



MONTANA LEARNING CENTER



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A picturesque setting for retreats, meetings, conferences, and kids' camps.



SUMMER CAMPS

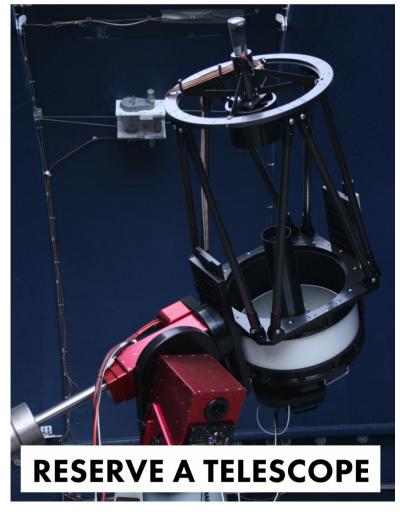






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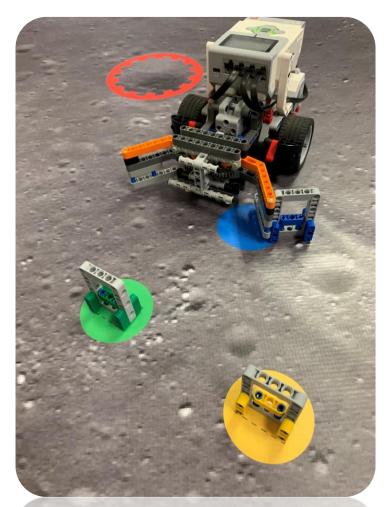




Partnerships

- Apollo Next Giant Leap Student Challenge
- Montana Aerospace Scholars Program
- Montana Space Grant Consortium Student Internships







Apollo Next Giant Leap Student Challenge - Montana



















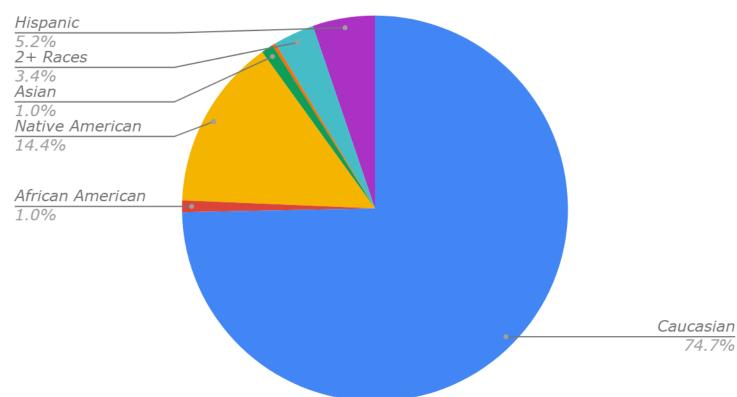




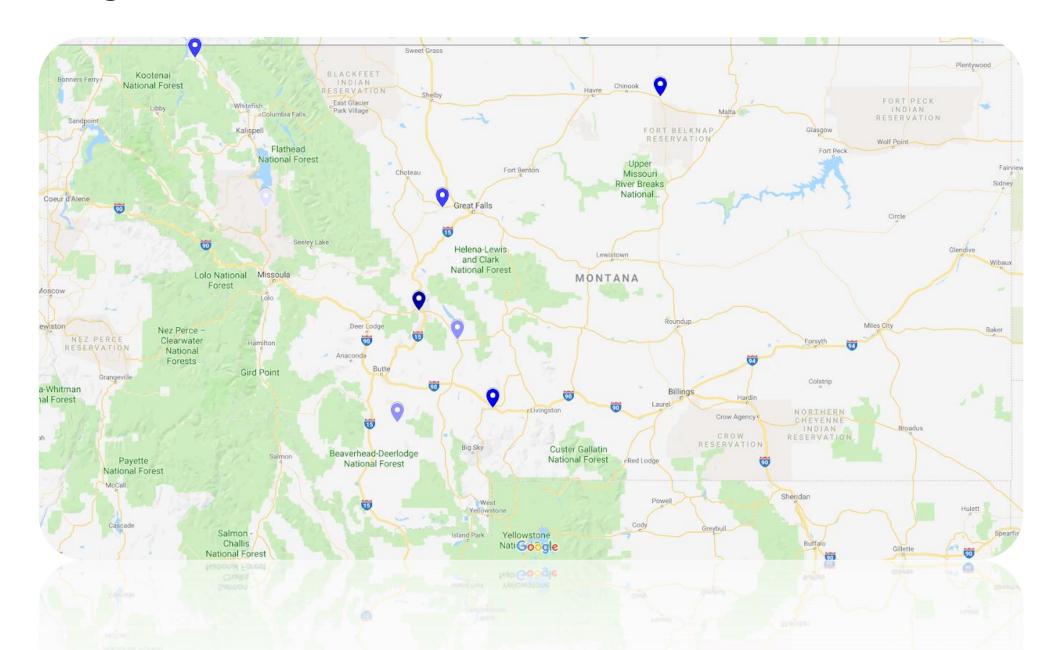
Apollo Next Giant Leap Student Challenge - Montana

- 30 teams (10 high school and 20 middle school)
 - 100% rural participation
 - 50% Free & Reduced Lunch
 - More girls than boys participated

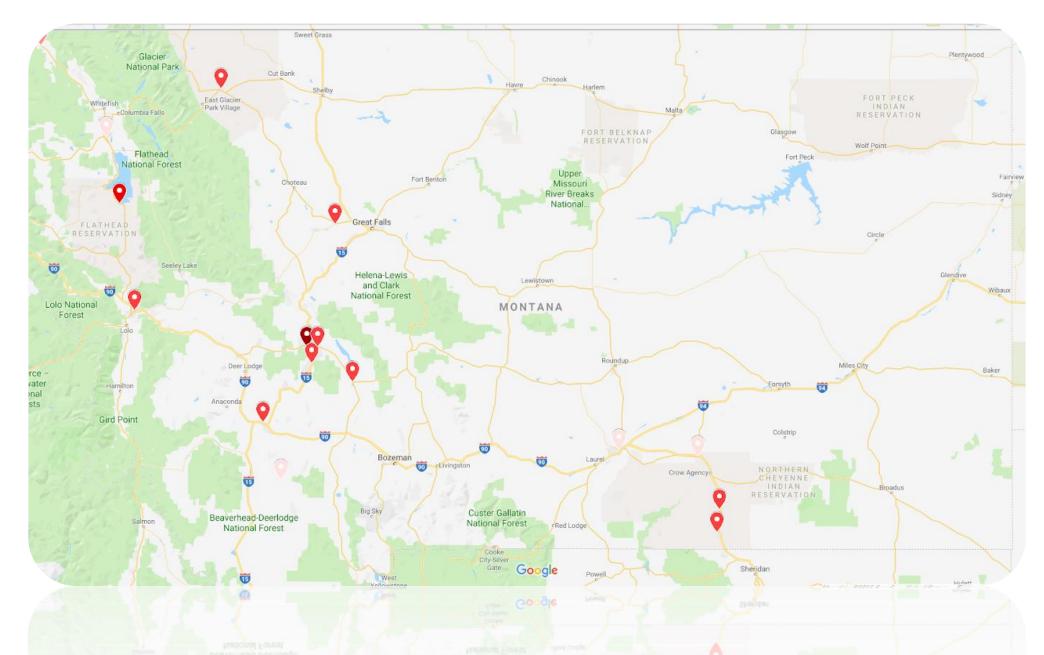
Competing School Districts Combined Demographics

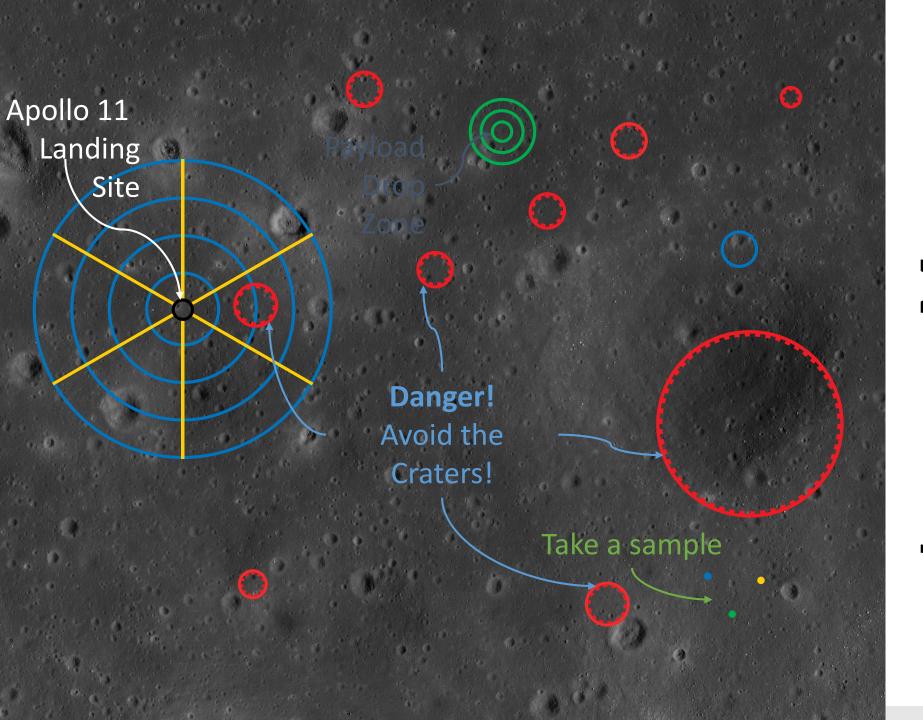


Montana High School Teams

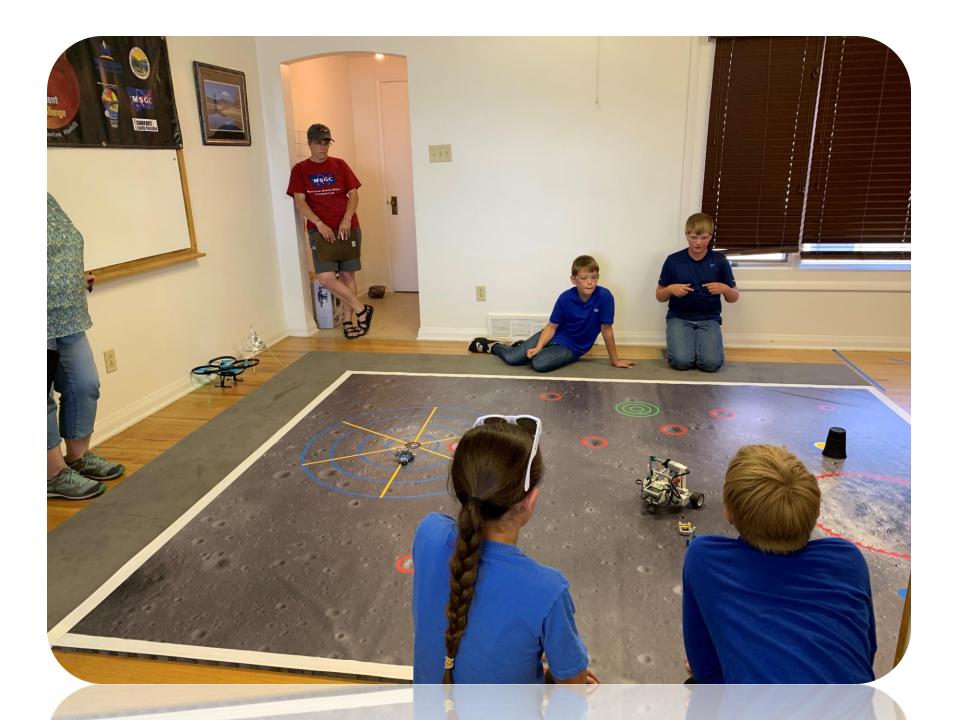


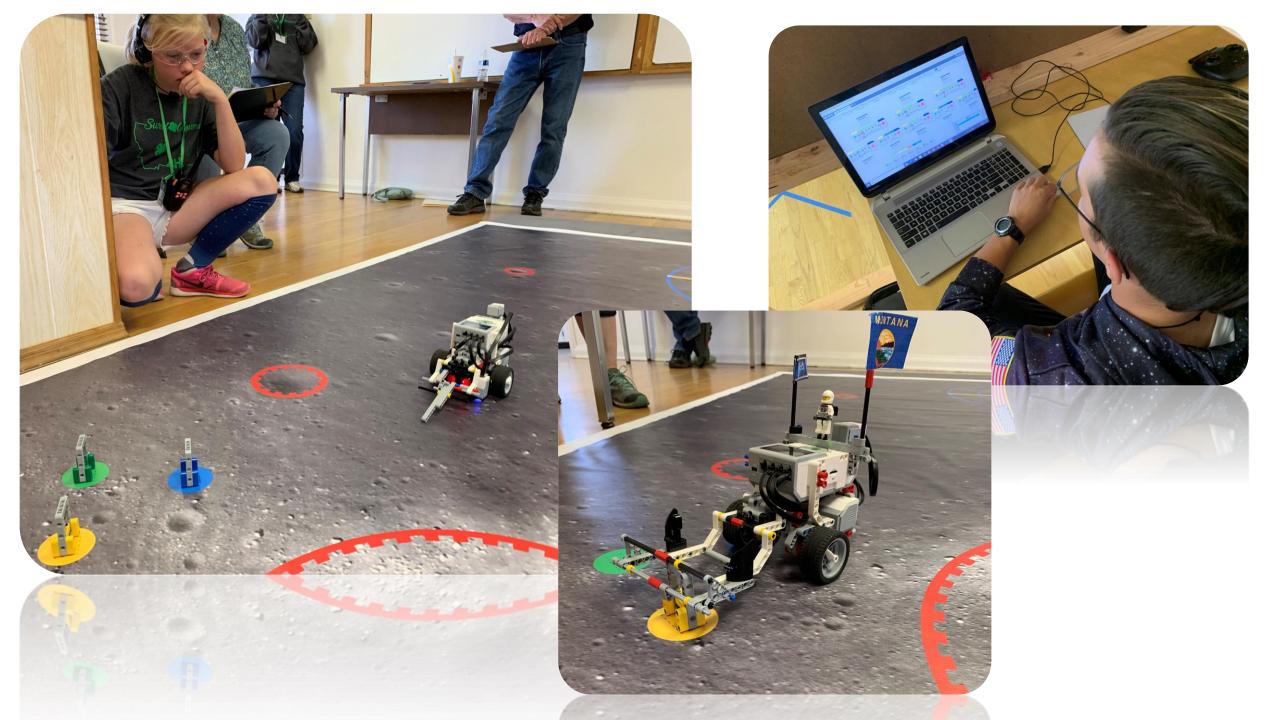
Montana Middle School Teams





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Media Coverage

- Live-streamed all events via MLC Facebook page
 - 46,232 people reached
- Statewide Front Page News
- Statewide TV Coverage



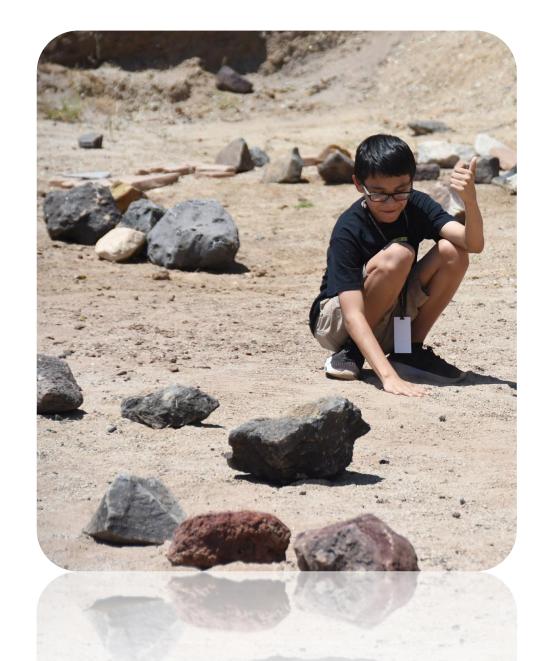
Student Impact Statements



- "I wanted to be a part this because I have loved doing robotics, and I love the idea of having competitions like this encouraging young people like myself to have fun while learning."

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"Being a part of this program I can say that I have learned how to work with teammates better than I ever have been able to before. I improved my programming skills, learned how to operate a drone and even learned how to better my manage my time."



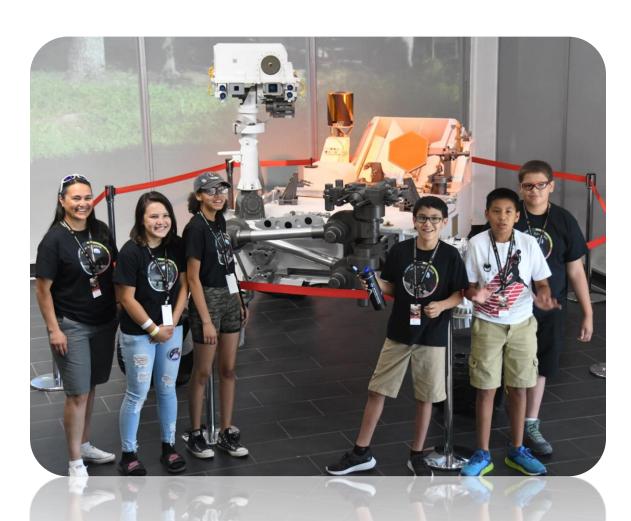
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- "Some of my favorite moments during ANGLeS would have to be the fact that we got to meet so many new people who are interested in the same things that we are interested in. It's really difficult to find people who are our age, and interested in things like robotics or programming. I would definitely recommend this to other students."

Montana Grand Prizes

- Top-scoring High School Team NASA Johnson space Center
- Judges' Choice Award NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory
- Top-scoring Middle School Team NASA Kennedy Space Center



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