/YYYY):

4. Applicant’s best contact phone number, including area code (xxx) xxx-xxxx:

5. Applicant’s secondary contact phone number, including area code (xxx) xxx-xxxx:

6. Applicant’s current mailing address:

 Address:

 City/Town:

 State:

 Zip:

7. Applicant’s email address:

**PROJECT BIOTECH information and updates will be emailed to you and your parent/guardian. Please provide the email address (for you above AND your parent/guardian below) that should be used for sending camp information.**

8. Parent/Guardian First and Last Name:

9. Parent/Guardian Phone Number (xxx) xxx-xxxx:

10. Parent/Guardian Email address:

11. Applicant’s emergency contact is the same as the parent/guardian information above:

 Yes

 No

12. If not the same:

 Emergency Contact First and Last Name:

 Emergency Contact Phone Number, including area code (xxx) xxx-xxxx:

 Emergency Contact Email address:

**We'd like to know a little more about you and your science background, to assist our planning for the camp.**--There are **NO** prerequisites for " Biotechnology Essentials and Beyond."
--"Biotechnology and Infectious Disease" and “Biotechnology and the Environment” **DO** require basic biotechnology laboratory skills, including micropipetting.

**Educational Information**

13. Have you participated in a prior PROJECT BIOTECH camp - or – taken courses at Shoreline Community College?

* Yes
* No

14. Which of the following camps or courses will you have completed by July 10, 2017? Check all that apply.

* Previous PROJECT BIOTECH camp(s)
* Life science course in middle school
* General/introductory biology in high school (Please provide teacher’s name below)

15. Teacher’s Name:

16. What is the name of your current school?

17. What school will you be attending in Fall 2017?

18. What school district will you be attending in Fall 2017?

19. What grade are you entering next school year (Fall 2017)?

* + 9th
	+ 10th
	+ 11th
	+ 12th

20. If you are in 9th through 11th grade, what science classes have you taken in high school, if any, that would prepare you for PROJECT BIOTECH?

21. Why are you interested in attending PROJECT BIOTECH?

22. Are you planning to attend camp with a friend that you want to work with? If so, what is his or her name?

23. If accepted into camp, will you be driving and therefore needing a permit for parking at Shoreline Community College? **NOTE**: Parking is free on Fridays during Summer Quarter.

* Yes
* No

24. How did you hear about PROJECT BIOTECH?

* My teacher
* Flyer at School
* Friend
* Online search
* A PROJECT BIOTECH Alumnus
* I’m a PROJECT BIOTECH Alumnus
* Other: Please specify:

**Special Accommodations**

25. Will you be needing any special accommodations? If so, please explain any areas of difficulty or need (e.g., vision, hearing, mobility, allergies, etc.).

**Payment and Scholarship Information**

**Payment for PROJECT BIOTECH camps is due within two weeks of the date on the camp acceptance letter.**

26. Are you requesting a scholarship to pay for your camp fees?

* Yes
* No

If you are requesting a scholarship, you must plan to attend all five days of camp, 9:00am to 4:00pm [with an exception for illness].

We are seeking funds from local companies to provide financial need-based full and half scholarships for a limited number of PROJECT BIOTECH participants. **NOTE**: Due to limited funds, scholarships can only be provided for one camp per camper.

27. Will you qualify for free or reduced lunches during the coming school year?

* Yes
* No

28. If you qualify for free or reduced lunches during the coming school year, can we contact your counselor to verify this?

* Yes
* No

29. If yes, please provide:

Your counselor’s First Name:

Your counselor’s Last Name:

Your counselor’s phone number:

Your counselor’s email address:

30. If you do not qualify for free or reduced lunch, are there circumstances that make it difficult for you to pay the camp registration fee?

* Yes
* No

31. If yes, please have a parent/guardian write a short explanation of why this is the case.

**Recommendation**

32. May we contact one of your teachers to get a recommendation for you to participate in this camp?

* Yes
* No

33. If yes, please provide the following information:

 Teacher’s First Name:

 Teacher’s Last Name:

 Teacher’s Phone number:

 Teacher’s Email:

**This completes the online PROJECT BIOTECH Camp Application.**

**For questions or additional information, contact Dr. Dina Kovarik at** **dkovarik@shoreline.edu****.**

**PROJECT BIOTECH**

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