

# Blank Summer Institute (BSI) Timeline

## Applications Open

Nominated students will receive an email allowing them to accept their nomination and begin their application. Applicants need to provide a short essay, informal transcript, and teacher recommendation.

## February 17: Notification of Acceptance Status

Belin-Blank staff will review all completed applications and notify students of their application's status: accepted, alternate, or declined.

## First Day June 15: STEM June 22: Arts

Students will move into their dorms, meet their classmates and instructors, and take an interactive deep dive into their class topics.

## Closing Ceremony

At the closing event, students have the opportunity to showcase their learning to peers and family members.

## December 2:

## Student Nominations Open

Teachers, school counselors, and administrators can begin nominating students for BSI classes at [belinblank.org/bsi](http://belinblank.org/bsi).

## February 3:

## Applications Due

Teacher recommendations are also due at this time. Unfortunately, we cannot accept late applications.

## After Acceptance

Students pay remaining program costs and prepare for their weeklong learning adventure.

## A Week on Campus

## STEM: June 15-20 Arts: June 22-27

Along with their similarly-minded peers, students will learn from expert instructors, attend field trips, hear from guest speakers, and engage in fun evening activities.