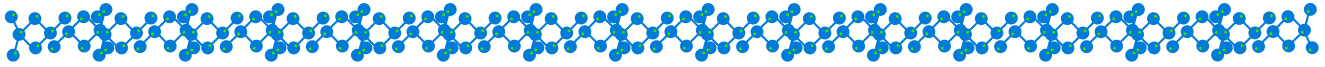


Announcement

The TWIST (Teachers Working in Science and Technology) Program is now accepting applications for Summer 2013!



Each year 3M invites local teachers to participate in the 3M TWIST program (Teachers Working in Science and Technology) offered in collaboration with the Minnesota High Technology Foundation. This program provides a six week industrial science experience for Grades 7-12 Science, Math, Tech Ed., and Industrial Arts teachers under the supervision of a 3M scientist. Semi-weekly lunch sessions focus on a variety of topics including intellectual property and product development, and include tours of pilot plants and research facilities.

This opportunity offers a \$4000 stipend to the participating teachers as well as an opportunity to earn up to 4 graduate level semester credits through St. Mary's University. A brochure describing the TWIST program may be found on the 3M website (http://solutions.3m.com/wps/portal/3M/en_US/CommunityAffairs/CommunityGiving/US/SciencePlus/Teachers/TWIST/). Included with this announcement is an application form to be returned to the 3M TWIST committee.

There are 32 positions available. Most teachers will be placed in research and development laboratories at 3M's corporate headquarters. However some positions may be at other 3M research facilities in Oakdale, Eagan, or Cottage Grove, Minnesota. A limited number of positions are available at 3M manufacturing plants throughout the United States. Teachers selected to participate will receive notice in early March.

Please contact the 3M TWIST committee if you have any questions.

Email: TWIST@mmm.com

Program Dates: 17 June – 26 July 2013

Location: St. Paul, Minnesota

Application deadline: 18 January 2013

Note: Email is the primary method of communication between applicants and 3M's TWIST Program. Be sure to provide a valid email address and check the account at least weekly!