



See where the 2010 Summer Transportation Institute can take you!

The University of Rhode Island Transportation Center will host two two-week sessions of the 2010 Summer Transportation Institute for secondary school students. The first session will take place from July 6-16, while the second session will be held from August 2-13 from 8:30 a.m.– 4:00 p.m. each day.

The curriculum will expose students to new frontiers and adventures such as highway and bridge design, construction and maintenance of roads, transportation of people and cargo, specifications, regulations, safety, and career opportunities. In addition, students will participate in computer training, academic enhancement activities, field trips, and student projects. Instruction and supervision will be by the program director, program coordinator, interns and industry professionals.

Up to 20 seventh, eighth and ninth grade students will receive **full scholarships** to participate in each of the two-week summer program. Scholarships will include the following:

- Tuition
- Facility Usage
- Equipment and Supplies
- Meals
- Workshops
- Field Trip Expenses
- Daily transportation to and from the University will be provided from a central pick-up point in the Providence area.

Students must:

- be in the 7th, 8th, or 9th grade for the 2010 & 2011 school year.
- have at least a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 (on a 4.0 scale).
- have an interest in engineering, science, transportation, or technology related career.
- write an essay.
- provide transcript or copy of a recent report card.

A brief interview with each applicant will be scheduled by the program director.

For further information, please contact Tory Perrotta at (401) 874-7075
or by e-mail at toryp@mail.uri.edu.



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Student Application

Name: _____
(Please print clearly)

Address: _____

City: _____ **Zip Code:** _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Which session would you like to attend? July___ August___ Either___ **Gender:** M___ F___

School Attending Fall 2010: _____

Parents/Guardian: _____

Address (if different): _____

Telephone: (home) _____ (work) _____

Parent's Cell Phone: _____ **Parent's E-mail:** _____

Grade Point Average: _____

During the 2010-2011 school year, I will be in the: (check one)

7th Grade ___ 8th Grade ___ 9th Grade ___

Career Interest: (check one)

<input type="checkbox"/> Architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Construction
<input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> Environment	<input type="checkbox"/> Design
<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation	<input type="checkbox"/> Technology	

Required Essay:

Describe the career you would like to have when you grow up, your interest in transportation, and how the Summer Transportation Institute can assist you in reaching your goals. Your essay should not be more than one (1) page.

Additional Information:

Please enclose your transcript or a copy of your most recent report card. Applications will not be processed with incomplete information. **Please mail or fax to (401) 874-2297.**

Submit to: Jeffrey Cathcart, Program Director
Summer Transportation Institute
University of Rhode Island Transportation Center
75 Lower College Road
Kingston, RI 02881

**Applications will be reviewed on a first-come, first-serve basis.
No applications will be accepted after July 1, 2010.**

Signature & Date (Parent)

Signature & Date (Student)