# **Discovery Western** 2018 G.R.E.A.T. – Grades 4-8







## Welcome to G.R.E.A.T.

We are very excited you have decided to participate in DW's Girls Recognizing Engineering and Technology (G.R.E.A.T.) camping weekend. The purpose of G.R.E.A.T. is to dismantle gender stereotypes and develop more female interest in engineering. This is a unique opportunity for girls to come together and actively participate in design and technology based prokects with female engineering mentor. Below is some important information to help you prepare for your adventure with us. If you have any questions or comments please feel free to contact us at 519-661-2111, ext. 88826 or discover@uwo.ca.

#### **Drop-off and Pick-up Policy**

Drop-off and pick-up will take place at the **Bryson Camp Centre**, located at 531 Windermere Road, London. Direction can be found on our website: <u>www.eng.uwo.ca/dw/great.html</u>. **Drop-off is at Friday August 10<sup>th</sup> at 6pm-7pm and pick-up is on Sunday August 13<sup>th</sup> at 12:30pm-1:00pm.** Parents and/or guardians are required to sign participants in and out each, providing Government issued photo ID at pick-up. Only those indicated on the registration form will be permitted to sign children out.

### What to bring

The most important thing that campers will need to bring is their imagination! There are a few other items however and we've made a check list so you can keep track!

- ✓ Sleeping bag, sleeping mat, and pillow
- ✓ Sunscreen
- ✓ Hat and water bottle
- Running shoes and athletic wear
- ✓ Flashlight
- ✓ Bug spray
- ✓ 2 changes of clothes and pajamas
- $\checkmark$  Sweaters and pants for night time
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- ✓ Lawn chair or folding chair
- ✓ Lots of energy!

#### What not to bring

In order to have a fun and safe learning environment, we are that ou do NOT bring the following items: cell phones, cameras, iPods/iPads, video games, playing/trading cards, matches or lighters, PEANUT/NUT products. We are not responsible for items that are lost, broken or stolen.

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Schedule		
Date	Time	Activities
Friday	6:00pm	Girls Arrive! Don't forget to eat dinner before you arrive as we will only have snacks available that night.
	7:00pm	Settling in and Campfire
	8:00pm	Get to know you games
	9:00pm	S'more fun! S'mores, snacks, campfire stories and songs
	10:00pm	Bedtime
Saturday	8:00am	Wake up & Breakfast
	9:00am	Tie-dye t-shirts
	10:00am	Binary Bracelets and team buttons
	11:00am	Cooking with Chemical Engineering
	12:00pm	Lunch!
	1:00pm	Which direction are your headed? Make your own compass
	2:00pm -6:00pm	Top Secret ENG Activities
	6:00pm	Dinner
	7:00pm	G.R.E.A.T. outdoor adventures!
	8:00pm	S'more fun!! S'mores, snacks, stargazing, campfire games
	10:00pm	Bedtime
Sunday	8:00am	Wake up & Breakfast
	9:00am	Photos, warm fuzzies and T-shirt decorating!
	11:30am	Lunch!
	12:30pm	Pick up and goodbyes

Please note:

If you are unable to attend a particular portion of the weekend please contact us via email or phone.

In case of emergencies please call: 519- 495-3670

You can also follow all the action on Twitter @DW\_Programs

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