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• Go behind the scenes on exciting field trips around the Twin Cities to places like an airport, transit facility, and maintenance facility
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Applicants must:

• Be in grades 7–9 (as of 2017–2018 school year)
• Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 on a 4.0 scale
• Have completed or be qualified to enroll in pre-algebra
• Have an interest in engineering, science, transportation, or technology-related careers

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