NC Renaissance (NCR) seeks to engage participants in an educational four-day experience that exposes them to the many educational opportunities at a four-year university. The program aims to inspire high-achieving scholars to pursue their educational aspirations while developing leadership skills.

NCR participants live on campus; interact with faculty, staff and current students; participate in educational, cultural and social activities; and learn about admissions and college affordability. Additionally, students participate in leadership and team building activities as well as community service.

NC RENAISSANCE 2019
Program Dates: JULY 10-13

**HOW YOU CAN HELP**
APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 15, 2019

There are two ways you can help us reach your students: First, you can directly nominate students. Nominations help us reach more students. However, students can also apply on their own. Second, you can advertise NC Renaissance by posting the attached flyer in your office, adding it to your parent and student newsletters and/or sending it to your parent and student email list. Let your students know UNC-Chapel Hill is actively looking for them!

**HOW TO NOMINATE A STUDENT:**

1. **IDENTIFY**
Select the students you wish to personally nominate to apply to NC Renaissance 2019 (we recommend 10-15 students). Nominations help us reach the best and brightest from your school, but they are not needed to apply. Encourage all students to apply by sharing the flyer. Please nominate students by going to go.unc.edu/nominations and provide the appropriate details.

2. **NOTIFY**
Use the attached editable certificate to notify each of your nominees. The certificate includes all of the information your students need to apply for NC Renaissance. Remember, this is just for those students you are personally nominating—the flyer can be used for large-scale distribution.

3. **FOLLOW UP**
Check in with your nominees before February 11 to ensure that they’ve applied for NC Renaissance.

**THAT’S IT!**
Applicants will hear back from us in April 2019.

**NOMINATION CRITERIA**
NC Renaissance is designed for students who are rising juniors from rural communities in NC. Students should be academically motivated and be enrolled in a curriculum that includes AP course(s) if available, foreign language and advanced mathematics. Rural counties are designated as Tier 1 or Tier 2 by the NC Department of Commerce.

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