

# 1st Grade Summer School Classes

**Camping Extravaganza:** Come and enjoy some summer fun in “Camping Extravaganza!” We will be exploring camping books, STEM activities, writing projects and more! Students will spend time playing outdoor games and doing some fantastic outdoor experiments! Once per week, students will make a fun camping snack. The only requirement for this class is to come to class ready to enjoy camping and the great outdoors! Fee: \$5

**Cooking up a Storybook:** In this class we will make yummy treats in the kitchen along with reading stories that relate to our snack! We will learn how to measure and read a recipe, experiment with different foods and make a recipe book that you can take with you at the end of the three weeks. The only class requirements are to come ready to prepare snacks together and be willing to try new foods or foods you may not like! What’s better than eating and reading together?! Fee: \$8

**Dancing in Style:** Students will discover the “Joy” of dance! Be prepared to have fun while dancing! (Offered 1st and 2nd Session)

**Everything Dinosaurs:** We will be learning all about dinosaurs in this class. During the three weeks, we will be playing dino-themed games, making our own fossils, and we will even be digging up some bones! (Offered 1st and 2nd Session)

**Explore the Ocean:** Come and explore the ocean! We will learn about the many different sea creatures and explore the different oceans throughout our three weeks together. We will do lots of activities that will help us understand the ocean and how it is different than the lakes and rivers we have here in Wisconsin. During “Explore the Ocean” we will; dig for shells, do shell art, examine waves, see the problems with pollution, discover which critters eat which critters, examine special traits that some ocean dwellers have to help them live. Fee: \$5

**Explore the World:** Come and explore the world through arts and crafts! We will learn about different countries around the world: Japan, China, Germany, Egypt, Mexico, etc. We will do arts and crafts to go along with each country. Some of the

projects include making a yarn sheep, designing a T-shirt, working with clay, and painting. Fee: \$10

**Outdoor Fun:** Students will be introduced to many things that make being outside fun. We will learn about trees, bugs, birds, maps, animals, rocks, camping, survival skills, team building, cooperation, outdoor safety, fire safety, and many ways to have fun outdoors. To learn these things we will be doing activities such as yard games, making S’mores, building shelters, building a fire, mining for gems and minerals, making animal tracks, going on a bug hunt, treasure hunting, nature hike, leaf rubbing, making bird feeders, making trail mix, and playing many different types of games. Come ready to spend time outside having fun by dressing for the changing temperatures and wearing shoes for running and hiking. Fee: \$8

**Reading is a Work of Art:** Do you love to read? Do you love creating art? This is the class for you! In “Reading is a Work of Art” we will read fun and popular children’s books and create artwork based on the book! We will study authors and illustrators such as Eric Carle, Mo Willems, Jan Brett, Eric Litwin, and Kevin Henkes. We will do lots of reading, directed drawings, painting, coloring, and crafting. Prepare to become an illustrator yourself in “Reading is a Work of Art!” Fee: \$5

**Soccer:** Sign up and learn about SOCCER in a fun and safe environment. In the class, you will learn eye/foot and eye/hand coordination, following directions, listening skills, motor skills, balance, and teamwork. There are two age groups, so students will be learning with students within their peer group. Students will work on individual skills such as dribbling, passing, receiving the ball, defensive moves, throw-ins, goalie and etc. Each class is broken up into 3 different segments: individual skills, small group games/activities, and a large group scrimmage/soccer related game. (Offered 1st Session only)

**Sports Galore:** Students in this course will learn how to play various team sports with the intent of fair play and sportsmanship.

**STEM, Robotics and Coding:** Do you love computers? Do you want to learn how to code and make your own video games? Are robotics something that you are interested in learning more about? This is the class for you. We will use Tynker to learn coding and make robots follow our directions. We will have fun as we explore how to dive deeper into what technology can do for you! (Offered 3rd Session only)

**Swimming Lessons (Levels 1-6):** Make sure and bring a swimsuit and towel every day. Fee: \$5

**The Land Down Under:** Welcome to “The Land Down Under!” Students in this course will have the unique opportunity to discover the enchanting country of Australia! Get ready to learn all about Australia’s land, animals, culture, food, famous landmarks, games, history, and so much more! In this class you will also create Aboriginal art as well as taste awesome Aussie barbecue! Fee: \$5 (Offered 2nd and 3rd Session)

**Youth Wrestling:** Whether you are a seasoned wrestler or just want to try the sport out, this is the class for you! Held in the High School wrestling room, we will learn the sport of wrestling and play a lot of games like Dodgeball! (Offered 1st and 2nd Session)

