



APPLICATION INFORMATION

RICCE, Inc.'s vision is to find young leaders and invest in their futures. Fiona's House: STEM Leadership Academy will enable young ladies in rural communities to develop educational and social habits needed to compete academically with students from metropolitan areas.

The mission of Fiona's House is to provide young ladies and their families with quality services that will promote, empower and enhance positive self awareness and community building that will afford them the knowledge, confidence and tools necessary to reach their highest potential.

TIME AND LOCATION

Fiona's House: STEM Leadership Academy beginning _____

Fiona's House: 411 West Main Street, Ahoskie, NC 27910

Monday-Friday 3:45p.m.-6p.m.

PROGRAM ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

Students applying for **Fiona's House: STEM Leadership Academy** must participate in the entire daily sessions. Students will not be permitted to arrive at STEM Leadership Academy late or depart early. For our attendance policy, see Statement of Commitment on page 4.

TUITION

- All applicants will be notified about being accepted **by May 1, 201_**. If you are not accepted, you will be placed on a waiting list.
- Tuition for each participant is \$25.00 per month and covers most program costs, a light snack and tutorial fees.
- A \$25.00 deposit to secure your child's space in this program is due on or before **June 1, 201_**.
- The first payment, cash or money order, is due on or before **August 1, 201_**.

Tuition can be paid in full or on a monthly basis and mailed payable to: **RICCE, Inc., Post Office Box 358, Ahoskie, NC 27910.**

REFUND POLICY

- If **YOU** cancel before August 15, 201_, you will receive a \$25.00 refund.
- No credit or refund is available after September 1, **for any reason.**

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Completed application
- Completed Recommendation Form
- Copy of a recent report card
- Signed copy of Fiona's House: STEM Leadership Academy Rules and Expectations



RICCE, Inc.

"Cultivating Minds,
Growing Healthier Communities"

APPLICATION

Applicant Information

Name: _____

Preferred Name (Nickname): _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent Email _____

Parent/Guardian Cell or Work Phone: _____

Age: _____ Birth date: _____ **Gender:** Male Female

Ethnic Origin (Check all that apply): African American Caucasian Latino/Hispanic
 Asian /Pacific Islander Native American Other: _____

School Attending: _____

Grade (Sept. 2013): _____ Type of School (Check one): Private Public Other _____

Have you applied previously to Fiona's House: STEM Leadership Academy? NO YES, IN 20 _____

Have you previously participated in a leadership training program? If yes, which one?

NO, NEVER YES, _____

Current Activities at School

Please list, in order of importance to you, up to three school activities in which you are involved.

Current Community Activities

Please list, in order of importance to you, up to three community activities in which you are involved.

If you haven't had the opportunity to participate in school or community related activities, why?

Time Work Not Interested Financial Reasons Transportation

Are you currently working? _____ If so, where? _____ Hours per week: _____



Please answer the questions below. You may use one additional page if needed.

1. Why are you interested in attending the Fiona's House: STEM Leadership Academy program?

2. What skills would you like to gain?

3. Describe some of your strengths and weaknesses.

4. What do you believe you can contribute to the program?

5. What is one possible area for improvement on which you would like to focus during this program?

6. Who is someone you admire and why?

7. What are some of the most troubling issues/problems that **you** face as a young female today?

8. What are some local – Hertford County – issues that you'd like to learn about?