



SUMMER

CAMP



EXCITEMENT
for all ages!

A SUMMER LIKE NO OTHER!

Have you been wondering what to do this summer? Look no further than the School Age Center for summer camps for all ages and interests! The learning and fun are limitless! Flip the page to find out how to make this summer unforgettable.



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WELCOME!

Hey there! We're so glad you want to join in on the fun at the School Age Center's Summer Camps. In this book you'll find all of the information you need in order to pick which camps sound like the most fun to you, plus some rules and other important information for your parents. Flip through the pages to find out how this will be the **best summer ever!**

IMPORTANT CAMP & REGISTRATION INFORMATION

- School Age Center (SAC) Summer Break Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 6 a.m. - 6 p.m.
- Camps must have a minimum of 10 children enrolled or the camp may be canceled, and children will be placed in other camps with availability.
- Children must wear appropriate clothing and shoes, especially when attending a field trip. Sneakers are encouraged at all times for participation in daily activities at CYS programs. Please do not allow your child to wear open-toed shoes, such as flip flops, sandals, and/or slippers without closed-toes and a back strap.
- All camps, activities, field trips are subject to change due to weather, availability, and program needs.
- Campers will not be able to switch camps without parent and the Director's permission.
- In order to attend field trips, children must have a signed permission slip, their field trip shirt, and closed-toed shoes. Additionally, a signed permissions slip is required for all field trips and may be required for some special activities. Parents will receive permission slips in advance prior to any activity requiring them.
- A current physical must be stamped and signed by a physician; this is required to enroll in any CYS services.
- Personal property: CYS is not responsible for any lost or stolen items and strongly discourages children to valuable items such as hand-held gaming devices, cell phones, ipods, action figures/dolls, etc.
- Special needs: If your child has any special needs such as asthma, allergies, diabetes, seizures, or any other type of special need, additional paperwork may be required prior to starting any CYS program. MIAT paperwork and meetings are for the safety and well-being for those who may have special needs.
- Outside food and beverages are not allowed in any CYS program. Information for Special Dietary requirements can be discussed with the director or Parent Central Services.
- Your child's school grade for Summer Camp enrollment is based on the grade they were in during the 2018/2019 school year, not according to the grade they will be in after the summer.
- Afternoon field trips will be scheduled Monday-Friday. Children will be divided by grade level. Planned field trips are to the following locations: Melaven Pool, Nugget Lanes Bowling Center, the trampoline park, and some new and exciting Alaskan-themed adventures!
- On most Fridays, we have special events and activities planned at the facility.
- Outdoor play will be offered daily, weather permitting. If you wish for your child to wear sunscreen or bug spray, it must be kept at the Front Desk with a signed Basic Care Form.

SUMMER CAMP DAILY SCHEDULE

6 - 7:30 A.M.:

Arrival / School Age Center opens

7:30 - 8:30 A.M.:

Breakfast / Free flow activities

8:30 - 9 A.M.:

Pep rally

9 - 11:30 A.M.:

Camps!

11:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.:

Lunch

12:30 - 3 P.M.:

Special events & field trips

3 - 4 P.M.:

Snack

3 - 6 P.M.:

Free flow activities and 4-H Clubs

DAILY AFTER-CAMP ACTIVITIES

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES	Kinder Field Trip	1st Grade Field Trip	2nd Grade Field Trip	3rd Grade Field Trip	4th – 6th Grade Field Trip

CAMP CLOSURES

Please note that the School Age Center will be closed on May 24 for a Staff Development Day, as well as May 27th and July 4th in observance with Federal Holidays.



PICKING YOUR CAMPS

Take a look through the rest of this book to find descriptions for each camp offered this summer, then help your child decide which camps are their top 3 favorite picks for each week they will participate. (Use the worksheet at the back of this book to help you get organized.)

We at the School Age Center team will do our best to enroll your child into their top picks. However, some camps may fill quickly. The School Age Center reserves the right to choose to move your child to their second or third camp choice. If your child does not get his/her first camp choice, don't fret; he/she will have another opportunity to participate another week during the summer. All camps are repeated at least once throughout the summer.

SUMMER CAMP KICK-OFF: WEEK 1, MAY 20-24

Let's get this show on the road! During the first week of camp, kids will be grouped into grade levels and oriented to Summer Camp. It's time to break the ice and get to know each other through ice breakers and team building exercises, as well as hands-on activities throughout the week. We'll learn the Summer Camp rules and expectations, plus build lasting relationships! Be prepared to have an amazing start to your summer.

SUMMER CAMP WEEKLY THEMES

SPORTS CAMP

Sports are more than just about exercise! We'll focus on building individual skills, confidence, fundamental skills with different sports, and teamwork. Some of the sports we will be offering may include basketball, soccer, and baseball.

SAMOAN DANCE CAMP

The children will be taught the basic moves/motions, footwork, and the culture of the

Samoan dances. The children will learn the definition of Samoan words so they can understand the meaning of the dances. Samoan dance moves have expressions that are linked to emotions. Emotions will take them on a journey into the Samoan culture through dance.

ADVENTURES IN SHOWBIZ*

Adventures in Showbiz give children the experience to learn about the art of acting and will experience a variety of plays;

comedy, tragedy, historic and musicals. Children will work together to create their own short play that they will act out. Children will learn about the importance of the different jobs in putting together their own show, such as play directors, back stage support, and actors.

WATER & SAND CAMP*

Water and Sand camp will turn your youngster into a mini engineer as they learn through play. Children will be challenged to build and create different ways to move water across different locations and obstacles. Children will be using sand to manipulate water, create beaches and other land masses. Children will learn about different types of waterways both natural and man-made, exploring the differences in sand and soil that absorb water, and that hold water on the surface. Water and Sand camp will be held outside (weather permitting).

YOUNG ENGINEERING*

During Young Engineering camp children will learn about engineering and craft/building for kids. We will use a wide variety of materials and work together to build bridges, houses, and buildings. We will also be using different models to build detailed replicas of vehicles and well known architectural buildings.

FBI CAMP

For some children, summer camp means telling stories around the campfire. For those of you interested in learning more about the FBI, we have a camp for you. We will learn about fingerprints, missing clues, DNA, and we will even get to solve our own mystery.

CALL OF THE WILD*

Students will learn about a variety of animals; to include domesticated and wild animals. We will be learning about what their life is like, fun facts, and in what ways we can continue to protect and help all animals.

TAEKWONDO CONDITIONING

During Taekwondo Conditioning camp, children will learn the fundamentals of Taekwondo. They will be learning a variety of conditioning, blocks, kicks, punches, self-defense forms and skills. The camp also involves a behavior contract that children will recite which includes treating others with respect and a promise for no fighting at SAC or at home. Children will also learn different social stories that will model non-violent conflict resolution.

A STAR SPANGLED SUMMER: READ, WRITE AND DO*

Join us on the adventure of reading and soaring into books. Children will read a variety of books to themselves and practice aloud to build their confidence in their reading skills. During this camp children will go on field trips to the library and travel to the Child Development Centers to practice their reading skills by reading to younger children.



ART THROUGH NATURE

Let's take a break from the digital world and explore the world around us. During this camp, children will have the opportunity to use their imagination to make art using nature. Create something fun and experience the natural world around you!

JAPANESE CAMP

In this camp, we will be learning about the Japanese culture and language. We will be going over things such as: simple phrases, colors, the importance of cherry blossoms, how to use chopsticks, etc.

COOKING AND BAKING CAMP

Explore recipes from all around the world. Children will be learning about food preparation, food presentation, kitchen etiquette, stove safety and food safety. Topics include baking, cooking, salads, and appetizers.

APOCALYPSE CAMP

Students will learn all the necessary life skills to survive an Apocalypse. Some skills we will be learning are knitting, sewing, cooking, fire safety, and a few others that you may need to know in order to survive in the wild.

AMAZING RACE GAME CAMP*

Kids will learn to foster their competitive nature through multiple positive outlets. Games include physical activity, strategy, and teamwork.

SAC IDOL*

Children will have an opportunity to find their voice through music! They will be learning about different types of music to include older music and more modern styles. Children can select music of their choice to share and we will be learning a variety of songs as a group. They will be singing and building confidence to perform a solo in our very own SAC Idol.

CHILDREN AROUND THE WORLD*

As children travel around the world, they will learn about different cultures and the different ways children learn in different parts of the world. We will be learning about how children get to school, the foods they eat, games they play, and how children interact with each other.

FLIGHT/SPACE CAMP

It's a bird, it's a plane, it's Flight Camp! Ever wonder how planes fly? This week we will take a look at how flying evolved from a small town in North Carolina to an international success. We will even take a field trip to the Airfield.

LEGO ROBOTICS*

During Lego Robotics Camp, children will do a variety of design challenges while creating their own Lego robots. Children will explore their creative side by creating robots, and complete group activities. We will explore the different robots used at Fort Wainwright like the Talon and Pacbot robots.

SEWING CAMP*

In this camp, we will be learning the basics of hand and machine sewing. As we build our skills, we will be working on projects throughout the week to include stuffed animals, pillows, and blankets.

ROLLING IN THE DOH

Play-Doh! Children will not only be playing with Play-Doh, but they will also be making creations! We will be using our own recipes to make Play-Doh and use it for creative play. The possibilities are endless.

CAMPING & ADVENTURE SKILLS CAMP

Camping and Adventure Skills Camp will include a variety of skill training, outdoor-oriented games, and physical conditioning that is meant to improve outdoor adventure performance. Children will be instructed on outdoor safety skills that children should know when being outdoors, such as bear safety, safe drinking water, rescues, and environmental safety. Let's go on an adventure!

DIY LIFE SKILLS

Explore how to do and create some of life's most important life skills by learning how to be self-sufficient. Children will have the opportunity to test their abilities and learn detailed steps to important life skills that can be implemented into real life situations.

POETRY IN MOTION

Poetry in Motion is a fun way for children to learn about their emotions and how to positively express emotions through the arts. Children will be reading, rehearsing, and creating their own poetry.

SLIME CAMP

We will be making one of the children's favorite thing Slime! This camp will include the children measuring and making a variety of slime as a team and individually by using different techniques.

PAINTING CAMP

Kids will learn about different historical parts of painting; as well as multiple types of painting styles and artists. Let's dive into a variety of art through expressionism, abstract, realism, and even finger painting.

LEGOS, LEGOS AND MORE LEGOS*

We all love Legos! It's always fun to combine Legos with other activities. During this camp, children will get an opportunity to explore Legos in a variety of ways, such as Legos with slime, clean mud, ramps, and robots. If you love Legos, this is the camp for you.



YOUTH SPORTS & FITNESS FLAG FOOTBALL*

For this summer camp, children will be playing flag football. The youth will be learning and honing their skills in throwing, catching, and grabbing flags. Youth will learn plays and rules of the sport. Youth will also learn about teamwork and good sportsmanship to support them in their future sports endeavors.

GEOGRAPHY CAMP*

In Geography Camp, children will be exploring the world. They will be learning about the continents, different weather systems, and cultures of the different places that we will explore. After this camp students will be able to share information regarding earthquakes, mountains, and how they are made, and how different geographic make ups effect climate and its people. Children will have the opportunity to try different food, do activities, and try on different clothing connected to that culture as they go on an adventure around the world.

COMPUTER ART CAMP

In Computer Arts Camp children will learn the basic graphics/painting utilities that can be used through Microsoft Paint of MS Paint. MS Paint can be used to draw, color, and edit pictures. MS Paint is the first digital art tool young artists have had access to since 1985. This painting program will teach children to value simplicity and help build your artistic styles.

WOOD WORKING CAMP

Students will learn the basics of wood working. Some projects will include how to build a stool, a picture frame, a box with hinges, and how to carve/whittle their own spoon.

STORY-TELLERS IN THE MAKING*

Children have huge imaginations and will be collaborating as a group to create a short performance. They will learn about writing their own script and create their own characters. Children will have an opportunity to build confidence and learn important social life skills through acting/puppetry.

DR. SEUSS CAMP*

Dr. Seuss Camp will begin with 4 books written by Dr. Seuss! We will be reading Green Eggs and Ham, The Lorax, Bartholomew and the Obobbleck, and What was I Scared of. With each book, we will have an activity that connects to the book as well as an art or academic type project. This will allow the children to explore these fun books in a deeper way that promotes creativity and fun!



Child's Name: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Last grade completed: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Child Signature: _____

1. Tear out this page and review all camps within this packet.
2. Indicate which camp your child wants to attend by marking the box. Remember to indicate 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices.
3. Return this page (along with your summer camp contract) to the School Age Center.
4. Your Summer Adventure awaits!

Week 1, May 20-24

☐ Summer Camp Kick-Off

☐ Sewing Camp*

☐ Rolling in the Doh*

Week 2, May 27-31**

☐ Sports TBD

☐ Samoan Dance Camp

☐ Adventures in Show Biz*

☐ Water & Sand Camp*

☐ Young Engineering*

☐ FBI Camp

☐ Call of the Wild*

Week 5, June 17-21

☐ Sports TBD

☐ Camping & Adventure

☐ DIY Life Skills

☐ Poetry in Motion

☐ Slime Camp

☐ Call of the Wild*

☐ Legos, Legos, and

More Legos*

Week 3, June 3-7

☐ Taekwondo Conditioning

☐ A Star Spangled Summer*

☐ Art Through Nature*

☐ Japanese Camp

☐ Cooking and Baking

☐ The Apocalypse

☐ Amazing Race*

Week 6, June 24-28

☐ Youth Sports & Fitness Football*

☐ Geography Camp*

☐ Computer Art Camp

☐ Wood Working Camp

☐ Storytellers in the Making*

☐ Paleontology Camp

☐ FBI Camp

Week 4, June 10-14

☐ Sports TBD

☐ School Age Center Idol*

☐ Children Around
the World*

☐ Flight/Space Camp

☐ Lego Robotics*

Week 7, July 1-5**

☐ Sports TBD

☐ Dr. Seuss Camp*

☐ Adventure Camp*

☐ Legos, Legos, and More Legos*

☐ Adventures in Showbiz*

- _____ Art Through Nature
- _____ Apocalypse Camp

Week 8, July 8-12

- _____ Youth Sports & Fitness Olympics
- _____ Science/Space Atmosphere Camp*
- _____ Alaskan Artistry*
- _____ Cooking & Baking Camp*
- _____ Wood Working Camp
- _____ Slime Camp
- _____ School Age Center Idol*

Week 9, July 15-19

- _____ **Sports TBD**
- _____ Amazing Race*
- _____ Water & Sand Camp*
- _____ Young Engineering*
- _____ A Star Spangled Summer*
- _____ Flight/Space Camp
- _____ Camping & Adventure*

Week 10, July 22-26

- _____ Taekwondo Conditioning
- _____ DIY Life Skills
- _____ Hawaiian/Tahitian Dance
- _____ Japanese Camp
- _____ Geography Camp*
- _____ Computer Art Camp*
- _____ Paleontology Camp

Week 11, July 29-August 2

- _____ Summer Olympics
- _____ Lego Robotics*
- _____ Sewing Camp*
- _____ Rolling in the Doh*
- _____ Children Around the World*
- _____ Poetry in Motion*
- _____ Dr. Seuss Camp*

Week 12, August 5-9

- _____ Flag Football*
- _____ Adventure Camp*
- _____ Alaskan Artistry*
- _____ FBI Camp
- _____ Science/Space & Atmosphere Camp*
- _____ Storytellers in the Making*
- _____ Wood Working Camp

Week 13, August 12-16

- _____ Moving on Up!

**THIS COMPLETED FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED
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ADVENTURE CAMP

Need a little excitement and adventure? This camp will be all about mysteries and making creations. We will be doing things; such as Scavenger hunts, bubble blowing, painting, and exploring.

PALEONTOLOGY CAMP

This is an opportunity to mold together education, creativity, and fun while learning about dinosaurs. Children will be learning a variety of scientific terminology, and about individual dinosaurs through a variety of activities, crafts and projects.

YOUTH SPORTS & FITNESS SUMMER OLYMPICS

During the SAC Summer Olympics Camp we will be learning and competing in different sports and events such as archery, track and field, badminton and golf. We will also play different team sports like basketball and soccer. This will be a fun and competitive learning experience for all!

SCIENCE/SPACE & ATMOSPHERE CAMP

Children will have a science experience that is out of this world! This science camp will be providing a higher octane science experience for our children. Let's soar through the skies and explore the atmosphere and rockets.

ALASKAN ARTISTRY*

Painting camp is a fun time for students to use their creativity to create work that will forever remind them of Alaska and their summer of 2019. We will be doing paintings of all kinds with different media. The theme of these projects will be framed around Alaska and summer. Although there will be a theme, children will be encouraged to take their project in many directions and create something beautiful and unique to them!

HAWAIIAN/TAHITIAN DANCE CAMP

The children will be learning basics of Hawaiian/Tahitian Dance, they will learn the techniques and steps that focus on the footwork and the art of expressive movement.

MOVING ON UP! WEEK 13, AUGUST 12-16

Join us for our last week of Summer Camp as we kick off the school year and look back at how much fun we had getting creative, growing up, and building lasting friendships.



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