

DAILY NEWS EXPERIENCE

**RETURN
APPLICATION
FORM TO:**

**JOURNALISM WORKSHOPS
DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM
BALL STATE UNIVERSITY
MUNCIE, IN 47306
FAX: 765.285.7997**

NAME		CELL PH.		E-MAIL (STUDENT)		SEX
ADDRESS			CITY		STATE	ZIP
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME		HOME PHONE		CELL PHONE (PARENT)		E-MAIL (PARENT)
SCHOOL		SCHOOL ADDRESS			CITY	STATE ZIP
ADVISER NAME		ADVISER HOME PHONE			ADVISER E-MAIL	
DATE OF BIRTH	T-SHIRT SIZE	GRADUATION YEAR	POSITION ON NEXT YEAR'S STAFF	SCHOOL PHONE	INTERESTED IN GETTING TRANSPORTATION FROM/TO THE AIRPORT? <input type="checkbox"/> YES, PLEASE SEND ME MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS.	
REQUESTED ROOMMATE NAME & SCHOOL (YOU MAY REQUEST ONE ROOMMATE; BOTH APPLICATIONS MUST BE MAILED TOGETHER)						
SPECIAL CONCERNS (INCLUDE ALLERGIES OR HEALTH CONCERNS)						

WORKSHOPS POLICIES

- All students are to follow local, state and federal laws while attending the workshop.
 - Curfew is 11 p.m.
 - Students are not to enter other residence halls or surrounding neighborhood houses during the workshop.
 - Girls are not permitted on boys' floors while in the residence halls.
 - Boys are not permitted on girls' floors while in the residence halls.
 - Students will not operate their motor vehicles while at the workshop. If applicable, keys will be turned in upon check-in.
 - Students are not permitted to ride in anyone's personal vehicle while at the workshop.
 - This is a workshop and students are expected to complete assignments under given deadlines.
 - Students are representatives of their schools and should act in accordance with all school rules and policies.
 - Smoking is prohibited during workshops.
 - The use of drugs and alcohol is strictly forbidden.
 - Students are expected to attend all sessions, unless sick. In such a case, students are to report directly to the workshops office.
 - State and federal law prohibits students from tampering with fire alarms, safety or security equipment.
 - Horseplay, including excessive noise, removing window screens and throwing items from the windows, is strictly prohibited.
 - Parents are responsible for any financial restitution owed to the university for property damage or lost keys.
 - Students may be dismissed from the workshop if they are found violating any of the workshop policies. In the event of dismissal, parents will be notified to pick up their child immediately.
 - This is not an all-inclusive list.
- I have read and understand the rules and policies of this workshop and agree with the health consent form.**

CHOOSE YOUR ADVENTURE: What position are you applying for?

- News:** You'll cover the events of the university and community as they happen.
- Sports:** Cover a Division 1 school with nearly 20 NCAA-sanctioned sports.
- Features:** Find and write about the most interesting people in the community.
- Design:** Work for one of the most award-winning college design desks in the country.
- Photo:** You'll have the opportunity to go on location and record the news as it happens.

please select a 1st and 2nd choice—indicate with a #1 or #2 beside the box

WHAT TO SEND WITH THIS APPLICATION?

In addition to the application form, send the following material to complete your application to be part of the Daily News Experience staff.

- Essay:** A one- to two-page essay telling us why we should choose you.
- Letters of recommendation:** Two letters of recommendation. One should be from your high school journalism teacher, if applicable.
- Portfolio:** Send a portfolio of relevant work, including at least three of the best examples of work related to the position you are applying for (e.g. feature stories if you are applying for the features desk).

OFFICE USE ONLY: Received: _____ Entered: _____ Payment: _____ Amount: _____

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE:

All DN Experience workshop fees are due at the time of application.

- COST OF WORKSHOP AND HOUSING (\$375)**
- (\$35) MEAL CARD (optional)**
- (\$60) MEAL CARD (optional)**

TOTAL:

PAYMENT METHOD

- CHECK ENCLOSED**
- BILL MY CREDIT CARD**

An e-bill will be mailed to the e-mail address provided below using our secure online payment system.
Visa and Discover accepted.

E-MAIL ADDRESS TO BE BILLED _____

HEALTH CONSENT FORM

I give permission for medical attention to be administered to the above named or myself in case of an emergency. I understand that any medical assistance of a more serious nature will be brought to my attention as conditions permit.

DATE OF LAST SHOTS:

Tetanus: _____

Diphtheria: _____

In case emergency treatment is required, my health insurance number and carrier are:

Insurance carrier _____

Number _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

PHONE: _____

ALTERNATE CONTACT: _____

PHONE: _____

Student Signature

Parent or Guardian's Signature

*** DN EXPERIENCE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS JUNE 1, 2010 – NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.**

DAILY NEWS EXPERIENCE

2010 Summer Journalism Workshops • Ball State University • July 25-29

An experience like no other

Join us for the Daily News Experience, a one-of-a-kind workshop where a group of about 20 high school students work as members of the staff of the Ball State Daily News. With the help of Ball State student editors and faculty advisers, you will produce an issue of the award-winning college newspaper.

We're looking for another group of the best high school journalists to participate in the workshop during summer 2010. Students will be needed in every area of the publication process, including writing, editing, photography and design.

WHAT YOU WILL DO

From the minute you arrive on campus, you'll be working to produce a real copy of the *Ball State Daily News*. College student editors and faculty advisers will guide you along the way as you cover the same campus and community that the paper normally covers.

You won't just sit in a classroom in the DN Experience. You'll cover real community and campus news. If news breaks on campus or in Muncie, you will cover it. And you'll have a real copy of the paper to show the day you leave.



Discount Den set to close

By the time the Den closes its doors, the Ball State University Book Store will have sold more than 100,000 books. The store's success is a testament to the university's commitment to providing quality educational materials to its students.

BSU to fix buildings by 2012

Ball State University has announced a major renovation plan for its campus buildings. The plan includes the construction of new buildings and the renovation of existing ones, with a goal of completing the project by 2012.

Muncie goes Hollywood

Students assist in production of low-budget, Muncie-based film. The film, 'Muncie', is a comedy-drama that explores the lives of young people in the city.



Former Cards adjusting to life with Padres

Former Ball State baseball players are adjusting to their new life with the San Diego Padres. The players, who were part of the university's successful baseball program, are now contributing to the Padres' success.



Pages from the Ball State Daily News created by the DNIX staff.



2008 DNIX staff members, student editors and faculty adviser

HOW TO APPLY

Fill out the DN Experience application form on the reserve side of this page. In addition to the form, you must submit the following:

- One- to two-page essay telling us why we should choose you.
- Two letters of recommendation (one should be from your high school journalism teacher, if applicable).
- Portfolio of work, including the three best clips related to the position on the DN Experience staff you are applying for. *If applying for multiple positions, please send appropriate clips.*

The deadline to apply is June 1, 2010.

Choose your own adventure

NEWS

Working for the news desk, you'll cover the events of the university and community as they happen. If news breaks in the middle of the night, you might have to cover it.

SPORTS

Ball State plays in the Division 1 Mid-American Conference. You'll learn to cover an athletic department with nearly 20 NCAA-sanctioned sports.

FEATURES

Want to find interesting stories about people around campus and in the community? Interested in doing in-depth research? The features desk might be the place for you.

DESIGN

The Society for News Design has listed the Ball State Daily News as one of the best designed papers in the world. You won't just do layout; you will learn how to use design and graphics to help tell stories.

PHOTO

A good publication needs good art, and it will be your job to get it. As a Daily News photographer, you will have the opportunity to go on location and record news as it happens.