



WEB DESIGN

The future of technology is endless. Learn more about computer programming, application design and development, and robotic technologies. Students will explore career paths in high-paying, high-demand technological fields.

Mountain Empire Regional Governor's School sponsored by:
The Virginia Department of Education,
Mountain Empire Community College Foundation,
and Mountain Empire Community College



ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND REGIONAL TOURISM

Interested in starting your own business? Southwest Virginia's tourism industry is dependent on small businesses. Develop your own business concept while exploring the best of our region's assets.

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

The mountains are calling. You must go! Learn about the mountains and streams of Southwest Virginia and current and potential threats to these ecosystems. Students will engage in a water quality study on the Clinch and Powell Rivers that will have a long-term positive impact on our region's water systems.

SOLAR ENERGY

Want to change the world? The future of energy technology is solar power! Learn basic electrical theory while exploring solar and wind technologies in an exciting new career field.



CYBER SECURITY

The FBI anticipates that cyber-attacks will soon become one of the greatest threats to our nation's security. Fight crime by delving into the minds of hackers. Learn how to prevent cyber-attacks while also preparing for one of the nation's most in-demand career fields.

ENGINEERING

Be an innovator! Use your technical and creative skills to design 3-D models and animation and solve complex engineering problems. Invent your future in engineering in this exciting field.

EXPERIENCE THE FUN

JUNE 12 - JUNE 23



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MOUNTAIN EMPIRE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL TWENTY SEVENTEEN
AND EXPERIENCE THE FUN!

REGIONAL GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL

The two-week program features a variety of hands-on activities in one of ten subject areas selected by the student. Students will spend time in the field, in labs, on tours, and in the classroom with the faculty of **Mountain Empire Community College, receiving 6 college credit hours - tuition free.**

Governor's School 2017 is open to rising sophomores, juniors, or seniors in the counties of Lee, Scott, Wise, and Dickenson and the City of Norton who have a 3.0 GPA or higher. Interested individuals should contact:

The Governor's School Coordinator, John Bledsoe at 523.2400, ext. 307, or jbledsoe2@mecc.edu. Applications are available online at: www.mecc.edu/govschool/

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS MAY 26, 2017.

HAVE FUN WHILE YOU LEARN... ON THE CAMPUS OF MECC!



Acceptance on a first-come, first-served basis - space is limited SO APPLY EARLY!



SUBJECTS INCLUDE:

*3D ANIMATION/GAME DESIGN

Are you a gamer? Take your skills to the next level by learning the basic techniques of game design. Create your own 3D game from concept to implementation using traditional and computer-generated animation.

DRONES

Immerse yourself in one of the world's most innovative new technologies. Learn to build, configure, maintain, and legally fly drones both for fun and for commercial use. An exciting new career pathway for those interested in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM).

JUNE 12 - JUNE 23

Daily from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. with some extended hours on field trip days.

*ART ILLUSTRATION FOR GRAPHIC NOVELS

Love a good story? Create your own narrative by learning character development and illustration techniques. Students will complete a graphic novel they design.

*DRAMA

Calling all drama queens and kings. Produce your own full length play and learn the basic components of play production, from lights to sound, set design and character study. Students will premiere a full-length production of their own creation.

**Designed to satisfy transfer electives for students seeking an MECC Degree.*

