

## 2023 Discover Architecture Student Application Form

Discover Architecture is a career exploration program for NYC high school students, offered by the Center for Architecture and the American Institute of Architects New York. The 2023 program consists of a three-day externship at an architecture office followed by a culminating design workshop at the Center for Architecture. The program will take place during the public school mid-winter break: Tuesday, February 21 to Friday, February 24, from 10 am – 3 pm daily. Students accepted into the program will spend Tuesday through Thursday at a local architecture firm gaining valuable, first-hand experience with the work of practicing architects, then have a chance to test out their own design ideas at a hands-on workshop and concluding event at the Center for Architecture on Friday February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

Eligible students must be in their sophomore or junior year of high school in New York City. We are looking for students who are interested in and would most benefit from this opportunity. While no prior experience is necessary, an interest in architecture or art is a plus.

**Student Eligibility:** New York City high school sophomores and juniors

**Program Dates:** February 21 – 24, 2023, 10 am – 3 pm daily (public school mid-winter break)

**Application Deadline:** January 9, 2023

**Acceptance Notification:** week of January 23, 2023

### How to Apply:

Complete the application form on the next page and submit that along with a Statement of Interest explaining why you would like to attend this program and how it would be beneficial for you (250 words maximum, single-spaced, typed, and saved as a PDF).

You may also submit the optional application items below:

- *optional:* Portfolio containing digital reproductions of 1 to 4 original artwork samples such as drawings, sketches, photographs, or 3-dimensional work. All images should be 8 ½" x 11" and saved into a single PDF document.
- *optional:* Personal reference from teacher, guidance counselor, or school administrator. This may be submitted separately from your application by email to [discoverarch@centerforarchitecture.org](mailto:discoverarch@centerforarchitecture.org) as a PDF with the email subject line: **Reference for your full name, school name**. The reference must provide their name, title, and organizational affiliation.

**All application materials must be submitted by email to [discoverarch@centerforarchitecture.org](mailto:discoverarch@centerforarchitecture.org) by 11:59 pm on Monday, January 9<sup>th</sup>.**

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### Student Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ cell \_\_\_\_\_ home \_\_\_\_\_

Current Hight School: \_\_\_\_\_

I am currently in my: \_\_\_\_\_ sophomore year \_\_\_\_\_ junior year

If accepted into the Discover Architecture program, I agree to abide by the following:

- I will attend all days of the program. If I cannot attend or will be late I will notify the team leader in advance.
- I will follow guidelines and direction as set forth by my host architecture firm.
- I will not use my phone, social media, or text during the program hours except during breaks, lunch, or emergencies.
- I will dress appropriately for the location or circumstances.
- I will follow safety rules provided by my team leader for any visits to construction sites.
- I will interact in a respectful manner with other program participants, architecture firm staff, clients, consultants, and contractors.

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Signature of Student Applicant

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Date