

# HIGH SCHOOL ONLINE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

**July 7 - July 16, 2021** 

The High School Online Leadership Academy (HOLA) is a summer program sponsored by the New York State Migrant Education Program (NYS-MEP). It provides eligible migrant students with the opportunity to learn about college, work possibilities, leadership qualities, and successful life strategies as they work towards graduating high school.

Students explore various life skills, learn about leveraging their individual strengths, and create a long-term plan to work on areas of personal growth that reflects their passions and interests.



#### Why Participate?

#### Instruction

Take the opportunity to experience classes led by college professors and learn alongside other migrant students in a supportive environment.

#### Leadership

Understand and develop leadership skills, and engage in activities to explore your potential.

#### Mentorship

Build relationships and receive one-onone support from bilingual staff in small learning groups.

#### **Flexibility**

Plan your class schedule around your daily commitments, and choose the times that work best for you.



## **Program Information**

The High School Online Leadership Academy (HOLA) is sponsored by the NYS Migrant Education Program (NYS-MEP), which provides instructional and support services to migrant eligible students.

HOLA is an eight-day, virtual summer program, hosted on Zoom and using Google Classroom as the platform for classwork and assignments.

## What to Expect

- Chromebooks and hotspots are provided for students to use during HOLA for participation
- Instruction from certified educators
- Exciting activities and meaningful leadership workshops
- One-on-one support from counselors and staff
- Your own welcome package
- Opportunities to connect with peers from across New York State

# Who Can Apply?

- Currently eligible migrant high school students, entering grades 9-12.
- Students able to actively commit to eight days of academic activities with 3-5 hours of work per day



NYS-MEP high school students are eligible to participate in HOLA. This is a value of over **\$2000** per student!

The New York State Migrant Education Program believes in each student and invests in them, knowing that HOLA is a great jumpstart to students' futures. Don't miss this opportunity!

# **Explore YOUR Future!**

**Parents:** Your child will have the chance to experience quality instruction with high levels of support, free of charge.

Students: During our 8-day program, you will learn new skills that you can use in your daily life! Additionally, you will explore your own leadership style, as well as ways that you can positively influence your community.

## **Contact us with Questions!**

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# Schedule At-a-Glance

#### **Daily**

(Except Saturday/Sunday)

**Designated Homework Help** times scheduled each day. Join and leave as needed!

**Daily Icebreakers** are just for fun! All students come together for a new activity each day. This is a great way to meet your peers and take a break!

**Small Group Get-Togethers** are dedicated to answering questions, working on group projects, and spending time getting to know each other.

# **Weekly Class Schedule**

(Attendance required)

Wed	Successful Online Learning Tips
Thurs	Skills of Emerging Leaders
Fri	Skills of Emerging Leaders
Sat	Optional Classes
	Choose to attend any or all!
	<ul> <li>Time Management</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Getting a Job</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Financial Literacy</li> </ul>
Sun	Day Off!
Mon	Skills of Emerging Leaders
Tues	SMART Goal Setting
Wed	SMART Goal Setting
Thurs	Presentation Preparation
Fri	Final presentations