



# SPECTRUM OF EDUCATION

ON-CAMPUS SUMMER ENRICHMENT CLASSES

**2025**

Academic Classes  
Art Exploration

Our Lady of Mercy School

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# MERCY SUMMER SPECTRUM AT A GLANCE

Deep Blue Sea	Entering K-2	July 7-11	11:00 – 12:00
Sweet Treats	Entering K-6	July 7-11	12:00 – 1:30
Math is “Fun”damental	Entering Grades 1-2	July 7-18	9:00 – 10:00
Reading is “Fun”damental	Entering Grades 1-2	July 7-18	10:00 – 11:00
Art Around the World	Entering Grades K-2	July 14-18	11:00 – 12:00
Reading Ahead 3-4	Entering Grades 3-4	July 7-18	9:00 – 10:30
Math Enrichment 3-4	Entering Grades 3-4	July 7-18	10:30 – 12:00
Art Rocks	Entering Grades K-6	July 14-18	12:00 – 1:30
Math Survey (1 week)	Entering Grades 5-6	July 7-11	8:00 – 9:30
Study Skill Strategies (1 week)	Entering Grades 5-6	July 7-11	9:30 – 10:30
Language Arts Enrichment (1 week)	Entering Grades 5-6	July 7-11	10:30 – 12:30
Math 7-8 (1 week)	Entering Grades 7-8	July 7-11	9:00 – 10:00
Reading Enrichment 7-8 (1 week)	Entering Grades 7-8	July 14-18	10:00 – 11:30
Vocabulary Highlights 7-8 (1 week)	Entering Grades 7-8	July 14-18	11:30 -12:30

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## **Math is “Fun”damental**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 1 & 2**

This primary math workshop is designed to help students strengthen number sense and foster skills to ease the transition to the next grade level. Students will use manipulatives, games, and technology to review addition, subtraction, and place value. The class will also develop strategies for tackling word problems and more complex math tasks.

Dates: July 7-18

9:00-10:00

\$240.00

Instructor: Bridget Van Egmond

Minimum: 5 students

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## **Reading is “Fun”damental**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 1 & 2**

This program will focus on enhancing reading confidence and ability in preparation for the upcoming school year. Each day students can expect to break into small groups and read highly engaging material. Students will also participate in a variety of engaging activities that will enhance phonemic awareness, phonics, comprehension, vocabulary, and fluency. Students will read at least one book which will be accepted as one of their summer reading skills.

Dates: July 7-18

10:00-11:00

\$240.00

Instructor: Bridget Van Egmond

Minimum: 5 students

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## **Reading Ahead 3 & 4**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grade 3 & 4**

Students will read a noted novel, which will be accepted as one of their summer reading requirements. Emphasis will be placed on vocabulary development, grammar review, and reading comprehension. A fun and creative learning environment will reinforce and promote reading skills.

Dates: July 7-18

9:00-10:30

\$360.00

Instructor: Andrew Miller

Minimum: 4 students

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## **Math Enrichment 3 & 4**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 3 & 4**

This program will focus on math instruction to enhance fact recall, addition and subtraction skills, place value, fractions, money, time, and problem-solving strategies. Manipulatives and games will be used to support understanding of concepts. Basic math concepts, fractions, and word problems will be emphasized.

Dates: July 7-18

10:30-12:00

\$360.00

Instructor: Andrew Miller

Minimum: 4 students

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## **Math Survey (*One week*)**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 5 & 6**

Basic operations, fractions, decimals, percent, and word problems will be studied. In addition, students will be exposed to exponents, order of operations, place value, integers, algebraic expressions, scientific notation, and converting fractions to decimals and percent.

Dates: July 7-11

8:00-9:30

\$180.00

Instructor: Christine Green

Minimum: 4 students

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## **Study Skill Strategies (*One week*)**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 5 & 6**

Students will be presented with practical study skill techniques that will be beneficial for studies in the fall. Topics include organization, memory techniques, listening skills, test taking tips, time management, and note taking methods.

Dates: July 7-11

9:30-10:30

\$120.00

Instructor: Christine Green

Minimum: 4 students

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## **Language Arts Enrichment (*One week*)**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 5 & 6**

Students will read and analyze one recognized book exploring story elements. In addition, students will hone their skills in comprehension, inference, vocabulary, and written response. This course will satisfy one of the summer reading requirements for both grades.

Dates: July 7-11

10:30-12:30

\$240.00

Instructor: Christine Green

Minimum: 4 students

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**Math 7-8 (*One week*)**

**Grade Level: Entering Grades 7 & 8**

**Where's the math?**

**Students discover the math used in investigating critical thinking problems as a team.**

**Dates: July 7-11**

**9:00-10:00**

**\$120.00**

**Instructor: Marquita Patterson**

**Minimum: 4 students**

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**Reading Enrichment 7 & 8 (*One week*)**

**Grade Levels: Entering Grades 7 & 8**

**Students will read a noted novel and explore the historical context and background, vocabulary, and literary elements including plot, character, symbolism, setting, theme, style, and point of view.**

**Successful completion of the class will satisfy one of the summer book report requirements.**

**Students are welcome to bring a snack to class.**

**Dates: July 14-18**

**10:00-11:30**

**\$180.00**

**Instructor: MK Comeau/ C. Green**

**Minimum: 4 students**

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**Vocabulary Highlights (*One week*)**

**Grade Level: Entering Grades 7 & 8**

**Ameliorate, dross, cacophony, bellicose?**

**Students will explore the meaning, application, and use of new vocabulary words. This session will serve as an introduction to HSPT preparation and will expand and strengthen vocabulary development. Students are welcome to bring a snack to class.**

**Dates: July 14-18**

**11:30-12:30**

**\$120.00**

**Instructor: MK Comeau/ C. Green**

**Minimum: 4 students**

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# Art Exploration!

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## Deep Blue Sea and Beyond

Grade Level: Entering K-2

Journey to the center of the ocean! In this class, students will explore the incredible creatures swimming below the ocean's surface through drawing, painting, collage, and clay! We will also be learning about the importance of marine conservation and incorporate recycled materials into projects!

Dates: July 7-11    11:00-12:00    \$120.00

Instructor: Caitrin Waites  
Minimum: 5 students

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## Sweet Treats Art

Grade Levels: Entering Grades K-6

In this session, we will be artists in the classroom and in the kitchen! We will create artwork that looks like sweet treats and then create sweet treats that look like artwork!

Dates: July 7-11    12:00-1:30 (w/ lunch break) \$180.00

Instructor: Caitrin Waites  
Minimum: 5 students

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## Art Around the World

Grade Level: Entering K-2

In this class, young artists will discover the beauty of the world through hands-on projects inspired by cultures and traditions from Asia, Africa, South America, Europe, and Australia! Each day brings a new adventure, as we paint, sculpt, and craft our way around the world!

Dates: July 14-18    11:00-12:00    \$120.00

Instructor: Caitrin Waites  
Minimum: 5 students

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## Art Rocks!

Grade Levels: Entering Grades K-6

In this session, through the art form of mixed media, campers will create works of art based on different genres of music.

Dates: July 14-18    12:00-1:30 (w/ lunch break) \$180.00

Instructor: Caitrin Waites  
Minimum: 5 students

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**REMINDERS:** Mercy Summer Spectrum is offered to students who are enrolled at Our Lady of Mercy School and those registered at local schools.

Students may bring a snack and water bottles to class. All class related materials are provided. Students may wear summer clothes.

Students attending the *Mercy Spectrum of Education* are to follow the guidelines that are noted in the Mercy Handbook, which is available in the office and on the school website.

\* Checks are payable to Our Lady of Mercy School.  
Please include the annual registration fee of \$20.00 per student.

One registration form per child.

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Entering Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Nonrefundable full payment due by June 20.</u>		
Course title:	Payment:	For office use only:
1.	\$ _____	
2.	\$ _____	
3.	\$ _____	
4.	\$ _____	
<p>* Checks payable to OLOM. Please include the \$20.00 annual registration fee per child.</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Thank you!</p>		

<p>Medical information/allergies:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Emergency Contact: _____</p> <p>Phone #: _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>* Place checks and registration form in an envelope addressed to Christine Green, Mercy Spectrum of Education 9222 Kentsdale Dr. Potomac, MD 20854</p> <p><b>Due: June 20</b></p>
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