

## 2023 Summer Enrichment Class Descriptions

**\*All grades listed are for the grade your student is *going into* next school year.**

**\*Extra-Curriculars in separate weeks are NOT identical. AM & PM Extra-Curricular**

### **Academic Classes (Jun 12-30)**

#### **JUMP START TO KINDERGARTEN**

Your child will enjoy learning reading, writing, math, and many more activities. Socially the kids will work on separation transition and direction following. Academically the kids will focus on visual memory and comprehension skills along with using fine/gross motor skills. Come join us and get a jump start to Kindergarten.

#### **READY, SET, GO TO 1ST GRADE**

Make a smooth transition into 1st Grade with fun activities designed to instill excitement toward the classroom and learning. Phonics games, reading strategies, writing, math, and art concepts will get your child ready for First Grade with a positive attitude after this fun and effective summer review class. We will help your child jump into the school year with enthusiasm and confidence!

#### **2nd Grade READING AND WRITING CLASS**

Students will practice their reading fluency and a variety of comprehension strategies with both fiction and nonfiction stories. Daily grammar activities will engage students and help them build on their foundation of what nouns, pronouns, and verbs are. Watch your child's writing skills grow with opinion pieces and a research report to prepare them for next year!

#### **2nd Grade MATH**

Weekly project-based activities will help your child practice important skills like counting money, two-digit addition and subtraction, and telling time to 5 minutes. Watch your child's confidence grow as they learn to love math with skip counting patterns, place value to thousands, and a foundation for multiplication. Daily review games will engage your child as they practice their basic math facts and learn new mental math strategies to help them succeed next year!

#### **3rd Grade READING AND WRITING CLASS**

Students will practice their reading fluency and a variety of comprehension strategies with both fiction and nonfiction stories. Daily grammar activities will engage students

and help them further their understanding of nouns, pronouns, verbs, and adjectives. Watch your child's writing skills grow with opinion pieces, personal narratives, and a how-to directions piece to prepare them for next year!

### **3rd Grade MATH**

Weekly project-based activities will help your child practice important skills like area and perimeter, rounding, and telling time to the exact minute. Watch your child's confidence grow as they learn to love math with fraction equivalence, three-digit addition and subtraction, and a foundation of multiples of 10 and 100. Daily review games will engage your child as they practice their basic math facts and learn new mental math strategies to help them succeed next year!

### **4th & 5th Grade WRITING Camp**

The ability to effectively communicate in writing is a valuable skill that carries forward into our adult lives. Many forms of writing will be addressed, including informative writing, creative writing, summaries, basic paragraph structure; all coupled with grammar and punctuation. Emphasis will be placed on the skill of selecting words to communicate the writer's intended message.

### **4th Grade MATH**

Weekly project-based activities will help your child practice important skills like area and perimeter, angles, expanded form, and division. Watch your child's confidence grow as they learn to love math with common denominators, decimals, and graphs. Daily review games will engage your child as they practice their basic math facts and learn new mental math strategies to help them succeed next year!

### **5th Grade MATH**

Weekly project-based activities will help your child practice important skills like multiplying money, mixed numbers, and volume. Watch your child's confidence grow as they learn to love math with powers of 10, multiplying fractions, and a foundation for graphing with an x and y axis. Daily review games will engage your child as they practice their basic math facts and learn new mental math strategies to help them succeed next year!

### **6th and 7th MATH**

Our small class sizes are an excellent opportunity to brush up on math skills. This three week math course serves as an introduction to Junior High math and provides a foundation for critical algebraic concepts introduced in both pre-algebra and applied math.

### **JH WRITING CLASS**

Students will learn how to fuel a love for writing in our small classes, with a greater teacher-student attention possible. Opportunities are daily to master detailed,

meaningful sentences and paragraphs that skill them for Common Core State Standards. The writing class is more than writing - it is a refresher in grammar skills, annotating skills, and reading comprehension. All of these components create better writers! No homework or grades assigned.

### **JH Computers**

This introductory computer course provides each student with the opportunity to learn the basics of Google Suite along with the applications of Google Docs, Sheets & Slides. Students will also be introduced to computer programming using online resources and the Scratch programming platform. The students who complete this course will be ready to use technology to complete academic research for educational and other uses. This class for MCS students will waive required elective if hand-on computer test is passed at end of session.

### **JH SOAR**

S. O. A. R. is a study skills course that concentrates on 6 areas of efficacy. Simplicity through Efficient Systems, Relevance, Joy, Originality & Creativity, Personal Responsibility, and Excellence: (not to be confused with perfection) Students will be introduced to what it means to be accountable for their actions and their mistakes. They will leave this course with an understanding of integrity, which should be aligned with

## **Extra-Curricular Classes, One Week Classes (Jun 12-Jul 7)**

### **K-1st & 2nd-5th SPORTS & GAMES (one week)**

Come join a morning of fun playing a wide variety of sports and games! Our Coaches have a long list of sports and games to be played in the fresh morning air. These activities will improve strength, coordination, sportsmanship, and knowledge of various sports. Fitness is a great start to any morning!

### **K-1st & 2nd-5th STRATEGIC GAMES (one week)**

This class is a blend of indoor and outdoor play filled with games and activities that require kids to think multiple steps ahead. Some games will have them strategizing as a team, while others will be more individualized. Your child will exercise mentally and physically the whole week long.

### **K-2nd & 3rd-5th Art**

In this class your child will discover new artists, elements, and methods using fun selection of media. Each student will be encouraged to explore his talents, making his own masterpieces. A child's art is uniquely playful and happy. Your child will create such pieces in these classes. *NOTE: Each week offers a new class. Curriculum will not be repeated from week to week. Rather, it will be an entirely new experience!*

### **COOKING: Classes for K up to 5th**

A host of classes will be offered for eager, young chefs! And, for the first time, our kitchen is open to children as young as Kindergarten! Each class is themed, such as Breakfast Foods or Cake Decorating. And, for the youngest among us, the K-2nd "Cooking": Food Assembly/Exploration will have your child trying new foods and learning how to make meals on their level, such as wraps. The K-2nd Class will not use the range. Rather, it will teach them how to use child appropriate tools, and fully experience the fun that is found with food!

### **2nd-5th Immersive Spanish**

This class will introduce your child to Spanish in a non-stressful way. Our native speaker will help your child be at ease with Spanish and want to learn more. Many games and activities will be used to build students' confidence with the language and instill an excitement to speak in Spanish!