

JOHN GLENN COLLEGE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

High School Internship Program

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The John Glenn College of Public Affairs High School Internship Program is a unique public service internship program that allows high school students in the autumn of their senior year to gain first-hand experience within organizations in the public service sector. Students also participate in an introductory Public Affairs class at The Ohio State University as part of the Ohio State Academy. The seminar class reinforces the internship experience while focusing on American democracy and the nature and reason for public service.



Application Requirements

- Seniors from the Columbus area.

HSIP candidates go through a competitive, holistic review considering the following factors:

- Class rank
- ACT/SAT scores
- Involvement/Experience
- Depth of Commitment to Public Service

Application Procedure

Interested students should apply online. Applications must be complete or they will not be considered.

Applicants selected for participation will be sent letters shortly after their acceptance and will be required to attend a program informational meeting in the summer.

Students must meet with their High School counselors to determine if graduation requirements can still be met while participating in the program. Students are also subject to the College Credit Plus (CCP) policies of their school's districts.

Spring Cohort Application Deadlines

Nonpublic School Students: September 1

Public School Students: October 1

Fall Cohort Application Deadlines

Nonpublic School Students: March 1

Public School Students: April 1

Summer Cohort Applications due February 1 for all students

Schedule Breakdown

Academic Seminar

- One evening per week (TBA) — John Glenn College of Public Affairs.
- Internship — 10 hours a week — site to be determined.
- Internship hours vary based on site — typically within normal business hours.

Academic Seminar

- Enroll in CCP and OSU Academy.
- Receive 6 Ohio State credits for internship experience and public policy course.
- Learn how public policy & service impact social issues.
- Complete a research project on a policy problem or issue of your choice.

Internship Placement

- Selected to fit your interests and skills.
- Campaigns, Courts, State Legislature.
- Non-Profit/Advocacy Organizations .
- Local, State, & Federal Government and Agencies.

Contact Information

If you need more information regarding the internship program, please contact the Internship Coordinator, Rory Johnson at johnson.9197@osu.edu.



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