



Application Information:

- Students must submit an online application and then get a teacher, counselor, or youth leader to submit a separate recommendation form. Both online forms can be found at www.21stcenturyleaders.org, – click on Student Programs, and then click on Summer Leadership Institutes, then EarthCare.
 - **EarthCare Application:** <https://www.21stcenturyleaders.org/student-programs/student-application-form/>
 - **Recommendation Form:** <https://www.21stcenturyleaders.org/student-programs/recommendation-form/>
- Students who are currently high school freshmen, sophomores and juniors (public, private or homeschool) in the state of Georgia may apply. No prior leadership experience is required, just an interest in developing as a leader!
- **The deadline for applications is March 15, 2022.** Applicants will be notified of their application results by email in early April.
 - Final selections are the responsibility of 21st Century Leaders. Applications and recommendations are reviewed and rated by trained 21st Century Leaders volunteers and corporate professionals.
 - In previous years approximately 2-3 students have applied for every program slot, which makes this a competitive program.
 - 21CL will select 100 diverse students for the 2022 summer institute and make every effort to include students from all areas of Georgia.
- **There is NO cost for students to attend the program.**
- EarthCare 2022 will take place as a residential program on the campus of Georgia College & State University in Milledgeville, GA. Accepted students will need to be dropped off on Sunday, June 12 and picked up on Friday, June 17.
- Information and requests for assistance, contact Director of Programs and Communications, Nicole Meadows at 404-373-7441; nicole@21stcenturyleaders.org