DIRECTIONS

To apply for Financial Assistance and/or Scholarships, you must first submit your Design Camp or Summer Studios application (found online at: design.ncsu.edu/designcamp and design.ncsu.edu/summerstudios), send your $100 deposit and be offered a spot in a program first in order to be considered for financial assistance/scholarship. Program slots are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Please make sure that if you are filling out this form by hand that you write VERY legibly as we will use this information to contact you. PLEASE NOTE that the deadline to postmark a financial assistance/scholarship application is April 3, 2017. Only Financial Assistance/Scholarship applicants who have been offered a spot in Design Camp or Summer Studios are eligible, so early application is encouraged.

This year, those seeking support in paying for Design Camp and Summer Studios have two options:

Financial Assistance is allocated based on (1) family financial need and (2) student motivation and interest. Applicants are required to submit a letter of financial need (to be completed and signed by the Parent/Guardian) and a letter of interest (to be completed and signed by the Student).

Scholarships are allocated based on (1) family financial need, (2) student motivation and interest and (3) creative and academic merit. Applicants are required to submit a letter of financial need (to be completed by the Parent/Guardian), a letter of interest (to be completed and signed by the Student) and a recommendation letter from a teacher or guidance counselor (on school letterhead) attesting to the applicant’s creative potential and academic achievement and integrity. Scholarship funds are provided by the Marvin and Cindy Malecha Dream Scholarship Fund and the Design Lab for K–12 Education Contribution Fund.

Please note that those applying for Scholarships will also be considered for Financial Assistance, should a Scholarship not be available.

DEPOSIT

All financial assistance/scholarship applicants are required to pay the $100 deposit. You will be instructed to send in your deposit upon applying to Design Camp or Summer Studios. Financial Assistance/Scholarship applicants who, for any reason, are not given a spot or cancel their registration by May 1 will receive a full refund, including the $100 deposit.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION SUBMISSION

All financial assistance/scholarship applications and materials must be postmarked by April 3, 2017 along with all your required program forms (you will be emailed a forms packet upon being offered a spot in Design Camp/Summer Studios). Only Financial Assistance/Scholarship applicants who have been offered a spot in Design Camp or Summer Studios are eligible, so early application is encouraged. Incomplete applications will not be considered. The Design Lab has a limited amount of financial assistance and scholarship funding to allocate each year. Therefore, we do not accept applications postmarked after the deadline.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AWARDS

Financial assistance/scholarship awards cover a portion of tuition fees to be waived. We do not provide full scholarships to Design Camp or Summer Studios. If you will be in need of more than partial tuition fee support, we strongly encourage you to seek out additional scholarships that support students attending pre-college programs. Please keep in mind that the Design Lab, Design Camp and Summer Studios does not provide financial assistance for travel or day camp lodging.

Notification of financial assistance award will be sent out via email in mid-April. The remainder of the tuition fee owed must be postmarked by May 1, 2017. Payment may be made by check, money order or credit card. Checks must be made payable to NC State.

HOW TO APPLY:

Please complete the FORM on the next page as well as the REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS. Send your completed application to:

Design Camp & Summer Studios Financial Assistance/Scholarship
NC State Design Lab for K-12 Education
Campus Box 7701
Raleigh, NC 27695

Questions? Email designlab_k12@ncsu.edu

Must be postmarked no later than April 3, 2017!
### NC STATE Design
### Design Camp and Summer Studios
### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE + SCHOLARSHIPS REQUEST FORM + REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

**TO BE COMPLETED IN FULL BY PARENT/GUARDIAN:**

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**REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS:**

- **To be completed by the Parent/Guardian (required for Financial Assistance and Scholarships):**
  Please attach a letter stating the circumstances surrounding your financial need. **Please include how much your family is able to contribute to your child's Design Camp fees.** Be sure to inform us if your child is enrolled in the Free & Reduced Lunch program at school.

- **To be completed by the Student (required for Financial Assistance and Scholarships):**
  Please attach a letter telling us why you would be a good candidate for receiving financial assistance/scholarship to Design Camp. Let us know about your interest in design. What motivates you to apply to this program? What are you looking forward to? What are your short and long-term goals? Let us know why you want to come to camp and how you think you would benefit from participating in this experience.

- **To be completed by a Teacher or Guidance Counselor (required for Scholarships only):**
  Please attach a signed Letter of Recommendation from a teacher or guidance counselor (on school letterhead) attesting to the applicant’s creative potential and academic achievement and integrity in a statement of recommendation for this program. Letter should be signed and sealed in an envelope with signature of Teacher/Guidance Counselor on the seal.

Completed form and all Required Attachments must be submitted in order to be considered.

**MAIL THIS FORM & REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS TO:**

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