



Multi-generational Environmental Science Field Experience (MEFE)

Student Application

Students: Please help us get to know you

1. Your name _____
(First) (Last)

2. Your Address _____
(House # or PO Box) (Street)

(City) (State) (Zip)

Your Phone Number: (H) _____ (C) _____

Your Email address: _____

3. Why do you want to participate in this program?

4. Why do you think that we should choose you to be a participant this summer?

5. Please circle your level of interest/knowledge or ability in relation to the following items: *Please be honest when answering. We choose a mixture of students, not just those with the highest interest.*

1 = no interest 2 = average interest 3= great interest

a) Your interest in science	1	2	3
b) Your interest in nature	1	2	3
c) Your interest in a science career	1	2	3
d) Your knowledge of the scientific method	1	2	3
e) Your interest in camping/being outdoors	1	2	3

6. How did you find out about the program?

7. Your current grade level (2022/2023 school year) _____

8. Your school's name _____

9. (OPTIONAL): Ethnicity/Race

-Are you Hispanic or Latino? (circle one) Yes No

-Regardless of how you answered the first question, how do you identify yourself? (select all that apply)

_____ American Indian or Alaska Native

_____ Asian

_____ Black or African American

_____ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander

_____ White

10. Anything else you would like to share with us about yourself?

Now work with your parent or guardian to fill out the rest of the forms and mail or email them to:

Lake James Environmental Association

PO Box 430

Nebo, NC 28761

info@ljea.org



Agreements

Parent and Student Agreement with LJEA and Montreat College

By checking the following and signing, you agree.

____ I understand that MEFE is an outdoor experience that involves sleeping in a tent, cooking over a fire/cookstove, and hiking on mountain trails.

____ I understand that MEFE is a group experience that involves living, working, and getting along with others who may be very different from me (or my child).

____ I understand that MEFE is a science-related experience that involves studying living and non-living organisms in outdoor habitats, wild ecosystems and natural places.

Parent Signature _____ Print name _____

Student Signature _____ Print name _____

Parent, only Agreement with Lake James Environmental Association and Montreat College

By checking the following and signing, you agree.

____ I understand that the application process is competitive, so there is no guarantee my child will be selected for MEFE.

____ I understand that if my child is accepted into MEFE, there is a medical & risk form that needs to be filled out and signed by a doctor, and submitted to Lake James Environmental Association before the program begins.

____ I understand that transportation to and from Lake James State Park is my responsibility at the start and end of my child's week in the program (if this is a barrier to participating, please let us know and we can work something out).

Parent Signature _____ Print name _____