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## THE HIGH POINT ENTERPRISE

HIGH POINT – High Point University will once again be home to nearly 350 high school seniors from across the state participating in a program for intellectually gifted and talented students.

HPU will be one of two host sites for the Governor's School of North Carolina, a five-week residential education enrichment program sponsored by the N.C. Department of Public Instruction.

HPU will be the host for Governor's School West. Meredith College in Raleigh will host Governor's School East.

Students who attend Governor's School are nominated by their school or school system based on academic performance. Students also must submit an application essay, and arts students must audition.

Students select and attend classes in one discipline – English, math, social science, natural science, art, music or

dance – as well as classes in philosophy and self and society. The program offers student performances, academic presentations, social events, and afternoon and evening seminars on a wide range of current theories and subjects. Guest speakers and performers work with the students.

HPU will house the students beginning Sunday. The program runs through July 24.

HPU first hosted Governor's School West in 2019. The program was paused in 2020 due to the pandemic.

"Governor's School West at HPU continues to be a win-win relationship between a thriving institution and outstanding high school students from across the state," said HPU President Nido Qubein. "This is another opportunity the HPU family has to prepare the next generation for the world as it is going to be."