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Special programs for high school students, actors, travelers, and persons interested in black culture are offered this summer at The Evergreen State College in Olympia.

Registration for the ten-week summer session is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. through June 27. Summer programs vary in length from three and a half to ten weeks, and most begin June 27.

Advanced high school juniors and seniors are invited to enroll in Environmental Decisions: A Case Study of the Timber Industry. The five-week program explores economic and ecological factors which influence environmental decisions. It focuses on the multinational timber industry and requires students to develop skills in ecology, economics, statistics and, to a lesser degree, computer sciences.

Introduction to Evergreen is designed for persons who have not attended college before. It provides a "second chance" to students who are capable of completing college work but didn't fulfill their academic promise in high school. The program assumes Evergreen's individualized approaches to cooperative learning may provide conditions under which students may put their capacities for acquiring a college education to an "alternative test."

Actors may study their art in two summer programs; one conducted in New York City, the other at Evergreen. The New York program, taught by Evergreen Faculty Dancer Bernard Johansen, offers what he calls "a rare opportunity to earn college credit while studying in one of the world's greatest centers of dance and theater." Faculty Member Andre Tsai is instructing the seven-week Summer Repertory Theater, which will produce two plays for eight performances in August. His program welcomes "highly motivated high school students."

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JUDY ANNIS, DIRECTOR Information Services Those longing for a change of scenery may select from a Summer in Mexico, led by Faculty Member Dr. Ronald Woodbury, and Museums and Monuments, an European program conducted by Faculty Member Dr. Gordon Beck, and emphasizing art in France and Italy. Persons interested in travel programs are urged to register early.

The Institute of Western Black Culture, conducted by Evergreen Faculty Members Dr. S. Rudolph Martin, Jr., and Dr. Winifred Ingram, is conceived as a continuing summer program where students of all ethnic groups may come together with black artists, intellectuals and scientists of the West to exchange information, stimulate and demonstrate ideas about blacks. The program provides exciting experiences at a variety of levels on academic and artistic achievement and on community action.

Complete information on all of Evergreen's Summer Quarter programs is available at the Registrar's Office, 866-6180.