EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER YOUR CAMP.
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Camp Directors, Staff, and Instructors — THIS HANDBOOK WILL HELP YOU PLAN your summer manufacturing camp. Please read through the materials carefully. Contact the NBT Foundation office at foundation@fmamfg.org or 888-394-4362 with any questions.

Camp Objectives, Learning Activities, and Desired Outcomes:

- To introduce students to the world of manufacturing through hands-on projects made in real “shop” facilities, presentations by industry professionals regarding careers and training, and site visits to manufacturing facilities.
- To introduce students to basic entrepreneurial concepts and skills.

Approximately 80% of contact time should be spent on manufacturing skills, processes, projects, and facility tours while 20% of contact time should be spent on the introduction of entrepreneurial concepts and skills. Some of the entrepreneurial content can effectively be delivered by guest presenters during plant tours or at the camp location, as well as during evaluations of the projects built by students. Several entrepreneurship lessons contained in the camp materials have been designed as homework so students can get their parents and family involved.

Expected learning activities:
1. Students are guided through a basic shop safety lesson and taught how to practice shop safety based on the safety manual provided to camp hosts.

2. Students learn basic computerized product design using CAD software (student licenses of SolidWorks® will be provided by NBT if requested by the camp).

3. Students manufacture a product — start to finish — using manufacturing equipment, hand tools, and other appropriate aids.

4. Students explore and gain a basic understanding of the challenge of an inventor / entrepreneur in taking a product from idea to business. Lessons are provided in the curriculum on topics such as new product creation, pricing, marketing / advertising, etc.

5. Students learn about the types of manufacturing jobs available in the local community through tours of local manufacturing companies, presentations and mentoring by local manufacturing professionals, and other appropriate activities.

6. Students learn about the teamwork required in an effective manufacturing work environment.

7. Students gain an understanding of the kinds of academic and technical training they will need (in high school and beyond) to prepare themselves for future manufacturing careers.
Preparation and Responsibilities Before, During, and After Camp

PRIOR TO CAMP:
1. Camp hosts will receive their initial grant installment (75% of the total grant award) in February.
2. Camp instructors must determine an appropriate project for the campers to make and take home. A list of product ideas successfully completed in previous camps is provided on page 5.
3. The camp host school/organization is responsible for all camp marketing/promotions to their local community and for registering all camp participants. NBT will provide customizable marketing materials to each host that can be utilized for camp promotions. In addition, each camp will be posted on the NBT website and promoted through NBT media channels.
4. Camp staff should arrange to purchase or obtain donated materials needed to complete the manufacturing project.
5. If the camp does not already have the capacity to allow students to work with CAD software, NBT will provide student-version SolidWorks CAD design software licenses for all camp participants. These 365-day licenses are generously donated by SolidWorks. Donated software can be installed on students’ personal computers only. Schools that have purchased SolidWorks through a reseller can download the trial student version software for use during the NBT camp.
6. Camp staff should prepare shop equipment, hand tools, and other elements of the work area to facilitate smooth and efficient movement by students from one phase of the product manufacturing process to another.
7. Camp staff should schedule visits to local manufacturers and confirm guest speakers.
8. Ideally, camp staff will request financial support from local manufacturers, community organizations, economic development groups, and other local agencies and businesses to supplement the grant provided by NBT and the registration fees collected from students.

DURING THE CAMP:
1. On or before the first day of camp, staff must obtain signed NBT photo release forms for each participant from parents/guardians. (A sample photo release form is provided on page 11.)
2. On the first day of camp, participants will take the pre-camp survey online. NBT will provide each camp host with the survey link in advance of the camp start date. (A sample pre-camp survey is provided on page 6.)
3. Staff should document camp activities in photos which will be shared with NBT for inclusion on the foundation’s website, in magazines published by the Fabricators and Manufacturers Association (FMA), through NBT’s social media, and in promotional and fundraising materials produced by NBT. Your best 10 to 20 camp photos should be shared with NBT.
4. Staff should also consider recording some of the camp activities to create a promotional video that can be shared on Facebook and YouTube. Videos can also be great tools for recruiting future camp participants. Examples of camp videos can be found at nbtfoundation.org/camps.
5. On the last day of camp, participants will take the post-camp survey online. NBT will provide each camp host with the survey link in advance of the camp start date. (A sample post-camp survey is provided on page 7.)
AFTER CAMP HAS ENDED (within 30 days of the final day of camp):

1. The director or camp staff will complete the online evaluation survey and submit a complete financial report to NBT in order to receive the second grant installment (25% of the total grant award). NBT will provide each camp host with the evaluation survey link and financial report template in advance of the camp start date.

2. Within the online evaluation survey, camps will be asked to provide NBT with contact information for local supporters, manufacturers, entrepreneurs, speakers, tour locations, and donors. (A sample final evaluation report is provided on pages 8-10.)

3. Submit your best 10 to 20 camp photos and video files to NBT. Full instructions for uploading your photos and videos will be provided prior to your camp.

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Previous Camp Manufacturing Projects and Ideas

Following are projects that were constructed in past camps:

- Electric guitar
- Key chains
- Dice and chess pieces
- Windmill
- Soda can airplane
- Bridge
- Rube Goldberg machine
- Metal dinosaur
- Metal chair
- Ball-drop game
- Picture frames
- Outdoor fire pit
- Personal electronic device holder (cell phone, iPod)
- Single hole paper punch
- Outdoor grill
- Wood candle holder
- Metal candle holder
- Rose flower
- Storage box
- Star
- Plant holder
- Radio-controlled car
- Lawn ornament
- Aluminum accent lamp
- Dog tags as jewelry, luggage, or pet ID tags
- Hovercraft
- Machined game
- Brass ink pen
- Mill-spec dominos
- Tool box
- Bottle opener
- Metal table
- Children's swing
- Functional metal art objects
- Pliers
- Wrought-iron end table
- Horseshoe coat hook
- Trivet / hot plate
- Small decorative welded project
- Mailbox
- Metal organizer for electronics
- Finger rings
- Aluminum engraved desk plate
- Accent lamp
- Welded artwork
- Robot
- Hammer
- Thermoformed plastic projects: bottles, cup holders
- Functional metal art for placement in community
- Power tool dragster
- Model-size motorcycle
- Wind turbine
- Clock
- RF Controlled robotic vehicle
- Remote controlled mini forklift
SAMPLE: Pre-Camp Survey

This survey should be completed by all camp participants on the FIRST DAY of camp.

These are examples only and do not include all survey questions. A link will be provided by NBT for the camp host to administer the survey to students online on the first day of camp.
SAMPLE: Post-Camp Survey

This survey should be completed by all camp participants on the LAST DAY of camp

These are examples only and do not include all survey questions. A link will be provided by NBT for the camp host to administer the survey to students online on the last day of camp.

Within 30 days of the last day of camp, directors must complete the online evaluation survey and provide a financial report to NBT in order to receive the second installment of the camp grant funding.

These are examples only and do not include all survey questions. A link to the online report will be provided to the camp director prior to the camp start date.
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### Section 7: Financial Report

#### REVENUES

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**Total Revenues (from above)** $ 0

**Total Expenses (from above, please leave the "-" (negative sign) prior to the number you enter as this will automatically be subtracted from the Total Revenue)** $ -

**Total** $ 0

I verify that the financial figures entered above are accurate to the best of my knowledge.
In connection with my or my child’s participation in this Summer Manufacturing Camp, I hereby authorize the Fabricators and Manufacturers Association® (FMA), Nuts, Bolts & Thingamajigs® (NBT), its partners The Association for Packaging and Processing Technologies (PMMI) and Chemical Coaters Association International Finishing Education Foundation (CCAI FEF), its national sponsor Nestlé USA, its other supporters, their affiliates, successors and assigns (collectively the “Companies”), the right to take, record, utilize, and/or publish (i) photographic, digital, or video images of myself and/or the minor child or children listed below; (ii) our names and likenesses; (iii) artwork produced by my child during the camp; and (iv) comments submitted as a result of my child’s camp experiences (collectively the “Images and Statements”) for use in the Companies’ print, online and video-based marketing materials, as well as the authorized publications listed below and for all lawful purposes (including but not limited to advertising, marketing, trade or any commercial purposes) in all forms and media now existing or hereinafter devised, developed or created, throughout the world and in perpetuity. I waive the right to inspect or approve versions of the Images and Statements used by the Companies pursuant to this release agreement.

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I have read and understood this release agreement. I attest that I am the participant or the parent or legal guardian of the child or children listed below and that I have full authority to consent and authorize the Companies to use the Images and Statements.

Camp Name __________________________________________________________________________________________

Camp Location ____________________________________________________________________ Date _________________

Participant Name(s) _____________________________________________________________________________________

Parent / Guardian Signature (if participant is a minor) ________________________________________________________________

Print Parent / Guardian Name (if participant is a minor) ________________________________________________________________