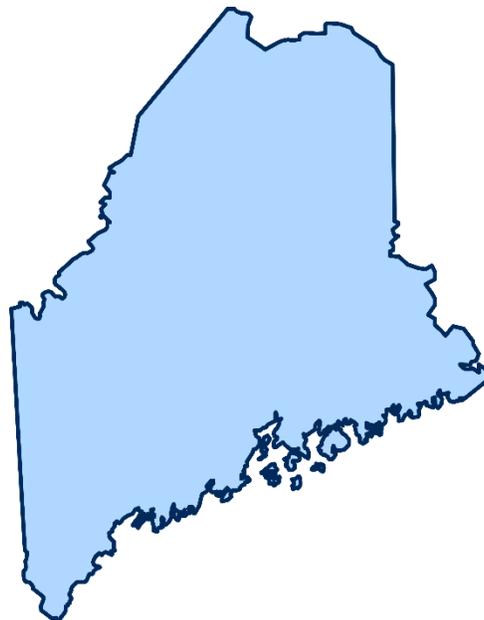


# Maine High School Student Summer Internship Opportunities Now Available

The Maine Space Grant Consortium (MSGC) is pleased to announce a special opportunity for Maine high school juniors who are interested in a science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) paid internship through the MERITS program.

MERITS is a program of the MSGC and is supported by NASA, and, for the first time, additional support is provided by the NSF EPSCoR Maine-eDNA project.

This program provides a six-week, paid summer internship research opportunity for highly motivated high school juniors. Students experience 'real-time' applications of STEM at various Maine host institutions conducting hands-on research and technology development. Student interns receive stipends of \$2,200. Some funding is available to assist with transportation costs if a financial need is demonstrated.



## Eligibility

- Attendance at a Maine school or homeschooled and a resident of Maine
- Completion of student's junior year in high school by June 30, 2023
- Demonstrated interest in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics
- Some experience with the use of computer applications
- GPA equivalent of an A
- Able to commit to a Monday through Friday work week for a **six-week** summer internship
- Able to provide daily transportation to/from the host institution, if applicable

## How to Apply

Download application materials and guidelines at <http://www.msgc.org/students/internships/>  
Contact Jana Hall at the Maine Space Grant Consortium at [jana.hall@msgc.org](mailto:jana.hall@msgc.org) or 1-877-397-7223 or 1-207-622-4688 if you have any questions. Applications are due January 31, 2023 for consideration.

