



## 2025 Maclay Summer Camp Descriptions

**Day Camp** is the quintessential summer camp offered at Maclay School! This camp has been creating summer memories since the 1980s! Day Camp is offered from 9am – 3pm to students rising into the 4<sup>th</sup> grade, 5<sup>th</sup> grade, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade. This all-inclusive camp provides a wide range of age-appropriate games, activities, and daily morning field trips.

### An overview of Day Camp:

- **Monday – Community Camp Day** – Camper’s will have the opportunity to see old friends, make new friends and get to know their counselors. All Monday activities will be conducted on Maclay’s 100-acre campus. Campers should pack a bathing suit, towel, and change of clothes as Monday’s will include a pool party after lunch!
- **Tuesday – Morning Movie Day** – Camper’s will take their first fieldtrip of the week before they return to campus for lunch, a visit from Momma P’s and afternoon games! Day Camp students will join their JR. Day Camp friends for this privately scheduled movie viewing.
- **Wednesday – Wild Card Wednesday** – Morning field trips alternate between the Challenger Center and Skate World! Please ensure your camper is onsite by 9am sharp! They won’t want to miss the bus for this field trip!
- **Thursday – FUN Station Day** – Day Camp students join their JR. Day Camp friends for a private event at the FUN station! Games, Golf, Laser Tag and Community! Please do not send campers with additional money. Both Day Camp and JR. Day Camp will return to campus for lunch & Kona Ice.
- **Friday – Wakulla Springs** – Campers will explore the beautiful and wilderness of Wakulla Springs during a full day field trip on Fridays. Campers should wear a bathing suit to camp, pack a towel, and a change of clothes. Snacks and Lunch will be held at Wakulla Springs as students will return from their fieldtrip by 2:45pm. Please take note that the Wakulla Springs field trip is a swimming only trip. Campers will not be visiting the gift shop or taking boat tours.

### Daily Lunch Menu:

- Monday – Chicken Nuggets, fruit, chips, and a drink
- Tuesday – Hot Dogs, fruit, chips, and a drink
- Wednesday – Hamburgers, fruit, chips, and a drink
- Thursday – Cheese Pizza, fruit, chips, and a drink
- Friday – Turkey Subs, fruit, chips, and a drink
- *Vegetarian options available upon request*

Remember, your registration for Day Camp includes all fees associated with the field-trip locations, a Momma P’s treat, and a daily lunch. Please do not send campers with additional money.

**Challenger Learning Center Dates - June 4th, 18th July 2nd, 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Skate World Dates - June 11th, 25th July 9th and 23**



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**JR. Day Camp** is Maclay School's newest addition to the summer line-up! JR. Day Camp helps to prepare students for Day Camp summer adventures to come! Camp is offered from 9am – 3pm to students rising into the 1st grade, 2<sup>nd</sup> grade, and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. This all-inclusive camp provides a wide range of age-appropriate games, activities, and two morning field trips.

An overview of JR. Day Camp:

**Monday** – Community Camp Day – Camper's will have the opportunity to see old friends, make new friends and get to know their counselors. All Monday activities will be conducted on Maclay's 100-acre campus. Campers should pack a bathing suit, towel, and change of clothes as Monday's will include a water party after lunch!

**Tuesday** – Morning Movie Day – Camper's will take their first fieldtrip of the week before they return to campus for lunch, a visit from Momma P's and afternoon games! JR. Day Camp students will join their big Day Camp friends for this privately scheduled movie viewing!

**Wednesday** – Water Day – Campers should wear a bathing suit to camp, pack a towel, and change of clothes as Wednesday's are geared towards wet & wacky fun! After lunch, campers will decompress with indoor games and activities.

**Thursday** – FUN Station Day – JR. Day Camp students join their big Day Camp friends for a private event at the FUN station! Games, Golf, Laser Tag and Community! Please do not send campers with additional money. Both Day Camp and JR. Day Camp will return to campus for lunch

**Friday** – Field Day – Campers should wear a bathing suit to camp, pack a towel, and a change of clothes as Friday's are geared towards field day fun! After lunch, campers will decompress with mindful based games, activities or a movie.

### **Daily Lunch Menu:**

Monday – Chicken Nuggets, fruit, chips, and a drink

Tuesday – Hot Dogs, fruit, chips, and a drink

Wednesday – Hamburgers, fruit, chips, and a drink

Thursday – Cheese Pizza, fruit, chips, and a drink

Friday – Turkey Subs, fruit, chips, and a drink

*Vegetarian options available upon request*

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**Kindergarten Camp** is a wonderful way for your child to spend the summer. This camp is for children entering Kindergarten and is a wonderful way to transition into life in the “big school.” We offer a half-day option from 8:30am-12:00pm or a full-day option (Kindergarten Lunch Bunch) from 8:30am-3pm consisting of thematic learning and play. The day is filled with stories, songs, movement, art activities and indoor and outdoor play. Each week we have a different theme for campers to celebrate. Please note a daily lunch is included with the registration to Kindergarten Lunch Bunch.

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**PreK Camp** is a wonderful way to transition before the new school year begins. We offer a half day option from 8:30am-12:00pm or full day option (Lunch Bunch) from 8:30am-3pm consisting of thematic learning and play. The day is filled with stories, songs, movement, art activities as well as indoor and outdoor play. Each week we have a different theme for campers to celebrate.

- Pre-K campers must be 3 years old by June 1, 2025, and must be potty trained.
  - Early Bird Drop-off (pre-registered only) is available from 7:30-8:30am in the Pre-K Building
  - Pickup is in the Pre-K circle carpool line for all PreK campers. (Lunch Bunch & Extended Day)
  - *You must be pre-registered for Lunch Bunch and/or Extended Day.*
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**Maclay Baseball Camp** focuses on fundamentals and skill development for rising 1st – 8th grade students. Each morning, campers will be broken into two groups, rising 1st – 4th and rising 5th – 8th before activities begin. The daily routine will include work on throwing, fielding, hitting, catching, and base-running, utilizing the field and covered batting cages. Each camper will leave camp with a better understanding of the fundamentals of the game through participation and coaching.

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**Maclay Boys Basketball Camp** - The Maclay Boys’ Basketball Camp is designed to teach all aspects of the game. From beginning player to seasoned athlete, athletes will work on shooting, ball handling, passing and team play. Campers will have fun learning the technical, physical, and strategic skills of basketball in an appropriate way based on all skill levels. The camp will consist of contests, one on one play and lectures by players and Coach. Championship Day will be on the last day and is always a great end to the camp.



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**Maclay Girls Basketball Camp** - The Maclay Girls' Basketball Camp is designed to benefit the beginning player and seasoned competitor. The daily schedule will center around the fundamentals of shooting, ball handling, and passing while focusing on individual skills as well as team play. Campers will have fun learning the technical, physical, and strategic skills of basketball in an appropriate way based on all skill levels. Open to female players of all skill levels.

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**Maclay Cheer Camp** - Do you have spirit? Let's hear it! Catch the spirit of cheerleading at Maclay Cheerleading Camp. The is designed to improve skills in jumps, stunts, chants and cheers with an emphasis on safety. There will be a good deal of exercising with an emphasis on conditioning and learning basic dance routines.

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**Dungeons and Dragons Camp** This camp will introduce the Dungeons and Dragons game system to new players. Campers will design their own characters and go on a quest using the D&D game system. Campers can also play other strategy games like Axis and Allies, Monopoly, Junta, Risk, Samurai Swords, and other miniature games. Lunch is included.

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**The Middle School Summer Bridge Camp** is a one-week camp which prepares rising Maclay 6th graders for middle school at Maclay. The camp simulates the middle school schedule and blends courses in study skills, humanities, and STEM to create a bridge from lower school and prepare rising Maclay 6th graders for their first year of middle school. Students will be introduced to the middle school campus, schedule, policies, and routines and will review key skills in executive functioning, math, science, social studies, and language arts through engaging in hands-on experiences, collaborative learning, and individualized support. In the humanities and STEM courses, the camp will support students with their summer reading and math assignments and goals. Each camp day will conclude with Community Time where students will engage in community-building games and activities. Students should bring a water bottle, their summer reading community book, a laptop or tablet, paper, and writing instruments. Lunch is provided through the dining hall or students can pack their own lunches.

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**Maclay Music Academy Fortissimo Camp** Dive into a world of melody and rhythm at Fortissimo Camp! Unleash your inner maestro as you explore a variety of instruments, from guitars to keyboards, and discover the joy of creating harmonious tunes. Our camp is designed for music enthusiasts of all levels ages 9-11, offering a playful environment where creativity knows no bounds. Join us for an unforgettable week filled with laughter, learning, and music!



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**Maclay Music Academy Crescendo Camp** - Experience the enchantment of music at Crescendo Camp! Our camp aims to cultivate a lifelong passion for music in children, designed for budding musicians aged 5-8. This immersive journey is fun and creative as children dive into the world of instruments, where little fingers pluck strings to tap drums, xylophones and dance around to music. Our talented instructor nurtures a love for singing, guiding kids through rhythmic dances, musical crafts, and instrumental games. Instruments and materials are provided, so let the musical magic begin!

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**Maclay Robotics Camp** Calling all Robonauts!!! Who's ready for a week of non-stop action and fun! Robo Cadets will build a variety of robot designs and utilize them to complete daily challenges and activities, such as obstacle courses and mazes with exciting & adventurous storylines, where it will be up to you to save the day – You will be introduced to fundamental engineering and design concepts, as well as basic/advanced coding of your robots – there will be guided instruction as well as hands on exploration – and yes - there will be Robo Sumo battles. First Mission: 'Gear up' for imagineering at its finest!

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**Maclay Scholars** - Maintaining and strengthening skills to ready students' confidence and abilities for the upcoming year. A daily rotation of math and language arts helps to fill our day. Also incorporated are art, science, computer science, and other opportunities for exploration and growth. Kids will have a chance for time on the playground as well.

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**Maclay Theater Camp** - Join us on a journey through music and dance for a week that is sure to please! Campers in this Dance and Musical Theater camp will create sets, design costumes, and star in a performance with the theme of the week.

- June 2-6 - Off To Neverland!
  - June 16-18 Under the Sea!
  - June 23-27 Just Can't Wait To Be King!
  - June 30-July 3 Stars and Stripes!
  - July 7-11 You've Got a Friend in Me!
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**Maclay Volleyball Camp** - is open to all experience levels, focusing on the basics including fundamental techniques and team building designed to benefit the beginning player by emphasizing the basics along with team play. The daily schedule will consist of fundamental sessions on a variety of skills including the overhead pass, digs, spikes, blocking, and the overhead serve. Conditioning, video instruction, and actual game experience will be included. **NOTE: This is a 4-day camp.**



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**Mini-Kickers Soccer** - For over 30 years, Maclay School has teamed up with Warner Soccer to provide quality programs that meet the needs of all soccer players. This program is open to boys and girls aged 4 and 5.

Emphasis will be on developing basic soccer techniques, alongside balance, movement, agility, and motor skills, all of which are vital for individual development. All players will learn to be active while playing fun soccer games designed to improve coordination, self-confidence, social interaction, and love of the game. **What to Bring:** water bottle, snack.

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**Soccer Academy Half Day** - For over 30 years, Maclay School has teamed up with Warner Soccer to provide quality programs that meet the needs of all soccer players. This program is open to boys and girls age 6-13. Players will be grouped by age and ability. The camp offers exciting programs focusing on learning individual, technical, and tactical skills. Some of the skills include: passing, receiving, finishing, and dribbling. Each participant will work in small groups and team settings. **What to Bring:** Soccer ball, water bottle, snack

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**Soccer Academy Full Day 8:30am - 3pm** - For over 30 years, Maclay School has teamed up with Warner Soccer to provide quality programs that meet the needs of all soccer players. This program is open to boys and girls age 6-13. Players will be grouped by age and ability. The camp offers exciting programs focusing on learning individual, technical, and tactical skills. Some of the skills include passing, receiving, finishing, and dribbling. Each participant will work in small groups and team settings. A daily lunch is included with full day participation. **What to Bring:** Soccer ball, water bottle, snack, tennis shoes

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**Indoor Developmental Futsal Soccer** - This specialized camp for 6-13 year olds features soccer skills training based on the highly successful "futsal" training program. "Futsal" combines speed, fitness and agility with dribbling, passing and shooting skills. This is absolutely the best training method to improve first touch control. Players will also play tournament style games in the afternoons. This program has closed out the past two years so register early. What to bring: Soccer ball, water bottle, tennis shoes, cleats, shin guards, snacks. "Beat the heat and play indoors". Lunch is included.

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**Indoor Advanced Futsal** - This specialized camp for 6-13 year olds features soccer skills training based on the highly successful "futsal" training program. "Futsal" combines speed, fitness and agility with dribbling, passing and shooting skills. This is absolutely the best training method to improve first touch control. Players will also play tournament style games in the afternoons. This program has closed out the past two years so register early. What to bring: Soccer ball, water bottle, tennis shoes, cleats, shin guards, snacks. "Beat the heat and play indoors". Lunch is included.



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**Tennis & Pickleball Camp with Elite Junior Tennis** will run a specialized program that will involve almost 15 hours of tennis, pickleball and other sport specific activities throughout the course of the week. Perfect for aspiring tennis and pickleball players of all ages, genders and levels. There will be a comprehensive overview of the 7 fundamental strokes in tennis that will closely tie into the various strokes associated with Pickleball. Also included in this week will be team single and doubles competitions, fun games, team competitions in world cup soccer and lightning ball, and prizes.

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**Lacrosse Camp** Campers will be divided into groups based on skill levels, using specialty coaches to improve the skills of both the beginner and returning player. Our goal is to foster a spirit of camaraderie and to teach valuable skills that can be applied both on and off the field. Lacrosse veterans and returning players will appreciate our challenging curriculum, innovative drills and personal interaction with our specialty coaches. Beginners will learn lacrosse from the ground up as well as the values of integrity, dedication and teamwork that are inherent within the sport. We encourage participants to bring their own lacrosse stick to camp.

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**Swim Camp with United Swim Club** Located at Maclay School's Lanier Aquatics Center, Swim Camp is for those campers who can already swim but want to further develop their skills while staying entertained (through swim specific drills and games).

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**Summer Games Camp** - Are you ready to have an amazing summer? Let the games begin! See what the buzz is all about with one of the most popular camps in Tallahassee. This camp is 100% on campus from 8:30am – 2pm and is an awesome mix of your child's favorite sports like basketball, soccer, baseball, kickball, dodgeball, capture the flag, swimming, gaga ball, tag, relay races and so much more! We will bring the games, and you bring your energy and passion for all things sports! Early bedtimes are not guaranteed but are highly probable after an active day at Summer Games Camp! Lunch is inclusive of registration.

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**Gymnastics Camp with JB Mobile Fitness** Come experience a fun-filled gymnastics camp where many memories and new friendships will be made. In our gymnastics camp we have a flipping good time in a safe environment. Campers will work hard and enjoy achieving their goals. Emphasis will be placed on reinforcing basics while using safe progressions to pursue new skills. The focus of the camp is tumbling, and we welcome beginner to intermediate skill levels. We will be working on everything from cartwheels to back-handsprings. Come join the fun! **Please Note: This is a 4-day camp (Monday-Thursday).**



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### AI SmartCore 4 Robot

Dive into the exciting universe of robotics by building and taking home your very own AI SmartCore 4 Robot! This remarkable kit features 4 separate modular smart vehicles that are powered by cutting-edge AI SmartCore technology! It allows All-Terrain Cube to navigate directions with balance and predictability; Enables Super Snake to entertain the most curious of four and two-legged friends; Empowers Turbo Trike to cruise at high speeds while maintaining control; and transforms Titan Tank into a roving explorer. Whether navigating tricky terrain, zooming at top speeds, or exploring new territories, every day promises hands-on fun and learning! With 42 easy-to-snap-together parts, a remote control, and a rechargeable LiPO battery, it's perfect for new robot builders eager to master robotic engineering! Ready to build the future? Join us and let your imagination take flight!

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### Chemical Creations

Come experience a hands-on world of fun as you conduct a variety of scientific experiments! You will work on and take home your very own Chemistry Lab Kit complete with test tubes, safety goggles, and more! Learn and discover many different scientific concepts in an entertaining and innovative approach. You will be trained to work like a real scientist in the lab. You will also make and take home some really cool chemical creations! Learn all about energy and molecules, create a crazy bouncy glob from glue, and some scary green slime! Make your very own UV bracelet and watch it react to the sun. You will also get to witness some amazing scientific demonstrations from your instructor. Watch snow being created and feel how cold it is! Experience a really powerful magnet, magic sand, and many other exciting experiments in this fascinating and educational program!

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### 6 in 1 Space Fleet Robot

Build and take home your very own Solar Space Fleet Robot! The Solar Space Fleet Kit is an innovative solar powered science kit that can transform into six different lunar modules. Using your own mini solar panel, watch as direct sunlight brings the kits to life! Come and create six different working models including a Space Station, Space Rover, Space Explorer, Astronaut, Space Shuttle, and Space Dog. Watch as it moves around and speeds up or slows down depending on the intensity of light as you learn, experiment, and have fun with solar power! Each complete model can also be powered by your very own mini rechargeable battery. Come join in this super fun solar space adventure!





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### CSI: Crime Scene Investigation

Come join our Minds In Motion Crime Team in this fun and interesting program! We will provide you with all the tools you need to become your very own crime scene investigator. Learn all about forensics, searching for evidence, and gathering clues and bring home your very own detective kit! Working in groups, you will conduct many science experiments in our crime lab to solve the mysteries at hand. You will learn all about fingerprinting and how to classify them and bring home your very own fingerprint classification sheet! You will also perform chemical analyses and observations working with powders, liquids, and much much more! Be amazed at how much science plays a part in solving a crime. Come ready with your thinking caps and be prepared to use all the skills necessary to solve the crime of the century and help save the Minds In Motion Laboratory!

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### Bridges and Skyscrapers

Do you ever wonder how bridges span huge distances and how skyscrapers stay standing? Get ready to get your mind in motion as you work with and take home your very own Bridges and Skyscrapers Set! Learn all about basic structural elements and witness firsthand the forces acting on structural components! With your kit, you can build up to 20 model building experiments that each demonstrate a basic principle of mechanical physics or structural engineering in a hands-on way. Learn about the strength of materials as you compete with your classmate to see who can build the tallest tower using the pieces in this kit! Challenge yourself building different types of bridges such a suspension bridge or cable stayed bridge. Come bring out the architect side of you as you enter the fascinating world of structural engineering and explore the magic of STEM!

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### Cyber-Crawler Robot

Build and take home your very own Cyber-Crawler Robot! This smart coding robotics kit entertains and teaches programming skills to inquisitive young future robotic engineers! With the aid of your instructor, you will each assemble your own robot that consists of 76 pieces. Once completed, a simple press-button programming keypad embedded on its cranium will send your Cyber-Crawler on its way! You can design obstacles and maze courses with your classmates and see how far you can go. With a maximum storage capacity of 64 tasks, your Cyber-Crawler Robot will be a terrific starter tool to learn the joy of coding! This very cool robot's LEDs illuminate as it executes whatever you command. Come and join this fascinating and educational robotic experience!



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### Hydropower Explorers

Come explore the power of water by building models and conducting experiments with your very own Hydropower kit! Embark on thrilling hands-on activities as you assemble up to 12 working experiments. Learn how different devices are used to extract useful energy, from a waterwheel in a small stream to a giant turbine in a tidal power station! The full-color, 32-page manual offers illustrated instructions and scientific information. Build a sawmill, and a hammer mill to harness the energy of moving water to do different types of physical work! With your classmates, you will witness and investigate the intriguing properties of water. You can even construct a hydroelectric power station to generate electricity and light an LED! Learn where the energy in oceans and rivers comes from and discover how we can generate electricity from them. Come join in this educational and hands-on hydro-powered adventure!

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### 14 in1 Robot Adventure

Come and take home your very own 14 in 1 educational solar robot kit! Every hour more solar energy reaches the Earth than humans use in an entire year! Learn how solar energy works and witness firsthand how this technology can harness the sun's energy source. This kit contains unique components and parts that operate on land and water. Construct 14 different solar powered robots from functional to comical designs which include a tortoise bot, bug bot, paddle bot, tumbler bot, monster bot, big wheeler bot, car bot, surfer bot, and rowing bot! Working with its motor, gears, and solar panel, watch your solar bot come to life without any batteries as it uses the power of the sun. Take part in one of the alternative energies that is used most widely across the globe. Use your own creativity, put your mind in motion, and create your own designs!