

SACRED HEART SUMMER SCHOOL

June 17th - 28th, 2024

SUBJECT COLOR KEY:	ARTS & CRAFTS	MUSIC	COOKING
MOVEMENT	ENGLISH	SCIENCE & TECH	MATH

Course Descriptions

This is a comprehensive list of courses available to JS (Grades 1-4) & MS (Grades 5-8) students in Sacred Heart Summer School 2024.

Each day consists of four 75-minute sessions, and students will have the same daily timetable for that week. The application form will allow you to indicate your top two preferred courses for each session.

Courses will reflect the weekly themes and course content will not repeat. Therefore, if you are attending Summer School for the full two weeks (June 17th to 28th), you are welcome to select the same course for both weeks.

Some teachers may recommend a two-week enrollment, so please read the course descriptions before submitting your applications.

Please note that while we will do our best to assign students to their preferred courses, we cannot guarantee ideal assignment due to limited spots in each class.

For any questions or concerns, please contact us at
isshsummerschool@issh.ac.jp

Thank you for your interest in Sacred Heart Summer School 2024!



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Course Offerings

SUBJECT COLOR KEY:	Arts & Crafts	Music	Cooking
Physical Activity	English	Science & Tech	Math

Junior School (G1 to G4) Course Offerings

Session 1 8:45 - 10:00 a.m.	Session 2 10:15 - 11:30 a.m.	Session 3 12:30 - 1:45 p.m.	Session 4 2:00 - 3:15 p.m.
Tennis Mr. Sebastien Guillemart <u>Grades 1-2</u>	Creative Art Ms. Sara Lee <u>Grades 1-2</u>	Dance Mr. Steve Tomlinson <u>Grades 1-2</u>	Songbirds Ms. Reiko Awazu <u>Grades 1-2</u>
Fun Math Ms. Sara Lee <u>Grades 1-2</u>	All Things Rhythm Ms. Aya Narui <u>Grades 1-2</u>	Creative Art Ms. Sara Lee <u>Grades 3-4</u>	Gently Down the STREAM Ms. Ivy Maeda <u>Grades 1-2</u>
Fun Math Mr. Jim Howell <u>Grades 3-4</u>	Gently Down the STREAM Ms. Ivy Maeda <u>Grades 3-4</u>	All Things Rhythm Ms. Aya Narui <u>Grades 3-4</u>	Dance Mr. Steve Tomlinson <u>Grades 3-4</u>
Fantastic Flight Mr. Garry Baker <u>Grades 3-4</u>	Songbirds Ms. Reiko Awazu <u>Grades 3-4</u>	Athletics Mr. Jim Howell <u>Grades 1-4</u>	Tennis Mr. Sebastien Guillemart <u>Grades 3-4</u>
Fun with Felt Ms. Jane Humphrey <u>Grades 1-4</u>	Games Around the World Ms. Clarisse Mendoza <u>Grades 1-4</u>	Printmaking Ms. Palmarin Merges <u>Grades 1-4</u>	DIY Punk Ms. Palmarin Merges <u>Grades 1-4</u>

Middle School (G5 to G8) Course Offerings

Session 1 8:45 - 10:00 a.m.	Session 2 10:15 - 11:30 a.m.	Session 3 12:30 - 1:45 p.m.	Session 4 2:00 - 3:15 p.m.
Journalism & Newswriting Ms. Bethany Shull <u>Grades 7-8</u>	Fantastic Flight Mr. Garry Baker <u>Grades 5-6</u>	Robotics Mr. Garry Baker <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Introduction to Journalism Ms. Bethany Shull <u>Grades 5-6</u>
Global Kitchen Ms. Naoko Belitz <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Dancing with Words Ms. Bethany Shull <u>Grades 7-8</u>	Games Around the World Ms. Clarisse Mendoza <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Just Desserts Ms. Naoko Belitz <u>Grades 5-8</u>
Dance Mr. Steve Tomlinson <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Tennis Mr. Sebastien Guillemart <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Songbirds Ms. Reiko Awazu <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Botanical Bliss Ms. Jane Humphrey <u>Grades 5-8</u>
All Things Rhythm Ms. Aya Narui <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Puzzle Quest Ms. Jane Humphrey <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Curious U Ms. Ivy Maeda <u>Grades 5-8</u>	Science Explorers Ms. Clarisse Mendoza <u>Grades 5-8</u>



JUNIOR SCHOOL

(Grades 1-4)

Tennis

Mr. Guillemart

G1-2 || G3-4



Dive into the world of tennis mastery with a comprehensive exploration of essential skills. Whether you're a beginner honing your strokes or a seasoned player seeking to elevate your game, unlock the secrets to success on the tennis court with expert techniques and insider tips. Sharpen your skills, outplay your competition, and serve up victories with confidence!

Fun Math

Ms. Lee || Mr. Howell

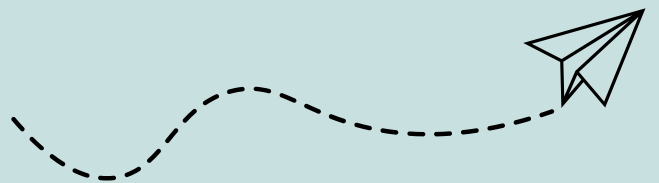
G1-2 || G3-4

Delve into the captivating world of mathematics with a collection of fun and engaging activities tailored for Junior School students! From colorful counting adventures to thrilling number games, this interactive journey makes learning math a joyful experience.

Fantastic Flight

Mr. Baker

G3-4



In Fantastic Flight, you will explore the science and principles of flight and aerodynamics. You can build projects that float, fling, and fly through the air, with desktop catapults, stomp rockets, boomerangs, superhero parachutes, and more. Iterate, test, and improve your designs.

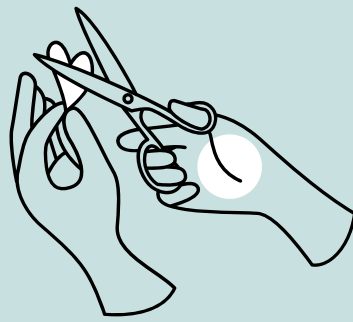


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Fun with Felt

Ms. Humphrey

G1-4



This hands-on course will introduce young crafters to the wonderful world of felt crafting. Turn simple sheets of felt into delightful creations of adorable animals, funky flowers, and more. Students will practice essential crafting techniques such as cutting, gluing, stitching, and embellishing with buttons, beads, and more.

Creative Art

Ms. Lee

G1-2 || G3-4

Unleash the boundless creativity of young minds with a vibrant exploration of art tailored for Junior School students. This captivating curriculum invites students to experiment with a diverse array of artistic techniques and materials.

All Things Rhythm

Ms. Narui

G1-2 || G3-4



Be ready to sing, move, dance, twist your tongue and even your mind to the activities of game-songs, rhythmic music, and movement exercises!

Gently Down the STREAM

Ms. Maeda

G1-2 || G3-4

Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art and Math! Using a broad spectrum of skills, students will do a deep dive into topics aligned with the Sacred Heart Summer School theme of the week. This course will bolster reading comprehension, math skills, critical thinking, creativity and design.



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Songbirds

Ms. Awazu

G1-2 || G3-4

If you love singing, come and join the choir, “Songbirds”! Choir is the place you meet friends to have fun time singing together in harmony. Let’s explore many kinds of rhythm and harmony from different continents to make a colorful music program to share at the end of the course.

Games Around the World

Ms. Mendoza

G1-4

Let’s stay active! In this course, students will enjoy a range of games and sports from countries around the world.

Dance

Mr. Tomlinson

G1-2 || G3-4

Week 1 theme: Dance to Heal the World

Week 2 theme: The Evolution of the Dance Mob



We will use the power of dance and movement to help elevate positivity and eliminate negativity. We will produce a dance video showing how dance is a great way to communicate with others!

Athletics

Mr. Howell

G1-4

Engaging in a variety of games & sports, this course promotes physical activity and team building skills in young students.



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Printmaking

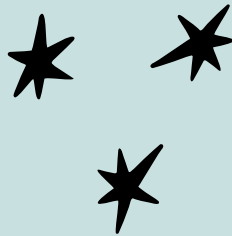
Ms. Merges

G1-4

Students will dive head-first into the world of relief printmaking beginning with building their own printing plate using cardboard and other household waste material. They will also learn several techniques such as embossing, chine collé, editioning and signing prints as well proper care and cleaning of a Printmaking Studio.



DIY Punk



Ms. Merges

G1-4

The PUNK subculture and ethos impacted many parts of our society through its music, visual arts, fashion and underground posters and zines. Our focus will be primarily on the punk DIY ethics and promotion of individual freedom. While learning about the history of the punk subculture, our DIY punk projects will focus on the following - creating your own punk t-shirts, crust punk jackets, painted and patched jeans, the iconic Punk Rock Band Posters and Zines.



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MIDDLE SCHOOL

(Grades 5-8)

Journalism & Newswriting

Ms. Shull

G7-8

Learn how journalists find newsworthy stories, identify reliable sources, conduct interviews and press conferences, write under time pressure, and uphold high ethical standards. The second week of this course focuses on newswriting, where students spend a fast-paced week learning the basics of news article writing as a journalist-in-training for The International, ISSH's online newspaper. Your best work may be published at the end of the week.

Note: A two-week enrollment is recommended for this course.

Global Kitchen

Ms. Belitz

G5-8

Global Kitchen is a cooking course using international recipes, including some tested and popular dishes from Home Economics class.



Dance

Mr. Tomlinson

G5-8

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All Things Rhythm

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G5-8

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Fantastic Flight

Mr. Baker

G5-6

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Dancing with Words

Ms. Shull

G7-8

Dancing with Words is a creative writing course. Word games, free writing exercises, and poetry and fiction activities will extend each student's vocabulary, word confidence, creative expression, and imagination.



Tennis

Mr. Guillemart

G5-8

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Puzzle Quest

Ms. Humphrey

G5-8

Get ready to crack the code and unlock the mystery with Puzzle Quest. Dive into logic puzzles, strategy games, riddles, and brain-teasing challenges. Create and solve fun scavenger hunts at school. Develop your critical thinking skills, collaborate with peers, and become a puzzle-solving prodigy!

Robotics

Mr. Baker

G5-8

In Summer School Robotics, you can have fun exploring and learning about STEM ideas and concepts! Students will practice teamwork as they build, code, and drive a robot to complete engaging challenges that blend creativity with computer science, engineering, and learning about robotics today!

Games Around the World

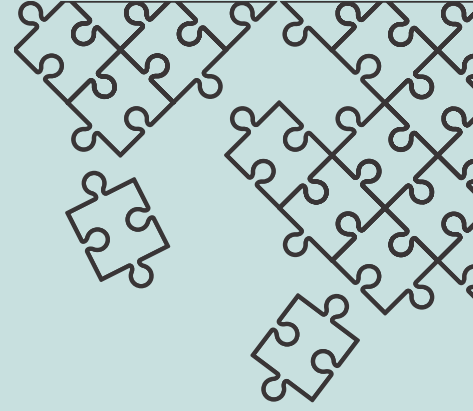
Ms. Mendoza

G5-8

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Songbirds (in Golden Hour)

Ms. Awazu

G5-8

If you love singing, come and join the choir, Songbirds! Choir is the place you can make friends easily by listening to each other and join the tapestry of harmony to bring magic in the air. We will explore various rhythm and harmony from different genres to create colorful music program with “Golden Hour” by JVKE in chorus to share at the end of the course.

Note: A two-week enrollment is recommended for this course.

Curious U

Ms. Maeda

G5-8

Curious? Inventive? Do you like to make things or tinker? Have the urge to upcycle? Use your ingenuity to create super fun things like a Lunatic Flipbook (for the animator in you), a Morse Code bracelet (‘cause jewelry and codes are a win/win), upcycle a shoebox into a game or old fabric into a rag rug basket (for sustainability fans).

Introduction to Journalism

Ms. Shull

G7-8

Sharpen your media savvy and curiosity in this course that will introduce you to what matters most to journalists. You will also learn how journalists and editors decide what stories to publish, how to recognize different types of articles, how to write powerful headlines, and how to detect fake news.



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Just Desserts

Ms. Belitz

G5-8

Just Desserts is a baking and chilling dessert-making course using international recipes, including some tested and popular ones from Home Economics class.

Botanical Bliss

Ms. Humphrey

G5-8

Calling all nature enthusiasts! Traverse the great outdoors of our green campus. Collect, observe and record details of plants, flowers and leaves through drawing and photography. Explore nature's palette of plant pigments through artwork and dyeing.



Science Explorers

Ms. Mendoza

G5-8

Embark on a summer of scientific exploration where curiosity knows no bounds, creativity takes flight and every discovery is a step towards becoming a true Science Explorer. Engage in hands-on experiments and unleash your inner scientists through the creation of solar ovens, wind turbines, cardboard pinhole cameras and more.



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