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Greenwich Public School Summer Program

290 Greenwich Avenue

Greenwich CT 06830

Website: <http://www.greenwickschools.org/teaching-learning/summer-school>

Email: GPSsummerschool@greenwich.k12.ct.us

Summer of Learning and Discovery

**Greenwich Public Schools
2019**



Monday, July 1 – Friday, August 9, 2019
(except July 4th)

Glenville School
Kindergarten to Grade 3
Site Supervisor: Anthony Duncan

Glenville School

*Grades 4,5 at Central Middle School

The Registration Site Family ID will open March 25, 2019

<http://www.greenwickschools.org/teaching-learning/summer-school>

Frequently Asked Questions

1. How do I register my child for the Greenwich Public Schools Summer Program?

REGISTRATION BEGINS ON March 25,2019

Complete the online registration, emergency information and online credit card payment on Family ID. The link to online registration is on our website:

<http://www.greenwichschools.org/teaching-learning/summer-school>

Tuition payment by money order or certified bank check can be mailed to:

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WE DO NOT ACCEPT PERSONAL CHECKS OR CASH.

All registration materials must be submitted by: **April 12, 2019**

Registration after this date will be on a space available basis.

2. If I have additional questions about the summer school program after reading the brochure, whom should I contact?

Contact the Summer School support:

gpssummerschool@greenwich.k12.ct.us

3. My child needs to review math, reading and writing skills. Do you offer individual classes in math, reading and writing?

The summer program is an interdisciplinary program that integrates all the content areas with a focus on reading and writing and problem solving skills. Students will spend 2.5 hours on reading and writing skills and 2 hours on STEM. They will also have physical education to work on their athletic, communication and SEL skills.

4. My child is advanced and needs to be challenged. Will the Greenwich Summer Program meet my child's needs?

The Summer Program has been carefully designed to meet the needs of all students. Each part of the curriculum has been differentiated, and we take pride in a curriculum that is personalized, thought-provoking and challenging. Our goal is to heighten critical thinking skills and to challenge students to improve their skills, regardless of skill level. Students will explore the content immersed in project-based learning using an inquiry model.

5. My child's first language is not English and requires English as a Second Language support. Do you offer individual ELL classes at the elementary school?

The Summer of ELL program is modeled after the ESOL Program provided during the school year. ESOL services entail sheltered individual and small-group pull-out instruction as well as linguistic support provided in the classroom by an ELL instructor, based on students' English proficiency levels and academic needs.

6. A CT HAR3 or CT ECHAR physical, proof of immunization and TB risk assessment is required for all students who have not attended the Greenwich Public Schools during the 2018-2019 school year. What is this and how do I obtain the form?

Forms are available from any school nurse in any Greenwich Public School or on the website at <http://www.greenwichschools.org/teaching-learning/student-support-services/health-services/health-forms-immunizations>. If you are unable to obtain one of these forms at a school and would like a form mailed home, please make your request in writing, provide a self-addressed stamped envelope, and mail the request to:

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You will receive a confirmation email when the summer school office has received the:

- ✓ Registration with Emergency information
- ✓ Tuition payment

(via Online Credit Card Payment, Money Order or Certified Bank Check only)

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If the registration is incomplete, your registration will not be processed, and you will be notified via email. You will receive a letter with the details concerning Summer School shortly before the start of the program.

Kindergarten –Grade 5 Program

Monday, July 1 – Friday, August 9, 2019
(except July 4th)

Tuition \$1244

Students will engage in reading, writing, speaking and listening around summer themed texts (stories, poems, nonfiction, etc.). The summer program is an interdisciplinary program that integrates all the content areas with a focus on reading and writing and problem solving skills. Students will spend 2.5 hours on reading and writing skills and 2 hours on STEM. They will also have physical education to work on their athletic, communication and SEL skills.

Elective Courses for Grade 5 students at Central Middle School

BRIDGE TO MATH 6A - Grade 5 Tuition \$468 / 4-week session

July 9 – August 3

This class will meet at Greenwich High School from 10:00am-12:00pm

The goal of Bridge to Math 6A is to prepare students to be successful in advanced middle school mathematics.

Coding Grades 5-8 Tuition \$281 / 2 weeks only

July 2 – July 13 (except July 4)

Do you play games and wonder how they are created? Would you like to build your own computer programs? Come learn how at the Coding with Kids Academy! In this fun after-school class, you will be introduced to the core concepts of computer programming, including loops, conditionals and variables. Using the Scratch development environment, you will learn how to create your own programs, such as simple games, animations, and interactive stories. With new projects each session, you will be able to express your creativity and advance as a coder! Our progressive curriculum will allow you to move to the next level after just 1-2 sessions. *Prerequisites: None.*

Robotics Grades 5-8 Tuition \$281 / 2 weeks only

July 16 – July 27

Lego Robotics is a class, where beginners learn to build and program robots using Lego Education's award-winning WeDo™ robotics and programming software. Students follow step-by-step on-screen instructions to build their robots, and then write suggested programs to get their robots working. After that, those who are ready write more complicated programs involving motion or tilt sensors. That's just the start! Once we've built and programmed our 'bots, we start experimenting with them.

Grade 5

Summer School of Rock

Monday, July 1 – Friday, August 9, 2019
(except July 4th)

Tuition \$1244

Students will analyze, respond, and enjoy a variety of musical genres (ie: classical, jazz and modern) that inform the popular music heard on the radio today. While reinforcing the four Artistic Processes of Creating, Performing, Responding and Connecting, students will evaluate "text" in a unique way that strengthens their ability to analyze information and make creative decisions. While this is the "school of rock", we will be exploring the many musical influences that support the popular music in our world.

GENERAL INFORMATION

DATES and LOCATIONS: Monday, July 1 to Friday, August 9, 2019 except July 4, unless otherwise noted. The program for students in Preschool will be held from 8:00 am – 12:00 pm and the program for students in Kindergarten through Grade 5 will be held from 8:00 am – 2:00 pm at Glenville school and grades 4 and 5 at Central Middle School.

REGISTRATION: Registration begins on March 25, 2019 through April 12, 2019. Registration after this date will be on a space available basis. **Registration and credit card payment** is online through Family ID. You can find the link on the summer school website at:

<http://www.greenwichschools.org/teaching-learning/summer-school> .

No student will be registered without payment in full. *Having a My School Bucks account set up prior to registration will aid in the process.*

NO PERSONAL CHECKS OR CASH ARE ACCEPTED.

Certified bank checks or money order payable to TOWN OF GREENWICH can be sent to: Greenwich Public School Summer Program 290 Greenwich Avenue Greenwich, CT 06830

MEDICAL INFORMATION: Any student who did not attend a Greenwich Public School during the 2018-19 school year must provide proof of a current (within 1 year) CT HAR3 or CT ECHAR physical, proof of immunization, and TB risk assessment at the time of registration. Forms are available from any Greenwich Public School nurse or on the website at

<http://www.greenwichschools.org/teaching-learning/student-support-services/health-services/health-forms-immunizations>. Students will not be admitted to the first day of class if these forms have not been received.

SNACK & LUNCH: Grade K-5 Students will have a daily snack time and lunch time. **SNACK AND LUNCH (including a beverage) SHOULD BE SENT IN DAILY.** Please follow the allergy awareness precautions and procedures when sending your child's snack and lunch. Snack or lunch can be provided for those students whom are eligible for free and reduced lunch. If snack or lunch is provided by the school, staff will maintain an allergen-free environment and not serve foods with peanuts/tree nuts. If your child has a food allergy, please consult with the teacher about snack/lunch to ensure that we are providing a safe and respectful environment for all students. Please send your child's snack and lunch (including a beverage) in a lunch box or bag marked with their name. If necessary an icepack should be included. We encourage you to send easy to open containers and include napkins and utensils, as needed. Please encourage healthy choices. Please do not send sweet snacks, candy or soda.

ATTENDANCE and CONDUCT: Since summer school covers a great deal of material in a short period of time, punctuality and perfect attendance are expected to maximize learning. All school conduct codes for the regular school year are in effect during the summer session at all summer school locations. Dismissal from summer school based on these codes is the decision of the summer school administration.

FINAL REPORT CARDS: Final report cards will be mailed to students on the last day of summer school. Students with a material debt will not receive a final report card until all obligations are met.

REFUND POLICY: In the event a course is canceled due to insufficient enrollment, students will be refunded the entire registration fee. No refunds will be made unless a course is canceled.

