

Middle School East Exploratory Day

Spring - 2025 Packet
Friday May 9th

FULL DAY ACTIVITIES

1FD: Game Show Battles

YOU'RE IN THE GAME SHOW! Game Show Battle Rooms in Minneapolis is the #1 new game show experience for everyone to enjoy! Get ready for a high energy, immersive, fun, and an

the arena - all facilitated by the game show hosts. Examples of games include "Wheel of Phrases", "Friendly Feud" and "Name That Price Tag". It's time to battle! You only need to bring one thing: YOUR GAME FACE!

Price: \$45

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Bring a bite to eat

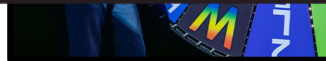
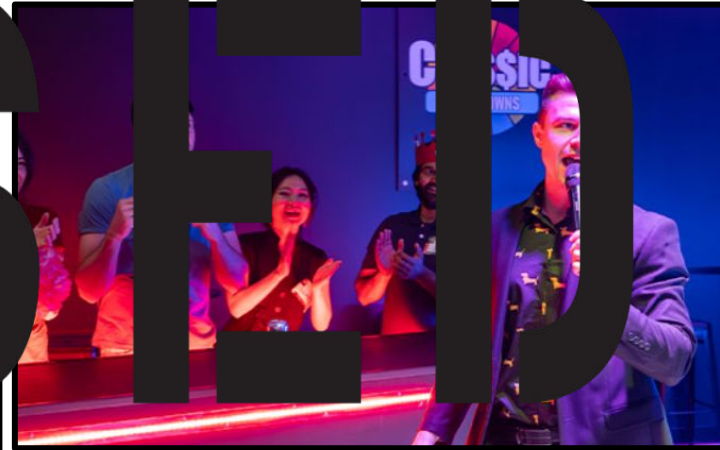
Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (PORT): Huggins

Meeting Location for May 9th: Huggins

Unit: 48

Street: Huggins, River,

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2FD: FlyOver America at MOA

FlyOver America is a unique experience at the MOA that gives audience members the chance to explore the United States in a new way. FlyOver America is a truly unique and memorable experience. Using the latest virtual flight technology and special effects such as wind, scents and moving seats, students will feel like they are really flying. Students will be wow as they soar over America's most iconic landscapes during the 10-minute flight. After flying over America, students will eat at the MOA food court.

Fee: \$25.00

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Lunch at MOA food court (bring money)

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Geßner's room (A119)

Meeting Location for May 9th: Geßner's room (A119)

Staff: Geßner and Dolan



3FD: Top Golf

Are you ready for an activity that is designed to be both fun and educational? Top Golf allows students to engage in golf-based games while learning new skills in a new and fun environment. Golf includes teamwork, hand-eye coordination and an invigorating friendly competition, making it a great way for students to experience a new sport in an engaging setting!

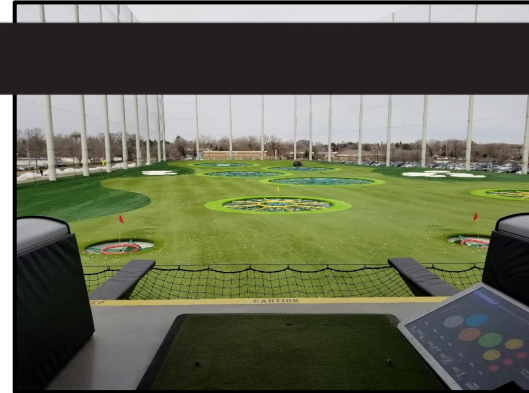
Fee: \$25 per student

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Kortess Room #300 6th grade pod

Meeting Location for May 9th: Kortess Room #300 6th grade pod

Limit: 40 Students

Staff: L.Johnson, Korte, M. Williams



4FD: Science Fun At Nickelodeon Universe

scientific concepts involving theme park rides that deliver white-knuckle thrills in a safe environment. We will visit Nickelodeon Universe theme park to experience concepts in action. You will document your reactions to various rides so bring your pencil as well as your nerves of steel.

Fee: \$25.00 (includes Bus) **TOWNE PAID USING FEES**

Session: Full Day (Oct 14th)

Lunch: Bring a bag lunch or cash to purchase lunch at the food court

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Mueller's room #B202, 7th

Meeting Location for May 9th: Mueller's room #B202, 7th grade pod

Limit: 51 students

Staff: Boisner, Budion, & Mueller



5FD: BASECAMP

Push your body and mind to the limits! Join us for a day of adventure and fun at Minnesota's newest field trip destination- Basecamp; located near Fort Snelling.



archery and complete other team building exercises. This

is our seventh year doing this activity and students have loved about the fun they have. We hope you can join us on this trip of adventure, fun and challenge.



Fee: \$

Session: Full day

Meeting location for April 5th: Anderson's room #A105, 8th grade pod

Meeting location for May 9th: Anderson's room #A105, 8th grade pod

Limit: 40 students

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6FD: Urban Air Adventure Park

the Urban Air Adventure Park, you and your friends will have a day to jump in the Trampoline Park, battle on the Battle Beam, navigate the Warrior Course, play Trampolining Dodgeball, fly on the Sky Rider, climb on the Climbing Walls, Go Karts, and so much more! Don't we mention we will have the full 70,000 sq ft facility to only \$15SE?!

[Check out their website for more information!](#)

Fee: \$45

Session: All day

Lunch: 2 slices of pizza and water provided. You can bring money for concessions if you want!

Meeting location for April 10th, May 8th (NEXT): Williams Room #3321

Meeting location for May 9th: Williams Room #3321

Limit: 50 students

Staff: J. Williams, K. Skarin, and E. Lindenfelser

7FD: Tutor Time (Community Service)

STUDENTS SIGNED UP EARLY IN ORDER TO PLAN AHEAD

Want to be a teacher? Do you want to help out elementary students? You will have

be a teacher's helper for the day. You will do fun activities with the elementary kids all day long. You will follow them in class and to their specials, lunch, and any other activities they may have planned for the day. What a great way to complete a community service activity, feel good about what you are doing, and have fun doing it!

Fee: Free

Session: Full Day

Lunch: bag lunch / school lunch

Meeting Location for April 10th (KORT), May 5 (KORT): small gym

Meeting Location for May 9th: your assigned school

Limit: 15 students

Staff: Ahrens and Walters



8FD: Feed My Starving Children

Join us for a fun-filled day of giving back and enjoying some great activities! First, we'll head to Feed My Starving Children to help pack meals to help feed others around the world. After we've packed meals, we'll head back to school for a pizza lunch and movie and board games for the day. Bring a

This will be the perfect mix of helping others and having a blast with your peers.

Fee: \$5 (TO BE PAID USING FEEPAID)

Session: Full Day

Lunch: 3 slices of pizza will be included in the fee for the day, along with a beverage and other items you may want for lunch and movie.

Meeting Location: Room 3

Limit: 60 students

Staff: Mrs. Dancin, Mr. Kellan and Mr. Gehring



9FD: Star Wars and Pizza:

For all the Star Wars Lover's! Students will be immersed in the Star Wars world.

completing projects, trivia, and challenges. Lunch will be Domino's Pizza.

Fee: \$
Session: Full Day
Lunch: Domino's Pizza
Meeting Location: A107 (Hauxwell's Room)
Limit: 34 students
Staff: Prepeluh and Hauxwell

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10FD: Wildlife Science Center and McDonald's

Lions and Tigers and Wolves Oh My! Come see wolves up close and learn about wildlife in Minnesota. This is perfect for students who love animals and enjoy getting outside for some fresh air. We will eat at McDonald's for lunch!

Fee: \$20.00 and extra money for McDonald's

Session: Full Day

Lunch: McDonald's, bring your own \$\$\$

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Jeffery's room #C205, 7th grade pod

Meeting Location for May 9th: Jeffery's room #C205, 7th grade pod

Limit: 50 students

Staff: Jeffery, Jensen, & Antoni



11FD: Camp Throwback

If you are ready to dive into a world of magic, friendship, music and crafts, you are in the right place! We will be crafting and making a range of creations in the morning and watching/singing through Wicked (PG) in the afternoon! Join us for a fun filled day at Camp Throwback!

Fee: \$8.00

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Provided at school

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Media Center

Meeting Location for May 9th: Media Center

Limit: 40

Staff: Dean & Storandt

Oh My Oz, we
love Camp
Throwback - it's
thrillifying!



12FD: Ninja United Obstacle Course

experience obstacles of varying difficulty. At Ninja United in Maple Grove, you will have 2 hours to attempt 5 different height Warped Walls along with 40+ other Ninja Obstacles. Before we leave and once we return you will watch a movie, and play tickle outside. Remember to wear your own clothes, tennis shoes, and bring a water bottle.

Fee: \$30.00

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Bring a snack to eat before we leave and bring your own lunch that you will eat when we return to school.

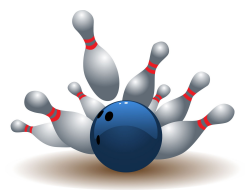
Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (ART): Bugbee's room #C307, 6th grade pod

Meeting Location for May 9th: Bugbee's room #C307, 6th grade pod

Limit: 45 students



13FD: A Day on the Town



This day promises a blend of educational exploration, delicious food, and fun-filled activities. We will kick off our day at the St. Michael Great River Regional Library, where students will have the

~~opportunity to engage in various educational activities. Additionally, our dedicated local librarians will~~

St. Michael Town Center Park for lunch. Students will need to bring packed lunches (everything must be disposable after eating), and we will have a designated picnic area where they can enjoy the sun and socialize with friends. Our next destination is River City Extreme, where students will have a blast showcasing their bowling skills. Bowling shoes will be provided. When we return to Middle School East, students will conclude the day with a (previously chosen) sweet treat from what's the Scoop.

Fee: \$5.00

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Students should bring their lunch from home and a water bottle. You may also bring your own money for additional items like bowling shoes.

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Mrs. Snyder's Room (6th grade pod)

Meeting Location for May 8th: Mrs. Snyder's Room (6th grade pod)

Staff: Snyder, Thompson, Schneider



14FD: Wabasha Street Caves (St. Paul)

The Wabasha Street Caves in St. Paul, Minnesota, are a fascinating historical landmark with a rich and mysterious past. Originally carved out of sandstone in the 1800s for silica mining, the caves later attracted

purposes, including mushroom farming and swing dancing, but their gangster history and reported paranormal activity make them a popular destination today. We will explore the caves through a guided tour, which will delve into the notorious past and eerie legends of the Wabasha Street Caves!

Fee: \$10.00

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Bring your own

Meeting location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT):

Cleveland's room #3215

Meeting Location for May 9th: Cleveland's room #3215

Limits: 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Staff: Cleveland, Simpson



15FD: Clay on the Wheel at Northern Clay Center

Come with us to Northern Clay Center (NCC) to create projects on the potter's wheel! Clay instruction will include a basic introduction to wheel-throwing techniques, as well as trimming and decorating. Students will be able to create and decorate several wheel-thrown projects during their session. NCC will fire all work and drop off at STMA 2-3 weeks

Fee: \$35.00

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Lunch: You will need to provide lunch and bring it with you to NCC.

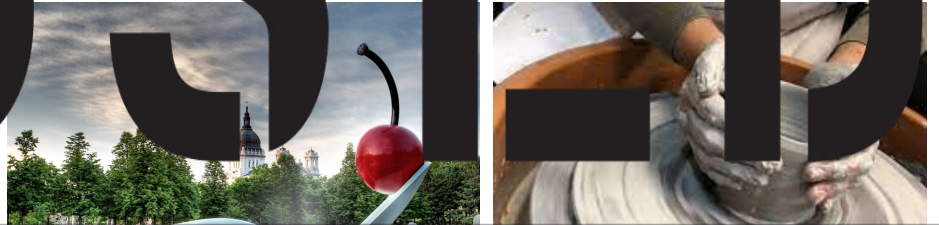
Meeting location for April 5th, May 5th (KOP): Iverson's Art Room A111

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Limit: 10 Students

Staff: Mrs. Iverson & Ms. S. S. S.

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16 FD: Golf at Vintage Golf Course

exercise, but also lets you soak in the beauty of the course. Having lunch at the clubhouse adds a nice touch of relaxation and socialization to the experience. Everyone needs to bring their own clubs, but since everyone can play comfortably with equipment they're familiar with * It's a perfect setup for a memorable day of golfing.

Fee: \$6 and extra money for lunch

Session: Full Day

Lunch: Bring your own lunch

Meeting Location for April: Mrs. Paulson's Room 706

Meeting Location for May: Mrs. Paulson's Room 706

Limit: 40 students



17FD: Camp Friendship Ropes and Team Building

Come to Camp Friendship and engage in some team building activities and ropes courses. If you haven't done ropes courses

Fee: \$40

Session: All Day

Lunch: Bring your own lunch

Meeting Location for April 19th, May 5th (KOR): Mr. Dit's Room - 101 - 8th Grade

Meeting Location for May 12th: Mr. Dit's Room - 101 - 8th Grade

Limit: 2 students

Staff: Mr. Dit and Mr. Kain

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HALF DAY ACTIVITIES

Pick an AM and PM

1HD: WATER WONDERLAND

If you are looking to have a WONDERFUL time look no further! Come join WATER WONDERLAND! We will have a WONDROUS variety of WATER WHIMSICAL games galore!

Fee: Free

Session: Half Day, AM or PM

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): POOL Hallway

Meeting Location for May 9th: POOL

Limit: 30 students AM, 30 students PM

Staff: Syverson, Krogh



2HD: KNITTING KNIGHTS

Come join us for a half day of knitting! You will learn to knit a scarf that can be donated to people in need. We'll also watch movies while we craft. You don't need to know how to knit, but if you do, you can join us, too!

Fee: Free

Session: Half Day, AM or PM

Lunch: At school or bring your own!

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Tveitbakk's room #A102, 8th grade pod

Meeting Location for May 9th: Tveitbakk's room #A102, 8th grade pod

Limit: 32 students AM, 32 students PM

Staff: Tveitbakk, Pack



3HD: Finding Nemo

It's time to explore the Deep Blue as two fish journey across the sea to find a lost small fish. We will also have coloring sheets based on the movie as we embark on the oceanic journey together. Feel free to bring snacks, but of course, please keep the room clean.

AM SESSION FULL

Fee: Free

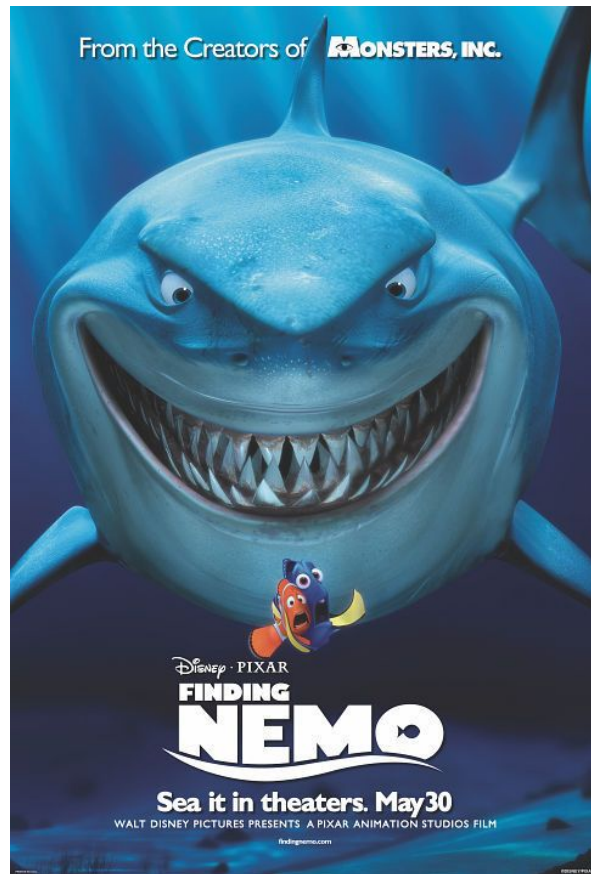
Session: Half Day, PM

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): D. Johnson's room #B221, Special Education hallway (By Ms Gessner's Room)

Meeting Location for May 9th: D. Johnson's room #B221, Special Education hallway (By Ms Gessner's Room)

Limit: 20 students per session

Staff: D. Johnson



4HD: Color City Pottery Painting



Join us for a day of color! We will travel to Color City in the Albertville Outlet Mall to create your masterpiece! Choose from over 30 different items to paint! You will eat lunch at MSE.

Fee: \$30

Session : Half Day

Lunch: At School

Meeting Location April 10th, May 5th: Mr. Jordheim Band Room - A114

Limit: 30 students

Staff: Mr. Jordheim, Ms. Cameron



5HD:Wilderness Survival

Get ready to explore the great outdoors here in our own Becker Big Woods school forest! We'll spend the morning or afternoon learning about wilderness survival by building shelters, searching for plants and animals, and learning to find our way around out in the wild!

Fee: Free

Session: Half Day, AM or PM

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Mr. Weigle's Room #703 (5th Grade Pod)

Meeting Location for May 9th: Mr. Weigle's Room #703 (5th Grade Pod)

Limit: 48 students AM, 48 students PM

Staff: Weigle, Gritti, Kornovich



6HD: Dazzling Diamond Art

In this half-day activity, you will create stunning, shimmering artwork!

Diamond painting is a relaxing and fun craft that combines the beauty of paint-by-numbers with the sparkle of rhinestones! You will create a dazzling masterpiece by placing tiny, colorful resin "diamonds" onto a pre-printed canvas, following a coded pattern.

Fee: \$5.00

Session: Half Day, AM or PM

Lunch: Bring your own bag lunch

Meeting Location for April 10th, May 5th (KORT): Mrs. Schleicher's Room , B208

Meeting Location for May 9th: Mrs. Schleicher's Room, B208

Limit: 36 students AM, 36 students PM

Staff: Mrs. Mesna and Mrs. Schleicher



7 HD: St. Michael Cinema

Join us for a fun-filled time at the **St. Michael Movie Theater!** We'll hop on the bus and head over to enjoy a fantastic film on the big screen. 🍿 **Craving snacks?** Your movie ticket pricing also gets you a pop and popcorn! The concession stand will also be open for other snacks to purchase. Don't miss out on this exciting trip—sit back, relax, and enjoy the show! 🎬🌟

Morning Movie – The Legend of Och

Fee – \$15.00 (covers movie, popcorn, pop, and bus ride)
Session – Saturday 9:15 AM – 11:45 AM
Meeting Location for April 1st – Cafeteria
Meeting Location for May 5th (KORT) – Cafeteria
Meeting Location for May 9th – Cafeteria
Limit – 50 students
Staff – Jensen, Smith, Barte

Afternoon Movie – A Mine Shaft Movie

Fee – \$15.00 (covers movie, popcorn, pop, and bus ride)
Session – Saturday 1:00 PM – 3:30 PM
Meeting Location for April 1st – Cafeteria
Meeting Location for May 5th (KORT) – Cafeteria
Meeting Location for May 9th – Cafeteria
Limit – 50 students

