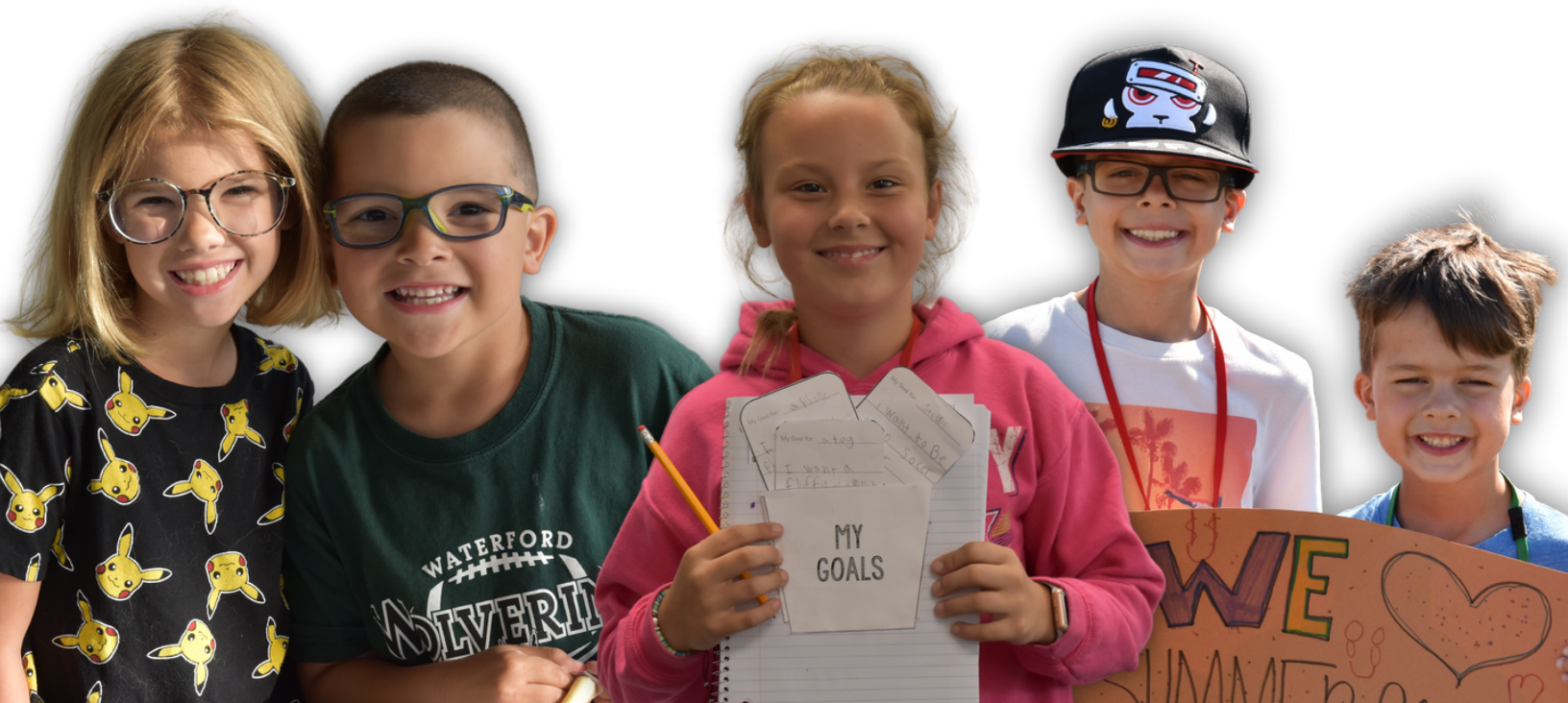




2024 SUMMER SCHOOL



WELCOME TO SUMMER SCHOOL 2024

Welcome to our Summer School Program, where educational opportunities thrive during the sun-filled months! We are excited to extend eligibility to all incoming grades 5K-8th grade resident & non-resident students, ensuring that the doors of learning remain open for everyone in our community. Whether you are looking to enhance your academic skills or explore new subjects, our Summer School is designed to accommodate and enrich the diverse needs of the student body. We hope you will join us!

We are proud that the majority of our Summer School staff are from the Waterford Graded School District who work successfully with our students throughout the school year. We value their experience and expertise. We also have educators from other districts who join us to share their knowledge and skills with the students.

SUMMER SCHOOL CONTACTS

Throughout the year, our Summer School team works to make sure students have an outstanding learning experience. Please direct any questions you may have to Heidi Frost at frost@waterford.k12.wi.us or 262-514-8205 and she will assist in getting you in touch with the correct person.

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262-514-8240

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Lisa Mutter - Administrative Assistant/Enrollment

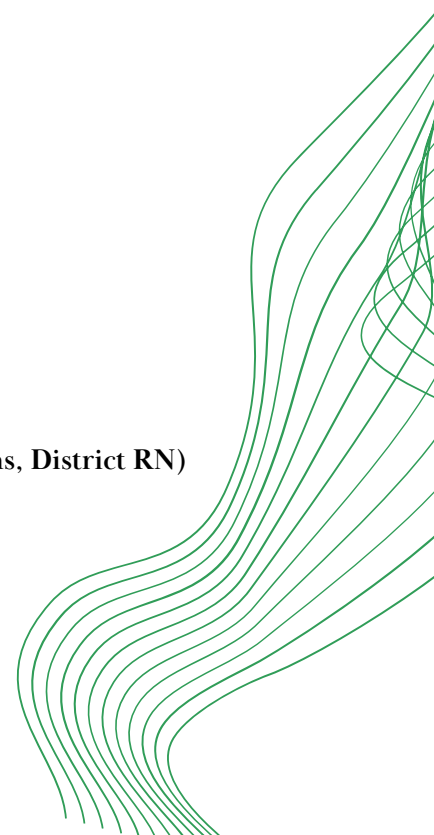
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SUMMER LEARNING VISION

Our vision is to create a vibrant and engaging learning environment where every student discovers the joy of learning beyond the traditional school year. We aim to foster creativity, curiosity, and collaboration, providing a unique space for students to explore, grow, and build lasting memories.

SUMMER 2024 LEARNING DATES


Students who will be entering grades 5K-8th grade in the fall of 2024:

- Summer learning classes meet Mondays through Thursdays, June 17th to July 25th, 2024
- No school on Fridays.
- No school the week of July 1st.

Session One: June 17th - 27th

Session Two (Interim Session): July 8th - 11th

Session Three: July 15th - 25th



REGISTERING FOR SUMMER LEARNING

All registration will take place online through Skyward Family Access. Courses will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

- Resident Enrollment begins February 26th at 8 am
 - If your resident child is not currently enrolled in WGSD, please contact Lisa Mutter, Administrative Assistant, at 262-514-8206 or email her at mutter@waterford.k12.wi.us. She will provide you with information on how to enroll your child in summer school through New Student Online Enrollment. Once enrollment is approved, you will receive a confirmation email which includes instructions on how to register for courses.
 - Current open-enrolled students are eligible to register at the same time as residents.
- Non-Resident Enrollment begins March 18th
 - Non-residents wishing to enroll their child in summer school should contact Lisa Mutter, Administrative Assistant, at 262-514-8206 or email her at mutter@waterford.k12.wi.us. She will provide you with information on how to enroll your child through New Student Online Enrollment. Once enrollment is approved, you will receive a confirmation email which will include instructions on how to register for courses.

Important: Students will not be able to repeat the same class across sessions (ex: Gym Games).

TRANSPORTATION

Waterford Graded School District will provide a free shuttle bus from three locations to Fox River and back at the conclusion of the summer school day.

- Please be aware that Trailside and Woodfield schools are not regularly staffed in the summer and therefore, supervision is the responsibility of the parent and not provided by the District. Supervision will be provided for students getting on and off the bus at Fox River.
- The shuttle bus is available to and from Fox River Middle School at the following pick-up/drop-off locations: Trailside Elementary School, Homestead Daycare, Woodfield Elementary School. No transportation will be available between sessions.
- Please contact Heidi Frost at 262-514-8205 or frost@waterford.k12.wi.us regarding any bus transportation questions.

FRMS SUMMER SCHOOL SHUTTLE - AM MONDAY - THURSDAY

7:25 am		Leave Terminal	DTC Station
7:31 am	P/U	Trailside Elementary	615 N Milwaukee St
7:37 am	P/U	Homestead Daycare	29200 Evergreen Dr
7:45 am	P/U	Woodfield Elementary	905 Barnes Dr
7:50 am	D/O	Fox River Middle School	921 W Main St

FRMS SUMMER SCHOOL SHUTTLE - MIDDAY MONDAY - THURSDAY

11:30 am		Leave Terminal	DTC Station
11:35 am	P/U	Fox River Middle School	921 W Main St
11:45 am	D/O	Woodfield Elementary	905 Barnes Dr
11:51 am	D/O	Homestead Daycare	29200 Evergreen Dr
11:57	D/O	Trailside Elementary	615 N Milwaukee St

SUMMER LEARNING ATTENDANCE

- Attendance is taken during summer learning courses.
- Please attempt to have your child attend summer learning class everyday! If your child will be absent, please notify the school via Skyward or call the attendance line at 262-514-8240.

SUMMER LEARNING CLASS SCHEDULING

- Summer learning schedules will be available to families in mid to late April.
- Classes will not run if they have insufficient enrollment or if a qualified instructor is not available to teach the class.

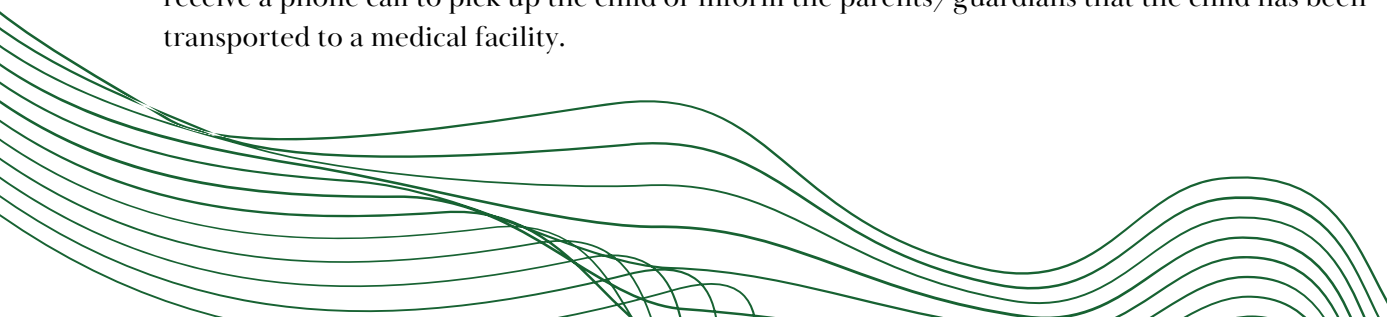
SUMMER SCHOOL HOURS

Bus Arrival to Fox River	7:50 am
Course 1	8:00 am - 9:30 am
Recess Break	9:30 am - 10:00 am
Course 2	10:00 am - 11:30 am
Dismissal	11:30 am
Bus Departs	11:40 am

NURSING SERVICES

Waterford Graded School District will have a Health Room Aide under the supervision of the District Nurse on staff during Summer School. More information will be available to those who register for Summer School and are in need of ongoing nursing services.

If you have any questions about nursing, please contact the district nurse, Christa Kerns, at kerns@waterford.k12.wi.us. If a child becomes ill or injured while at school, parents/guardians will receive a phone call to pick up the child or inform the parents/guardians that the child has been transported to a medical facility.



ADDITIONAL SUMMER OPTIONS

2024 SUMMER PLAYGROUND INFORMATION

In partnership with the Waterford Graded Recreation Department, we are pleased to announce that Summer Playground will accept students who are registered in their program before and after summer school.

Students who are attending Summer School and Summer Playground will be escorted (walked) to FR at 7:50 and escorted back to Evergreen at 11:30 so they can attend their classes.

- Grades: 4K - 5th Grade
- Dates: June 17th to August 2nd (No Summer Playground July 3-5)
- Before Care (Monday-Friday): 7 am-8 am
- Summer Playground (Monday-Thursday): 8 am-4 pm
- After Care (Monday-Friday): 4 pm-5:30 pm
- Friday: Field Trips (Before & After Care Available on Field Trip Days)
- Registration will open the week of March 11th
- Registration will close Sunday, May 26th

OTHER SUMMER REC OPPORTUNITIES

- Running Club
- Youth Basketball Camps
- Camp Invention

SAVE THE DATE!

Parent/Student Walk-Through will take place on June 10th from 4:00pm - 6:00pm.

We welcome families a chance to come in and take a walk around the Fox River Building in order to find the classrooms where your child's classes will be held and to become familiar with the space. Mr. Singer, Summer School Principal, will be on-site to answer any questions you may have or to assist if you need help finding a classroom. Please note that teachers will not be present during this time.

FEES

Summer school is free for all Waterford Graded School District residents and students enrolled in Waterford Graded Schools. Some courses require a materials fee, which is noted in the course description. Non-resident tuition cost is \$80 per two-week class, or \$40 per one-week class plus any material fees.

Any tuition and material fees must be paid by June 14th, 2024. Fees can be paid through the Skyward portal or at the District Office located at 819 W. Main Street. Unpaid fees may result in your student losing their spot in class.

If you have registered your child(ren) and they will not be attending summer school, contact Heidi Frost at frost@waterford.k12.wi.us. Refunds will only be given if the student is withdrawn prior to the first day of summer school. No refunds will be given after June 16th, 2024.

COURSE FEES

Classes that have fees for consumable materials are listed below:

Session One:

- STEM fun (Grades K-2) - \$5
- Fab Lab (Grades 6-8) - \$20
- Read, Write, Art (Grades K-2) - \$10
- Art Gallery 101 (Grades 3-5) - \$5
- Space Explorers: Journey to the Stars (Grades K-2) - \$5
- Passport II (Grades 6-8) - \$7
- Passport III (Grades 6-8) - \$7
- Creative Expressions (Grades K-2) - \$7
- Creative Expressions (Grades 3-5) - \$7
- Storytime Crafts II (Grades K-2) - \$10
- Wacky Science (3-5) - \$7

Session Two (Interim Week):

- Book Cooks (Grades 1-2) - \$2
- Easy Cooking (Grades 3-4) - \$4
- Seasonal Crafts Adventure: Exploring Creativity in Every Season (Grades 1-3) - \$4
- Mini Fab Lab (Grades 6-8) - \$15

Session Three:

- Edible Science Experiments (Grades 3-4) - \$7
- Edible Science Experiments (Grades 5-6) - \$7
- Storytime Crafts III (Grades K-2) - \$10
- Creative Expressions (Grades K-2) - \$7
- Creative Expressions (Grades 3-5) - \$7
- Planning a Dream Vacation (Grades 5-8) - \$2

WGSD Flexible Learning Opportunities

In an effort to provide families and students with flexible, remote, high-quality instructional materials for skill maintenance over the summer, WGSD will make the various paid digital learning platforms available for all students to access from the end of the school year through July 25th. We hope you might consider using these platforms with your child(ren) to combat summer learning loss. This flexible option is available for all families, no matter their summer plans, travel, cost, and/or commitments.

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Available Programs

Pebble Go
Pebble Go Next
Bookflix
Tumblebooks
TrueFlix
Lightbox Learning
Scholastic Go

i-Ready

Grades 5k-8th

Learning Path
Learning Games
Fluency Flights (gr. 2-5)

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SESSION ONE COURSES

8:00 AM – 9:30 AM

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

The primary goal of this physical education course is to develop students' fundamental movement skills within a variety of developmentally appropriate games and activities.

Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2

JUMPSTART MATH 4

This class will focus on incoming grade level math skills and strategies. Students will be engaged in activities to apply these skills and strategies, enriching their mathematical thinking.

Incoming Grades: 4

STEM FUN

Come have fun with STEM activities, challenges, and explorations during our time together. We will learn how to problem solve and bring ideas to life with building challenges.

Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2
Course Fee: \$5

FAB LAB

Students will work in the Fox River FAB LAB and have an opportunity to use the wood shop and all the tools/machines in it to create two wood projects; a home decor project and a game-type project that can be taken home to enjoy. Students will have fun using their hands, creating, and working collaboratively while developing real-world skills. The students in the FAB LAB class will also learn the safety basics of all the machines they use in the shop.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8
Course Fee: \$20

LIT CAMP

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Incoming Grades: 1, 3, 5
ALL SUMMER LONG PROGRAM

READ, WRITE, ART

We will have a lot of fun in this class focusing on great books, writing, and art. We will read a book together, write about the story or something related to the story, and then we will complete an art project to go along with what we read.

Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2
Course Fee: \$10

MATH MATHEMATICIANS

Calling all Math Mathematicians! This class will keep you engaged in activities that include practicing and using math skills such as addition/subtraction, place value, measurement, and more! If you enjoy math or would like more practice with math, this class is a great choice for you!

Incoming Grades: 1, 2

EXPLORE THE USA

Get Ready to Explore the United States! Students will learn all about the Northeast, Southeast, West, Southwest, and Midwest regions of our country. Come and have fun with us as we explore the history, culture, landmarks, and cuisine of each region of the country.

Incoming Grades: 3

MINECRAFT

Explore the pixelated realms of Minecraft in our Summer School Course! From crafting intricate structures to mastering redstone contraptions, embark on an educational journey that combines creativity and critical thinking. Learn teamwork through collaborative builds and delve into the game's mechanics, discovering the science behind the blocky world. Immerse yourself in a dynamic environment that fosters problem-solving and digital literacy, making this course a unique blend of fun and learning for Minecraft enthusiasts. Note: If you have a wireless mouse at home, you will want to bring it and use it for this course.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

ART GALLERY 101

Students will explore different art mediums (straw painting, basic weaving, mosaics, silhouettes, crepe paper painting, optical illusion art, 3-d pop-up art) and end the session with a grand art gallery walk to show off all their creative work.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

Course Fee: \$5

SPANISH

Students will work on learning Spanish through songs, stories, food and crafts.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

SPACE EXPLORERS: JOURNEY TO THE STARS

Blast off into the Universe with space themed activities, astronomy lessons, and hands on projects exploring the wonders of our solar system.

Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2

Course Fee: \$5

MUSICAL THEATER

Do you like the theater? Ever wish you had a part to play in the theater? If this sounds like you, this class is a match! Come and learn a medley from a musical and learn how to act it out using choreography!

Incoming Grades: 4, 5, 6

PASSPORT II

It's time to board the airplane and stamp our passport to adventure! Come and learn about the cultures, food, and traditions from around the world.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

Course Fee: \$7

6TH GRADE CONCERT BAND

Incoming 6th-grade band students join us for a summer of music! We will continue learning beginning band techniques that will prepare you for middle school band.

We will have small group lessons and band rehearsals with the goal of performing exciting music for an end of the summer band performance!

Incoming Grades: 6

Prerequisite: Must be a current band student or have started band in 5th grade.

Note: Session One and Session Three (eight week class)

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS

Explore your creative side through different related arts mediums. Classes will focus on exploring creative stories/plays, creating art projects, singing songs, and making and dancing to music.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

Course Fee: \$7

WACKY SCIENCE

Come experience the fun and crazy world of science. Students will be able to learn about science in a fun way doing crazy experiments while learning. Experiments will be conducted using items you could find at home, but might want to be conducted outdoors!

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5
Course Fee: \$7

INTRO TO GERMAN

Intro to German is a chance to begin learning the German language and about the country of Germany. Students will be introduced to the German alphabet, numbers, and basic German phrases. They will also learn about the country of Germany and some of its unique features.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

BOOK CLUB

Do you LOVE to read? If so, this Book Club is for you! Students will choose from a variety of books, set reading goals, and have great discussions! We will even use technology to share our books with others.

Incoming Grades: 7, 8

FIT FOR LIFE

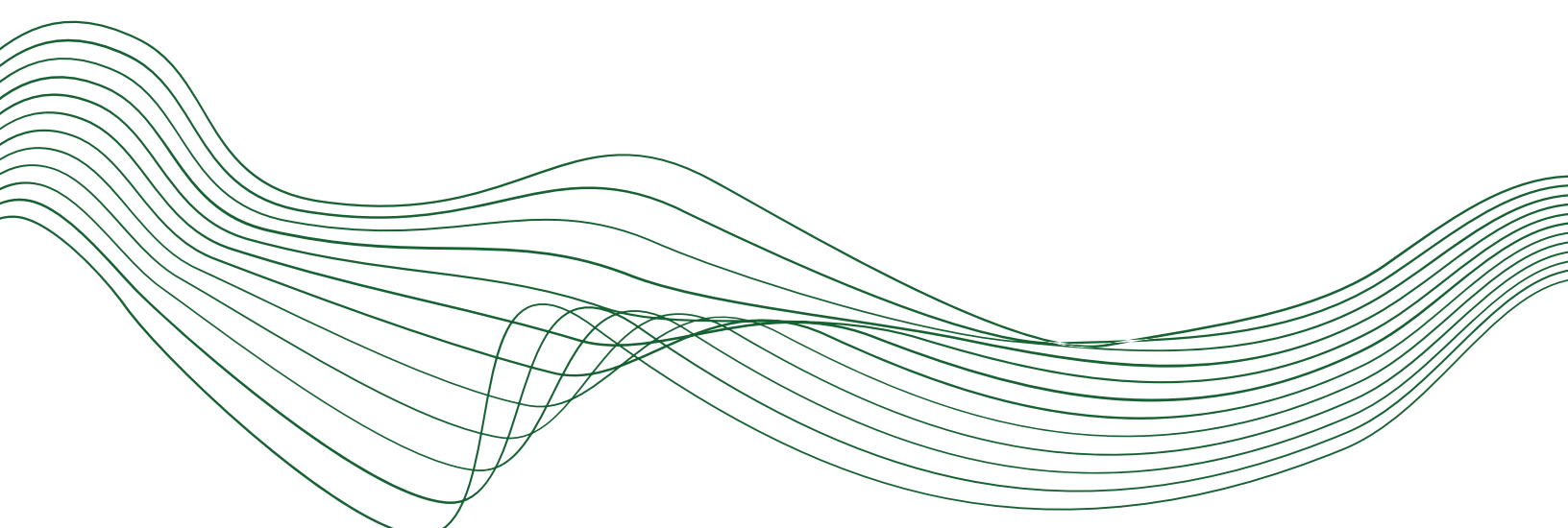
In this class, students will learn about ways to stay healthy and active. This class will incorporate team activities that allow for movement, including team sports, team obstacles, and many more fun activities that involve movement!

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

MINI LIT CAMP

Come and experience what LitCamp is all about in this mini-session. Litcamp proudly provides opportunities for children to reinforce literacy skills as well as explore ways to extend their learning progress through targeted instruction and fun learning activities. The camp theme will provide a sense of community as students work together to strengthen their skills through daily read-aloud times and classroom discussions. Each LitCamp classroom provides direct, targeted instruction in phonics, reading, and writing.

Incoming Grades: K





SESSION ONE COURSES

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Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

JUMPSTART MATH 5

This class will focus on incoming grade level math skills and strategies. Students will be engaged in activities to apply these skills and strategies, enriching their mathematical thinking.

Incoming Grades: 5

STEM FUN

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Course Fee: \$20

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Incoming Grades: 2, 4, 6
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Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2
Course Fee: \$10

STORYTIME CRAFTS II

Bring your love of reading and creating crafts together in this course. Students will read from children's books and then develop a craft connected to the story they read. This is a fun hands-on class that will develop reading skills and some problem-solving skills all in one.

Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2
Course Fee: \$10

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Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

Course Fee: \$5

JUMPSTART MATH 3

This class will focus on incoming grade level math skills and strategies. Students will be engaged in activities to apply these skills and strategies, enriching their mathematical thinking.

Incoming Grades: 3

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Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

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Incoming Grades: 7, 8

PASSPORT II

It's time to board the airplane to continue stamping our passport to adventure! This is the next level (after Passport to Adventure II) Come and learn about the cultures, food, and traditions from around the world. By the way, if you can take this class even if you did not take Passport II.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

Course Fee: \$7

7/8TH GRADE CELEBRATION BAND

Come join the celebration band! Students will work on basic marching techniques/music and perform in the 4th of July parade! Note: Session I lasts an extra week for the parade.

Incoming Grades: 7, 8

Note - Meets June 17th - July 4th

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS

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Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

PHONICS TO READING

Our new Phonics to Reading program brings an exciting and enriching dimension to our summer school program making learning a joyous adventure for students.

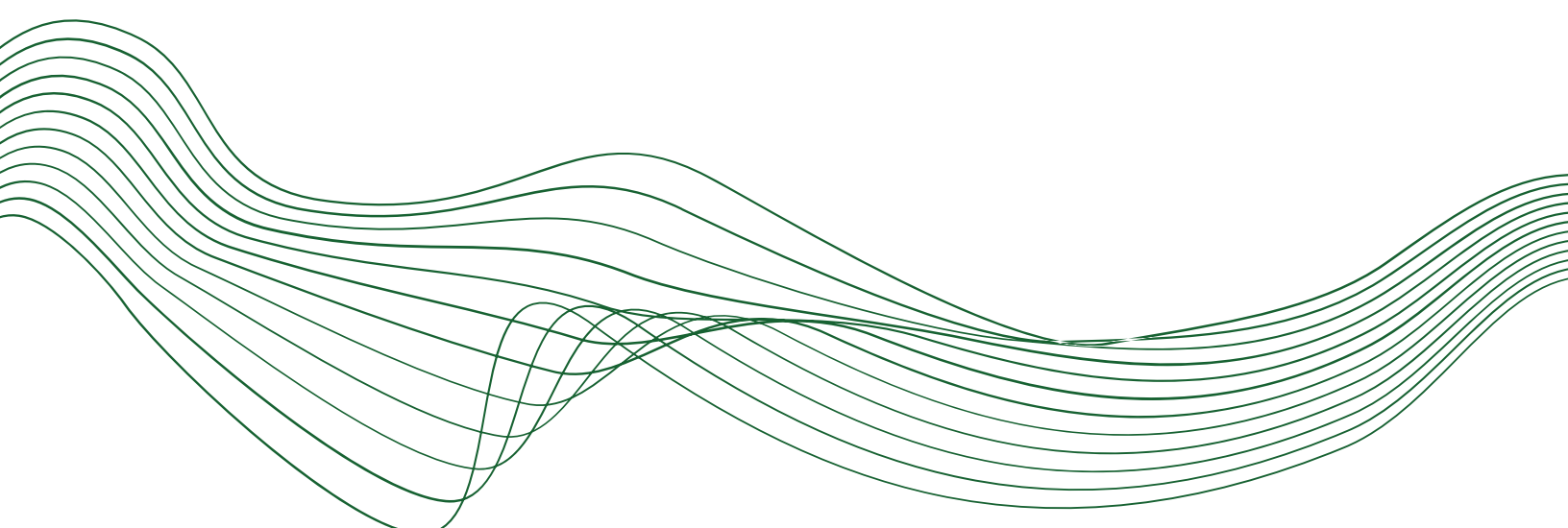
Designed with the spirit of summer in mind, this program infuses energy and fun into the process of acquiring foundational reading skills. Interactive games and multimedia resources ensure that students remain actively engaged during the summer sessions. The program not only imparts essential phonics knowledge, but also sparks a love for reading through its vibrant and captivating lessons. As students explore the world of letters and sounds in a playful atmosphere, they are not just building vital reading skills but also cultivating a lifelong passion for literacy. This class provides a cornerstone for an enjoyable and fruitful summer school experience, setting the stage for academic success and continued love for learning.

Incoming Grades: 1

FIT FOR LIFE

In this class, students will learn about ways to stay healthy and active. This class will incorporate team activities that allow for movement, including team sports, team obstacles, and many more fun activities that involve movement!

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8





SESSION TWO COURSES

INTERIM WEEK

8:00 AM – 9:30 AM

BOARD GAME STRATEGY

Ready to put your problem-solving skills to the test? Practice critical thinking, communication skills, collaboration, and creativity while playing board games!

Incoming Grades: 3, 4 & 5, 6

PIXAR READING SKILLS

Watching Pixar short films can be more than just fun! Students will watch engaging Pixar short films and practice reading comprehension skills, including making connections, asking questions, sequencing, predicting, drawing conclusions, identifying character traits, determining themes and more. After this class, students will be able to use their skills and apply them to their summer reading and beyond!

Incoming Grades: 4, 5

FAIRY TALE STEM

Come join the fun as the world of Fairy Tales meets STEM! We will read some favorite tales, then figure out ways to solve problems that the characters encountered with fun building challenges.

Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2

RUN FOR FUN

Do you like running? Do you enjoy sports like track and field and cross country? Are you just curious to see if running might be the sport for you? Then come and join us for this week-long class.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

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Incoming Grades: 1, 3, 5
ALL SUMMER LONG PROGRAM

READY FOR 5K

This one-week course is designed for children who will be entering 5K in the fall. Students will have the opportunity to learn, reinforce, and secure essential skills and concepts needed for a successful start of their elementary school years. Note: This course runs from 8:00-11:30 during interim week.

Incoming Grades: K
Note: This course runs from 8:00 am - 11:30 am

HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW

Are you interested in plants and growing your own? In this class, students will learn what it takes to grow a garden and will even have an opportunity to start some of their own plants to bring home!

Incoming Grades: 1, 2

BOOK COOKS

This class combines reading with cooking! Students will read a story and then put on their chef hats to create a yummy treat related to the story!

Incoming Grades: 1, 2

Course Fee: \$2

ULTIMATE FRISBEE

Get ready to soar to new heights in our Ultimate Frisbee Summer School Class! Dive into the thrill of fast-paced gameplay, strategic throws, and acrobatic catches. Whether you're a seasoned player or a first-time frisbee enthusiast, this class promises a perfect blend of fun and skill development under the sun. Join us for a summer of flying discs and fantastic plays!

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

SIGN LANGUAGE

Students will learn about Deaf culture through short video clips and popular songs. They will learn vocabulary, grammatical structures, finger spelling (alphabet), numbers, conversation phrases/questions, body language, and more.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

EASY COOKING

Are you looking to become more independent in cooking? Students will have opportunities to practice making easy recipes using only a microwave for everyone at home to enjoy. Come in for fun and leave with a full stomach.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4

Course Fee: \$4

MINI FAB LAB

Welcome to the Middle School Mini Fab Lab Course - a week-long journey into the exciting world of fabrication and innovation! This hands-on program is designed to ignite creativity, problem-solving, and technical skills among middle school students.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

Course Fee: \$15

SEASONAL CRAFTS ADVENTURE: EXPLORING CREATIVITY IN EVERY SEASON

Welcome spring, summer, fall, and winter with a fun read aloud, activities, and crafts to go with every season. Personalize and spruce up your space with something you create to reflect the mood and beauty of each season.

Incoming Grades: 1, 2, 3

Course Fee: \$4

WELLNESS AND MINDFULNESS RETREAT: STRESS REDUCTION AND RELAXATION

This course will offer mindfulness exercises, relaxation techniques, and discussions about mental well-being to help students manage stress and build resilience.

Incoming Grades: 7, 8

CHESS CHALLENGE

Unlock the secrets of chess strategy in this course designed for both beginners as well as intermediate players. From the basics to more strategic tactics, students will enjoy interactive game play. Boost critical thinking and strategic skills in a fun and supportive environment. Join us for a checkmate filled week of summer learning and excitement!

Incoming Grades: 5, 6, 7



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10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

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Incoming Grades: 1, 2 & 7, 8

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Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2

GYM GAMES

Get ready to break a sweat and have a blast in our Gym Games summer school course for middle school students! Join us for a high-energy program packed with a variety of fun and engaging activities. This class is the perfect way to stay active, make friends, and unleash the summer fun!

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

LIT CAMP

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Incoming Grades: 2, 4, 6
ALL SUMMER LONG PROGRAM

READY FOR 5K

This one-week course is designed for children who will be entering 5K in the fall. Students will have the opportunity to learn, reinforce, and secure essential skills and concepts needed for a successful start of their elementary school years. Note: This course runs from 8:00-11:30 during interim week.

Incoming Grades: K
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HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW

Are you interested in plants and growing your own? In this class, students will learn what it takes to grow a garden and will even have an opportunity to start some of their own plants to bring home!

Incoming Grades: 3, 4

BOOK COOKS

This class combines reading with cooking! Students will read a story and then put on their chef hats to create a yummy treat related to the story!

Incoming Grades: 1, 2

Course Fee: \$2

ULTIMATE FRISBEE

Get ready to soar to new heights in our Ultimate Frisbee Summer School Class! Dive into the thrill of fast-paced gameplay, strategic throws, and acrobatic catches. Whether you're a seasoned player or a first-time frisbee enthusiast, this class promises a perfect blend of fun and skill development under the sun. Join us for a summer of flying discs and fantastic plays!

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

SIGN LANGUAGE

Students will learn about Deaf culture through short video clips and popular songs. They will learn vocabulary, grammatical structures, finger spelling (alphabet), numbers, conversation phrases/questions, body language, and more.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

EASY COOKING

Are you looking to become more independent in cooking? Students will have opportunities to practice making easy recipes using only a microwave for everyone at home to enjoy. Come in for fun and leave with a full stomach.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4

Course Fee: \$4

MINI FAB LAB

Welcome to the Middle School Mini Fab Lab Course - a week-long journey into the exciting world of fabrication and innovation! This hands-on program is designed to ignite creativity, problem-solving, and technical skills among middle school students.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

Course Fee: \$15

SEASONAL CRAFTS ADVENTURE: EXPLORING CREATIVITY IN EVERY SEASON

Welcome spring, summer, fall, and winter with a fun read aloud, activities, and crafts to go with every season. Personalize and spruce up your space with something you create to reflect the mood and beauty of each season.

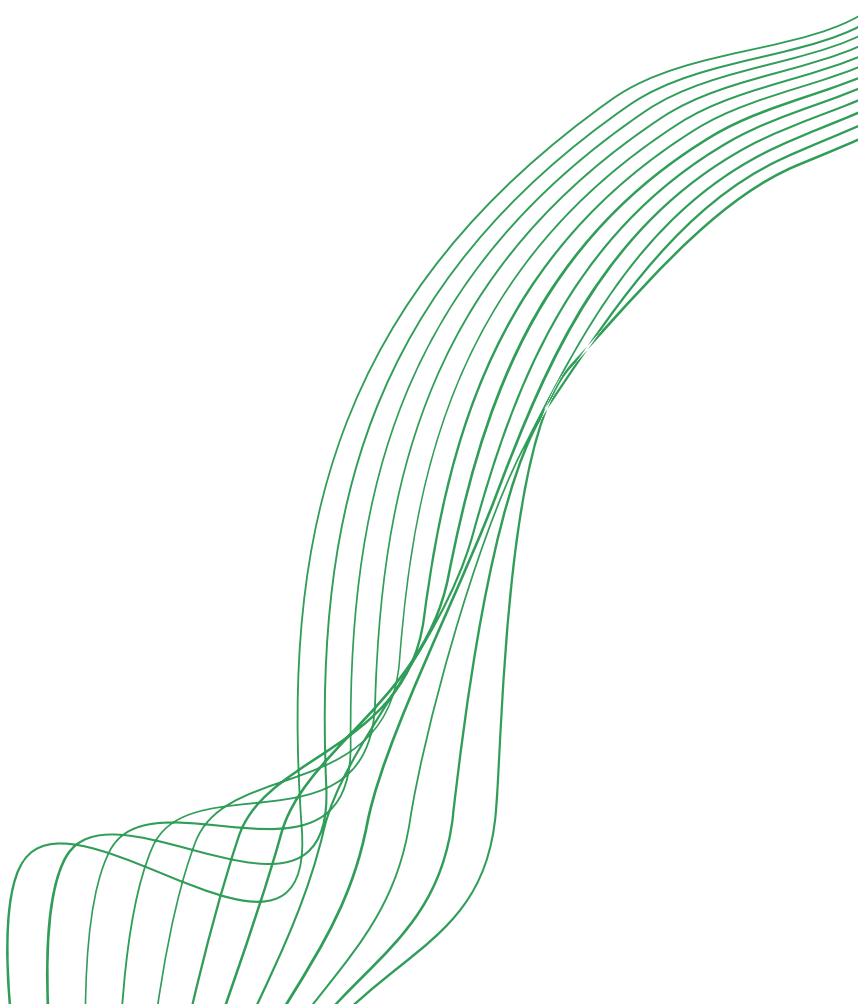
Incoming Grades: 1, 2, 3

Course Fee: \$4

CHESS CHALLENGE

Unlock the secrets of chess strategy in this course designed for both beginners as well as intermediate players. From the basics to more strategic tactics, students will enjoy interactive game play. Boost critical thinking and strategic skills in a fun and supportive environment. Join us for a checkmate filled week of summer learning and excitement!

Incoming Grades: 5, 6, 7





SESSION THREE COURSES

8:00 AM – 9:30 AM

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

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Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

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Incoming Grades: 3, 4
Course Fee: \$7

MULTIPLY, DIVIDE AND CONQUER

Students will conquer their understanding of multiplication and division in this class.

Incoming Grades: 3, 4

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Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2
Course Fee: \$10

PLANNING A DREAM VACATION

Students will research destinations, create itineraries, and learn about different cultures as they plan their "dream vacation". This class would enhance geography knowledge, research skills, and budgeting abilities.

Incoming Grades: 5, 6, 7, 8
Course Fee: \$2

SPANISH

Students will work on learning Spanish through songs, stories, food and crafts.

Incoming Grades: 6, 7, 8

JUMPSTART MATH 7

This class will focus on incoming grade level math skills and strategies. Students will be engaged in activities to apply these skills and strategies, enriching their mathematical thinking.

Incoming Grades: 7

JUMPSTART MATH 2

This class will focus on incoming grade level math skills and strategies. Students will be engaged in activities to apply these skills and strategies, enriching their mathematical thinking.

Incoming Grades: 2

6TH GRADE CONCERT BAND

Incoming 6th-grade band students join us for a summer of music! We will continue learning beginning band techniques that will prepare you for middle school band.

We will have small group lessons and band rehearsals with the goal of performing exciting music for an end of the summer band performance!

Incoming Grades: 6
Prerequisite: Must be a current band student or have started band in 5th grade.
Note: Session One and Session Three (eight week class)

CREATIVE EXPRESSIONS

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Incoming Grades: K, 1, 2
Course Fee: \$7

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Incoming Grades: K

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Students will learn the value of helping and doing for others. Come and be part of inspiring kindness throughout the community.

Incoming Grades: 7, 8

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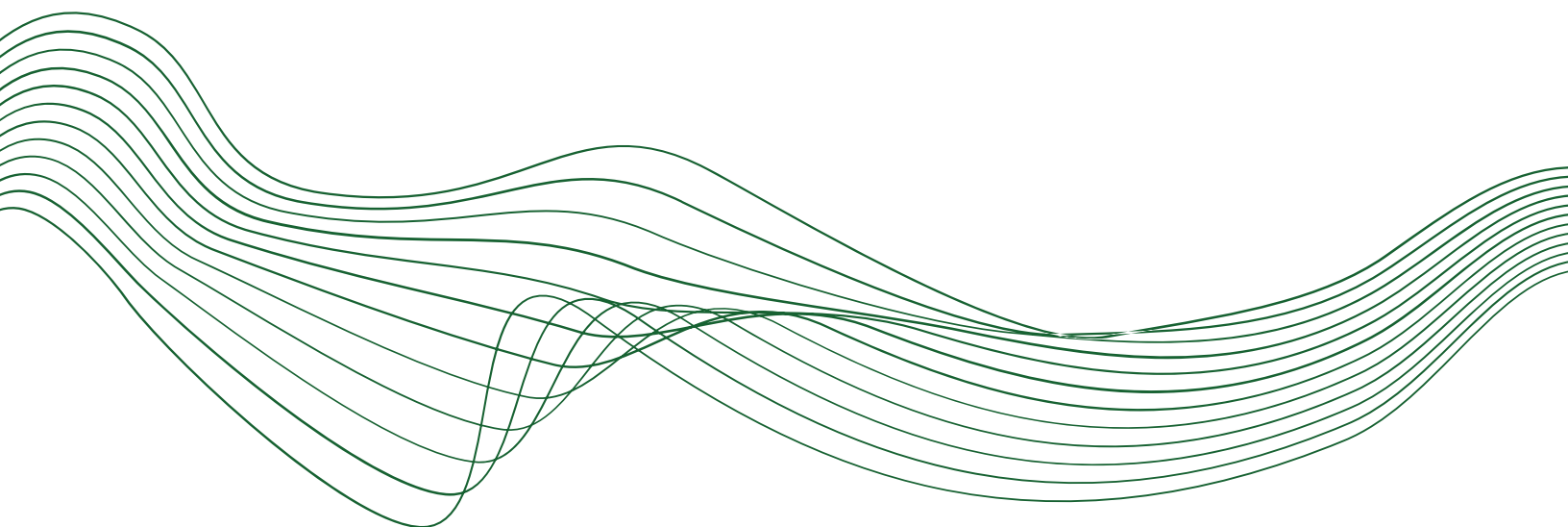
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Incoming Grades: 3, 4, 5

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