

Mathematics & Science for Minority Students

9th-Graders: APPLY NOW for next summer!

Submit your online application at **andover.edu/ms2**.

Deadline: January 15



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A Life-Changing Opportunity for Bright, Motivated Students at Prestigious Phillips Academy

Mathematics & Science for Minority Students—better known as (MS)²—is a three-summer residential program at Phillips Academy in Andover, Massachusetts. It is free of charge to accepted students! Beginning the summer after 9th grade, the five-week STEM program is open to African American, Latine, and Native American students who have a demonstrated financial need. Rigorous yet infused with fun, (MS)² boosts academic proficiency, improves self-confidence, and promotes independence in a safe and supportive environment.

Full Scholarships for All Three Summers

Approximately 35 new 9th-graders are accepted annually. All (MS) 2 students—about 110 each summer—live on campus and attend free of charge. Along with round-trip air transportation, scholarships include housing, meals, textbooks, course materials, weekend activities, and field trips.

Excellent Preparation for College

In addition to math, science, and English, all (MS)² scholars receive personalized guidance to help them prepare for college. In their third summer at (MS)², scholars visit area colleges and universities. Past tours have included visits to Bates, Bowdoin, Brown, Dartmouth, MIT, Northeastern, and Worcester Polytechnic Institute. Even after (MS)² scholars graduate from the program, (MS)² college counselors continue to be available to assist with college and financial aid applications.

Lasting Friendships

(MS)² scholars live, study, play, and socialize with one another—and with Phillips Academy's Summer Session students, who come to campus from across the country and around the world. All students enjoy communal meals in a beautiful dining hall. Afternoon activities provide a physical and social outlet, and mandatory evening study halls facilitate extra instruction and support. At the end of each day, students return to their dorms—and to the care of experienced, adult house counselors—to relax and finish their homework. On weekends, scholars attend special events and go on field trips to area attractions, such as amusement parks, beaches, and historic Boston, with their new friends.

Apply Now!

Some parts of the (MS)² application—such as teacher recommendations, an online math assessment, and financial statements—may take extra time to complete. Students, parents, and guardians are encouraged to visit our website soon to see application components, program dates, eligibility requirements, student testimonials, and more!

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Questions? Call 978-749-4402 or email ms2@andover.edu.

 $(MS)^2$ is a Phillips Acsdemy outreach program.

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