In partnership with Science-U, the AAUW State College Branch has created a scholarship opportunity for motivated girls with a sincere and strong interest in science, technology, engineering, and/or mathematics (STEM) to attend a week-long summer science day camp at Penn State.

**2016 AAUW State College Branch**

**STEM Scholarships for Girls in the Centre Region**

**Who is eligible:** Girls entering 6th through 12th grade in the Fall of 2016 who reside in or attend a school district within Centre County

**Selection Criteria:**
- Sincere interest in Science, Technology, Engineering, and/or Math (STEM)
- Demonstration of a positive attitude and strength of character

**How to Apply:**

1. With a parent/guardian, go to the Science-U website (www.sciencecamps.psu.edu) and complete the online registration form for the camp of your choice. (Note: Registration opens after December 1, 2015.)
   a. Indicate your intention to apply for a scholarship from the AAUW State College Branch.
   b. Payment will not be required, but you will be asked to disclose your basic financial information.
   c. If the camp of your choice is full, select “add to wait list”.

2. Write a 1-page essay (with applicant’s name at the top) that includes the following:
   a. What area of science, technology, engineering, or mathematics interests you the most and why?
   b. Which Science-U camp did you choose and how do you think attending this camp will benefit you?
   c. If selected, how could you use this experience to encourage others to be interested in STEM?

3. Ask a teacher from a previous or current science, mathematics, engineering, or technology (STEM) class to complete the Teacher Recommendation Form.
   Forms are available at: www.sciencecamps.psu.edu/registration/aauw-scholarship

**Submit all materials via one of the following:**

- **Mail:** Science-U Summer Camp Program
  AAUW State College Branch STEM Scholarship Committee
  234 Ritenour Building
  University Park, PA 16802

- **Fax:** (814) 865-0096

- **Email:** sciencecamps@science.psu.edu

**All materials are due by February 28, 2016.**

Scholarship applications will be reviewed by the AAUW State College Branch STEM Committee. **Applicants will be notified by March 30, 2016.**

For paper registration forms, questions, or more info, contact the Science-U office at:
(814) 865-0083 or sciencecamps@science.psu.edu

STEM Scholarship info can be accessed through the AAUW-SCB website: www.aauwstatecollege.org/stem.html