**Open Dreams Summer Academy 2019 Application**Thank you for your interest in Open Dreams! Each summer we host an amazing and very intensive **Open Dreams Summer Academy in Bamenda, Cameroon**for high-achieving low-income Cameroonian students and this year **Yaounde, Cameroon** has been added. For three months, students study Math, English, Computer Programming, the Internet, International Education, Entrepreneurial Leadership and much more including taking part in very exciting extra-curricular activities and Community Service Learning (hands-on). Numerous Skype sessions are held with international Education experts to enhance the global experience. Students take College Preparatory Tests (SAT, TOEFL, Duolingo etc) weekly! The top-performing and committed students at the end of the program are then retained as Open Dreams Scholars and paired with **Mentors** to guide the student through the application processes for I**nternational Scholarships to top Universities Worldwide**!  Read more about some of our incredible scholars and where they are now, at the bottom of this page and the website.  
  
*Are you a passionate, dedicated, and high-achieving Cameroonian student in lower-Sixth or nearly finished your high school studies??? Are you also a holder of the GCE Advanced Level Certificate not earlier than 2017 with a minimum score of 22 points and interested in studying abroad?*  *Are you very ambitions and eager to make a difference in the community?*Then  APPLY NOW!  
  
Applications close on **June 20th, 2019 at midnight**. The program will run from **July 3rd to August 30th 2019 in Bamenda and Yaounde concurrently.**Further information will be communicated to short-listed applicants.

* **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS & APPLICATION CHECKLIST:**
* Students should be currently in high school, recent high school graduates or aspring graduate school students.
* Students should have high grades or be at or the near top of their class, scoring at least 22 points at the GCE Advanced Level if the results are already available.
* Students should seek institutional endorsement from their high schools. A form will need to signed by the Principal, Vice Principal, or Counselor.
* Students should be very interested in pursuing a degree program abroad - either in another country in Africa or in the USA, Europe or Canada.
* Students should have a strong passion for helping their community and demonstrated leadership experience - we are looking for the future leaders of Cameroon!
* **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**: In addition to the application form here, please also submit via email the following documents to [info@open-dreams.org](mailto:info@open-dreams.org):

1. High school transcript
2. Ordinary Level Certificate and Advanced Level  Certificate, if applicable.
3. Two recommendation letters: Each student who wishes to apply will seek one recommendation letter from a teacher attesting to his/her academic aptitude and character. A second recommendation letter will be in the form of an institutional endorsement from the student's high school. You may request the institutional Endorsement Form and an Open Dreams template for the Letter of Recommendation by sending a mail to info@open-dreams.org
4. There will be an interview component. Pre-selected students will be invited for an interview at the Open Dreams Education Hub at Mile 2, Nkwen, Bamenda and NextGen Tech Nsimeyong, Yaounde. If students do not live in Bamenda or Yaounde and cannot travel to the Hub, we will make accommodations via phone or Skype on a case-by-case basis.
5. A recent passport-size photograph to be included in your profile.
6. Any other certificate or testimonial of your accomplishments in leadership.

*For all other inquiries, send an email to*[*info@open-dreams.org*](mailto:info@open-dreams.org)*. You may also contact any member of the team****on whatsapp****on the following numbers: +237 670688062, +447842354900, +237 675044665, +237 676435243, +237 673289938, +237 682781214, +12408985814.****We shall only consider complete applications and no applications shall be received after the deadline.*** *This program is only for prospective undergrad students, directly from high school. If you already have an Undergraduate Degree or a Masters Degree with an excellent GPA and you are a trail-blazer in your community in terms of service, contact us at*[*info@open-dreams.org*](mailto:info@open-dreams.org)*for discussion on some options you might be interested in.*