

Current 10th – 12th Grade High School Students

**THE MATH CORPS CLEVELAND
AT CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY
SUPER SATURDAYS PROGRAM 2018**

General Information:

The Super Saturday Program serves as a complement to the Math Corps summer camp and keeps our family connected during the school year. The program, which runs 8 consecutive Saturdays from **January 20th – March 10th**, brings middle and high school students together with college students and mathematicians, to share in the teaching and learning of mathematics, in a university setting.

In addition to participating in grade-level and advanced studies in Mathematics, 9th grade students receive preliminary training designed to prepare them to fill the role of high school Teaching Assistant (TA) for the Math Corps Summer Programs.

The Super Saturday Program is free of charge for all students. TAs participate as volunteers and receive a problem-solving workshop that prepares them to maximize their performance on the Mathematics portion of the ACT college placement exam.

While priority is given to former summer camp participants, we welcome new members of the family.

Schedule:

Students in the program are expected to attend on time and fully all program days* listed below:

Camp Dates: Saturday, January 20th (Registration & Orientation)
 Saturday, January 27th
 Saturday, February 3rd
 Saturday, February 10th
 Saturday, February 17th
 Saturday, February 24th
 Saturday, March 3rd
 Saturday, March 10th (Final session and Closing Ceremony)

Camp Hours (January 27- March 10): 9:30 am – 12:30 pm 7th, 8th and 9th graders
 9:00 am – 12:45 pm 10th, 11th, 12th graders
 8:30 am - 9:20 am Breakfast and Games for all participants

Registration and Orientation (January 20th): 11:00 am – 12:30 pm

**Missing more than one Saturday session may result in dismissal for remaining sessions.*

How to Apply:

Links to online and paper applications are available on the Math Corps website, www.mathcorpsCLE.org.

Completed paper applications can be mailed to: The Math Corps at CWRU Super Saturdays Program
 Attn: Francisca Richter
 Center on Urban Poverty and Community Development
 Room 205
 Case Western Reserve University
 11402 Bellflower Rd
 Cleveland, OH 44106

IMPORTANT: Students need to submit a copy of their most recent report card with their application. If submitting electronically, screenshots or pictures are acceptable, but **MUST** include the student's name, current classes with grades, and GPA.

Application Deadline:

Applications will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on **Friday, December 8th** or until all spots are filled. Selected students will be notified by **Friday, December 15th**.

Information:

For additional information or questions, please contact Dr. Richter at (216) 368-8686 or math.corps.csu@gmail.com. Program information is also available on our website, www.mathcorpsCLE.org.

THE MATH CORPS CLEVELAND

POLICIES AND EXPECTATIONS

The Math Corps Cleveland stands on the belief that all children have a unique and special greatness within them, and that through hard work and the support of a caring family or community – that greatness can be realized.

In keeping with the Math Corps' determination to help each and every one of its students find his or her own greatness, we ask that the following policies and expectations be observed:

1. **All students are expected to attend the program every day, in accordance with the program schedule.** An absence caused by illness, family emergency, or other unforeseen and unavoidable event may be excused, if prompt notification of the circumstances is given to the Program Coordinator. The Program Coordinator has sole authority for deciding whether any absence should be excused or not. Family vacations, reunions, and other similar outings conflict with the program's goals, and so will not be seen as reasons to excuse an absence. **Any unexcused absence is grounds for dismissal.**
2. **All students must be on time every day.** An incident of lateness caused by an unforeseen and unavoidable event may be excused, if prompt notification of the circumstances is given to the Program Coordinator. The Program Coordinator has sole authority for deciding whether any lateness should be excused or not. **Any unexcused lateness is grounds for dismissal.**
3. **All homework assignments are expected to be completed and turned in on time. Failure to complete assignments as required is grounds for dismissal.**
4. **All participants are to treat each other with respect and courtesy and are to maintain proper behavior at all times, consistent with being part of a university program. Behavior that fails to meet the standards of the Math Corps is grounds for dismissal.**

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**2018 APPLICATION
HIGH SCHOOL TEACHING ASSISTANTS**

STUDENT INFORMATION:

1. Name: _____

2. Date of Birth: _____ 3. Gender: _____

4. Ethnicity (optional): _____

5. Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

(In Items 6 and 7, please provide us with the ***best contact information*** to reach you.)

6. Phone : _____ Home Cell Other _____

7. Email: _____

8. Have you participated in the Math Corps in the past? Yes No

If yes, which programs? Summer Camp 2015 2016 Super Saturdays
(Check all that apply.) Summer Camp 2016 2017 Super Saturdays
 Summer Camp 2017

9. Grade you are **currently** in: 10th 11th 12th

10. Name of school you currently attend: _____

11. Name of math teacher: _____

12. Awards, honors, or participation in special programs: _____

13. Tutoring experience: _____

14. Please list any relatives applying to the program: _____

15. **For new applicants: Write an essay of at least 100 words** on why you would like to work for and study in the Math Corps at CWRU Super Saturdays Program and why you think you should be chosen. (Attach a separate sheet of paper.)

For returning applicants: Write an essay of at least 100 words on how your experiences as a TA have impacted you and influenced your decision to reapply. (Attach a separate sheet of paper.)

16. **Attach a copy of your most recent report card.**

A) Current G.P.A.: _____ B) Current Math Grade: _____

NOTE: If your math grade(s) is below a "B-", you must include a letter of recommendation from a teacher, administrator, or counselor with your application.

17. **Student Consent:** By signing my name below, I certify that I am committed to participating in the Math Corps Cleveland at CWRU Super Saturdays Program.

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Date Received: _____

Complete? Yes No

Incomplete Item Numbers:

Eligible? Yes No

Type: R-TA R-ST NEW

REAPP: MO WL R

Database _____

Initials/Date

Signature of Student

Date

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION:

18. Contact Information:

A) Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone (1): _____ Phone (2): _____
 Home Work Cell Other Home Work Cell Other

E-mail: _____

B) Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone (1): _____ Phone (2): _____
 Home Work Cell Other Home Work Cell Other

E-Mail: _____

19. List two people to contact if Parent/Guardian is unavailable:

A) Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone (1): _____ Phone (2): _____
 Home Work Cell Other Home Work Cell Other

B) Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone (1): _____ Phone (2): _____
 Home Work Cell Other Home Work Cell Other

20. Parent/Guardian's Consent:

As the Parent/Guardian of the above-mentioned student, I certify that my child has my permission to participate in the Math Corps Cleveland at CWRU Super Saturdays Program.

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print)

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

***Please list any conflicts you may have on the Saturdays from January 20th – March 10th:**

CHECKLIST

- Fully completed application
- Recommendation, if needed (see #12)
- Essay
- Copy of most recent report card

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