

Ignite! Scholar

Students: Looking to Change Your World?

- Spark K-12 interest in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM)
- Learn to engage K-12 students in quality STEM curriculum
- Interact – learn, and learn to teach by DOING interactive activities
- Serve as a mentor and/or teacher in out-of-school programs
- Gain valuable experience and mentoring skills that employers value
- Participate in fun community service experiences and build your resume

What is Ignite! Scholar?

Ignite! Scholar is a program to train undergraduate students who are interested in working with underserved youth in their communities through summer camps and afterschool programs. The Ignite! Scholar program wants to give undergraduate students the opportunity to lead quality, hands-on, and, most importantly, fun activities with K-12 students who need a positive role model. While our focus is on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics), you do not have to be a STEM major or expert to participate.

Your participation will help kids in your community see that STEM fields and topics are all around them. Our program and curriculum emphasizes fun—building the tallest tower to talk about design, do physical fitness to train like an astronaut, or learn math by making Moon craters and measuring them. You don't have to understand all the content yourself right now. We provide the activities and lesson plans plus training in how to lead them and foster a positive and fun learning environment. Our goal is that you feel competent and comfortable with the activities and working with K-12 youth by the end of training.

Who Should Apply to Ignite! Scholar

Ignite! Scholar is looking for undergraduate students who are interested in any fields considered STEM, education or who are interested in working with kids.

You may be majoring in a STEM subject, enrolled in a teacher education program, or simply interested in helping K-12 students explore and learn about their world.

Where do Scholars go?

Every Ignite! Scholar will get practical experience leading activities in out-of-school time programs within the community where you will work alongside experienced professional staff.

How do I apply to be a Scholar?

If you have questions about the program please write the Indiana statewide coordinators at: ignite@wisdomtools.com. For information related to the October 23-24 event, please contact:

Join us for a two-day
Ignite! Scholar
training event:

October 23, 2015

5:30-8:30 pm

AND

October 24, 2015

9:00 am-3:00 pm

Myers Technology Center
at Indiana State University
Room 114

*Open to all ISU and SMWC
students interested in STEM
and working with
K-12 students.*

Register online by Oct 19:

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