



## 2018-2019 Program Application

### BENEFITS

Our program is designed to help student majoring in the **STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)** fields overcome various academic and financial barriers by providing them with:

- ✓ Paid Summer Programs
- ✓ School Supplies
- ✓ Laptop (leased during enrollment at LCC)
- ✓ Personalized Advising/Transfer Assistance
- ✓ Workforce Workshops (Resume Building, Interview Preparedness)
- ✓ Scholarship/Stipend/Internship Opportunities
- ✓ Paid Undergraduate Research Opportunities

### APPLICATION CHECKLIST

The following must be received by the LEAPS Office located at Memorial Hall, Room #133 before eligibility is considered:

- \_\_\_ Completed LEAPS Application
- \_\_\_ Essay- 300 Words on "My Education and Career Goals."
- \_\_\_ Official High School Final Transcript or GED Certificate (Must have graduation date)
- \_\_\_ Copy of College Transcripts (If applicable)
- \_\_\_ Copy of SAT, ACT, or TSI scores
- \_\_\_ Two Letters of Recommendation (at least half a page, Dated and signed)
- \_\_\_ Copy of Financial Aid Award Letter
- \_\_\_ Have a STEM major on DegreePal

### GOALS

**As a participant in the LEAPS Program, students are given the opportunity to:**

- Participate in activities that develop analytical, research and professional skills
- Participate in educationally enriched activities and field trips
- Participate in Internships
- Receive the appropriate pathway mentoring and advising from faculty and other professionals in the STEM-related fields.
- Priority Class Enrollment for faster graduation/transfer

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be pursuing a degree in the **STEM** fields.
- Have an 80% or 2.5 High School GPA
- Have met all the LCC Entrance Requirements
- Full-time LCC Student in fall 2018
- Complete FAFSA application on file
- Be a US Citizen or Legal Resident

If your major is not listed below please ask an advisor if your major is considered a STEM major.

- Actuarial Science
- Agroecology and Sustainable Agriculture
- Aerospace Engineering
- Agricultural Engineering
- Agriculture
- Architectural Engineering
- Animal Science
- Archeology
- Architecture
- Astronomy
- Biochemistry, Biophysics and Molecular Biology
- Biological and Biomedical Sciences
- Biology
- Biomedical Engineering
- Botany/Plant Biology
- Business Statistics
- Chemical Engineering
- Chemistry
- CIS Media & Web Technology
- CIS Network & Cyber Security
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Graphics
- Computer and Information Sciences
- Computer Programming
- Computer Science
- Computer Software and Media Applications
- Dentistry
- Drafting and Design Technology/Technician
- Electrical Engineering
- Engineering
- Environmental Control Technologies/Technicians
- Environmental Science
- Food Science and Technology
- Forensic Biologist
- Geology
- Horticultural

- Industrial Engineering
- Information Technology
- Mathematics
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronics, Robotics, and Automation Engineering
- Medical Scientist
- Medicine
- Microbiology
- Military Applied Sciences
- Nanotechnology
- Network and System Administration
- Neuroscience
- Nuclear Engineering
- Nursing
- Nutrition
- Occupational Therapist
- Petroleum Engineering
- Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Physical Therapist
- Physics
- Physiology, Pathology and Related Sciences
- Plant Sciences
- Psychopharmacology
- Radiology
- Software Engineering
- Soil Sciences
- Solar Energy Technology
- Statistics
- Systems Engineering
- Water, Wetlands, and Marine Resources Management
- Wildlife, Fish and Wildlands Science and Management
- Urban Forestry
- Veterinary
- Zoology



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1.) LCC PID: <input type="text"/>	Today's Date: <input type="text"/>
2.) Fall 2018 Enrollment Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Full time <input type="checkbox"/> Part time <input type="text"/> credit hours	9.) Date of Birth: <input type="text"/>
3.) Major: <input type="text"/>	10.) Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
4.) First: <input type="text"/>	11.) Are you Hispanic/Latino? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Middle: <input type="text"/>	12.) Citizenship: <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Resident <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign
5.) Last: <input type="text"/>	13.) Will you be applying for Financial Aid? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Suffix: <input type="text"/> (jr., III, etc)	14.) Cell: <input type="text"/> Carrier: <input type="text"/>
6.) High School: <input type="text"/>	15.) Home: <input type="text"/>
7.) High School GPA: <input type="text"/>	16.) Email: <input type="text"/>
8.) College GPA (if applicable): <input type="text"/>	17.) Address: <input type="text"/>
	18.) City <input type="text"/> 19.) State <input type="text"/> 20.) Zip Code <input type="text"/>

Are you College Ready/TSI Complete in all areas? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If not, please indicate areas you are pending to be TSI Complete: <input type="checkbox"/> Reading <input type="checkbox"/> Writing <input type="checkbox"/> Math	
What STEM courses will you be taking fall 2018? <input type="checkbox"/> Science _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Technology _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics _____ <input type="checkbox"/> I will <b>NOT</b> take any of these courses <b>What is your LCC PASPORT Username?</b> _____	Have you applied to LCC? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Transfer Institution: <input type="text"/> Your T-Shirt Size: <input type="text"/>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Required to attend a paid LEAPS summer program at Laredo Community College.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Early Consideration Deadline December 16, 2017</b></p>

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DISCLAIMER

I certify that this information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If my application is accepted, I agree to abide by the policies, rules and regulations of the LEAPS grant. Submission of false information is grounds for rejection of my application and withdrawal of an offer of participation in the LEAPS program. I also give my permission for all information in this form as well as the relevant information in my LCC academic record, including transcript and entrance information, to be available to my LEAPS Academic Advisor for the purpose of reporting to the Department of Education and determine continued eligibility for this program. The LEAPS program may share information with Texas A&M International University (TAMIU), Texas A&M University Kingsville (TAMUK), and University of Texas San Antonio (UTSA) as part of a service that provides LEAPS participants with increased knowledge in transferring procedures. I hereby give Laredo Community College permission and informed consent to use my photograph, my image or voice on videotape, or audio tape for purposes of College promotion and publicity. I fully understand that any photos, video, or audio bearing my image or voice may be published, broadcast, or otherwise reproduced now or in the future for use by the College for publicity purposes, and that LCC will use same in a responsible, ethical manner.

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Date Application Received:  Received By:  Revised: Oct. 2017