

Make a video game with 2K!

Are you creative? A Gamer? An artist? A Storyteller? A Programmer? A Producer?

Or an Entrepreneur?

2K Next Level Foundation is proud to sponsor in partnership with TL Innovation Lab, Terra Linda High School Leadership, and SRCS, a unique opportunity for 15 -20 TL students to join the new TL Video Game Development Studio. Students will work as a team to create their own game while working with talented professionals from 2K -- best known for today's popular titles Bioshock, Borderlands, Mafia II, Civilization, and more. 2K develops and publishes interactive entertainment globally for console systems, handheld gaming systems and personal computers, smartphones and tablets as well as online platforms and cloud streaming services. 2K publishes titles in today's popular gaming genres including shooters, action, role-playing, strategy, sports, casual, and family entertainment.

TL Students will participate in a simulation of a real video game design studio - creating a real video game from inception, to prototyping, production, testing, and release. Mark James, Vice President of Technology, will be the Lead Mentor along with other talented colleagues from 2K. The capstone project will be a culmination of all knowledge and skills obtained in the course. Students will learn principles of game design, level design, story, game theory, basic computer programming, project management, idea creation, 3D modeling and/or animation. TL Video Game Development Studio will showcase the video game developed in this program to the public at one of the Bay Area's industry events or the Bay Area Maker Faire in 2018.

TL Game Development Studio is an afterschool enrichment program. Students who are chosen to participate will have several hours per week of work to do, which will vary in intensity through development phases of the program. This time commitment should be carefully considered before applying for the course. For more information, please contact Maya Bartolf, TL Innovation Lab at maya.bartolf@gmail.com.

TL Video Game Development Studio will meet on Mondays from 3pm - 4:30pm in the Engineering Tech Lab. Students who wish to participate must complete an online application https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2YZGZ86 by Friday, September 15th at 3pm.