Student Frequently Asked Questions

• How will be sessions be held in Fall 2020?

   Due to the current circumstances, the Fall 2020 sessions will be held online. The exact format of the sessions and content is being determined, but we are committed to maintaining the mission to engage, excite and enlighten students about the AEC industry. More information coming soon.

• How will be sessions be held in Spring 2021?

   We have committed to an online program for the fall and are still evaluating for the Spring. The Spring decision will likely not be made until November.

• What is the time commitment?

   The mentor program meets at one of 8 locations across Houston either Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday depending on the location, after school from November to April. See the Calendar tab for exact dates and times for each location.

• What schools/ages participate in the mentorship program?

   The students range from high school freshmen to high school seniors.

• Do I have to go into an architect/ construction/ or engineering field?

   No. Some students are just interested in learning about the different fields, but some decide to go with other majors.

• What are the topics covered in the sessions?

   Topics cover architecture, construction cost estimating, site planning, structural engineering, interior design, civil engineering, MEP engineering. It will vary slightly by location.

• Who can apply to scholarships?

   Scholarships are available for high school seniors who complete the program and submit the scholarship application. Scholarships range from $1000 to $3000. See the calendar for dates regarding deadlines

• What if I don’t have a ride to the location?

   Unfortunately, students are responsible for their own transportation to and from each location. We suggest car pooling, or public transportation for those without their own cars.
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- I signed up on the website, but no one contacted me.

*If you haven’t been contacted by a lead mentor, please email them using the contact information listed on the website.*