

Duke TIP Program

The Duke University Talent Identification Program (Duke TIP) is a non-profit educational organization that is recognized as a leader in identifying and serving the educational needs of academically gifted youth. Through identification, recognition, challenging educational programs, information, advocacy and research, Duke Tip provides resources for gifted students, their parents, educators, and schools for the development of the students' optimal educational potential.

Experts at Duke TIP have worked hard to develop and compile information to help inspire academically talented young people to learn through exciting educational opportunities. Since 1980 over 1.8 million gifted youth have explored the heights of their abilities through Duke TIP's two annual talent searches and the above-level testing experience it offers students. Traditional testing often fails to measure the variation among many gifted students who reach the upper limits of scoring on grade-level exams. By taking advanced above-level tests, gifted students and their families gain a far better understanding of where the student stands in relation to his or her gifted peers and what level of educational challenge is appropriate.

Following are the Talent Searches:

- The 4th and 5th Grade Talent Search
- The 7th Grade Talent Search

Duke TIP hosts a range of Educational Programs for gifted students. These fast paced programs are designed to meet the intellectual and social needs specific to gifted and talented students by offering them the opportunity to learn highly challenging material at a rate suited to their advanced abilities and motivation.

Following are the educational programs offered:

- Summer Studies, Field Studies, and PreCollege – Grades 7-12
- Scholar Weekends – Grades 8-11
- e-Studies – Grades 8-12
- The Independent Learning Program – Grades 4-12

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