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**SUMMER SEMESTER
2023
PROGRAM GUIDE**



MUSTANGS

**EMPOWERING THE CO-CREATORS OF TOMORROW
ACADEMICS | ENRICHMENT | ATHLETICS**

Welcome to Summer 2023!

This summer we are inviting everyone to an awesome summer experience. We are going to have a summer of WONDER! Full of exciting options for everyone to explore. We will have many opportunities to share this summer. NEW this year, we are partnering with the Innovator's Hall of Fame for a new experience called Camp Innovation. It will be a week-long amazing experience. learning and growing as innovators and explorers! Join us for all the hands-on experiences as we wonder together through Project Summer.

We are also continuing to create some positive experiences this summer for Middle school and Upper school students as well. You can check back for more!

Summer semester is a chance for students to see themselves as a different type of learner and unlike traditional summer programs we intend to provide excellent Christ-centered programming that will continue to help all our students to see themselves as Christ-followers first.

We would love to see your student come and wonder with us this summer!

Blessings,
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KEY DATES

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 Summer Semester Begins	7 Bring your Wheels	8 Wet Wednesday	9	10
12 Project Summer Begins	13 Bring your Wheels	14 Wet Wednesday	15	16 Project Summer Friday Field Trip
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30 Project Summer Friday Field Trip

CAMP INVENTION WEEK!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Summer Semester Closed	4 Summer Semester Closed	5 Summer Semester Closed	6	7 Project Summer Friday Field Trip
10	11 Bring your Wheels	12 Wet Wednesday	13	14 Project Summer Friday Field Trip
17	18 Bring your Wheels	19 Wet Wednesday	20	21 Project Summer Friday Field Trip
24	25 Bring your Wheels	26 Wet Wednesday	27	28 Project Summer Friday Field Trip

Summer Olympics

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31	1 Bring your Wheels	2 Wet Wednesday	3	4 Project Summer Friday Field Trip
7 Last week of Project Summer	8 Bring your Wheels	9 Wet Wednesday	10	11 Project Summer Friday Field Trip
14	15 Bring your Wheels	16 Wet Wednesday	17	18
21	22 Bring your Wheels	23 Wet Wednesday	24 Last Day of PK Summer Program	25 Summer Semester Closed
28 First Day for Upper School	29 First Day of School for PK-4th Grade	30	31	1

PreKindergarten Summer Programming

Maranatha Christian Academy offers 12-month, Project-Based approach to pre-kindergarten programming. During the summer, students ages 3 - entering Kindergarten will continue to learn and grow in a fun and engaging environment. Our Summer Program takes a unique hands-on approach to learning with so much for our littlest creators to do! With the ability to pick your days and your weeks, our summer program offers flexible and affordable options all summer long!



Dates: Weekly Sessions beginning June 5 – August 24, 2023 (closed July 3 - 5)

Time: 7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Ages: 3 – entering Kindergarten

Fee: \$218 for 3-day, 288 for 4 day, or \$335 for 5-day per week

**Sign up online by going to
www.mcamustangs.org/summer**

Project Summer

Summer Camp with a project-based twist distinct to MCA's mission and vision of building up co-creators for tomorrow's new world.

Full Week Day Camp

Dates: Weekly Sessions beginning June 12 - August 11, 2023 (no camp July 3, 4, and 5)

Time: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Grades: students entering grades 1st - 6th grade

Fee: \$275 per week or \$220 for Mon-Thurs only

Customize Your Summer Experience by adding on an Enrichment Camp to your week for extra fun and a little different!

Included in Project Summer...

CAMP INNOVATION! (new this year)
Fun Friday Field Trips Summer Reading
Science Experiments
Math Brain Busters
Arts and Crafts Makerspace
Music Enrichment
STEAM Education
Relationship Building
Gardening Experience
Enrichment Clubs (additional fees apply)
AND MORE...



Weekly Afternoon Activities for Everyone:

Makers Mondays
Wheels Tuesdays
Water Wednesdays
Surprise Thursdays
Field Trip Fridays

Project Summer - NEW THIS YEAR!!

CAMP INVENTION!

June 26-30

We are partnering with the *National Inventor's Hall of Fame* to create a week-long experience that will teach students all about being inventors, entrepreneurs, and creators through several inventive and exciting processes.

*This week will include the full week from 7:30-4pm and will be the only offering this week. No drop-in or 4-day option available. More information to come.

WATER WEDNESDAY

is back and better than ever!

*It will now include weekly visits to the
Maple Grove Community Center Pool*

Project Summer | Other Options

Enrichment Camps

Dates: Nearly Weekly Sessions
beginning June 12 - August 11, 2023

Time: Camps are from 9am-12pm

Ages: students entering grades K -
6th grade

Fee: varies per camp

Friday Field Trips Only

Dates: Fridays, June 16 - August 11

Time: 7:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Ages: students entering grades 1st -
6th grade

Fee: \$55

Field Trips are still being scheduled and we plan on having a GREAT trip almost every week. Please see the next page for more information.

After Camp Care (4-6pm)

Dates: Weekly Sessions beginning June
12 - August 11, 2023

Time: 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Ages: students entering grades 1st - 6th
grade

Fee: \$55 (Mon-Thurs) | \$68 (Mon-Fri) or
pay as you go for after-camp care: \$4
per 30 min.



Summer Semester Sessions at a Glance



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Choose from the following options for each week!
All camps run Mondays-Thursdays unless otherwise specified.
Camps are subject to change, please check the online registration system for the most up to date information

We continue adding great clubs and classes, so check back for more

(Grade levels are based on what they will be entering in the 23-24 School year).

Strength and Conditioning Camp | June 5-June 29 | entering 9-12
Strength and Conditioning Camp | July 10 - August 3 | entering 9-12
Various Math Courses | July 18-August 10 | entering 5-11
Writer's Crash Course | TBD | entering 9-12

Session 1 | June 5-9

PreK Only in Session

Athletics

Boys Basketball | entering K-2 | 9am - 11am

Session 2 | June 12-16

PROJECT SUMMER BEGINS!

Enrichment

Athletics

Microbit- Circuitry | entering 3-6th | 9am - 12pm
Knitting | entering 3-6th | 10:30am - 12pm
Colorful Critters Art Camp | entering 1-6th | 9am-12pm

Softball | entering K-5 | 9am - 11am
Softball | 6-12 | 1pm-4pm

Session 3 | June 19-23

CAMP INVENTION!
entering 1st-6th grades

Session 4 | June 26 - 30

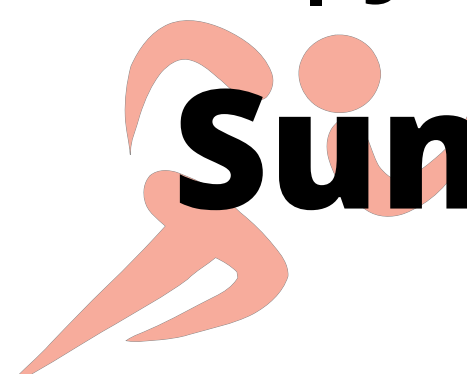
Enrichment

Athletics

Crochet | entering 3-6th | 10:30am - 12pm
Lego Robotics | entering 1st | 9 am - 11:30am
Spanish Camp | entering 1-6th | 9am-12pm

Boys Basketball | entering 6-8 | 9am - 11am

Session 5 | July 6 - 7



Summer Olympics Week

Closed July 3rd - 5th

Session 6 | July 10 - 14

Enrichment

Lego Robotics | PK and entering K | 9 am - 11:30am
Wilderness Survival | entering 2-5th | 9am - 12pm
Board Game Club | | entering 1-3rd | 9am - 12pm

Athletics

Soccer | entering k-4 | 9am - 12pm
Girls Soccer | entering 5-8 | 9am-12pm

Session 7 | July 17 - 21

Enrichment

Fencing Camp | entering 2-6th | 9 am - 12pm
Scrapbooking Camp | entering 2-6th | 9 am - 12pm
Science Camp | entering 3-6th | 9 am - 12 pm

Athletics

Boys Soccer | entering 5-12 | 9am-11pm
(Monday-Friday)

Session 8 | July 24 - 28

Enrichment

Science Camp | entering 1st-2nd | 9 am - 11:30am
Pastel Art Masters | entering 1-6th | 9 am - 12pm

Athletics

Volleyball | entering 2-5th | 9am-10:30am
Volleyball Advanced | entering 7-12 | 11am-1pm

Session 9 | July 31- August 4

Enrichment

Cheer Camp | entering K-2nd | 9 am - 12 pm
Kids in the Kitchen | entering 3-6th | 9 am - 12 pm
Robotics | entering 2-6th | 9 am - 12 pm
Culinary Exploration | entering 7-12 | 1 pm - 4 pm

Athletics

Volleyball | entering 6-9th | 9am-11am
Girls Basketball | TBD

Session 10 | August 7 - 11

Enrichment

Littlest Chefs | entering K-2nd | 9 am - 12 pm
Chess | entering 1-6th | 9 am - 12 pm
Dance Camp | entering 3-6th | 9 am - 12 pm

Athletics

Boys Basketball | entering 3-5 | 9am - 11am

Session 11 | August 14 - 18

PreK Only in Session

Session 12 | August 21 - 24

PreK Only in Session | Closed August 25

MCA SUMMER SEMESTER FRIDAY FIELD TRIPS

ENTERING 1ST-6TH GRADES



LET'S GO!

JUNE 16

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JUNE 23

**CAMP INNOVATION!
NO FIELD TRIP**

JUNE 30

TBD

JULY 7

**NINJA FUN AND OBSTACLE COURSE
WITH NINJA UNITED**

JULY 14

THUNDERBLADES ROLLER RINK

JULY 21

**BOWLING AND LASER TAG AT
BOWLERO**

JULY 28

PADDLE BOAT FIELD TRIP

AUGUST 4

**NORTHERN STAR BASE CAMP
TEAM BUILDING TRIP**

AUGUST 11

BUNKER BEACH

Academic Tutoring

Are you looking for a way to help build your student's academic self-confidence, prevent summer learning loss, and maintain learning momentum? Do you need to give your student extra skill practice to master concepts or get a head start on next year's curriculum? If so, register for summer tutoring through Learning Support Services.

LSS offers affordable tutoring by our own highly qualified MCA staff, who are familiar with your child and school curriculum.

Contact Tanya Marvel at tanya.marvel@mcamustangs.org or 763.488.7867 for more information.

Summer tutoring days and times will be matched with family needs and available tutors. You will receive an email or phone call with exact days and times after registering.

No refunds or make-up sessions will be offered for missed sessions.

This program is available to MCA students only.

Dates: June 9-August 13; Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays

Times: as scheduled

Location: LSS Room 100



**See Summer
website for more
information and
how to get
signed up**

Register online:

www.mcamustangs.org/summer

Summer Semester Policies

This statement of policies and terms covers all Maranatha Christian Academy Summer Semester Camps and Classes. By registering, you agree to these Policies and Terms.

Registration

Registration begins on January 9th 2023. No registrations will be accepted before this date. You can register online at mcamustangs.org/summer using our online registration system. There is a nonrefundable \$50 deposit per class that will be applied toward your Summer Day Camps tuition. Students should register for classes according to the grade they will attend in the fall. A confirmation of your registration will be sent via email upon successful completion of the registration process.

A completed Maranatha Christian Academy Summer Semester Registration with emergency contact and medical information is required for each participant. Also, an authorization for administration of medication is needed, if applicable. Classes are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Students should register for activities based on the grade that they will attend in the fall of 2021.

Payment

Payment for each activity is listed on the registration site. Payment plans are available upon request. A \$25 fee will be assessed for insufficient funds or a declined credit card.

Refund Policy:

No refunds will be given after June 7, 2021. A refund minus the \$50 registration deposit will be given for registrations canceled a week prior to the start date of the course/camp. After June 7th, refunds minus the \$50 registration fee will be credited to your school tuition account if a weeks' prior notice is given.

A refund for medical reasons applies only to absences of one week or longer and requires a doctor's note. Due to Covid-19 a refund will be given for cancellations due to the pandemic.

Schedule Changes and Cancellations

All requests for camp schedule changes must be received in writing. Emails are accepted at laura.vincent@mcamustangs.org. We cannot guarantee that every change or cancellation will be accommodated and fees may apply.

Camp Changes and Cancellations

We reserve the right to combine camps or cancel any camps as necessary. In the event of a camp change, the dates are subject to change. In the event of a cancellation, we will do our best to notify families at least two weeks prior to the start of the class. We will also offer the option of receiving a refund.

Absences

Tuition will not be prorated or refunded due to bad weather closings, family vacations, or conflicting activities. If a student is asked to withdraw from an activity because of inappropriate conduct, a refund will not be issued. A refund for medical reasons may be considered for absences of two days or longer, and a doctor's note is required.

Lost or Stolen Items

Parents are requested to label all clothing with the student's name to ensure complete identification of all items and to protect against loss. Project Summer Day Camp assumes no responsibility for lost or stolen personal property. We discourage all participants from bringing anything of value, such as jewelry, electronics, money, or expensive clothing. Students should not bring toys, electronic units, trading cards, or other similar items.

Appropriate Dress

Students are required to dress appropriately for summer activities. We do not allow clothing that reveals underwear, excessive display of skin (i.e.: halter/crop tops, short-shorts, etc.), or clothing that advertises alcohol or other chemicals, weapons, or groups that condone chemical use. Students in violation of the summer dress code will be required to change into more appropriate clothing. Some field trips may require specific clothing.

Instructor Changes

We reserve the right to change the instructor of any class as staffing needs and schedules dictate. We make every effort to have instructors arranged by our catalog print date but changes do occur.

Transfer of Students Between Age Groups

Maranatha Christian Academy reserves the right to move participants between age groups as maturity indicates.



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