



Application for Admission to 2009 LA GEAR UP Explorers Camps

Turning in your signature forms and applying online by *April 30, 2009* is strongly recommended. No applications or paperwork will be accepted past *May 15, 2009*.

I. Personal Information

NAME: _____ SS# -- Race: _____

School: _____ Grade Now _____

Home Mailing Address: _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ E-mail: _____

Phone: _____ Sex: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____ Check here if you would like to receive text messages regarding GEAR UP activities.

II. Shirt Size (please circle appropriate size):

Adult Sizes: S M L XL XXL XXXL

Please PRINT your name as you want it to appear on your shirt (no nicknames, please):

III. Attachments:

A. On a separate sheet of paper, please provide your response to each of the following questions. Be sure to put your name in the upper right hand corner of each sheet of paper and attach them to this application. Responses should be hand-written and no more than one page per response.

For Explorers Camp I at Louisiana Tech (if you have never attended a camp at La Tech):

Question #1: If you had to decide today, what career would you choose and why? What do you think you will need to do to prepare yourself for this career?

Question #2: Going to college is a big decision. As you think about going to college, what questions or concerns do you have? How do you think this camp experience will help you?

For all other Explorers Camps:

If you have attended an Explorers I camp at Louisiana Tech, please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper:

Question #1: What have you done since attending camp to begin preparing for college?

Question #2: Describe any leadership positions that you have assumed since attending camp last summer.

B. Please attach a **completed recommendation form** containing the signatures of three references. The references should include one teacher from whom you have taken a class, your principal, and one other person from outside of school.



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IV. Which camp would you like to attend?

- A.** If you have NOT attended a camp at Louisiana Tech University, please select one of the following camps. Indicate your first, second, and third choices by writing **1** next to your first choice, **2** next to your second choice, etc. until you have made **three choices**.

2009 Explorers Camp I (if you have NOT attended a camp at Louisiana Tech)					
Louisiana Tech University Explorers Camp					
May 31-June 6		June 7-13		June 14-20	
July 5-11		July 12-18		July 19-25	
July 26-August 1					

Louisiana Tech University Building Bridges to the Future Camp
Ruston, LA

May 31 – June 6		June 7-13		June 14-20	
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Louisiana Tech University Sports Medicine Camp
Ruston, LA

July 5-11		July 12-18		July 19-25	
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Grambling State University: CSI Grambling!
Grambling, LA

May 31-June 6		June 7-13			
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University of Louisiana at Monroe: CSI
Monroe, LA

May 31-June 6		June 7- June 13		June 21-27	
June 28-July 4					

- B.** If you have attended a camp at Louisiana Tech, you may select any of the following camps. Put a **1** for your first choice next to the date of the camp you would like to attend, a **2** for your second choice, etc. until you have made **three choices**. Please see the camp brochure or visit our web site at www.latech.edu/lagearup for a complete description of each camp.

2009 Explorers Camps					
Nicholls State University Science Camp Thibodeaux, LA	July 19-25		July 26-August 1		
Nicholls State University Geospatial Spatial Camp Thibodeaux, LA	July 26-August 1				
Nicholls State University Culinary Camp Thibodeaux, LA	June 7-13				