



ARTEMIS

A Science-based Mentoring Program for Girls

Artemis is a college preparatory mentoring program designed to increase the number of high school girls exposed to STEM fields.

Working with a Whittier College faculty member and mentored by female college students studying science and math, high school girls are encouraged to explore science related fields.

Artemis currently serves young women attending high school in the Whittier Union High School District. Of the graduating class of 2015 who participated in Artemis, all of them were accepted to four-year colleges. Some of the universities the students will be attending in the fall include: University of California, Los Angeles, University of California, Irvine, and Barnard College.

PROGRAM GOALS:

- Expose young women to college-level scientific methods of inquiry
- Encourage young women to apply to post-secondary institutions in science-related fields
- Provide mentoring experiences with Whittier College students

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