

Sisters Rise Up



Westminster College is conducting a project to help increase participation in computing. We are currently accepting applications for this program from female students in Utah who are taking a Computer Programming 2, AP or IB Computer Science course during the 2015-2016 school year.

The program requirements are as follow:

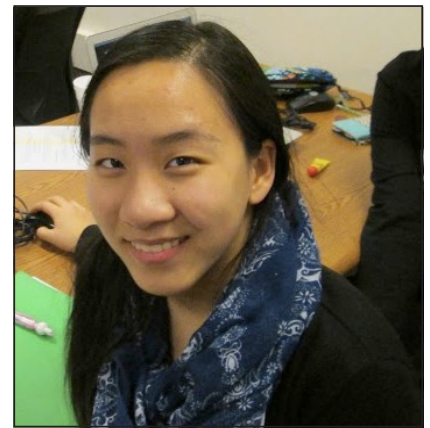
1) The student must attend a required meeting on **Saturday, February 6th** with at least one parent or guardian from **9am - noon on the bottom floor of the Meldrum Science Center at Westminster College** (1840 South 1300 East, Salt Lake City).

2) We encourage the student to attend at least 2 help sessions to help prepare the student to pass the AP CS A exam. A help session will be offered once a month at Westminster College on Saturday afternoons and webinars will be offered twice a week. The in-person help sessions will expose the students to engaging ways to learn Java programming as well as learn about studying Computer Science in college. We will also do practice free response questions and hands-on searching and sorting algorithms. Lunch will be provided at the monthly in-person sessions. To participate in a webinar the student will need access to a computer with an internet connection and a browser.

3) If the student reports her score to the project staff they will be entered into a drawing to win a prize worth \$150-200. The AP CS A exam scores are usually reported to students in July.

4) The student will be asked to complete surveys about her attitudes towards computing, and a pretest that measures the student's computer science knowledge. The student may also be asked to participate in interviews or focus groups as part of the evaluation of this project.

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