



# KOPERNIK OBSERVATORY & SCIENCE CENTER

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**APPLICATION  
SUMMER 2010**

## KOPERNIK TALENT SEARCH

**Please return this application before April 21, 2010. (Later applications will be considered)**

INDICATE BELOW WHICH PROGRAM AND WEEK(S) YOU ARE APPLYING FOR.

INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL BE RETURNED. QUESTIONS CALL: 607-748-3685 or EMAIL: [INFO@KOPERNIK.ORG](mailto:INFO@KOPERNIK.ORG)

<input type="checkbox"/> Link 1 Astronomy (Grades 9-12 in School Year 09/10)	Week 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	and/or	Week 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Link 2 Space Science (Grades 7 & 8 in School Year 09/10)	Week 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	and/or	Week 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Link 3 Earth Science (Grades 5 & 6 in School Year 09/10)	Week 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	or	Week 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Link 4 Junior Astronomers (Grades 3 & 4 in School Year 09/10)	Week 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	or	Week 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Link 5 Young Scientists (Grades 1 & 2 in School Year 09/10)	Week 1 <input type="checkbox"/>	or	Week 2 <input type="checkbox"/>

- Name \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M F Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Ph(wk-mother) \_\_\_\_\_ Ph(wk-father) \_\_\_\_\_
- School \_\_\_\_\_ Principal \_\_\_\_\_ Science Teacher \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
School Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Guidance Counselor(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you anticipate applying for financial assistance? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Aid Form enclosed? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_
- List any other information about your interests, activities and experience in science, math or computers.

5. Have your current math or science teacher fill in the nomination form on the reverse side of this application if you are new to Kopernik Talent Search. (Link 5 applicants do not need to complete nomination form.)

**Items 6 & 7 need to be completed ONLY by Link 1 Astronomy and Link 2 Space Science Institute Applicants**

6. List a summary of high school science and/or math courses taken since 7<sup>th</sup> grade (include current ones)

Science Course Titles	Math Course Titles
_____	_____
_____	_____

- Link 1 and Link 2 applicants please accompany this form with 2-3 paragraphs why you would like to be accepted into Kopernik's Summer Institute, including what qualities you will bring as well as what you expect to receive.
- Student and Parent must sign. \_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature Parent Signature

**Application Check List** (Please check the items that you are enclosing or that you need more information on. Incomplete forms will be returned.)

<input type="checkbox"/> Signed Application Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Nomination Form (if new)	<input type="checkbox"/> Financial Aid (if appropriate)
<input type="checkbox"/> Hold Kopernik Membership	<input type="checkbox"/> Send Membership Info	<input type="checkbox"/> Returning Residential Discount
<input type="checkbox"/> Send Polish Scholarship Info (Available to Middle and High School Students Only)		

**RETURN: Link Summer Science Explorations, Kopernik Observatory, 698 Underwood Rd, Vestal, NY 13850**