The LU-RISE program was to help STEM and non-STEM students get acclimated to the college life, earn 8 credits, make connections with their peers and adults, and more. 62 incoming Lincoln University freshman participated in this program, 22 STEM students and 40 non-STEM students. The STEM students took two math classes, and the non-STEM students took one math class and one English class. Over the 5 weeks, the students went on three field trips, attended a lot of sessions, participated in College Success, used the resources in the Lincubator as well as met entrepreneurs and interacted with them, participated in a lot of different activities, went to study halls led by their peer mentors, and more.
College Success

Students wrote letters to their future FYE professors. Learned the importance of advising and establishing rapport with professors. Did scavenger hunts around campus and learned what each building is for as well as the history behind the building. Talked about what it takes to be successful. Also professors from the Nursing Department and Biology department talked to students interested in those fields. During the last week of the program the students met with advisors in order to make their schedule.

Lincubator

Students made up their own business ideas (real and fake), made songs, 3-d printed containers, participated in workshops, and learned about what the Lincubator offers.
FIELD TRIPS . . .

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HARRIET TUBMAN UNDERGROUND RAILROAD VISITOR CENTER

LONGWOOD GARDENS
WE HAD . . .

an intense kickball game
sister circle brother circle
a water fight FUN Math Circles
a lot of uno games a lot of pool games
meetings with department heads

AND MORE . . .

SHOUTOUT TO MR. HARRIS FOR HAVING INFORMATIVE SESSIONS AND FOR TAKING US ON FOOD RUNS!
WHY DID YOU ENJOY YOUR EXPERIENCE AT LU-RISE?

“I enjoyed my experience at the LU Rise program, because I was able to make connections with adults and my fellow peers and I also was able to get opportunities that would be beneficial to me.”

“I enjoyed my experience at the LU Rise program, because it was a good chance to get a feel for college before I actually started.”

“I enjoyed my experience at the LU Rise program, because of the friends that I made.”

“I enjoyed my experience at the LU Rise program, because I was able to get a head start on credits while also having fun.”
BIG THANKS TO . . .

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OUR MATH AND ENGLISH PROFESSORS
ENGLISH PROFESSORS NOT PICTURED

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