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More info at isd622.org/epic Register at isd622.ce.eleyo.com

SUMMER 2025 (

Thursday, June 12–Thursday, August 21, 2025 (closed June 19 and July 4)

Open daily Monday–Friday 6:30 a.m.–6 p.m.

LOCATION

John Glenn Middle School

1560 East County Road B, Maplewood Make your summer EPIC! Each week of summer is built around a different theme—giving you an opportunity to try all sorts of new things! Register for the week that best fits your interests and your family's schedule, or join us for the whole summer. Students do not need to attend school in District 622 to participate! Space is limited and registrations are accepted on a first come, first served basis.

Lunch, morning & afternoon snacks provided.

RATES

- Pick Your Weeks: \$210^{.00} per week (6:30 am-6:00 p.m. Mon-Fri)
- Pick Your Days: \$47^{.00} per day (minimum of 18 days)
- Prime Time: \$175^{.00} per week (9 am-4 p.m. Mon-Fri)
- Registration Fee (per family): \$35.00

Discount provided for students in targeted services.



SAVE \$ Register by May 1 and your registration fee (\$35^{.00}) will be credited to your first month's bill.

FIELD TRIPS

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Weekly field trips are a popular part of our summer programming. There are no additional fees for field trips, they are included in our rates. Planned field trips have included Zero Gravity Trampoline Park, bowling, museum trips, *multiple* water park field trips and much more! Registered families will receive details on upcoming field trips throughout the summer.



WEEKLY THEMES

- June 12–13: Leadership & Team Building
- June 16–20: Ultimate Sport Challenge (sites closed June 19)
- June 23–27: Art Mania
- June 30–July 3: Party in the USA (sites closed July 4)
- July 7–12: Game Challenge
- July 14–18: Survival Skills
- July 21–July 25: STEAM Innovators
- July 28-Aug 1: Adventure Quest
- August 4-8: Mystery & Crime Solving
- August 11–15: Cooking
- August 18–21: Mindful Fitness







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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Consider the following information and assistance for those who qualify:

- You do not have to sign up for all 5 days a week at EPIC Connection. You can sign up for as many, or as few, days per week as you would like.
- Financial assistance for attending EPIC Connection is available through the county in which you live. Contact your county to qualify. Ramsey County: 651-266-4444 Washington County: 651-430-6459

Below is a summary of the Minnesota Child Care Assistance Program and other programs that may be available to help. MINNESOTA CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

There are two ways to apply for child care assistance:

Apply online at MNbenefits.mn.gov. The application is available in English, Hmong, Russian, Somali, Spanish and Vietnamese.

Fill out the Minnesota Child Care Assistance Program Application. Mail or bring the completed form to the county or tribal human services office, or local contracted agency.

CHILDCARE PROGRAMS FOR MILITARY FAMILIES

There are several child care programs available for military families. Some are specific to a branch of service, others are for all branches. These programs include:

- Military Child Care in Your Neighborhood
- Operation: Military Child Care
- Give Army Parents a Break

These programs are administered by Child Care Aware of America. For more information about any of these child care programs, call the Child Care Aware hotline at 800-424-2246, or visit the Fee Assistance/Respite page (childcareaware.org/fee-assistancerespite/) on the Child Care Aware website for help applying for a subsidy.

UNITED WAY

The United Way has a database of available assistance programs for childcare.

Call 211 or go to 211unitedway.org for more information.





Scan the QR code with your mobile phone to find the "Financial Assistance" tab under "Registration Information".