PROJECT **B**IOTECH

Shoreline Community College Presents Biotech Summer Camps for High School Students

July & August 2020

July 6 - 10, 2020

I. Biotechnology Essentials & Beyond

Recommended for up-coming 9th & 10th graders but open to all high school (HS) students for basic biotechnology training

- Micropipetting
- DNA purification & DNA sequencing
- Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)
- Discussions with scientists
- Use computers to analyze data for genetic testing

July 20 – 24, 2020

II. Biotechnology & Orca Conservation

For HS students with biology or biotech lab experience

- DNA sequencing to identify food sources for Orca
- Protein assays to analyze stress hormones in Orca
- Exploration of how ocean acidification is affecting sea life
- Tour of environmental research labs at the UW
- Panel of scientists discussing jobs and career paths

August 3 - 7, 2020

III. Biotechnology & Cancer "Causes, Cures and Careers"

For HS students with biology or biotech lab experience

- Genetic mutations which can result in cancer
- Bioinformatics relevant to cancer diagnosis and treatment
- Lab assays for DNA and protein analysis
- Tour of biotech companies
- Career panel and discussions with scientists

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When and where is camp?

- 9 am until 4 pm Mon. through Fri.
- Shoreline Community College
- Only 24 spots available per camp

What does it cost?

- \$450 per student per camp
- Registration includes daily snacks and Friday lunch
- A limited number of financial need-based scholarships are available.

How does one apply?

Online applications available on the Shoreline Community College website on Feb. 14, 2020 http://www.shoreline.edu/project-biotech

Providing high school students with hands-on science activities, face time with scientists, exposure to potential careers, and a glimpse of community college life can have a lasting, positive impact.

The camp program has been designed and will be taught by experienced educators from Shoreline Community College's Biotechnology Program and scientists/educators from the Seattle biotechnology and research community.





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