



September 30, 2015

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Welcome to Seattle MESA! We're pleased to inform you that your student has been selected to participate in MESA (Math, Engineering, and Science Achievement).

Your child will take home an AIF (Admission Information Form) home to be filled out, signed by the parent/guardian, and returned to the MESA Teacher/Instructor. The information collected in this form will be used to better serve our students and their families by being able to provide resources. We will be tracking students' progress throughout the year, measuring the impact our programs have on each student.

As the parent/guardian, you are the first person our students look up to and we want to partner with you in being able to enhance your child's STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) education. Thus, we acknowledge that your support is of great importance to the success of your child and to our program. Occasionally, we have events for parents and we will let you know through your child's school. Also, we encourage you to ask your child about what they are doing at MESA. Engage in conversations of what they like in STEM and how they might potentially see a career there in their future.

Seattle MESA is housed at the University of Washington's College of the Environment. It is designed to enhance the achievement and potential of students in the areas of math, engineering and science. Our mission is to engage a diverse group of students in STEM activities that connect mathematics and science fundamentals to real world examples of use, provide hand-on experience, and demonstrate a range of professions and career paths that students can chart through college and beyond. This will be accomplished through partnerships with higher education, industry and business, government, community organizations, family, and alumni.

In addition, the MESA program sponsors field trips, hands-on activities, and guest speakers. In all, it is an outstanding opportunity for your student to explore their potential in math, engineering and science, adding experiences above and beyond other courses at their school.

If you have any questions, please call Martha Flores at 206-221-6195 or send an email at [mgfp@uw.edu](mailto:mgfp@uw.edu).

Congratulations and welcome to Seattle MESA!

Sincerely,

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**SEATTLE MESA ADMISSION INFORMATION FORM (AIF)** Please print neatly in ink.  
2015-2016

Class  After School  Tutoring  Summer Math  
 Other Summer Program – Year: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Check**

**Middle School**

**High School**

School: \_\_\_\_\_ District ID \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Information**

*If you have previously submitted a MESA AIF, please complete only the information that has changed.*

Last Name		First Name		Middle Name	
Student ID#	Seattle MESA Entry Year	Date of Birth	Gender		
Ethnicity/Race <i>(Please select all that apply)</i>					
American Indian or Alaska Native		Tribal affiliation: _____			
Asian		Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander			
Black or African American		White			
Hispanic or Latino		Multi-racial			

**Contact Information**

Street Address			
City	State	Zip Code	Email
Phone (Voice)	Phone (Texts)	Preferred Mode of Communication	

**Parent/Guardian Contact Information**

Address Type	Relationship to Student	Same Address as Student?	
Street Address			
City	State	Zip Code	Email
Phone	Highest Education	Employer	Occupation
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Street Address			
City	State	Zip Code	Email
Phone	Highest Education	Employer	Occupation

**Parent/Guardian Consent**

I give my permission:

- For my child to participate in the MESA program;
- For MESA to monitor my child's academic progress through the completion of 12th grade;
- To give my child's name and address to college and employer representatives.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Student \_\_\_\_\_

If your child participates in the MESA program, you consent to having your child's name and photograph in MESA press releases, electronic communications, brochures, displays, websites, funding/program reports, newsletters, and videos.

This information is used by MESA staff for grant writing purposes, scholarship disbursement, and tracking MESA students in college. If you choose not to provide this information, it will not disqualify your child from participation with MESA. This document will remain in effect until revoked in writing.

**Additional Information**

What language(s) spoken at home? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you eligible for free or reduced lunch? Yes  No

Including yourself, how many people live at home? \_\_\_\_\_