

Summer School 2026 Elementary Course Catalog

Registration Dates: March 26th at 12:00 PM - April 6th at 3:00 PM
Class placement letter will be sent in May.

Important Dates:

Wed, May 27th- Drop In 2:30-3:30
Thurs, May 28th-First Day
Fri, June 19th- No School

Elementary Sites (Incoming K-5)

Cedar Creek, Longview Farm, Meadow Lane, Richardson,
Sunset Valley, and Trailridge



Lee's Summit R-7 Schools

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
25 Holiday	26	27 Drop In 2:30-3:30	28 First Day	29
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19 Holiday No School
22	23	24	25	26
29	30 Last Day			

Questions and Answers

Who can attend Elementary Summer School?

Any incoming Kindergarten through 5th-grade student who is a resident of the LSR7 School District may attend. Students will be enrolled in classes based on their grade level for the 2026-2027 school year.

Will incoming Kindergarten students be allowed to attend Summer School?

Yes. We are excited to provide this opportunity for our incoming Kindergarten students. Our Kindergarten students will attend the full day.

How are Summer courses arranged?

All courses are arranged by site. You are free to register for any of the schools that are serving as a Summer School site.

How do I enroll my child for Summer School?

Parents will log into their PowerSchool parent portal account; select Summer School Registration; and follow prompts on the screen to select the course preference. Be sure to enroll ALL of your students at the same time, and be sure to enroll them at the same summer school location.

What schools are hosting Summer School?

Elementary (K-5): Cedar Creek, Longview Farm, Meadow Lane, Richardson, Sunset Valley, and Trailridge.

What if my child is absent during Summer School?

Regular attendance provides students with an optimal learning opportunity. In the case of an occasional absence, parents should contact the school and notify the Attendance Secretary of the absence, so it is excused.

How will my child be transported to and from Elementary Summer School?

Parents are responsible for the transportation to and from Elementary Summer School. Please notify the school office and the Elementary Summer School teacher if someone other than the parent is transporting your student.

Will any students be eligible for transportation during Elementary Summer School?

- Students residing in the Lee's Summit Elementary, Meadow Lane, and Westview attendance areas need to enroll in classes offered at MEADOW LANE to receive transportation.
- Additionally, students from any of our elementary schools who qualify for "Extended School Year" via Special Services may receive transportation through the ESY program. This will be arranged through Special Services. For the safety of these ESY students, only one bus and one neighborhood bus stop is permitted during summer programs.

Shuttle stops will be available to all elementary students

Please note, PM time is an approximate time; allow fifteen minutes after school is out for the shuttle to arrive at its location. Parents are expected to be there before the shuttle arrives.

Summer School	Shuttle Sites	Shuttle Times (AM/PM)	School Hours
Cedar Creek	Hazel Grove & Underwood	8:15/2:45	8:30-2:30
Longview Farm	Hawthorn Hill & Pleasant Lea	8:15/2:45	8:30-2:30
Meadow Lane	Lee's Summit & Westview	Transportation Provided	7:45-1:45
Richardson	Mason & Highland Park	8:15/2:45	8:30-2:30
Sunset Valley	Prairie View & Woodland	7:30/2:00	7:45-1:45
Trailridge	Greenwood & Summit Pointe	7:00/1:30	7:15-1:15

*Any student who receives a conduct notice may lose transportation privileges on the first notice during the summer school session. *More shuttle information will be provided in early May.*

What are the dates of Summer School?

Students will attend Summer School from May 28-June 30, no school June 19th in observance of Juneteenth.

May 27th- Drop in Day 2:30-3:30 (visit the school, see the classroom)

Will my child receive Learning Center or ELD student support during Summer School?

ELD students will have the opportunity to fully participate in the summer enrichment course with their peers. Teachers will have student IEPs to follow and will implement accommodations, but direct services are not provided unless a child otherwise qualifies for ESY.

ESY = Extended School Year - Special Services ELD = English Language Development

Will "Before and After School Services Y-Club, YMCA" be available during Summer School?

Yes. Each Summer School location will have Before and After School Services for students (Monday - Friday). Be sure to respond "Yes" during the enrollment process. You will be directed to register for Y-Club, YMCA at that time. **Students must be enrolled in the Summer School Program to attend Y-Club, YMCA.** *Students must be 5 years old by June 3rd to attend the summer YMCA/BASS program.

Will breakfast and lunch be available during Summer School?

Breakfast is \$1.90 and lunch is \$3.00 for students at Summer School. Families who are eligible for free and reduced lunch and breakfast will continue to receive free/reduced meals at Summer School. If you feel you qualify for free/reduced meals and are currently paying for meals, please fill out an application to see if you qualify to receive free/reduced meals during the summer. Apply at your earliest convenience at our Nutrition Services website (<https://leessummitschoolnutrition.com/>).

What should I do if my child has a health or allergy concern?

Each Summer School site will have an LSR7 district health clerk or LPN on site, with an LSR7 District nurse to support. Each health room will have access to a student's medical forms and health alerts. This health information is provided to Summer Learning teachers and supporting staff before the start of Summer School.

May I visit the Summer School site before the first day?

"Drop in Day" is Wednesday, May 27, from 2:30-3:30 at all 6 sites. This is an opportunity to drop by the Summer School site, tour the building, and meet your child's teacher. This activity is optional for students and parents.

When will I be notified about my child's school site, room#, teacher's name, & course enrollment?

This information will be provided to parents in May. Questions **before this date** may be directed to the elementary director, Christine Johnson (christine.johnson@lsr7.net) or the administrative assistant, Kelly Cofer (kelly.cofer@lsr7.net).

Should I purchase new school supplies for Summer School?

No. Please have your child bring his/her school supplies from the end of the school year. Teachers might ask your child to bring supplies specific to the course chosen.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Kindergarten Camp

Kindergarten Camp will help boys and girls transition into Kindergarten and learn what it will be like to be a student in the Lee's Summit R7 School District. During this time, students will be with a teacher working on reading and math activities through song, story, and play. Students will also learn Kindergarten routines that will help them on the first days of school.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: K

Camping

This summer, we are going camping! If you love camping and want to explore reading and writing through a fun camping theme, you're in the right place! We will enjoy many exciting camping activities while making summer learning meaningful and enjoyable. I would love to see you there!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 1

Reading Camp

Students will engage in a supportive reading camp that fosters a safe environment for enhancing their phonics and fluency skills, encouraging a deeper understanding of texts and promoting a love for reading.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 1

Summer School PE!

Elementary Physical Education This course provides fun, safe physical activities that build fitness, teamwork, and movement skills. Students will play games, practice sports skills, and learn healthy habits while staying active and engaged during summer school.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 1

Glorious Gardens

Ignite curiosity of all-things gardening! Students will explore Butterfly gardens, Edible gardens that give us food, and Prehistoric gardens filled with ancient flora. They'll also design whimsical Fairy gardens. They will apply math, science and reading skills while doing plenty of hands-on activities. Come grow with us!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 2

Nursery Rhymes and Good Old Times!

This course is designed to increase and enrich student reading, fluency ,comprehension skills, increase rhyming, as well as expressive language while exploring reading through Music. Students will explore, sing and learn Nursery Rhymes. They will perform expressive reading/rhyming through singing, playing instruments, moving and dancing.We will explore math skills through drum circles and speech pieces. This will include counting, adding, subtracting, creating and identifying patterns.We will explore sound by observing and creating many "found sounds." Students will work and play cooperatively through performance.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 2

Welcome to the Zoo!

Will be using the Kansas City Zoo Curriculum, an engaging, hands-on program that brings learning to life through animals, habitats, and conservation. Students will explore a variety of animal groups while learning about their environments, adaptations, and how people can help protect wildlife.Through interactive lessons, read-alouds, videos, crafts, and simple experiments, students will strengthen their reading, writing, science, and critical-thinking skills in a fun and meaningful way. Activities are designed to be age-appropriate and encourage curiosity, discussion, and collaboration with peers.This curriculum supports academic growth while keeping students excited and motivated during the summer months by connecting learning to real-world science and animals they love.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 2

Wild About Animals: A Summer Safari Adventure

Get ready for a wild summer adventure! Students will explore amazing animals from around the world through hands-on research, creative art, STEM projects and interactive challenges and games. From roaring predators to tiny critters, learners will discover how animals live, adapt, and survive—all while building curiosity, creativity, and teamwork. It's a paws-itively unforgettable summer of fun and discovery!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 2

3rd grade detectives

Get ready to become a real detective! In 3rd Grade Detectives, you'll read exciting mystery stories, solve tricky math and logic puzzles, write your own clues, and even try hands-on science experiments. Work with your team, crack secret codes, and uncover classroom mysteries all while having tons of fun!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 3

All Things Around the World

Each day will be a journey of learning about a holiday and an animal from different parts of the world. We will be learning about classes of animals, how to draw, habitats, and celebrations around the world.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 3

Wild Summer Adventure!

Get ready for a wild summer adventure! In this fun and exciting animal-themed course, learners will dive into the amazing world of animals from around the globe. We'll investigate fascinating creatures through hands-on research, unleash creativity with animal-inspired art, and bring learning to life with games, challenges, and interactive activities. From roaring predators to tiny critters, students will discover how animals live, adapt, and survive—all while building curiosity, creativity, and teamwork. Every day is packed with exploration, imagination, and plenty of fun. Join us for a summer full of learning, laughter, and animal discoveries—it's going to be paws-itively unforgettable!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 3

Snacks, Stories & Summer Fun!

Dive into epic adventures this summer! We'll explore awesome novels, bring characters to life with fun activities, create cool crafts, and enjoy tasty snacks like chocolate treats and refreshing lemonade. Join our book-loving crew for stories, laughter, imagination, and sweet summer fun made just for 3rd and 4th graders!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 4

Celebrating the Four Seasons!

Each week we will focus on one of our seasons incorporating it with core subjects. Learning about the change of weather patterns and adaptations people and animals must make. Word problems discussing measuring, temperature, and timeline. Compare/contrasting and cause/effects of seasonal change as well as descriptive writing.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 4

Play. Learn. Score!

This summer, learning becomes active! In this course, you'll move, play, and learn through fun sports games and challenges. You'll solve math problems, read sports stories, and work as a team to create your own challenging games. It's all about trying your best, helping others, and having fun.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 4

World Cup Soccer

The FIFA World Cup is coming to Kansas City! Do you love soccer? We want to explore everything about soccer this summer. Everything we do will revolve around the world's favorite sport, soccer! We'll even play some soccer games every day!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 4

Off To Summer Camp!

This summer school class blends learning and fun! Students will strengthen math, reading, and science skills while enjoying hands-on activities, creative crafts, and summer camp-style projects that make learning exciting and engaging.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 5

Spy School

In spy school, students will learn how to encode and decode secret messages, explore the world and learn about famous pieces of architecture, practice their physical fitness through a variety of espionage games, and follow the adventures of a fellow spy in training named Ben Ripley.

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 5

World Cup Soccer

The FIFA World Cup is coming to Kansas City! Do you love soccer? We want to explore everything about soccer this summer. Everything we do will revolve around the world's favorite sport, soccer! We'll even play some soccer games every day!

Cedar Creek Elementary

Grade: 5

Longview Farm Elementary

Kindergarten Camp

Kindergarten Camp will help boys and girls transition into Kindergarten and learn what it will be like to be a student in the Lee's Summit R7 School District. During this time, students will be with a teacher working on reading and math activities through song, story, and play. Students will also learn Kindergarten routines that will help them on the first days of school.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: K

Amazing Adventures Around the World

We will learn about fun adventures in different countries. We will climb tall mountains, swim in big oceans, walk in green jungles, and see old buildings from long ago. We will also learn about special traditions from different places.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 1

Summer Adventures!

Get ready for an exciting journey! This passport belongs to a First Grade Summer Adventurer who will travel to new learning destinations each week. You will complete fun activities, do your best, and collect stamps along the way. Together, we will pack our suitcase with passports for each stop on our journey as we explore nature, communities, and exciting scavenger hunts along the way. Your summer adventure starts now!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 1

Summer Fun

Get ready for an exciting summer of learning in our Summer Fun course! This fun and engaging class will help students by reviewing key first-grade skills in reading, writing, and math. Through hands-on activities, interactive games, and plenty of practice, your child will strengthen their foundation in essential concepts while preparing for a successful second-grade year. From mastering sight words and sentence writing to honing basic math skills like addition and subtraction, our summer course ensures a fun and educational experience that makes learning both enjoyable and effective!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 1

Amazing Authors

Come join in the summer fun for a children's literature class! You will participate in authors' studies on the famous and talented Mo Willems, Dr. Seuss, David Shannon, and Laura Numeroff. We will dive into these exciting books, use our imagination for fun crafts, and complete STEM activities! Fun with The Cat and the Hat, Elephant and Piggie, and David awaits! You won't want to miss out on all the fun!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 2

Animal Adventure

Let's go on an animal adventure around the world. We will travel to the African Safari, Ocean, Rainforest, and more! Pack your bags for a wild journey around the world as we explore animals, plants, and their habitats while engaging in STEM activities. Are you ready? Animals Around the World: Safari, Ocean, Desert, Rainforest

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 2

Food Explorers: Learning Through Cooking and Baking

Students will build second grade skills in ELA, math, and science through a food-based theme. The students will explore where food comes from, how plants grow, and how ingredients change through cooking and baking, while practicing reading, writing, measurement, and observation.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 2

Summer Fun

Dive into a summer of adventure! In this Summer Fun course we will review basic 2nd grade reading, writing and math skills. Each day will be a new summer theme including ocean, beach, camping, etc. We will spend time creating crafts, working in STEM bins, and hands-on games. This course is the perfect way to keep learning alive through play and summer fun!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 2

Games Around the World

Do you like to learn about different cultures and languages? Do you like playing games? If so, then this class is for you! We will be practicing reading, writing, and mathematical skills while learning about how other students play games around the world! Come learn and play with games from around the world.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 3

Math Magicians

Do you love solving tricky puzzles and figuring out how things work? Then step into the world of Math Magicians — where numbers come to life and problem-solving feels like magic! In this exciting course, students will sharpen their math skills through fun challenges, brain teasers, logic games, and real-world problem-solving adventures. But that's not all... along the way, we may even learn some real magic tricks — and discover how math is the secret behind many amazing illusions! From lightning-fast calculations to mind-reading number tricks, students will see how math can amaze and impress. Get ready to think boldly, solve bravely, and become a true Math Magician!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 3

Old School

Have you ever played Sparkle? Heads Up 7 Up? Around the World? We will learn cursive, read classic stories, write on chalkboards, play marbles, checkers, and more fun "old school" activities. Join us as we investigate old school artifacts and learn about how people have learned in the past.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grades: 3,4

Games From Around The World

Are you curious about the games kids your age enjoy across the globe? Join me on a journey to discover games and fascinating facts worldwide. We will explore various games, STEM activities and many different cultural facts from multiple countries. Students will fill out a passport that allows them to read about each country, write down interesting facts, and recognize how our culture contrast and/or mirrors with theirs.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 4

Mission Impossible

Mission Impossible is a 4th grade summer class where students become secret agents tackling fun reading, hands-on STEM challenges, and creative problem-solving missions. Through teamwork and critical thinking, students work to solve the "impossible" while building confidence and curiosity.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 4

Survivor Island

This course is for incoming 4th grade students. This is a fun STEAM course where we will be stranded on an island. You will have to build a catapult to fend off alligators, make a waterproof container to send a message in a bottle for help, build a raft to try to escape the island and more. If you like to build and problem solve this is the course for you!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 4

Beaches and Books

Do you love going to the beach? Do you love reading books? If you do, this is the perfect class for you. This summer we will learn about beaches and oceans worldwide while we enjoy reading some great books together. We will focus on the book *Out of My Mind* with a book club format, which has now been made into a movie, as well as enjoy many other books together. In addition to reading, we will create beach-inspired art, explore the ocean ecosystem, and plan a beach party! Let's dive into summer with beaches, books, creativity, and fun!

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 5

Games of the Past, Present and Future

We will be learning about and playing games of the past, the games we presently play and what games may look like in the future. These games will vary from solitary games, board games, classic outdoor games, and we will even create our own game.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 5

Sports Mania

Let's play! This gym class keeps students moving all summer long! Each day, students will actively play sports like soccer, kickball, ultimate football, wiffleball, and other group games. Emphasis is on teamwork, good sportsmanship, and having fun. Come ready to play! Gym shoes required.

Longview Farm Elementary

Grade: 5

Meadow Lane Elementary

Kindergarten Camp

Kindergarten Camp will help boys and girls transition into Kindergarten and learn what it will be like to be a student in the Lee's Summit R7 School District. During this time, students will be with a teacher working on reading and math activities through song, story, and play. Students will also learn Kindergarten routines that will help them on the first days of school.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: K

Game On!

Get ready for an action-packed summer filled with fun and excitement in Game On! This course is designed specifically for 1st and 2nd graders who are eager to explore the world of sports while developing essential academic skills and fostering a love for physical activity.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 1

Ocean Explorers

Dive into learning this summer! This ocean-themed class will take students on an underwater adventure filled with engaging reading, hands-on math, and creative activities inspired by the sea. Through games, exploration, and teamwork, students will strengthen skills while making summer learning fun and memorable.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 1

Paints and Pencils

Creative first grade preparation blending handwriting, letters, and numbers with art and hands-on activities. Ideal for children who enjoy creating, concentrating, and learning together.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 1

Disney Academy

Welcome to the Disney Academy—a summer adventure where learning meets magic! Dive into the underwater world of Finding Nemo, explore the imaginative toys of Toy Story, face thrilling challenges in Monsters, Inc., discover the circle of life in The Lion King, cook up creativity with Ratatouille, and enjoy the magic that all began with a dream. Each week blends fun, friendship, and problem-solving, inspired by Disney's most iconic movies!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 2

Mixed Up Fairy Tales

Once upon a time, some curious children went to summer school and discovered fairy tales. They learned and had a lot of fun reading books, playing math games, doing STEM activities, and being creative with crafts. Come along with Jack, Cinderella and the Three Little Pigs and have a blast learning this summer!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 2

Wild About Animals!

In our Wild About Animals summer school class, second graders will travel around the world to explore amazing animal habitats. We'll dive into the ocean, climb the mountains, roam the safari, and trek through the rainforest. Along the way, students will read, write, create, and learn fun facts about animals and how they survive in each habitat. This hands-on class encourages curiosity, creativity, and a love for learning—no passport required!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 2

Building Wonders

Building Wonders is a hands-on summer school course for students who love to build and create! We'll explore famous landmarks from around the world, learn what makes them special, and use different materials to design and build our own models. It's a fun mix of learning, creativity, and teamwork!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 3

I am an Artist!

Step inside an art studio and learn what it takes to be an Artist. We will create art using a variety of materials and techniques. (painting, drawing, sculpting, printmaking and fiber) We will get inspiration from artists, and go on virtual field trips to art museums. We will have weekly art galleries, and reflect with each other. Join me as we explore all the fun of being an Artist!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 3

Research: Adopt A Pet

In this project-based course, students will investigate animal rescue organizations that help animals in need, learn about non-traditional rescue operations, and research animals and how they become adoptable. Students will also design an animal rescue shelter.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 3

Under The Sea

Come join us for a wonderful wild adventure of studying sea life in the ocean. Highlights of our journey discovering the ocean will be: mixing liquids to make an ocean in a bottle, a science experiment on how blubber keeps whales warm, students will research a new ocean animal every day in their discovery journal, and to top it off each child will make their very own coral reef. Are you ready to dive in?

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 3

Creator Academy

What is Creator Academy? Ever wonder how your favorite videos look so smooth or why some stories are impossible to stop watching? In this lab, we're going behind the scenes to learn the Top Secrets of professional creators. You won't just be filming—you'll be the Director, the Lead Editor, and the Brand Designer of your own digital world. Safety is our #1 rule. All of our videos stay inside our Classroom Vault (a private, closed-circuit system). Only your fellow creators and your teachers will see your work. You get all the practice of being a pro-creator with zero of the risks of the public internet.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 4

Math in the Real World

Students strengthen foundational math skills through real-world problem solving. Using games, projects, and hands-on challenges, students apply operations, fractions, and measurement to everyday situations. This course supports skill recovery while building confidence and engagement in math.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 4

Passport to Adventure!

Pack for curiosity! Students travel the globe through stories, maps, games, and hands-on projects, exploring cultures, animals, landmarks, food, and language basics. Build geography skills, use math to budget and plan creative writing, and teamwork while earning stamps in a class passport.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 4

Where On Earth Is Carmen Sandiego?

Can you catch the world's greatest thief? Use your knowledge and teamwork skills to figure out what Carmen SanDiego has taken and where she is hiding. We will scan the globe using all kinds of knowledge to travel the world in search of Carmen and learn tons along the way.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 4

For the Love of the Game

Are you ready for a summer filled with action, teamwork, and fun? Join us in For the Love of the Game, where you'll dive into the exciting worlds of baseball, basketball, football, and soccer! Whether you're a total beginner or already a fan, this class is the perfect way to learn the basics of each sport while having a blast with your friends. But it's not just about playing the games—it's about playing the right way! Together, we'll explore what it means to be a good sport, from cheering on your teammates to learning how to handle both wins and losses with a smile. Through exciting drills, friendly scrimmages, and fun challenges, you'll build your skills, boost your confidence, and discover the true joy of sports. Grab your sneakers and your team spirit—this summer, it's all about the love of the game!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 5

Soccer Scholars

Soccer Scholars, get in the game! Master epic drills, chart international maps, and discover the meaning behind iconic flags. Between games that strengthen your teamwork skills, you'll draft feature stories on soccer stars and create your own game-day concession stand. It's more than just soccer!

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 5

Summer of Sports

Join us for a summer of learning about and playing a variety of sports. We will work on our reading, writing and math skills as they relate to and help us understand the sports we are playing. Students will also build important skills such as teamwork, positive competition and respect for others.

Meadow Lane Elementary

Grade: 5

Richardson Elementary

Kindergarten Camp

Kindergarten Camp will help boys and girls transition into Kindergarten and learn what it will be like to be a student in the Lee's Summit R7 School District. During this time, students will be with a teacher working on reading and math activities through song, story, and play. Students will also learn Kindergarten routines that will help them on the first days of school.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: K

African Safari

In this course, students will be able to explore different types of animals one can encounter on an African Safari. Along with this adventure, we'll practice some early first grade math, reading - phonics and phonemic awareness, as well as science and social studies to help prepare them for the fall.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 1

Meet The Animals

Students will explore animals and their habitat. Each day students will research, collect facts, and complete a directed draw of an animal. Students will also work on their reading, writing, and math skills during the day.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 2

Summer Fun!

Do you enjoy summer activities? Well, get ready for learning and laughter! This exciting course blends games, arts, crafts, stories, and several outdoor activities. Students will build reading and math skills while making friends, exploring creativity, and enjoying hands-on fun all summer long. Join us for some summer fun!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 2

Theme Park Adventure

Ever wanted to take a trip to Disney World or Silver Dollar City? If so, you are going to be THRILLED to join us as we explore some of the best theme parks in the U.S.! Fasten your seatbelt and hold on to your thinking cap because we are going to see, hear, feel and taste our way through these amazing amusement parks! We will even get to make our own SNOW CONES! Don't wait to sign up! This class is your FASTPASS to summer fun and learning all in one!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 2

Lego Lab

Join us for an exciting summer LEGO Lab! Students will explore math by measuring and counting, practice reading and writing through LEGO-themed stories, and dive into science experiments like building bridges and marble mazes. Spark curiosity, creativity, and teamwork with hands-on learning and endless fun!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 3

Road Trip Across the United States

This course will be combined with the course United States STEM. Let's take a road trip across the United States! We will visit all 50 states and learn about the history, attractions, food, and landmarks. For each state, we will have projects and hands on activities to support what we are learning.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 3

Stories & STEAM

Join us this summer as we explore classic stories with a STEAM focus. We will read stories and then bring them to life through Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math. (STEAM) There will be lots of hands-on learning, problem solving, teamwork, and creativity in this exciting summer course!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 3

United States STEM

*This course will be taught with the course Road Trip Through the United States While learning about the 50 states, students will complete STEM challenges that connect back to landmarks, important people and facts for each state. Some activities include building bridges in California, constructing a roller coaster for Ohio and even tasting food that states are known for!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 3

Animal Adventurers

Dive into the wild this summer! Our Animal Adventurers class explores the fascinating world of creatures great and small. Students will discover unique habitats, study amazing life cycles, and learn how to protect our planet's diverse wildlife through hands-on activities and interactive lessons. It's a paws-itively awesome way to learn!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 4

Learning Through Sports

Students will learn about football and basketball while strengthening academic skills. Through reading, writing, and math activities tied to sports themes, students will explore rules, teamwork, and strategies while building comprehension, problem-solving, and communication skills in a fun, active learning environment.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 4

Summer in Hawaii

Get ready for an epic adventure! You are invited on an amazing journey to explore the beautiful and one-of-a-kind state of Hawaii! In this action-packed course, we will dive into the world of volcanoes, discover the secrets of Hawaii's tropical islands, and unlock cool facts about its unique culture. Best of all, we will do all of this while having fun with math, science, reading, and writing – all in one awesome experience! From creating a volcano to learning about Hawaii's magical landscape, this course is filled with excitement and discovery every step of the way.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 4

Lots and Lots of Lego

Get ready to become a Lego Master! In this course, we will learn about the history of Lego and how Lego are made. Then we will use our design and engineering skills to create Lego builds that solve challenges. We'll even explore how Lego can relate to some of our favorite stories. Join us for a summer of building fun with Lots and Lots of Lego!

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 5

Traditions and Celebrations Around the World

Students explore holidays and traditions from around the world, learning how people celebrate and honor their cultures. We craft, try treats, and experience the sights, sounds, and flavors of global celebrations.

Richardson Elementary

Grade: 5

Sunset Valley Elementary

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Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: K

Imagination Academy

Welcome to Imagination Academy- Disney Dream Builders. Here, students will learn, create, and grow through the magic of imagination! We will be strengthening essential second-grade skills while engaging students through beloved Disney characters, stories, and hands-on experiences. Students will focus on building math fluency with addition and subtraction within 20, strengthening reading comprehension and fluency, and developing writing skills by writing complete sentences and written pieces. Each lesson will be infused with Disney inspired themes to motivate students and make learning joyful and meaningful.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 1

Jungle Journey

Come swing through the rainforest with us! On our adventure we will be using our reading, writing and math skills to travel through the layers of the rainforest. We will explore the animals, plants, food and people that live and grow in the rainforest through hands-on activities and experiments. Did you know the most poisonous animal lives in the rainforest? Do people live there? Where in the world is the rainforest? We will answer all of these questions and more! Come join the fun!

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 1

Summer Fun

Summer Fun is all about getting ready to have a great first grade year. We work on behavior expectations as well as the basics of handwriting, letter and sound recognition and math concepts. We explore the world of animals and plants. We even plant seeds and watch them grow. I want the students to make new friends and explore a bit about what first grade will be like. Come have fun with us!

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 1

Zoo Animals

This class will be centered around different types of zoo animals. Each day, we will have an animal theme that we will learn about. We will do activities and lessons based on the animal of the day. I can't wait to dive into learning about zoo animals with your student!

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 1

Camp Read-A-Lot

Camp Read-A-Lot is a fun, hands-on summer course where 2nd graders build strong reading skills through outdoor-themed adventures. Students enjoy daily reading under tents and stars, write creative campfire stories, create their own camps and campgrounds, learn basic camping skills, and explore STEM by building their own camping tools.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 2

Imagination Academy

Welcome to Imagination Academy- Disney Dream Builders. Here, students will learn, create, and grow through the magic of imagination! We will be strengthening essential second-grade skills while engaging students through beloved Disney characters, stories, and hands-on experiences. Students will focus on building math fluency with addition and subtraction within 20, strengthening reading comprehension and fluency, and developing writing skills by writing complete sentences and written pieces. Each lesson will be infused with Disney inspired themes to motivate students and make learning joyful and meaningful.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 2

Into the Jungle (Co-Teach with Krista Hall)

Get ready for a wild learning adventure! In this summer school course, students entering 3rd grade will dive into the rainforest to learn about its layers, amazing animals, and ways to protect this important ecosystem. Along the way, students will strengthen 2nd grade reading, writing, math, and phonics skills while getting an exciting head start on key 3rd grade concepts. With hands-on activities, games, and a rainforest theme woven throughout, learning will be fun, engaging, and meaningful for every student.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 2

Storybook Adventures

Storybook Adventures is a summer course designed to strengthen foundational reading, writing, and math skills for students finishing first grade and preparing for second grade. Learning is anchored in familiar story elements such as characters, settings, problems, and solutions. These adventures will be drawn from well known animated films and tales. These engaging themes help motivate students while maintaining a strong focus on academic recovery and readiness.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 2

Summer Zookeepers

Explore the world of zookeepers! Students will learn about different kinds of zoo animals and the daily responsibilities of zookeepers while developing reading, writing, and math skills through fun, interactive activities.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 2

Welcome to Candy Land

Welcome to Candy Land! In this course students will experiment with candy through Stem activities and then get to enjoy their treats . They will also be engaging in 2nd grade learning through critical concepts.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 2

Camp Everywhere!

Ever wanted to camp in the desert, dive into the ocean, or trek through the rainforest—all in one summer? Pack your backpack for the adventure of a lifetime! We'll meet incredible animals, become scientists and engineers to help protect wildlife, and enjoy classic camping fun. Who's ready to explore?

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 3

Gone Camping

Grab your backpack—we're going camping! Campers will "travel" to a new biome to discover amazing animals, unique plants, wild weather, and how living things survive in different environments. We'll have a blast learning through games, crafts, experiments, and much more. And, of course, we'll enjoy some s'mores along the way!

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Grade: 3

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Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 3

Game On

During Game On! students will build math, reading, and problem-solving skills through playing board games, movement games, puzzles, and STEAM challenges. Students will design their own games, encouraging innovation and critical thinking proving that learning and play can go hand in hand!

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 4

Laugh and Learn

Laugh and Learn focuses on reviewing math, reading, and writing concepts through fun, game-based learning experiences. Whenever possible, activities will take place outdoors to encourage movement and fresh air.

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 4

To Space and Beyond

This class will be out of this world! The students will learn about the Sun, Moon, planets, and past space missions in a creative and engaging way. We will take a close look at the galaxy we call home using real-world applications of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. We will create constellation viewers, collaborate in teams to design space vehicles, research a planet in our solar system, and even eat the Moon phases!

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 4

Wild Wonders: Meet the Animals

Get ready for a wild learning adventure! ?? In Wild Wonders: Meet the Animals, students become animal explorers as the whole class dives into fun, interactive units focused on one amazing animal at a time. Through exciting read-aloud stories, hands-on activities, games, and group discussions, students discover cool animal facts, learn how animals survive and adapt, and build new vocabulary along the way.Each unit sneaks learning into the fun by connecting to ELA, math, science, and sometimes social studies—so students are learning without even realizing it! Wild Wonders: Meet the Animals keeps summer school playful, engaging, and full of curiosity—because learning should feel like an adventure! ??????

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 4

Math in the Real World

Math in the Real World: Money, Sports, & Games is a hands-on summer course designed to help students strengthen math skills through real-life connections. Students will explore money, budgeting, sports statistics, and games to practice problem-solving, reasoning, and collaboration. Through interactive activities, challenges, and projects, learners will build confidence in math while seeing how it applies to everyday life. This course focuses on making math engaging, meaningful, and fun for students

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 5

Sports Journaling

Sports is a great way to learn skills, make friends, and have fun. In this class we will do all three as we take time to learn the skills of various sports. While practicing the skills we will have fun with others in our class and get to play games that include the skills that we are working on each day. After each gym time we will go back and journal about what we practiced. This will help us keep in mind what we are working on, and help us to become better writers as well. If you enjoy sports, friends, and writing then this is the class for you. Come join us!

Sunset Valley Elementary

Grade: 5

Trailridge Elementary

Kindergarten Camp

Kindergarten Camp will help boys and girls transition into Kindergarten and learn what it will be like to be a student in the Lee's Summit R7 School District. During this time, students will be with a teacher working on reading and math activities through song, story, and play. Students will also learn Kindergarten routines that will help them on the first days of school.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: K

Learning with Bluey

This summer, learning comes to life through the playful world of Bluey! Students will strengthen their reading, math, writing, and social-emotional skills through hands-on activities inspired by their favorite characters.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 1

Summer of Sports

In summer of sports students will learn various sports and participate in them 3 different times. In the classroom, students will have an emphasis on reading, writing, and math.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 1

Learning With Nature

If you love to wake up and smell the roses, this club is for you. All of our lessons revolve around the outdoors! There is so much we can learn from nature, from using math to count flowers in a garden, to learning about the life cycle of a butterfly. Join the fun of learning this summer!

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 2

Summer of Sports

Summer of sports will be an activity themed course for first and second graders. Students will participate in a variety of movement and skill activities. Students will work on recognizing and writing letters and numbers. Students will incorporate simple addition and subtraction skills into activities.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 2

Art Explorers

In this creative summer course, 3rd grade students will explore art history, learn new art techniques, and create original artwork using a variety of materials. Core subjects—reading, writing, math, and science—will be naturally included in each lesson through engaging projects and activities. Students will also build a personal art portfolio to showcase their growth and favorite pieces by the end of the course.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 3

Experiments! Experiments! Experiments!

Are you ready to become a mad scientist? Do you love making wild discoveries and trying crazy experiments? Then put on your lab coat and goggles because your science adventure is about to begin! You'll mix, measure, and marvel as you perform amazing experiments that fizz, bubble, and pop. Along the way, you'll use math to crack codes, reading to unlock mysteries, and social studies to explore how science shapes the world around us. Get ready to dive into a world of hands-on fun where every day feels like a new discovery. Let's make some science magic happen.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 3

The Dog Days of Summer

Get ready for a tail-wagging good time! We will explore everything about dogs through games, crafts, books, and hands-on activities. We'll learn about different dog breeds and what makes dogs such great friends. We will even have a special visit from a certified therapy dog and handler. This class is a must for dog lovers!

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 3

Exploring Hawaii

Surf your way through the Summer Learning Institute as we go on a tropical adventure through the islands of Hawaii! We will explore the culture and all of the amazing features that Hawaii has to offer, including making tropical slushies, carving Petroglyphs, and learning about the world's largest and most active volcanoes. Be sure to bring your beach towel and sunglasses as we enjoy learning in the summer sun.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 4

Game On!

Game On! is an exciting summer school course designed especially for incoming 4th graders who are ready to learn, play, and grow. Through interactive and collaborative games, students will strengthen math and reading skills while reinforcing key concepts they will use in 4th grade. In a fun, low-pressure environment, learners work together to solve challenges, build confidence, and discover that learning really can feel like a game.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 4

SUMMER SING!

Calling all singers! If you like to sing, want to get better at singing, and think singing with others is fun, this is the class for you! We will learn new songs, sing our favorite tunes, stretch and grow our music-making muscles, and even write our own songs!

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 4

Sweet Treats and Tales

Join me for a SWEET way to blend fun with learning! Our captivating collection features extra sweet chapter books and activities filled with lollipops, chocolate, lemonade, and bubble gum. Each day is a new adventure, encouraging young learners to dive into exciting narratives while enhancing their reading and math skills.

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 4

Food for Thought: It's Always Time for Ice Cream! - Grade 4

Do you love ice cream? If so, join us this summer to explore all there is to know about ice cream! Students will investigate ice cream ingredients, flavor, and color, in order to form their own ice cream making process. Students will engineer their own flavor and create an advertising campaign to market their product. We will then take part in a tasting contest! Throughout this experience, students will learn through play and creation while building fundamental skills needed for 4th grade. This course will provide food for thought all summer long!

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 5

Happy Campers

Happy Campers is a course where students solve camping problems using math, explore science through fun experiments, and read about all kinds of outdoor adventures. Campers learn, explore, and discover while enjoying hands-on activities inspired by the great outdoors!

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 5

Under the Sea!

Do you love sea animals? Are you curious about the deep, blue sea? Explore the wonders of the vast ocean while being a scientist, historian, author, and a mathematician! In this course you will have the opportunity to be creative while learning about the exciting things that happen under the sea!

Trailridge Elementary

Grade: 5