



NASA OFFERING FLIGHT EXPERIENCES FOR HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATORS

Wallops Rocket Academy for Teachers 2017

The Wallops Rocket Academy for Teachers (WRATS) provides high school educators with a technical flight experience that will reinforce science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) concepts. WRATS provides an authentic, hands-on rocketry experience based on NASA's sounding rocket engineering and science data collection.



Participants are given the opportunity to attend a rocketry flight week June 19 - 23, 2017 at NASA Goddard Space Flight Center's Wallops Flight Facility located near Chincoteague, Virginia. During the week, participants will build and launch a WRATS model rocket and learn about the dynamics of a launch as well as safe flight operations from NASA technical experts. The week culminates with the viewing of a NASA Terrier-Orion sounding rocket launch in conjunction with the RockON! student launch opportunity.

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