

SUMMER SCHOOL CLASS DESCRIPTIONS 2020

GRADE LEVELS: Your child will register for classes in the grade they are attending this year (2019-20)

CLASS SCHEDULE:	Period 1: 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Period 2: 8:40 a.m. – 9:40 a.m. Period 3: 9:50 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. Period 4: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon
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CREATING A SUPERHERO UNIVERSE (grades 5-8) Period 3

Do you have a great idea for a superhero? In this class, each student will create a superhero of their own design including their powers, backgrounds, origin story, and costume. Students will write a story starring their character, and then each student will share their superhero with the group, and create crossover stories combining characters with others from the group.

DO YOU S.T.E.M.?? (1-3) Period 1 (grades 1-3/limit 18) No Cost

Have you ever wondered how to build a parachute out of a napkin and string? How about sailing a ship made out of aluminum foil? How would you build a catapult out of popsicle sticks and rubber bands? What could you design with a cereal box, tape, scissors and markers? In this class students will have the opportunity to learn how Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (S.T.E.M) can be fun through designing, building, testing, and redesigning to solve problems in cooperative, collaborative and creative ways. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math and science will also be integrated into this course.

DO YOU S.T.E.M.?? 3-4 Period 2 (grades 3-4/limit 18) No Cost

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EXTREME SCIENCE (3-4) – Period 4 (grades 3-4 / limit 15) No Cost

Are you ready to learn the thrill and action of being a scientist? Well try “Experimenting with Science”. Students will become real live scientists as they explore safe, fun and exciting science experiments. Students will record their observations and predictions in their own science journals, and research science topics of their interest. Come and have fun experimenting with Science. Concepts that have been taught during the year in art classes will also be integrated into this course.

FOR THE LOVE OF READING (1-2) - Period 2 (grades 1-2/limit 18) No Cost

If you love books and love reading books come read and talk with friends! If you choose this class and you'll read some awesome books, chat with your friends about the many adventures great books can take you on and work on projects to share the books you love! We will read books according to your interests and level, and then have a meaningful discussion while enjoying each other's company. Plan to take trips to the school library to find books to read in our book club and on your own. There will be plenty of time for silent reading your book of choice in a nice quiet setting too!

FOR THE LOVE OF READING (3-4) - Period 3 (grades 3-4/limit 18) No Cost

If you love books and love reading books come read and talk with friends! If you choose this class and you'll read some awesome books, chat with your friends about the many adventures great books can take you on and work on projects to share the books you love! We will read books according to your interests and level, and then have a meaningful discussion while enjoying each other's company. Plan to take trips to the school library to find books to read in our book club and on your own. There will be plenty of time for silent reading your book of choice in a nice quiet setting too!

FOR THE LOVE OF READING (5-7) - Period 1 (grades 5-7/limit 18) No Cost

If you love books and love reading books come read and talk with friends! If you choose this class and you'll read some awesome books, chat with your friends about the many adventures great books can take you on and work on projects to share the books you love! We will read books according to your interests and level, and then have a meaningful discussion while enjoying each other's

company. Plan to take trips to the school library to find books to read in our book club and on your own. There will be plenty of time for silent reading your book of choice in a nice quiet setting too!

GAMES GALORE (5K-1) – Period: 4 (grades 5K-1 / limit 22) No Cost

Are you ready to have some fun and play some games? We will be learning how to play new and familiar board games including “UNO, BINGO, Monopoly Junior, Checkers, and Connect 4 to name a few. Sign up with a friend for a fun time... Concepts that have been taught during the year in math and technology classes will also be integrated into this course.

GAMES GALORE (2-4) – Period: 3 (grades 2-4 / limit 22) No Cost

Come play and learn some new and familiar board games and card games with your friends! We will play favorites like “Sorry, Checkers, Apples to Apples, Scrabble, Uno, Phase 10 and Spoons!” Sign up with some friends for an exciting time! Concepts that have been taught during the year in math and technology classes will also be integrated into this course.

GAMES AND MORE (grades 3-8) Period 1 No Cost

In this class students will play and learn different games and activities to pass the time by themselves, or with family and friends nearby and online. Each day students will learn multiple activities and games that they will play with classmates and by themselves or with others when class ends.

I LOVE HORSES (2-5) – Period 4 (grades 2-5 / limit 18) No Cost

Students will explore many aspects of horse and pony care including breeds, care and feeding, and the uses of horses. Students will read books, make their own stick horses, compete in horse show games, and even learn to groom and handle a real miniature horse! Concepts that have been taught during the year in math and science classes will also be integrated into this course.

KREATIVE KINDERGARTEN (4K) – offered Periods 1-4 as one continuous class (grade 4K) No Cost

Teachers will increase your child’s readiness for 5K kindergarten through song and movement, reading stories, art projects, playing games, music time, and making snacks related to the weekly themes. Themes include: All About You, All About Me; Summer, Sand & Sun; A-camping We Will Go; Kindergarten Here We Come. Skills practiced include: learning letter names and sounds, learning numbers, learning rhymed words, counting by 1’s and 10’s. Concepts that have been taught during the year in Kindergarten classes will also be integrated into this course.

-Child must be eligible for 5K in the 2020-2021 school year.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (5K) – Period 4 No Cost

Students needing extra help with their math skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course that will offer review and reinforcement of the math curriculum with a focus on basic math facts. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (1) – (Grade 1 Period 1) No Cost

Students needing extra help with their math skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course that will offer review and reinforcement of the math curriculum with a focus on basic math facts. Small group instruction will include hands-on practice, math games, and strategies for problem solving. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (2) – (Grade 2 Period 3) No Cost

Students needing extra help with their math skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course that will offer review and reinforcement of the math curriculum with a focus on basic math facts. Small group instruction will include hands-on practice, math games, and strategies for problem solving. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (3) – (Grade 3 Period 4) No Cost

Students needing extra help with their math skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course that will offer review and reinforcement of the math curriculum with a focus on basic math facts. Small group instruction will include hands-on practice, math games, and strategies for problem solving. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (4) (Grade 4 Period 1) No Cost

Students needing extra help with their math skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course that will offer review and reinforcement of the math curriculum with a focus on basic math facts. Small group instruction will include hands-on practice, math games, and strategies for problem solving. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (5) (Grade 5) Period: 2 No Cost

This class is designed to provide additional work with math skills. Each student's needs, as they relate to these skills, will be determined and appropriate instruction will be provided. A variety of software programs, individualized and small group work, games and activities will be used. Teachers will collaborate with 5th grade teachers and plan accordingly. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (6) (Grade 6) Period: 3 No Cost

This class is designed to provide additional work with math skills. Each student's needs, as they relate to these skills, will be determined and appropriate instruction will be provided. A variety of software programs, individualized and small group work, games and activities will be used. Teachers will collaborate with 6th grade teachers and plan accordingly. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course. Students will meet virtually three days per week. On the remaining two days per week students will be given independent tasks to complete, with the ability to email the teacher for support.

MATH FOR SUCCESS (7-8) (Grades 7-8) Period 4 No Cost

This class is designed to provide additional work with math skills. Each student's needs, as they relate to these skills, will be determined and appropriate instruction will be provided. A variety of software programs, individualized and small group work, games and activities will be used. Teachers will use pre and post assessments to help determine students' needs and collaborate with 7-8 grade math teachers to plan accordingly. Concepts that have been taught during the year in math classes will also be integrated into this course. Students will meet virtually three days per week. On the remaining two days per week students will be given independent tasks to complete, with the ability to email the teacher for support.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS 5K Period 2 No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to reinforce reading and writing skills taught during the school year. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS (1) - Grade 1: Period 3 No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to reinforce reading and writing skills taught during the school year. Weekly themed units are enhanced with projects, activities and a variety of literacy genres. The focus is to keep reading and writing fun while maintaining important skills. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS (2) - (Grade 2) Period: 1 No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to reinforce reading and writing skills taught during the school year. Weekly themed units are enhanced with projects, activities and a variety of literacy genres. The focus is to keep reading and writing fun while maintaining important skills. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS (3) - (Grade 3: Period 2 No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to reinforce reading and writing skills taught during the school year. Weekly themed units are enhanced with projects, activities and a variety of literacy genres. The focus is to keep reading and writing fun while maintaining important skills. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS (4) - (Grade 4: Period 3) No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to reinforce reading and writing skills taught during the school year. Personalized learning units are enhanced with projects, activities and a variety of literacy genres. The focus is to keep reading and writing fun while maintaining important skills. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS (5-6) – Period: 2 (grades 5 & 6) No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to strengthen reading and writing skills. A book club format, software programs, guided groups, and mini-lessons will occur through a fun-learning environment. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course. Students will meet virtually three days per week. On the remaining two days per week students will be given independent tasks to complete, with the ability to email the teacher for support.

READ/WRITE FOR SUCCESS (7-8)-Period 1 No Cost

Students needing extra help with their reading and writing skills are encouraged to enroll. This is an academic course designed to strengthen reading and writing skills. A book club format, software programs, guided groups, and mini-lessons will occur through a fun-learning environment. Teachers will collaborate with 7-8 ELA teachers and plan accordingly. Concepts that have been taught during the year in literacy classes will also be integrated into this course. Students will meet virtually three days per week. On the remaining two days per week students will be given independent tasks to complete, with the ability to email the teacher for support.

ROBLOX (3-8)- Periods: 2 & 4 (Grades 3-8 / limit 30) No Cost

Students who sign up for this class need a home device that runs ROBLOX - it does not work on school Chromebooks.

Using ROBLOX's sandbox environment, students will design game worlds, and create rules for play, limited by their imaginations. Students will then have the opportunity to share their game worlds online, for others to play, and in turn get a chance to play in other game worlds created by other players around the world. Concepts that have been taught during the year in science and math classes will also be integrated into this course.