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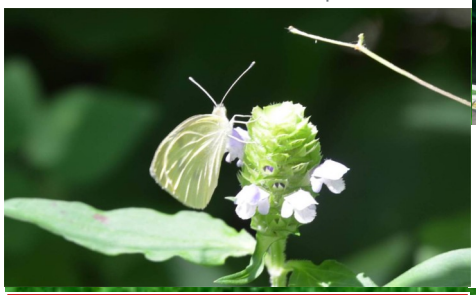

AIM HIGH ACADEMY

SUMMER EARTH ECOLOGY PROGRAM

Program Requirements for Participants:

- ♣ **Successfully completed 11th grade**
- ♣ **Minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75**
- ♣ **Successful completion of Algebra II and Biology**
- ♣ **With a grades of a "B" or higher in all science and mathematics courses**
- ♣ **Must reside in Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Middlesex, Passaic or Union county**
- **Must meet Federal Trio Low-Income Levels (see below)**
- **Must be a potential first-generation college student.**

Federal TRIO Programs Low-Income Levels

(Effective January 28, 2015)

Size of Family Unit	Gross Income Not to Exceed
1	$17,655
2	$23,895
3	$30,135
4	$36,375
5	$42,615
6	$48,855
7	$55,095
8	$61,335

The Rutgers University-Newark Aim High Academy (AHA) is seeking forty (40) high-achieving, low income and/or first generation college bound students to participate in the 4th annual Summer Earth Ecology Program.

The Summer Earth Ecology Program will engage students in a hands-on experiences that will use the natural community as a "living laboratory". Emphasis will be placed on scientific research, critical thinking, college and career awareness, leadership and team building skills!

Aim High Academy is a FREE three-week, residential program on the Rutgers University-Newark campus.

Participants in the program will:

◊ Participate in classroom instruction
◊ Conduct fieldwork in different sites in the State of New Jersey
◊ Analyze data in a laboratory setting
◊ Present research findings
◊ Participate in educational field trips
◊ Develop an academic plan for college enrollment

Application Deadline: Monday May 4, 2015

Program Dates: Sunday, July 5th – Friday, July 24th

Students stay on campus Sunday – Thursday nights.

For more information about our program or for applications go to:

http://www.ncas.rutgers.edu/afc/aha

Mail or fax completed applications to:

Rutgers University—Newark
Aim High Academy: Summer Earth Ecology Program
Academic Foundations Center
110 Warren Street (Bradley Hall), Room 122
Newark, New Jersey 07102
Attn: Geneva Paul

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