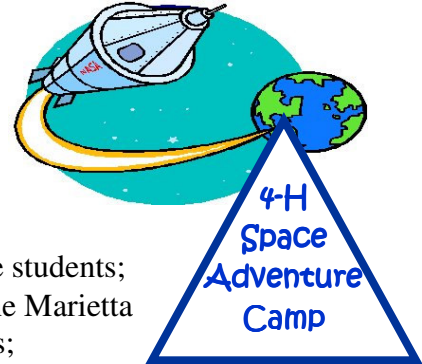




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Dear Teachers of 5th, 6th, or 7th grade students:

Enclosed you will find information about the 2007 4-H Space Adventure Camp, now in its 14th season. Please copy and share with your students.



Here are some of the highlights of this science camp:

- Designed for youth who are currently 5th, 6th, or 7th grade students;
- Provides 36 young people a 3-day experience living on the Marietta College campus, learning directly from college professors;
- Campers are supervised by 10 4-H camp counselors who have completed a minimum of 40 hours of training prior to being selected to work at the camp;
- Round-the-clock adult supervision is provided by four faculty and volunteers from Ohio State University Extension;
- Teaching staff includes five science faculty from Marietta College and several science faculty from Marietta City and Warren Local schools.
- Cost is \$175. Financial aid is available for students who **need** financial assistance.
- Science activities include:
 - Exploring the universe in an inflatable planetarium
 - Flight simulations of airplanes, rockets, shuttles, and lunar landers
 - Flight experimentation with hot air balloons, bottle rockets, and model rockets.
 - Demonstrations of some chemical principles with a Chemistry Magic Show
 - Crater creation experiments with varying mass and volume
 - Problem solving challenges with small group activities.
- Souvenir group pictures, t-shirts, and a memorable closing graduation ceremony.

Please share this information with any youth who you feel may be interested in this. If you have students who would benefit from the camp but the \$175 fee is a major stumbling block, please nominate the students for financial assistance by completing the Student Financial Assistance Nomination form.

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