

## Sample Weekday Schedule

8:00-8:50	Breakfast
9:00-9:50	<b>Mathematics</b> algebra, trigonometry, pre-calc
10:00-10:50	<b>Physics</b> mechanics, electricity, light, magnetism, astronomy
11:00-11:50	<b>Computer Science</b> C++, BASIC, modelling
12:00-12:50	Lunch
1:00-1:50	<b>Environmental Science</b> ecology, chemistry, social issues
2:00-2:50	<b>Creative Writing</b> poetry, prose, classic and contemporary authors
3:00-3:50	<b>History</b> American history including the civil war and Salem witch trials
4:00-4:50	<b>Creative Arts</b> screen printing, drawing
5:00-6:00	Dinner
6:00-8:00	Group Activities
8:00-10:00	Supervised Study Time
10:00-11:00	Quiet Time
11:00	Lights Out

Students are typically separated as follows:

**Elementary:** 5th & 6th grades

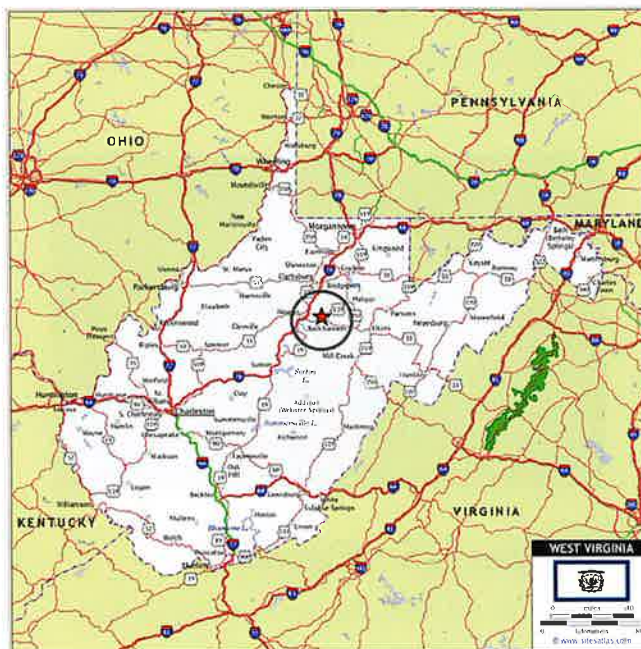
**Intermediate:** 7th & 8th grades

**Advanced:** 9th & 10th grades

**College Prep:** 11th & 12th grades

## Location and Access

West Virginia Wesleyan College is located in Buckhannon in north central West Virginia. Buckhannon is a small town with a population of 5300 people. It is located 12 miles off of I-79 on US Route 33, which is a divided highway.



## Wesleyan Summer Gifted Program Jun 18 - Jul 1, 2023



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*A two-week  
residential summer camp  
for gifted children  
in grades 5-12*



Held on the campus of  
West Virginia Wesleyan College  
in Buckhannon, WV

*Great Minds Think Differently*

## About the Program

Since 1983, the Wesleyan Summer Gifted Program has been committed to fostering the quantitative, verbal, creative, and social development of gifted adolescents in grades five through twelve. Now in our 40th year, we offer fast-paced, accelerated courses taught by college professors who possess a special interest in the education of gifted students.

### Quantitative • Verbal • Social

A major component of our curriculum focuses on integrating mathematics, physics, and computer science. Students perform physics experiments, learn mathematical concepts to solve equations and analyze data, then use computer programming to model real-world problems.

With the goal of increasing verbal skills, we emphasize in-class discussion, oral presentations, and written essays in both the creative writing and history courses.

Students typically excel in this academic setting where they are surrounded by peers with similar talents and abilities.



## Creativity...

### *the ultimate expression of giftedness*

The creative process is stressed directly in our art and writing courses and indirectly by inviting guests from the community to share their art with us. We place a spotlight on student creativity with a talent show on the final evening of the program. Students are encouraged to bring their musical instrument to camp.



## Campus Life • Recreation

The Summer Gifted Program is located on the beautiful, tree-shaded campus of West Virginia Wesleyan College. The campus is arranged such that the dorms, dining hall, classrooms, gym, library, and playing fields are all within a few minute's walk. Our campus setting is ideal for a youngster away from home for the first time.

While not in class, students participate in group activities, sports, or take a walk along the Buckhannon River. The swimming pool is a particular favorite of the students. Buckhannon also hosts a festival that we attend on the middle Friday and while downtown, students enjoy a bit of shopping.

## Eligibility

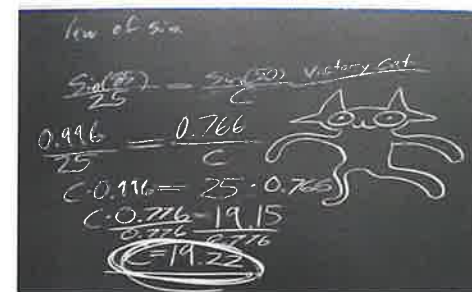
Any gifted student in grades 5-12 are eligible for the Wesleyan Summer Gifted Program. A student who has been tested by his or her school and declared gifted, or who scores at the 97th percentile or above on the verbal or mathematics section of any standardized achievement test, is considered gifted for the purposes of our program. Enrollment in a school gifted program is not a requirement for participation in our program.

## Fees

The tuition is \$1300 for the two-week session. This includes room and board, tuition, all learning materials, and all required activities. This fee entitles the student to use all recreational facilities on campus without further charge, including the swimming pool, playing fields, and gymnasium.

Families who send more than one child will receive a multi-student discount of 10%.

Day camper options are available for local families.



## Online Registration

[www.wvwc.edu/summergifted](http://www.wvwc.edu/summergifted)

A \$200 deposit is required upon enrollment. The deadline for registration is Jun 9, 2023.