



TULANE UNIVERSITY EMERGING SCHOLARS ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SCIENCES ACADEMY



ADMISSION POLICY AND PROCEDURES—SUMMER 2018

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Admission Criteria:

Students must:

- Be an 11th or 12th grade high school student (2017-18 school year)
- Attend a public/charter / magnet high school in Orleans, Jefferson, Plaquemines, or St. Bernard Parishes.
- Show an interest and ability in science through coursework, activities, clubs, volunteer work, employment, etc.
- Commit to an 8 week full-time summer experience—Monday through Friday, 9:00 to 3:00 (field trip days may start early and end late)
- Have a grade point average of 3.0 (B) to 4.0 (A) or above (Semester/Overall GPA and weighted GPA reviewed)
- Have completed biology I and chemistry I courses by end of 2017/18 school year.

Admission Process/Procedures: - Application deadline: Friday, March 9, 2018 by 5:00 pm.

1. Applicants receive a status email confirming receipt of their application as follows—

- (a) complete and under review
- (b) incomplete – noting missing documents to be received on/before application deadline
- **Please note: incomplete applications will not be reviewed by the admission committee.**

2. Applicants will be notified in mid-March, 2018 of their admission review status as follows—

- (a) non-acceptance (b) waitlist (c) finalists invited for interview

3. Finalists invited for interviews will receive the following—

- (a) a finalist interview schedule—offering three interview options with dates and times
- (b) Finalist replies to email—ranks the interview dates and times as 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice dates/times they are available to participate in a face-to-face interview.
- **Please note: All finalists are required to participate in a face to face interview in order to be considered for acceptance. The admissions committee makes every effort to give finalists their first choice interview time, but this is not guaranteed.**

4. Finalists receive an admission decision via email as follows—

- (1) finalist waitlist
- (2) finalist acceptance to the Academy w/information and authorization packet attached

Please note: Primary mode of communication will be email. Please make certain email address/contact information is correct and clearly written on the application. If you do not receive an email confirming receipt of application/Admission status– call—504-988-0961 or emergingscholars@wave.tulane.edu.

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