

Summer at Shorecrest

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January 20, 2026!



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School-Age Edition (ages 5+) Frequently Asked Questions

Where do I find camps for preschoolers?

[Click here to visit the preschool summer programs catalog.](#)

There is too much to read here! How can I see only the camps my child is eligible for?

This catalog is exhaustive and includes all of the offerings throughout the summer, organized by week. If you prefer to see *only* the offerings available to your camper, you can go straight to the [registration website](#) (Camp Brain) and create an account. Camp Brain will show you only the camps that are available for your camper based on their age. All of the information in this catalog is also listed in Camp Brain.

Need help getting organized? Prefer a paper and pencil method?

[Click here to access and print our handy registration planner!](#)

My child is 7, but will turn 8 during the summer. How do I know which camps (s)he is eligible for?

The age is calculated as of **September 1, 2026**. If your child turns 8 on or before September 1, then they should be applying for 8-year-old camps. If they turn 8 on September 2, they should be in 7-year-old camps. The registration website will calculate this automatically for you based on your child's birthday. Please ensure that you enter your child's birthdate correctly!

Is lunch included in the camp fee?

Yes! All campers staying for the full day (a full day camp or an AM/PM combination) will be served lunch.

What if my child requires medication or medical attention?

We employ a full time school nurse during the summer who is able to administer medications and handle most day-to-day bumps, bruises, and minor illnesses. The nurse also ensures compliance with current Shorecrest health guidelines.

Are there any additional fees?

There is a one-time application fee of \$10 per camper.

Are there any discounts or scholarships?

We offer a multi-child discount for Day Camp that is automatically applied at checkout. The discount is \$20 per camper for a half day camp or \$30 per camper for a full day camp. We do not offer financial aid or scholarships for summer camp at this time.

Is there a payment plan option?

Yes, we have added a payment plan option that allows you to pay in installments through May 1, 2026.

What is the capacity for each section of camp? What if I'm waitlisted?

Space is intentionally limited in camps to ensure the best possible experience for each camper. The enrollment capacity for most camps is approximately 15 campers. Some camps are smaller to allow for individualized attention (such as cooking and coding). Some camps, such as our LEGO and athletic programs, have larger capacities. Rarely, under-enrolled camps are canceled, and families are notified at least two weeks before the start of camp and provided with alternative camp options or a refund. If you are waitlisted for a fully enrolled camp, you will be contacted if a waitlisted space becomes available.

What are the days and hours of camp?

Camps run from Monday through Friday, 9am - 12pm (AM), 12:30pm - 3:30pm (PM), or 9am - 3:30pm (full day). Camps that deviate from this pattern are noted in red text. Please note whether your camp choice is offered in the morning, afternoon, or full day as you plan.

Is early morning and late afternoon childcare available?

Before and after care are available at an extra cost from 8-9am and 3:30-5:30pm for campers age 5-12. You can register for after care at any time up to the Friday before your camp week.

What is your cancellation policy?

Families may cancel and receive a full refund, less a \$40 cancellation fee, up to two weeks before the start date of each camp week by emailing summer@shorecrest.org or calling the Auxiliary Programs office at 727-456-7510.

Where can I find out more about summer camp policies and procedures?

[Check out the Summer Programs handbook.](#) We update this document periodically to respond to evolving school policy.

Do you offer academic enrichment?

Items marked with an asterisk (*) in the table of contents offer **Academic Enrichment**, providing focused opportunities to dive deeper into core subjects. All other offerings are designed to broaden your child's horizons through **Personal Enrichment**, fostering creativity, confidence, and essential life experiences.

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Summer at Shorecrest

Classic Day Camp

Summer at Shorecrest Classic Day Camp: Ages 5-12

[Interested in registering a 4-year-old? Click here to visit the preschool summer programs catalog.](#)



Join us this summer for nine weeks of brand new, exciting Day Camp adventures! Campers will squeal with delight on our giant water slides, exercise their creativity in the activity room, sing silly camp songs, play cooperative and competitive games, look forward to the next read-aloud, engage in hands-on science experiments, win fun prizes, and more! Most importantly, they will build relationships with each other and with our amazing counselors, making memories that will last a lifetime!



Each [themed week](#) wraps up with an over-the-top culminating event or field trip and a closing ceremony that will make your campers giddy with excitement! Read below to learn about our [weekly themes for 2026](#)!



Day Camp is fun for all ages! The camp groups are divided by age: the Sassy Sea Turtles and Merry Manatees (age 5), Fabulous Flamingos and Goofy Gators (ages 6&7), Daring Dolphins and Brave Bobcats (ages 8&9), and Prowling Panthers and Wild Wolves (ages 10-12). Come for just one week or stay in the same cabin all summer for the ultimate summer camp experience!



Classic Day Camp Pricing and Weekly Themes

Full Day Camp, ages 5-12 (9am - 3:30pm) \$380*

*Note that fees are prorated on short weeks.

[Click here for pricing and information about preschool programs.](#)

June 8-12 | Sparky's Circus Spectacular



Step right up, campers! The greatest show of the summer is rolling into town for Sparky's Circus Spectacular! Get ready for a week filled with dazzling fun, laughter, and excitement. Try your hand at classic circus challenges like ring toss, clown relays, and balancing acts, or test your aim at our carnival-style game booths. You'll design your own circus posters, make colorful circus crafts, and even learn a few amazing magic tricks to wow your friends! Cool off with a popcorn-and-lemonade break before the grand finale—a thrilling circus-style party at the end of the week! So grab your red noses, top hats, and sense of adventure—it's showtime at Sparky's Circus Spectacular! 🎪✨

June 15-18 | Mountain Mystery



Grab your hiking boots, campers—it's time to head into the wild for Mountain Mystery! Get ready for an adventurous week packed with outdoor excitement, campfire fun, and maybe even a few mysterious sightings! You'll tackle nature scavenger hunts, test your skills in forest relay games, and create your own trail signs and field journals. Craft your own Bigfoot footprint casts, design lanterns for nighttime adventures, and learn classic campfire songs and stories. Keep your eyes peeled and your cameras ready—you never know what (or who!) you might spot in the woods! So pack your sense of adventure and get ready to explore the great outdoors at Mountain Mystery! 🌲👢✨

June 22-26 | Color Wars



One camp week to rule them all! We're dialing up the competitive fun at Day Camp with Color Wars! Each cabin will don their gaiters, grab their flags, and face off all week with lawn games, field day competitions, and silly challenges to determine the ultimate champion! The week will be packed with exciting events like a foam party and an epic color battle that will leave us covered in rainbow hues from head to toe! Which cabin will earn a place on the coveted Color Wars trophy? Don't miss out on the drama, the pathos, and the excitement of Color Wars week!

June 29 - July 2 | Galaxy Quest



Blast off, campers! Get ready to journey beyond the stars during Galaxy Quest! This week is all about cosmic adventures, interstellar games, and out-of-this-world creativity. You'll launch into fun with space relays, asteroid tosses, and rocket-building challenges, then create your own glowing galaxies, alien masks, and constellation art. Learn amazing space facts, explore the mysteries of the universe, and train like real astronauts on thrilling team missions. So grab your helmets, space suits, and curiosity—it's time to blast off into Galaxy Quest! 🚀🌌✨

July 6-10 | Jurassic Jubilee



Roar into adventure, campers! Get ready for a prehistoric week of dino-mite fun at Jurassic Jubilee! Step back in time to explore the world of dinosaurs with exciting games, challenges, and hands-on activities. Track footprints in a fossil scavenger hunt, race through volcano relays, and test your dino knowledge in thrilling trivia contests. Craft your own dinosaur masks, create fossil imprints, and build miniature prehistoric landscapes. Keep your eyes peeled—you never know when a T-Rex might appear! So grab your explorer hats, adventure boots, and love of dinosaurs—it's time to stomp into Jurassic Jubilee! 🦖🌋✨

July 13-17 | Ocean Adventure



Ahoy, campers! Dive into a week of splashy fun during Ocean Adventure! Get ready to explore the wonders of the deep blue sea through games, crafts, and watery excitement. You'll navigate through ocean relay races, play beach ball challenges, and join in on a sea creature scavenger hunt. Create your own seashell art, design colorful fish crafts, and learn about fascinating marine life beneath the waves. Cool off with water play and seaside treats all week! So grab your sunglasses, flip-flops, and sense of discovery—it's time to make a splash at Ocean Adventure! 🌊🐟🚢

July 20-24 | Legends & Lore



Step into a world of magic and wonder during Legends & Lore week! Campers will explore a mystical forest filled with fairies, woodland creatures, and hidden treasures. Each day, embark on magical quests, from building fairy houses and crafting enchanted wands to searching for hidden gems during nature scavenger hunts. Create your own woodland crown and make nature-inspired art using treasures from the forest. The week concludes with an enchanted feast and a magical costume parade, where campers can dress as their favorite fairy tale creatures! So, pack your imagination and get ready to embark on a quest with all your friends!

July 27 - 31 | St. Pete's Got Talent!



Step into the spotlight, campers! Get ready for a week of fun, creativity, and show-stopping performances at St. Pete's Got Talent! Explore your skills with acting games, dance challenges, and musical jam sessions, or try your hand at comedy, magic, and circus-inspired tricks. Create your own stage props, design flashy costumes, and learn techniques to wow an audience. The week builds excitement for the grand finale—a dazzling talent showcase, where campers take center stage to perform, cheer each other on, and celebrate their unique talents. So grab your energy, creativity, and courage—it's time to shine at St. Pete's Got Talent! 🎤🌟🎉

Summer at Shorecrest Specialty Camps

Meet Our Specialty Camp Instructors!

The magic of camp is all about community! Campers love our warm, engaging, and heart-centered instructors and the joyful programs they provide. Meet some of our returning instructors here. Camp descriptions will link to this section so that you can learn a little more about the wonderful humans working with your children! *We will add to this section as new instructors join our team throughout the spring.*



Tara AI is a recently retired third-grade teacher with 25 years of classroom experience and a continued passion for enriching children's lives. She is also the proud parent of three grown children who have grown into remarkable adults. Last summer, Tara had the pleasure of supervising campers at Shorecrest, where she kept children actively engaged in engineering-based and creative activities. Campers worked collaboratively, developed friendships, and strengthened their problem-solving and creative thinking skills. Bricks 4 Kidz camps provide meaningful opportunities for social growth and creativity, and it was truly rewarding to watch the campers learn, grow, and have fun throughout the experience. Tara is honored to return as a counselor for the summer of 2026 and looks forward to reconnecting with returning campers as well as welcoming new participants.



Alexis Arrazcaeta MA AIRC has a masters in Arts in Medicine from the University of Florida and is a certified Artist in Residence. With a background in Art Therapy she has spent most of her career creating art with pediatric oncology and rehabilitation patients as well as adults and children with developmental, behavioral, physical and mental disabilities. Alexis believes that the arts ignite all areas of child development and skills for school readiness, including intellectual, social emotional, motor, language, and overall literacy. Clay helps the body and the mind work together. Alexis specializes in using clay to help children come to a better understanding of themselves, their feelings, learn to decipher patterns, solve problems, and discover the world around them in rich complex ways.



Catherine Briggs of Sew Pinellas is a creative and experienced sewing instructor with a passion for helping kids build confidence through hands-on making. Representing *Sew Pinellas*, a community-focused sewing studio in St. Petersburg, she brings patience, encouragement, and a love of teaching to every class. Catherine has taught sewing to kids of all ages and abilities, guiding beginners through their first stitches and challenging more experienced students with fun, skill-building projects. From blending her passion of history and fabric to create historically inspired designs, to exploring vintage sewing machines, she's always finding new ways to spark curiosity and joy through sewing.



Christine Di Staola (aka Ms D) moved to the Tampa Bay area in 2020 after having earned her Masters of Fine Arts from the University of Miami. She began working at Shorecrest in 2022 developing specialty clubs and camps that focus on manual dexterity, visual problem solving skills and developing a self confident approach to building and making. Ms D currently works at Shorecrest and continues her art practice in her studio in downtown St Pete. [Click here to visit and enjoy Christine's fine art portfolio.](#)



Woody Every has 23 years of experience teaching physical education, summer camps and coaching at Shorecrest. He received his MA and BS from the University of South Florida. He has experienced all that Shorecrest has to offer from the perspective of an educator and as the parent of a senior in high school at Shorecrest and couldn't be more proud to be a part of this wonderful community.



Lauren Hall has been a Shorecrest Physical Education teacher for the past nine years, teaching Experiential and Lower School classes for students ranging from age three through fourth grade. She has been a teacher for a total of 12 years and is a graduate of the University of South Florida with a degree in K-12 Physical Education—Go Bulls! Coach Hall loves getting kids moving and helping them develop a lifelong love of physical activity, meeting each child at their level while ensuring they feel included and supported. Her classes are filled with fun, engaging games that build essential skills such as locomotor movement, kicking, throwing, and catching. Come have a ball with Coach Hall!



Emili Jaime-Allwood has taught Lower School Spanish at Shorecrest for 13 years. Originally from El Salvador in Central America, she brings a wealth of experience to her classroom and her camp programs. Her lifelong passions include cultures, languages, travel, and food, and she strives to inspire her students with a sense of adventure, curiosity, and appreciation for diverse cultures. Each summer Emili offers programs centered around the Spanish language, where children learn the language and culture in a joyful environment.



Georges (spelled with an “s”) **Lefevre** is a Floridian by birth, but has strong French ties and even speaks the language. He has taught Challenge Island classes for years. With a BS in Fine Arts, coupled with a love of the sciences (having named his two daughters Discovery and Science), Mr. Georges seemed destined for the STEAM environment. Add a well-developed sense of humor, and we have a dynamic teacher who thrives in the organized chaos of a STEAM classroom. When you see Mr. Georges at camp, give him a shout out: “Nous aimons la vapeur!” or “We love STEAM!”



Jenna LoDico is a 7th-grade Science teacher at Shorecrest. She holds a Bachelor of Science in Marine Science from Eckerd College and a Master of Science in Oceanography from the University of South Florida. Jenna has over 25 years of experience teaching at independent schools and leading innovative science and experiential education programs. Her passion is to inspire students to explore the wonders of the natural world through hands-on learning and discovery.



Lauren Lyman is the founder and lead “Wonder Guide” of Our Wild Learning, an outdoor early education program dedicated to nurturing young children through meaningful experiences in the natural world. With a background as an assistant teacher in Montessori primary classrooms, ten years of professional nanny experience, and certification as a Forest School teacher and director through the Forest School Teacher Institute, she brings deep expertise in child-led learning. Lauren also owns a mobile swim lesson business, offering safe, gentle, and play-based instruction for children ages 18 months to 4 years. She is passionate about creating play-based educational experiences that spark wonder, creativity, cultivate a lifelong love of nature, and inspire stewardship of the earth in every child she guides.



Jaimie Martin is excited to bring confidence, passion, and creativity to this summer's camps! With nearly 10 years of teaching experience, currently as a second-grade teacher and Middle School cheer coach at Shorecrest, she is dedicated to fostering a love for learning, expression, creation, connection, and teamwork. With a degree in Education and Visual & Performing Arts from Florida A&M University, she SPARKS when blending her love for guiding children with her creativity and appreciation for the fine arts. Her year long goal is to create a vibrant and inspiring environment where these worlds come together in a beautiful fusion.



Casey McDonough holds a Masters of Fine Arts from the Rhode Island School of Design, as well as Bachelor's degrees in Studio Art and Marine Science from Eckerd College. He currently teaches 3D Design in the Upper School at Shorecrest, while maintaining a studio practice and exhibiting his own art work nationally. Casey loves clay more than any other medium and relishes the opportunity to introduce the infinite possibilities inherent in ceramics to anyone who will listen.



Evan Neidich holds a BFA from the School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, and an MAT from Tufts University, which have equipped her with a rich foundation in both artistic creation and education. She was trained in Let Your Yoga Dance at Kripalu Center for Yoga and Health and loves to share this practice with others as it brings joy and fun into people's lives! Evan is based in St. Petersburg with her daughter, husband, and little doggy. She is also a Shorecrest Auntie! Evan actively participates in the local art scene. You can find her at the St. Pete Saturday Morning Market and as a member of the artist collective Daydream.



Sara Norine is a teaching artist with many years of experience teaching across Florida and beyond. Trained in visual art, photography, graphic design, and costuming, her work can be seen at local galleries and community organizations across the Bay Area. As a certified and experienced teacher of 20 years and former Children's Librarian, she creates a safe space where students can explore processes and pursue their own unique interests. [Click here to enjoy Sara's professional and teaching portfolios.](#)



Lauren Reinhard earned her Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance and Music Education from Shenandoah Conservatory, where she also pursued a minor in Piano Performance. She is the founder and owner of Sounds Of Music By Lauren, a private studio where she provides voice and piano instruction to students of all ages. With over seven years of experience teaching general music and chorus at elementary and middle school levels, her students consistently excel in various advanced arts programs. Lauren is also an accomplished performer, with international training and performances with organizations like Opera Tampa, Freiberg Oper Haus, and Mittelsächsisches Theater. In addition she offers unique entertainment as a professional mermaid and princess performer.



Jacquelyn Sheppard has dedicated over 20 years to education, including seven years at Shorecrest. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Biological Science from Florida State University and began her professional journey with the Florida Department of Environmental Protection in the Bureau of Protected Species Management. She later served as an Education Instructor at the Lowry Park Zoo before earning a Master's degree in Elementary Education from the University of South Florida. She has also taught several STEM programs, including SeaPerch and Project Lead The Way, fostering innovation and hands-on learning in her students. As a military spouse, Jacquelyn has lived in various coastal locations, including Hawaii. Her diverse teaching career encompasses roles as a preschool and elementary classroom teacher, as well as a middle school instructor.



Daniel Swan is an experienced coach with a diverse background in multiple sports, dedicated to helping young athletes thrive. His coaching philosophy centers around enjoyment, building confidence, and creating a positive, supportive environment where kids can develop both their skills and love for sports. Dan is from the UK and moved to Florida last year with his wife and newborn. Since arriving in Florida, LittleSwans has delivered sports sessions across St. Petersburg, Tampa and Orlando.



Victoria Sweet teaches preschool at Shorecrest. She holds a Bachelor of Arts in English from Ithaca College and a master's degree in education from the University of Nottingham, UK. Victoria's experience includes elementary school roles at the International School of Brno and at Park Lane International School, both in the Czech Republic. After more than a decade of living in Europe, Victoria and her family moved back to the USA. Victoria's passion for child development has led her to become an advocate for high-quality education for young children and families.



Vashti Walters has been performing in Florida since 2016, when she moved to Florida and joined Tampa Ballet Theatre. She was promoted to the company in 2018, performing soloist roles in The Nutcracker, Sleeping Beauty and Swan Lake. In 2020 she moved to St. Petersburg where she performed as a guest artist. In 2022 she passed the American Ballet Theatre National Training Curriculum in levels Pre-Primary through Level 3. She is currently dancing with Tampa City Ballet and teaching throughout the Tampa Bay area.

PreWeek Specialty Camps: June 1-5

Some limited camps are available June 1-5 as we transition the campus from the academic year to summer programs. **Lunch and before/after care are not provided during PreWeek. All morning camps run 9am-12pm, and all afternoon campus runs 12:30-3:30pm, unless otherwise noted.**

PreWeek Morning Camps

Head Shoulders Knees & Cones

Instructor: Lauren Hall

Fee: \$200

Age: 5

Come work on your fine and gross motor skills while playing fun and engaging games with Coach Hall. We will use all kinds of fun tools, like chalk and bubbles! We will throw, catch, play hopscotch, practice bowling, and more! Don't miss out on the fun!

PreWeek Afternoon Camps

Lego Land

Instructor: Maddy Schnettler

Fee: \$200

Age: 5

Welcome to Lego Land Summer Camp! This summer, our campers will step into a world of imagination and become true master builders. They'll explore endless colorful LEGO pieces as they create cars, rocket ships, animals, cities and more. Throughout the week, they'll build teamwork skills, strengthen problem-solving abilities, and let their creativity shine. Every day will bring new discoveries, big ideas, and lots of joyful building adventures!

Passport to the Hispanic World

Instructor: Jessica Ruiz

Fee: \$230

Age: 5

¡Bienvenidos! Pack your bags and get ready for an exciting adventure through the vibrant cultures, languages, and traditions of the Hispanic world! In this fun and interactive camp, students will explore the music, art, food, and festivals of Spanish-speaking countries across Latin America and Spain.

Campers will learn basic Spanish phrases, dance to lively Latin rhythms, create colorful crafts inspired by famous Hispanic artists, and even taste a few kid-friendly traditional snacks. Through games, storytelling, and hands-on activities, children will discover how diverse—and connected—the Hispanic world truly is. By the end of camp, each student will have their own “passport” full of stamps, memories, and newfound appreciation for the rich cultures that make up the Hispanic world.

PreWeek Full Day Camps

*Little Medical School Workshop

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$485

Ages: 6-8

Through this exciting program with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay, students will explore a wide range of medical and STEM-related careers. Each day of the week will feature a new profession brought to life through hands-on activities and engaging role-play. Lessons are drawn from our signature programs - Little Doctor School and Little Veterinarian School - as well as our other STEM.org accredited favorites including Little Dental School, Little Pediatrician School, and Little Wilderness Medicine School. Join us on our STEM adventure to care for patients of all kinds! Little Medical School Workshop includes daily take-home projects and tools that students will use and create throughout their learning journey. This camp concludes with a showcase for families where our future healthcare heroes will demonstrate their new skills! Take-home items include: Little Medical School stethoscope, veterinarian journal, toothbrush, cavity model, syringe, Little Medical School emergency-use bandana, completion certificate

Bricktacular Mashup Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$355

Ages: 5-11

Bricks 4 Kidz is proud to present our most popular camp to kick off the Summer 2026! The Bricktacular LEGO® Mashup Camp! This summer will be completely different than previous summers, as we have added a whole lot of new LEGO® models and new themes to this camp!

At this awesome camp, all campers will create LEGO® models based on the most popular themes today such as MINECRAFT, Super Mario Bros., STAR WARS, Superheroes, Roblox, Jurassic World, LEGO® Friends, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles, Animals, Pixar, Classic Arcase, Harry Potter, LEGO® City, Pokémon, LEGO® Ninjago, Pirates, Disney, Sports, and much more!

Campers will experience a different theme each day. Your Master Builder will have a chance to create LEGO® motorized robotic models, LEGO® 3D color brick builds, LEGO® mosaic art, and learn different design and building techniques using LEGO® bricks! Have fun building LEGO® Creepers from MINECRAFT and Iron Man one day, and play Quidditch with Harry Potter and race LEGO® racecars the next! Can't decide which you like more? Join us for this super fun Bricktacular LEGO® Mashup Camp and try them all! All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO® minifigure!

Frozen Pop or Not? You Design!

Instructor: Jacquelyn Sheppard

Fee: \$405

Ages: 7-8

Campers will investigate and classify different kinds of materials by their observable properties, including color and texture, and heat conduction. They will learn about states of matter and properties of materials. They investigate which materials are good insulators and which are good conductors. After building their knowledge and skills throughout the week campers determine the best materials to use as they design a prototype to keep an ice pop frozen for at least 30 minutes.

Chess Camp

Instructor: [Board One Chess Academy](#)

Fee: \$395

Ages: 7-13

This fun, educational, week-long chess camp is for chess players of all levels. Chess Camp features group chess instruction at smartboard and tournament play. Emphasis is on the joy of the game but with a close eye to the student's progress. Divided by age and ability, students will learn chess fundamentals, tricks, and tactics, as well as enjoy fun activities with both indoor and outdoor sports! Board One Chess Academy owner Steve Crookston and his team of coaches are excited for their summer camp at Shorecrest Preparatory School!

Magic Box Art: Construction Site

Instructor: [Christine di Staola](#)

Fee: \$495

Ages: 8-10

Grab a hard hat and let's do this! Time to build some serious stuff. Campers will decipher real illustrated plans and use real tools to put together kinetic wooden toys and have a chance to go at it with real screwdrivers and hammers. Wood glue, glue guns and other building materials will also be on the table for imaginative construction and creative play. Please note that campers will use metal screws and nails, screwdrivers and hammers. If your camper is curious about other building camps, check out Ms D's Magic Box: Dream House and Ms D's Magic Box: Needles and Thread.

***Spanish in the Real World EXTREME**

Instructor: Emili Jaime-Allwood

Fee: \$525

Ages: 8-12

The "Spanish in the Real World Extreme" camp offers immersive experiences through scavenger hunts in the community, where participants use Spanish in practical scenarios like ordering food and asking for directions. This hands-on approach enhances language skills, builds confidence, and fosters cultural understanding. Teamwork and collaboration are encouraged, with daily reflection sessions to share learning experiences. Trip destinations include the La Teresita restaurant, Fort de Soto, Sunken Gardens and International Plaza. Suitable for all skill levels, the camp promises an exciting adventure in language and culture, promoting appreciation for diversity and global connections. Join us for this unforgettable linguistic experience!

All off-campus programs require a participation release signed by all parents or legal guardians. Participation releases will be delivered to your email for digital signature prior to the start of camp.

Volleyball Camp

Instructor: Coach Courtney Draper

Fee: \$395

Ages: 10-15

Time: 9am-4pm

This camp runs Monday through Thursday only.

Players will be divided by age and ability. There will be everything from a beginners court all the way to an advanced court. The advanced players will have positional breakouts and the middle school courts will have an all skills development approach. This camp is run by Shorecrest Varsity Coach, Courtney Draper, who has over 20 years of NCAA College Coaching experience at FSU, Duke, JU, Eckerd & USF. Other coaches that will be instructing are elite level club and varsity level coaches who can help prepare your child for a school or club team.

Half Day Specialty Camps: June 8 - July 31

Do you have an artist at home? A Roblox fanatic? A comedian? An aspiring veterinarian? There is a specialty camp for everyone during the Summer at Shorecrest! Design a summer experience as unique and special as your child! Mix and match morning and afternoon camps! Our kind, experienced, and attentive camp staff will help your children get where they need to go!

All morning camps run 9am-12pm, and all afternoon campus runs 12:30-3:30pm, unless otherwise noted.

June 8-12 Morning Camps

Peaceful Play Camp

Instructor: Evan Neidich

Fee: \$260

Age: 5-7

Join us for a joyful journey at our 'Peaceful Play Camp,' where young kids can explore the wonders of mindfulness through meditation, yoga, dance, art, and play! In this half-day camp, children will engage in fun activities that promote relaxation, creativity, and self-expression. Each day will be filled with laughter, movement, and colorful creations, helping kids develop essential mindfulness skills while having a blast with friends!

Clay Studio: Aloha Hawaii!

Instructors: Alexis Arrazcaeta

Fee: \$290

Ages: 5-8

Join Ms. Alexis in this open studio style camp, which fosters the flow of summer time with many different creative art options to choose throughout our time together. Students will have the option to explore all things clay by spinning on the pottery wheel, sculpting and shaping clay into their visions, challenge their clay science brain by recycling and reconstituting clay back to its original form, and glazing any final clay pieces to take home. A design area will be set up with drawing tools and materials where students can plan projects and use this space to creatively explore a new medium.

This week's theme is Aloha Hawaii, inviting inspiration from island landscapes, ocean life, patterns, and stories while still honoring each child's unique creative voice! Although we set a clay challenge theme, our creative expressions are not limited to this theme. Students always have creative freedoms that extend well past the theme that we absolutely love! Bring all your ideas and join us!

Art & Design Camp: Supported Studio

Instructor: Sara Norine

Fee: \$220

Ages: 6-8

In these small camps, students will enjoy immersing themselves in the fundamentals of art and design while working on projects that support creative thinking. We begin each camp session with a planned project and group cohesion. This calming rhythm supports each student as they move into the free choice segment of our time together. During this time, creative play and small motor practice are emphasized as students enjoy working on open ended projects. Each student may choose to explore a wide variety of materials including painting, printmaking, sewing, finger knitting, sculpture, origami, and other mixed media. New projects and stations are presented in response to the interests and socio-emotional needs of each unique group of campers. This fun and supportive studio environment is a blend of directed work time with open ended explorations. With abundant materials and a focus on flow, this camp emphasizes the joy of the creative process. Campers expand their attention span and end each session with a sense of satisfaction. As we close each session, we gather around for an art themed storytime and group discussion about our time together and what to expect when we gather again. All levels of art experience are welcome to join this fun and inspiring camp.

Cheerleading Camp

Instructor: Khana Rebman

Fee: \$260

Ages: 6-8

Get ready to jump, cheer, and shine! This high-energy cheerleading camp is designed for kids who want to learn the basics of cheer in a fun, supportive environment. Campers will build confidence as they learn simple cheers, motions, jumps, and beginner routines, while also practicing teamwork and sportsmanship. No prior experience is needed—just a positive attitude and a willingness to try. Each day is filled with movement, games, and skill-building that celebrates effort, growth, and having fun together.

*Make Your First 3D Video Game!

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$270

Ages: 7-9

In this Black Rocket classic, you will go well beyond the limitations of the traditional 2D game design classes and create an immersive 3D world. Students will learn the physics behind 3D games, explore beginner event scripting, level design, controlling the flow of gameplay, and storytelling. Student projects will be available on a password-protected Black Rocket website to share with friends and family. Projects are only compatible with Windows devices. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

*Polymer (aka Slime) Pandemonium Island

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

Welcome to Polymer Pandemonium Island®, an enchanting world where science, creativity, and cross-curricular learning come together in the most spectacular slime-filled adventure. Polymer aka Slime, Pandemonium Island is a hands-on exploration through the fascinating world of polymers, where campers will dive into the chemistry of cross-linking molecules and the art of creating prismatic, squishy slimes. Every concoction offers a new opportunity to experiment with viscosity, elasticity, and the science of polymer chains. Challenge Island STEAM Teams® will stir up the most visually captivating slime recipes on the continent. Each themed day, will explore the fascinating properties of materials—examining factors like density, surface tension, and molecular structure—while indulging in ooey, gooey fun. With every squishy, squashy creation, campers will discover how the world of science is as dynamic and playful as the perfect slime.

Can't get enough of Challenge Island? Different projects in the morning and the afternoon will keep your camper engaged all day long. Use the discount code "STEAMALLDAY" to save 15% when signing up for both morning and afternoon Challenge Island camps.

Indoor Soccer Camp

Instructor: [Sheekey Soccer](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

Sheekey Soccer Skills Indoor Soccer Camps aim to bring joy and excitement to the world's game. This half day camp consists of drills to hone fundamental skills & understanding of the game, as well as small-sided games &

matches for development and enjoyment. Through our deep understanding of the game, coaches will provide progressive session plans that aim to develop each player as the week goes on. Though this camp will take place primarily indoors, if the weather allows, the campers will enjoy some outdoor play as well.

K-Pop Demon Hunters Musical Theater Camp

Instructor: Lauren Reinhard of [Sounds of Music by Lauren](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

Dive into the electric world of K-Pop Demon Hunters, where you'll train like an idol and battle demons using the power of music and friendship! Master high-energy dance routines, unlock your "Spirit Vision," and join the Huntr/x crew to protect the soul gate in an unforgettable week of action, creativity, and self-discovery.

***Summer Reading Quest**

Instructor: Danielle Cameron

Fee: \$270

Ages: 10-13

Explicitly designed for grades 5–8 students, this camp provides a fun and engaging way to finish required reading while strengthening writing skills. Students will read, reflect, and write about their books through interactive activities, creative prompts, and group discussions. By the end of the camp, students will have completed their summer reading and be more confident in expressing their thoughts and ideas through writing.

June 8-12 Afternoon Camps

Ballet Camp

Instructor: Vashti Walters

Fee: \$240

Ages: 5-7

In Ballet Camp, campers will dance and play in our mini-studio with a professional ballerina! Ms. Vashti will teach beginner ballet steps to help our campers increase their strength and flexibility, use their imagination, and gain body awareness. Besides their ballet practice, campers will also enjoy a dance-themed craft or game, storytime, and contemporary dance exercises where they learn fun dances and explore more ways to move.

Clay Studio: Volcano Explosion!

Instructors: Alexis Arrazcaeta

Fee: \$290

Ages: 5-8

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This week's theme is Volcano Explosion!, sparking inspiration from molten lava, dramatic landscapes, and powerful natural forces while still leaving plenty of room for each student's imagination to flow beyond the theme. Although we set a clay challenge theme, our creative expressions are not limited to this theme. Students always have creative freedoms that extend well past the theme that we absolutely love! Bring all your ideas and join us!

Magic Box Art: Construction Site

Instructor: [Christine di Staola](#)

Fee: \$320

Ages: 6-10

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Art & Design Camp: Words & Images

Instructor: Sara Norine

Fee: \$220

Ages: 6-8

Many students experience real joy in learning how to express themselves through the written word. This version of Art and Design Camp is a chance for emerging writers to focus on book arts. This session will focus on projects that explore the structure of letters and the use of words in creative expression. With a focus on lettering and illustration, we will create small books, posters, and greeting cards in the Art and Design Camp Studio.

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Bowling Camp

Instructor: Woody Every

Fee: \$340

Ages: 6-10

Who doesn't love bowling with their friends? Come load up on the Shorecrest van and join Coach Every to bowl at Sunrise Lanes. Bowlers will bowl at least two games and receive a beverage of either Sierra Mist or Water. Bowlers may also bring up to \$6 for a snack from the vending machine or bring their own snack. Camp fee includes all transportation and bowling. Campers should wear closed-toed shoes so that shoe rental is not required.

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Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

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Indoor Soccer Camp

Instructor: [Sheekey Soccer](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

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Storybook Illustrators Camp

Instructor: Evan Neidich

Fee: \$270

Ages: 8-10

Get ready to draw, design, and dive into the world of illustrated stories! Artists will bring their imaginations to life as they experiment with fun art materials, dream up unforgettable characters, and create their very own stories! If you love to draw, tell stories, and make a little creative magic—this camp is for you!

Museum Camp

Instructor: Khana Rebman

Fee: \$395

Ages: 8-10

St. Petersburg is home to many amazing museums, from the Dali to the James to the Chihuly. Mrs. Rebman will be your camper's tour guide, as the group visits a different museum each day. There's no better way to infuse fun, learning and art into your summer adventures!

Trip destinations will be finalized in the spring of 2026. All off-campus programs require a participation release signed by all parents or legal guardians. Participation releases will be delivered to your email for digital signature once destinations are finalized.

*Make Your First 3D Video Game!

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$270

Ages: 10-13

In this Black Rocket classic, you will go well beyond the limitations of the traditional 2D game design classes and create an immersive 3D world. Students will learn the physics behind 3D games, explore beginner event scripting, level design, controlling the flow of gameplay, and storytelling. Student projects will be available on a password-protected Black Rocket website to share with friends and family. Projects are only compatible with Windows devices. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

June 15-18 Morning Camps

Note that we are closed Friday, June 19th, for the Juneteenth holiday.

Hula Hoops, Jump Ropes, and Parachutes, Oh My!

Instructor: Lauren Hall

Fee: \$175

Ages: 5-6

Come join Coach Hall for a fun week of physical activities that will get your body moving and grooving! We will be working on fine motor skills like hand eye coordination, catching/throwing and rackets. As well as gross motor skills like skipping, galloping, jumping and kicking just to name a few.

Clay Studio: Zoo Animals!

Instructors: Alexis Arrazcaeta

Fee: \$230

Ages: 5-8

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This week's theme is Zoo Animals!, inspiring creations drawn from animal forms, textures, patterns, and habitats while still giving students the freedom to explore their own ideas beyond the theme. Although we set a clay challenge theme, our creative expressions are not limited to this theme. Students always have creative freedoms that extend well past the theme that we absolutely love! Bring all your ideas and join us!

Magic Box Art: Needles & Thread

Instructor: [Christine Di Staola](#)

Fee: \$225

Ages: 6-7

Little fingers can make great things! With a little bit of practice, rising kindergarteners will learn how to thread their own needles and make basic stitches. Everyone will learn to follow the basic instructions for "building" with fabric and make their sewn creations.....AND, there will be plenty of time to create with the other fun art materials in Ms D's Magic Art Box! Please note that campers will use real metal needles and scissors in this camp.

Cheerleading Camp

Instructor: Khana Rebman

Fee: \$215

Ages: 6-8

Get ready to jump, cheer, and shine! This high-energy cheerleading camp is designed for kids who want to learn the basics of cheer in a fun, supportive environment. Campers will build confidence as they learn simple cheers, motions, jumps, and beginner routines, while also practicing teamwork and sportsmanship. No prior experience is needed—just a positive attitude and a willingness to try. Each day is filled with movement, games, and skill-building that celebrates effort, growth, and having fun together.

***Seaside Scientists**

Instructor: Jenna LoDico

Fee: \$195

Ages: 6-8

Dive into a splashy week of ocean-themed adventures! Become a little marine scientist and explore sea creatures, sandy shores, and sparkling waves through hands-on science, art, and sensory play. Each day brings discoveries as campers investigate marine life, experiment with water, and learn how to protect our blue planet. It's a mix of curiosity, creativity, and coastal fun for young ocean lovers!

***Minecraft Designers**

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$270

Ages: 7-9

If you love the game Minecraft and always wanted to design your own world, this class is for you! Learn how to create a custom map, design structures to share between worlds, build with Redstone and Command blocks, and create custom textures for you to import at home or share with friends. **Projects from this class require the Java version of Minecraft.** Tablet, phone, and game console versions of Minecraft are not compatible. Returning students can create more advanced projects that build on previous years. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

*Sharks & Mermaids STEAM Camp

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$200

Ages: 5-10

It's Shark Week at Challenge Island, and what better way to celebrate than by bringing the Bridge to Sharktooth Island book to life! Our STEAM Teams will join our fictional characters on thrilling adventures from bridge-building and pirate ship exploration to mixing up spectacular slime seas. Through hands-on activities, campers will dive into the fascinating world of sharks, studying their biology, behavior, and the unique environmental conditions that shape these incredible creatures. As they engineer their own cruise ships for a global ocean voyage, they'll tackle shark-inspired challenges that integrate engineering, physics, and oceanography. From navigating the Galapagos Islands and exploring the icy waters of Alaska to designing Venetian Regattas and learning about ancient Roman aqueducts, each stop on this high-seas adventure brings a new scientific concept to life. Budding engineers will build Great White Bridges, ride the physics of Roller Coaster Ridge, experiment with aerodynamics at Blowcart Beach, and explore the chemistry of Ice Cream Streams—all while discovering the forces that drive the natural world. This awesome, hands-on, active camp offers a perfect blend of fun and learning for young minds eager to sink their teeth into science.

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Indoor Soccer Camp

Instructor: [Sheekey Soccer](#)

Fee: \$175

Ages: 7-12

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Wicked: For Good Musical Theater Camp

Instructor: Lauren Reinhard of [Sounds of Music by Lauren](#)

Fee: \$175

Ages: 7-12

Let your imagination take flight at our "Wicked" themed musical theatre camp! Journey down the Yellow Brick Road as we explore the magical world of Oz and the iconic story of Elphaba and Glinda. Campers will dance

through life with fun choreography, learn catchy musical numbers, and embrace the themes of friendship, self-discovery, and courage.

June 15-18 Afternoon Camps

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Kidding Around Yoga

Instructor: Abby Albaum

Fee: \$175

Ages: 5-7

Designed specifically for school-aged children, kids will learn yoga poses, breathing and relaxation techniques which cultivate a calm mind, increase strength and flexibility. All original music enables children to learn in a fun and interactive way, with songs they can follow along to. Yoga inspired crafts will align with our daily lessons, and every session ends with a Journey to the Secret Garden (guided meditation).

Clay Studio: Shark Attack!

Instructors: Alexis Arrazcaeta

Fee: \$230

Ages: 5-8

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This week's theme is Shark Attack!, igniting inspiration from ocean energy, movement, and dramatic sea creatures while still encouraging students to take their creativity in any direction they choose beyond the theme. Although we set a clay challenge theme, our creative expressions are not limited to this theme. Students always have creative freedoms that extend well past the theme that we absolutely love! Bring all your ideas and join us!

Dino Detectives

Instructor: Jenna LoDico

Fee: \$195

Ages: 6-8

Get ready to dig, stomp, and roar through a prehistoric adventure! In this dino-sized week of discovery, little paleontologists will uncover fossils, erupt mini volcanoes, and create dino-inspired crafts and sensory projects. Campers will journey back in time to explore the amazing world of dinosaurs — from towering T. rexes to tiny trilobites. Science, art, and imagination come together in this roar-some camp perfect for curious kids who love to explore!

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Escape Room

Instructor: Khana Rebman

Fee: \$215

Ages: 8-10

Do you love adventure? Love riddles or strategy? Then this camp is perfect for you. Join others in a quest all over our campus where only the clues unlock the doors. Come make some new friends and memories all while adventuring together!

Young Chefs Academy: Culinary Camp

Instructor: Lisa and Paul Neale of Young Chefs Academy

Fee: \$230

Ages: 8-11



Young Chefs® Academy summer camp experiences provide an exciting opportunity for students to thrive and grow in their independence while discovering a new world of possibilities through the culinary arts. Join us as we explore a wide variety of authentic cooking techniques, cultural flavors, and learning moments that bring the adventure to life in a fun, interactive, and safe environment. Campers are introduced to the latest trends in the culinary world, taking their creativity to new heights!

About Young Chefs Academy: Founder and CEO, Julie Burlison, established Young Chefs® Academy in 2003 with the vision of cultivating/serving children's strong interest in the culinary arts. It has grown with locations throughout the US to be a welcoming environment that provides a "real" setting so that the students can take what they learn at YCA™ to their own homes. [Click here to learn more about Young Chefs Academy.](#)

***Roblox Coders**

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$235

Ages: 10-13

Discover the Lua coding language while designing experiences in Roblox®, an online universe where you can create anything you dream of. This class combines game design concepts, coding, and fun! New developers will learn to use Roblox® Studio software to reimagine the popular game genres with their own custom code! Student-created games will be available on a password-protected Black Rocket website to share with friends and family. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

June 22-26 Morning Camps

Head Shoulders Knees & Cones

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Fee: \$220

Ages: 5-6

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Clay Studio: Superhero Smash!

Instructors: Alexis Arrazcaeta

Fee: \$290

Ages: 5-8

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spinning on the pottery wheel, sculpting and shaping clay into their visions, challenge their clay science brain by recycling and reconstituting clay back to its original form, and glazing any final clay pieces to take home. A design area will be set up with drawing tools and materials where students can plan projects and use this space to creatively explore a new medium.

This week's theme is Superhero Smash!, drawing inspiration from bold characters, dynamic action, and imaginative worlds while still empowering students to follow their own creative ideas beyond the theme. Although we set a clay challenge theme, our creative expressions are not limited to this theme. Students always have creative freedoms that extend well past the theme that we absolutely love! Bring all your ideas and join us!

Magic Box Art: Dream House

Instructor: [Christine di Staola](#)

Fee: \$320

Ages: 6-7

Dreaming of decorating your own room, or maybe even your own house? Or maybe you want to create a hotel, or build a shop below your loft apartment? Once we've put together the structure, your creativity does the rest! Go for luxury or shabby chic or coastal creative - Ms D's Magic Box will be full of fabrics and materials that campers can use to put together and create their world. Please note that this camp allows students to use hot glue guns, needles, scissors and clamps. If your camper likes to build and create, check out Ms D's Magic Box: Construction Site and Ms D's Magic Box: Needles and Thread.

***Backyard Biologists**

Instructor: Jenna LoDico

Fee: \$240

Ages: 6-8

Step into the shoes of a real naturalist and scientist! Campers will explore the wonders of nature through hands-on investigations, creative outdoor play, and up-close encounters with plants, bugs, and local wildlife. From bug hunts and leaf rubbings to building mini bug hotels and bird nests, each day offers a new adventure in ecology and discovery. Through nature journaling, sensory play, and fun experiments, young biologists will learn how all living things—big and small—work together to keep our planet thriving.

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Ages: 7-9

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***Slimetopia 5: Road Trip USA: Diners & Drive Thrus**

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

Start your engines for a cross-country STEAM expedition! This hands-on engineering camp invites your STEAM Team to journey from the Statue of Liberty to the Golden Gate Bridge, from Hawaii's volcanic landscapes to Florida's world-famous theme parks—exploring the science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics that connect our nation's landmarks. Along the way, campers will embark on a “culinary chemistry” road trip, creating imaginative slime versions of American classics such as In-N-Out Burgers, King Cake, and Peach Cobbler à la Mode. While these creations aren't edible, each one provides a delicious opportunity to investigate states of matter, chemical reactions, and other key scientific principles. This hands-on, imagination-powered adventure across the USA promises discoveries—and smiles—from coast to coast.

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Indoor Soccer Camp

Instructor: [Sheekey Soccer](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

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*Ocean Explorers: Junior Marine Biologists

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$295

Ages: 8-12

Dive into the world of marine science with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay! Through hands-on projects and experiments, campers will explore the ocean, discover its incredible creatures, and learn about the challenges they face. Together, these future marine biologists will rescue, rehabilitate, and release a realistic sea turtle model. Students will also create a presentation on different sea turtle species to better understand the vital role marine biologists play in protecting them. Each camper will rescue and care for their very own plush sea turtle to take home. The camp wraps up with a special sea turtle “release” during a graduation ceremony, where families are invited to join the celebration. Take-home items include: plush sea turtle; sea turtle exam form; student-made buoyancy device, bioluminescent organism, and PTT (Platform Terminal Transmitter); graduation certificate

Art & Design Camp: Supported Studio

Instructor: [Sara Norine](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 9-11

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June 22-26 Afternoon Camps

Kidding Around Yoga

Instructor: Abby Albaum

Fee: \$220

Ages: 5-7

Designed specifically for school-aged children, kids will learn yoga poses, breathing and relaxation techniques which cultivate a calm mind, increase strength and flexibility. All original music enables children to learn in a fun and interactive way, with songs they can follow along to. Yoga inspired crafts will align with our daily lessons, and every session ends with a Journey to the Secret Garden (guided meditation).

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The Science of Art

Instructor: Jenna LoDico

Fee: \$240

Ages: 6-8

Where creativity meets chemistry! In this colorful, curiosity-sparking camp, young artists can become scientists as they experiment, create, and explore the science behind art. Campers will paint with pendulums, design chromatography butterflies, and make fizzy masterpieces that bubble and swirl with color. Along the way, they'll mix their own slime and playdough, launch mini baking soda rockets, and end the week by curating their very own "Science of Art Gallery." It's the perfect blend of imagination and innovation — a celebration of color, motion, and messy fun!

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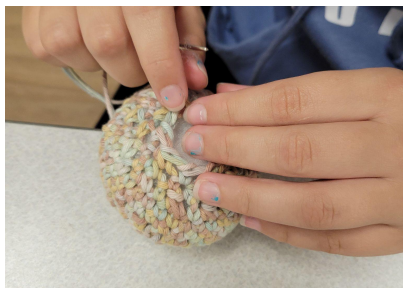
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Art & Design Camp: Fiber Arts

Instructor: [Sara Norine](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 9-13



In this supportive studio environment, we will explore yarn structure, finger knitting, loom knitting, weaving, needle felting, sewing/embroidery, basket weaving, kumihimo, and other sculptural techniques. Students are introduced to many techniques and encouraged to follow their own interests. [Click here to enjoy Sara's professional and teaching portfolios, as well as some examples of past student projects.](#)

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June 29 - July 2 Morning Camps

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Picasso's Playground

Instructor: Maddy Schnettler

Fee: \$275

Age: 5

Get ready for a week of messy, magical fun at Picasso's Playground, where every day is a new artistic adventure! This special summer camp, designed just for 5-year-olds, is all about exploring the wonderful world of color through play and experimentation. We won't just use brushes—we'll use sponges, stamps, cotton balls, and even our own hands! We will explore a different painting medium each day, letting your child discover what happens when they mix, splatter, and blend.

Hula Hoops, Jump Ropes, and Parachutes, Oh My!

Instructor: Lauren Hall

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Ages: 5-6

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Escape Room

Instructor: Khana Rebman

Fee: \$210

Ages: 6-7

Do you love adventure? Love riddles or strategy? Then this camp is perfect for you. Join others in a quest all over our campus where only the clues unlock the doors. Come make some new friends and memories all while adventuring together!

***Pokemon Masters: Designers & 3D Makers Unite!**

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$235

Ages: 7-9

Calling all PokéMasters who want to be the designers of the future! Use your Pokémon® imagination and bring your ideas to life. Begin by creating your own digital, Pokémon®-style custom-playing card game. Progress to designing action figures, jewelry, and toys in professional-level modeling software. Learn how to prepare a model for 3D printing and create a design portfolio to showcase your work! No prior experience is necessary, and 3D designs will be available on a password-protected Black Rocket website to share with friends and family. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

Pop Star Academy Musical Theater Camp

Instructor: Lauren Reinhard of [Sounds of Music by Lauren](#)

Fee: \$175

Ages: 7-12

Let your inner pop star shine! This camp is perfect for aspiring performers who dream of becoming the next global superstar. Campers won't just learn songs and dances - they'll discover their unique star power and gain the confidence to own any stage.

Sports Camp

Instructor: [Daniel Swan](#) and Little Swans athletic coaches

Fee: \$200

Ages: 8-12

Play all of the sports! Soccer, Flag Football, Dodgeball, Basketball, Rugby (Non-Contact), Volleyball, Team Building Games, Sports Quizzes and so much more... Little Swans Sports Camp is a great opportunity to participate in a varied co-ed camp that is focused on enjoyment and building confidence. Every day the campers will be encouraged to make friends, improve sporting skills and will have opportunities to develop their leadership and teamwork in fun games and activities like our weekly Olympic Games and our daily sports quiz! Perfect for anyone who loves sport!

Junior Wilderness Medic

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$235

Ages: 8-12

Discover the essentials of wilderness survival with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay! Through immersive role-play scenarios, campers will learn how to respond to real-world emergency situations. Students will practice administering first aid for challenges such as snake bites, hypothermia, and severe injuries. These future

emergency medics will also master how to tie a tourniquet, identify edible and poisonous plants, create distress signals, and recognize potential wilderness dangers including forest fires, extreme weather, and wildlife encounters. At the end of the week, families are invited to a special ceremony where participants will showcase their new skills and graduate with their Little Medical School emergency-use bandana and diploma. Take-home items include: Little Medical School bandana; student-made models; student first aid kit; graduation certificate

June 29 - July 2 Afternoon Camps

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Buzz, Flutter, & Bloom

Instructor: Lauren Lyman

Fee: \$175

Age: 5

Is your child a nature lover? Step into the magical world of pollinators and flowers! At Buzz, Flutter, and Bloom Camp, your child will discover the wonder and vital role of bees, butterflies, hummingbirds, and other pollinators while exploring how flowers grow from tiny seeds into vibrant blooms. Through open-ended, sensory-rich activities—from process art and science experiments to digging in the dirt and water play—campers will learn how flowers and pollinators depend on each other and support the health of our planet. They'll leave with a deeper connection to the natural world and buzzing with wild wonder!

Ballet Camp

Instructor: Vashti Walters

Fee: \$195

Ages: 5-7

In Ballet Camp, campers will dance and play in our mini-studio with a professional ballerina! Ms. Vashti will teach beginner ballet steps to help our campers increase their strength and flexibility, use their imagination, and gain body awareness. Besides their ballet practice, campers will also enjoy a dance-themed craft or game, storytime, and contemporary dance exercises where they learn fun dances and explore more ways to move.

Bowling Camp

Instructor: Woody Every

Fee: \$270

Ages: 6-10

Who doesn't love bowling with their friends? Come load up on the Shorecrest van and join Coach Every to bowl at Sunrise Lanes. Bowlers will bowl at least two games and receive a beverage of either Sierra Mist or Water. Bowlers may also bring up to \$6 for a snack from the vending machine or bring their own snack. Camp fee includes all transportation and bowling. Campers should wear closed-toed shoes so that shoe rental is not required.

All off-campus programs require a participation release signed by all parents or legal guardians. Participation releases will be delivered to your email for digital signature prior to the start of camp.

*Race Across the Rainforest STEAM Camp

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$200

Ages: 5-10

Inspired by the bestselling *Race Across Anaconda Swamp* STEAM Adventure book, which every camper will receive, this camp takes our STEAM Teams on an unforgettable scientific journey through the Amazon Rainforest, where they will explore its diverse ecosystems and tackle engineering challenges inspired by its fascinating wildlife. From the playful monkeys swinging through the trees to the stealthy jaguars prowling the jungle floor and the slithering anacondas lurking in the underbrush, campers will learn about the biology, behavior, and environmental adaptations of these incredible creatures. As they navigate through the rainforest's action-packed layers, participants will engage in hands-on activities that explore engineering principles, animal locomotion, and the physical forces that shape this vibrant ecosystem. STEAM Teams will apply problem-solving skills to design solutions for real-world challenges. This immersive island experience, rooted in science and inspired by the book *Race Across Anaconda Swamp*, provides campers with a deeper understanding of the rainforest's complexity while fostering collaboration, innovation and stewardship of our planet.

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LEGO Films and Stop Action!

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Ages: 7-9

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*Slimetopia 4: Storytopia, Once Upon a Slime

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

This innovative STEAM camp transforms beloved children's stories into immersive, hands-on scientific adventures where imagination meets inquiry. Campers will explore core scientific concepts such as states of matter, chemical reactions, and the interactions between atoms and molecules—all inspired by the fantastical worlds of books like Harry Potter, Percy Jackson, Alice in Wonderland, and The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe. Through creative experimentation and engineering challenges, participants will apply the scientific method, design inventive solutions, and collaborate within their STEAM Teams to bring story-driven projects—like magical motorbikes, mad tea party machines, and enchanted environments—to life. Blending science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics, with fiction and non-fiction tales, this high-energy, hands-on camp encourages curiosity, problem-solving, and discovery, proving that even the most magical tales are powered by real-world science.

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Swifties Singers Musical Theater Camp

Instructor: Lauren Reinhard of [Sounds of Music by Lauren](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

Get ready to embark on an unforgettable journey through the musical eras of Taylor Swift's iconic career. This is the ultimate summer adventure where fans can connect, create, and celebrate their shared love for her music, storytelling, and style. Whether you're a Fearless fan, a 1989 pop enthusiast, or an evermore storyteller, this camp is your stage to shine!

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Art & Design Camp: Let's Move!

Instructor: [Sara Norine](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 8-10

This version of Art and Design Camp is a chance for energetic artists to create things that move. We will focus on creative projects like kites, airplanes, pinwheels, games and fidget toys. We will make sure that we have plenty of outside time testing our designs, measuring our results, and enjoying our time together. This is a great session for

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Young Chefs Academy: Culinary Camp

Instructor: Lisa and Paul Neale of Young Chefs Academy

Fee: \$280

Ages: 8-11

Young Chefs® Academy summer camp experiences provide an exciting opportunity for students to thrive and grow in their independence while discovering a new world of possibilities through the culinary arts. Join us as we explore a wide variety of authentic cooking techniques, cultural flavors, and learning moments that bring the adventure to life in a fun, interactive, and safe environment. Campers are introduced to the latest trends in the culinary world, taking their creativity to new heights!

About Young Chefs Academy: Founder and CEO, Julie Burlison, established Young Chefs® Academy in 2003 with the vision of cultivating/serving children's strong interest in the culinary arts. It has grown with locations throughout the US to be a welcoming environment that provides a "real" setting so that the students can take what they learn at YCA™ to their own homes. [Click here to learn more about Young Chefs Academy.](#)

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July 13-17 Morning Camps

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***Young Game Designers**

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Fee: \$280

Ages: 7-9

This beginner game development course is designed to get elementary-aged students excited about technology through hands-on and engaging learning activities. Recreate classic video games while exploring level design and digital arts concepts. Experience intuitive, child-friendly software while learning the game development process. Show off the awesome games you create on a special, password-protected website to share with your friends and family! Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

***Hogwarts STEAM Camp**

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

Step onto Platform 9¾ and embark on a week-long fusion of science, technology, engineering, art, and magic at STEAMwarts Academy of Wizards, Spells, and Potions! Campers will immerse themselves in a dynamic blend of hands-on experimentation and creative discovery, mastering the chemistry of “potions” through the crafting of effervescent brews and exploring the biology of botany and sensory science while designing potion ingredient jars. They’ll uncover the chemical principles behind invisible ink to create secret messages like the Marauder’s Map, investigate light refraction and color change through crystal-ball-inspired divination globes, and harness solar energy by engineering radiant lanterns to illuminate the Forbidden Forest. After designing personalized wands and wizarding gear, young scientists will delve into “magical” disciplines such as Transfiguration (the study of material properties and phase changes), Flying Broomsticks (aerodynamics and balance), and Magical Beasts (biology and adaptation). Each activity channels creativity, critical thinking, and scientific reasoning into magical innovation, culminating in an enchanting graduation ceremony—complete with butter beer, diplomas, and a celebration of every wizard’s inventive spirit and scientific achievement.

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K-Pop Demon Hunters Musical Theater Camp

Instructor: Lauren Reinhard of [Sounds of Music by Lauren](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

Dive into the electric world of K-Pop Demon Hunters, where you'll train like an idol and battle demons using the power of music and friendship! Master high-energy dance routines, unlock your "Spirit Vision," and join the Huntr/x crew to protect the soul gate in an unforgettable week of action, creativity, and self-discovery.

Machine Sewing - Bags & Backpacks - Intermediate

Instructor: Catherine Briggs of [Sew Pinellas](#)

Fee: \$290

Ages: 9-13

Designed for returning students or those with prior sewing machine experience, this camp focuses on advanced bag construction and design techniques. Students will plan, cut, and sew a backpack-style bag, learning skills such as working with multiple layers, installing zippers, adding straps, and constructing pockets. Emphasis is placed on accuracy, problem-solving, and thoughtful construction, helping students develop independence while refining their sewing skills. Students leave with a polished, functional bag and a deeper understanding of project planning and execution.

July 13-17 Afternoon Camps

Ballet Camp

Instructor: Vashti Walters

Fee: \$240

Ages: 5-7

In Ballet Camp, campers will dance and play in our mini-studio with a professional ballerina! Ms. Vashti will teach beginner ballet steps to help our campers increase their strength and flexibility, use their imagination, and gain body awareness. Besides their ballet practice, campers will also enjoy a dance-themed craft or game, storytime, and contemporary dance exercises where they learn fun dances and explore more ways to move.

*Hogwarts STEAM Camp

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

Step onto Platform 9¾ and embark on a week-long fusion of science, technology, engineering, art, and magic at STEAMwarts Academy of Wizards, Spells, and Potions! Campers will immerse themselves in a dynamic blend of hands-on experimentation and creative discovery, mastering the chemistry of "potions" through the crafting of effervescent brews and exploring the biology of botany and sensory science while designing potion ingredient jars. They'll uncover the chemical principles behind invisible ink to create secret messages like the Marauder's Map, investigate light refraction and color change through crystal-ball-inspired divination globes, and harness solar energy by engineering radiant lanterns to illuminate the Forbidden Forest. After designing personalized wands and wizarding gear, young scientists will delve into "magical" disciplines such as Transfiguration (the study of material properties and phase changes), Flying Broomsticks (aerodynamics and balance), and Magical Beasts

(biology and adaptation). Each activity channels creativity, critical thinking, and scientific reasoning into magical innovation, culminating in an enchanting graduation ceremony—complete with butter beer, diplomas, and a celebration of every wizard's inventive spirit and scientific achievement.

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Indoor Soccer Camp

Instructor: [Sheekey Soccer](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

Sheekey Soccer Skills Indoor Soccer Camps aim to bring joy and excitement to the world's game. This half day camp consists of drills to hone fundamental skills & understanding of the game, as well as small-sided games & matches for development and enjoyment. Through our deep understanding of the game, coaches will provide progressive session plans that aim to develop each player as the week goes on. Though this camp will take place primarily indoors, if the weather allows, the campers will enjoy some outdoor play as well.

Young Chefs Academy: Culinary Camp

Instructor: Lisa and Paul Neale of Young Chefs Academy

Fee: \$280

Ages: 8-11

Young Chefs® Academy summer camp experiences provide an exciting opportunity for students to thrive and grow in their independence while discovering a new world of possibilities through the culinary arts. Join us as we explore a wide variety of authentic cooking techniques, cultural flavors, and learning moments that bring the adventure to life in a fun, interactive, and safe environment. Campers are introduced to the latest trends in the culinary world, taking their creativity to new heights!

About Young Chefs Academy: Founder and CEO, Julie Bursleson, established Young Chefs® Academy in 2003 with the vision of cultivating/serving children's strong interest in the culinary arts. It has grown with locations throughout the US to be a welcoming environment that provides a "real" setting so that the students can take what they learn at YCA™ to their own homes. [Click here to learn more about Young Chefs Academy.](#)

Machine Sewing - Tote Bags - Beginner

Instructor: Catherine Briggs of [Sew Pinellas](#)

Fee: \$290

Ages: 8-12

This beginner machine sewing camp introduces students to the machine through fun, functional projects. Students will learn sewing machine safety, straight stitching, and basic construction techniques while creating a tote bag and a zippered pouch. Instruction is paced to support new sewists, with step-by-step demonstrations and guided practice. Along the way, students will explore simple finishing details, building confidence at the machine while completing projects they can use every day. No prior sewing experience is required.

*Young Game Designers

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$280
Ages: 10-13

This beginner game development course is designed to get elementary-aged students excited about technology through hands-on and engaging learning activities. Recreate classic video games while exploring level design and digital arts concepts. Experience intuitive, child-friendly software while learning the game development process. Show off the awesome games you create on a special, password-protected website to share with your friends and family! Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

July 20-24 Morning Camps

Head Shoulders Knees & Cones

Instructor: Lauren Hall
Fee: \$220
Ages: 5-6

Come join Coach Hall for a fun week of physical activities that will get your body moving and grooving! We will be working on fine motor skills like hand eye coordination, catching/throwing and rackets. As well as gross motor skills like skipping, galloping, jumping and kicking just to name a few.

Art & Design Camp: Supported Studio

Instructor: Sara Norine
Fee: \$220
Ages: 6-8

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YouTube Content Creators

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)
Fee: \$280
Ages: 7-9

Find your voice and leave your mark on the world! Whether you are six or sixteen, it's time to start a career as the next YouTube star. Explore the variety of content and personalities that exist on YouTube and how to find your own niche. Learn the Dos and Don'ts of the platform and how to practice good digital citizenship. Develop your on-camera presence, your own channel branding, and professional editing skills. Take home a plan for launching your own channel with the content created in class! Student projects will be available on a password-protected

Black Rocket website to share with friends and family. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

***Slimetopia 3: World Tour: Total World Take Over**

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

The world is being overtaken by slime, and it's up to our STEAM Teams to engineer Slimeliner Jets to navigate this sticky situation, flying to a new slimy destination each day! Campers will explore the science of slime by creating an array of internationally-inspired slimes, from Italian Pizza Slime and Taiwanese Boba Tea Slime to Sahara Sand Slime and Pacific Ring of Fire Slime—each showcasing unique properties based on local climates, materials, and chemical reactions. This hands-on, world-class Challenge Island adventure will have STEAM Teams engineering their way around the globe, visiting iconic landmarks and tourist destinations while applying key principles of chemistry, physics, and environmental science. From a Kenyan Safari to the Taj Mahal's Monkey Playground, from a picnic at the Eiffel Tower to an exploration of Sydney's Harbor Bridge, each stop on the Challenge Island World Tour invites campers to blend creativity with scientific exploration, discovering the forces of nature that make the world—and slime—so wonderfully diverse.

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Wicked: For Good Musical Theater Camp

Instructor: Lauren Reinhard of [Sounds of Music by Lauren](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 7-12

Let your imagination take flight at our "Wicked" themed musical theatre camp! Journey down the Yellow Brick Road as we explore the magical world of Oz and the iconic story of Elphaba and Glinda. Campers will dance through life with fun choreography, learn catchy musical numbers, and embrace the themes of friendship, self-discovery, and courage.

***Unlock Reading Success: Orton-Gillingham Reading and Writing**

Instructor: Danielle Cameron

Fee: \$290

Ages: 8-10

Is your child struggling to build foundational reading and writing skills? Our specialized Summer Intensive provides the focused, expert support they need to start the next school year with confidence. This program is specifically designed for students who require extra support in developing literacy fundamentals, including phonemic awareness, phonics, spelling, and handwriting. We will use the highly effective Orton-Gillingham (O-G) approach, a multi-sensory, structured, sequential, and cumulative method proven to build strong literacy foundations.

Sports Camp

Instructor: [Daniel Swan](#) and Little Swans athletic coaches

Fee: \$240

Ages: 8-12

Play all of the sports! Soccer, Flag Football, Dodgeball, Basketball, Rugby (Non-Contact), Volleyball, Team Building Games, Sports Quizzes and so much more... Little Swans Sports Camp is a great opportunity to participate in a varied co-ed camp that is focused on enjoyment and building confidence. Every day the campers will be encouraged to make friends, improve sporting skills and will have opportunities to develop their leadership and teamwork in fun games and activities like our weekly Olympic Games and our daily sports quiz! Perfect for anyone who loves sport!

Machine Sewing - Pants & Skirts - Intermediate

Instructor: Catherine Briggs of [Sew Pinellas](#)

Fee: \$290

Ages: 9-13

This machine sewing camp is designed for returning students ready to expand their skills through more detailed clothing projects. Students will sew pajama pants or shorts with pockets and may also create a skirt featuring a flat waistband and center-back zipper, time permitting. Instruction covers pattern reading, pocket construction, zipper installation, and fit considerations, encouraging students to work with greater independence and precision. By the end of the week, students will have a deeper understanding of garment construction and finishing techniques.

July 20-24 Afternoon Camps

Kidding Around Yoga

Instructor: Abby Albaum

Fee: \$220

Ages: 5-7

Designed specifically for school-aged children, kids will learn yoga poses, breathing and relaxation techniques which cultivate a calm mind, increase strength and flexibility. All original music enables children to learn in a fun and interactive way, with songs they can follow along to. Yoga inspired crafts will align with our daily lessons, and every session ends with a Journey to the Secret Garden (guided meditation).

Art & Design Camp: Words & Images

Instructor: Sara Norine

Fee: \$220

Ages: 6-8

Many students experience real joy in learning how to express themselves through the written word. This version of Art and Design Camp is a chance for emerging writers to focus on book arts. This session will focus on projects that explore the structure of letters and the use of words in creative expression. With a focus on lettering and illustration, we will create small books, posters, and greeting cards in the Art and Design Camp Studio.

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Bowling Camp

Instructor: Woody Every

Fee: \$340

Ages: 6-10

Who doesn't love bowling with their friends? Come load up on the Shorecrest van and join Coach Every to bowl at Sunrise Lanes. Bowlers will bowl at least two games and receive a beverage of either Sierra Mist or Water. Bowlers may also bring up to \$6 for a snack from the vending machine or bring their own snack. Camp fee includes all transportation and bowling. Campers should wear closed-toed shoes so that shoe rental is not required.

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Machine Sewing - Pajama Pants - Beginner

Instructor: Catherine Briggs of [Sew Pinellas](#)

Fee: \$290

Ages: 8-12

In this beginner machine sewing camp, students learn the basics of clothing construction and machine operation while creating a pair of elastic-waist pajama pants or shorts. Instruction focuses on measuring, sewing seams, and inserting elastic waistbands, with plenty of hands-on support throughout the process. Students gain

confidence working with patterns and fabric while learning how garments come together step by step. This camp is ideal for students who are new to garment sewing and want a successful, wearable introduction to clothing construction.

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July 27 - 31 Morning Camps

Drama & Storytelling Camp

Instructor: [Victoria Sweet](#)

Fee: \$240

Age: 5

Do you love puppets and acting-out stories? Are you a natural performer? Then you will LOVE Drama and Storytelling Camp! We will warm up with a variety of theater games such as charades, musical chairs, and Zip Zap Zop. Students will have the opportunity to write their own original stories and act them out with their classmates. We will also create our own puppets and put on a puppet show! Come act and play along this summer!

Exploring Clay!

Instructor: Casey McDonough

Fee: \$290

Ages: 6-7

This hands-on clay art camp invites young artists to explore clay as a creative and playful medium, inspired by nature and the everyday world around them. Campers will learn the basics of working with clay while growing their creativity through handbuilt sculpture, handbuilt and introductory wheel-thrown pottery, and imaginative problem-solving. Nature walks and observation will spark ideas from unexpected sources, encouraging curiosity and personal expression. In a supportive, exploratory environment, children will experiment, create, and build confidence as artists—celebrating process, discovery, and creative growth.

*Spanish Mix

Instructor: Emili Jaime-Allwood

Fee: \$240

Ages: 6-8

A favorite year after year! Come join us for art, dancing, cooking and playing while learning Spanish vocabulary! The wide age range of this camp is intentionally designed for campers to help each other with their learning, so this is a great camp for both beginning students who are just learning and for a more experienced Spanish student who loves to be the teacher's helper!



Mythical Creature Art Camp

Instructor: [Evan Neidich](#)

Fee: \$290

Age: 7-9

Calling all unicorns, dragons, and fairies! Join artist Evan Neidich for a magical crafting adventure where we'll bring mythical creatures to life with fun, hands-on projects. Each day we will make a different enchanted craft to take home and play with—sparkly wands, dragon eggs, fairy houses, and more! Let your imagination soar in this whimsical world of creativity and fun!

*Roblox Makers

Instructor: [Black Rocket](#)

Fee: \$270

Ages: 7-9

Unlock the power of Roblox® Studio, the world creation tool used by real-world Roblox® developers! Learn how to build 3D models and create an adventure in your Roblox® world. Bring characters to life with unique animations you design. Student-created projects will be available on a password-protected Black Rocket website to share with friends and family. Students will work in pairs or teams for most of the program.

*Believe It or Not STEAM Camp: An Engineering Adventure

Instructor: Georges Lefevre of [Challenge Island](#)

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-10

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***Expedition to National Parks: Executive Functioning Camp**

Instructor: Danielle Cameron

Fee: \$290

Ages: 8-10

Join us for National Park Adventure, a unique camp experience where middle schoolers will have fun and develop real-world executive functioning skills! In this hands-on, project-based camp, campers will "pretend" to plan a cross-country tour of the United States' most iconic national parks. From organizing a travel itinerary and budgeting expenses to managing time and collaborating with teammates, every activity is designed to strengthen skills like planning, prioritization, problem-solving, and decision-making.

Through engaging challenges, interactive group projects, and a fun simulation of a national park road trip, campers will build confidence and gain the tools they need to succeed both in school and life. It's an adventure in executive functioning that will prepare them for the real world — all while exploring the beauty of America's parks!

Through project-based activities, students will practice essential life skills such as organization, planning, time management, working memory, and flexible thinking, all while exploring the excitement of planning their own "virtual" national park adventure.

***STEM Sleuths: Junior Forensic Scientists**

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$295

Ages: 8-12

Step into the world of forensic science with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay! In this hands-on camp experience, students will uncover clues, sharpen their senses, and explore the investigative techniques used to crack real cases. Campers will dive into the history of forensic science, crime scene security, fingerprinting, chromatography, and age progression; they'll also practice handwriting and shoe-print analysis, explore DNA concepts, and much more! Throughout the week, these STEM sleuths will put their skills to the test through interactive experiments and engaging challenges. The program culminates in an exciting team investigation where campers work together to solve a crime using everything they've learned. Families are invited to attend a special graduation ceremony where students celebrate their accomplishments as future forensic scientists. Take-home items include: student lab coat; forensic kit; student-made fingerprint cards, shoe prints and composite drawing

July 27 - 31 Afternoon Camps

Buzz, Flutter, & Bloom

Instructor: Lauren Lyman

Fee: \$260

Age: 5

Is your child a nature lover? Step into the magical world of pollinators and flowers! At Buzz, Flutter, and Bloom Camp, your child will discover the wonder and vital role of bees, butterflies, hummingbirds, and other pollinators while exploring how flowers grow from tiny seeds into vibrant blooms. Through open-ended, sensory-rich activities—from process art and science experiments to digging in the dirt and water play—campers will learn how flowers and pollinators depend on each other and support the health of our planet. They'll leave with a deeper connection to the natural world and buzzing with wild wonder!

Peaceful Play Camp

Instructor: Evan Neidich

Fee: \$260

Age: 5-7

Join us for a joyful journey at our 'Peaceful Play Camp,' where young kids can explore the wonders of mindfulness through meditation, yoga, dance, art, and play! In this half-day camp, children will engage in fun activities that promote relaxation, creativity, and self-expression. Each day will be filled with laughter, movement, and colorful creations, helping kids develop essential mindfulness skills while having a blast with friends!

Art & Design Camp: Let's Move!

Instructor: [Sara Norine](#)

Fee: \$220

Ages: 8-10

This version of Art and Design Camp is a chance for energetic artists to create things that move. We will focus on creative projects like kites, airplanes, pinwheels, games and fidget toys. We will make sure that we have plenty of outside time testing our designs, measuring our results, and enjoying our time together. This is a great session for a student that enjoys the structural aspects of design and may want to spend a week of creative afternoons in motion.

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***Jump Start Spanish**

Instructor: Emili Jaime-Allwood

Fee: \$240

Ages: 7-12

Come and experience a week of fun in Spanish class! This camp is designed as a "preview" of the Spanish program at Shorecrest and is appropriate both for complete beginners and for those who have already had a couple years of Spanish at Shorecrest. Your child will have a chance to experience classroom routines, practice their Spanish skills and learn some new vocabulary, and enjoy projects and games. Come get a sneak peak into Spanish class!

August 3-7 Morning Camps

Latin Carnival!

Instructor: [Emili Jaime-Allwood](#)

Fee: \$275

Ages: 6-10

Welcome to "Latin Carnival!" a vibrant and immersive summer camp that invites young minds to embark on an exciting journey into the heart of Hispanic culture. Campers will not only discover the beauty of Hispanic cultures through engaging activities but also actively participate in creating their own "carnaval" – a celebration that will showcase their newfound knowledge and appreciation for this vibrant and dynamic part of the world. From designing traditional costumes and crafting colorful masks to learning traditional dances and creating authentic cuisine, campers will actively participate in every aspect of this grand celebration. Families and friends will be invited to witness the culmination of their week of exploration and cultural immersion, as campers take the stage to share their newfound talents and passion for Hispanic traditions. Latin Carnival is more than just a summer camp; it's a transformative experience that fosters cultural awareness, teamwork, and a deep appreciation for diversity. Join us for a summer filled with laughter, learning, and the joy of celebrating the beauty of Hispanic culture – where every camper becomes a cultural ambassador in their own right!

Full Day Specialty Camps: June 8 - July 31

The magic of summer is the opportunity to dive deep into a special interest! Full Day Specialty Camps are great options for your athletes, actors, or architects who want to spend an entire week (or summer) doing what they love! **All full day camps run 9am-3:30pm unless otherwise noted.**

June 8-12 Full Day Camps

Latin Cuisine

Instructor: Jessica Ruiz

Fee: \$480

Ages: 6-7

Becoming a chef who specializes in Latin cuisine is a fantastic journey that combines the exploration of rich, diverse flavors with the discovery of Latin culture and history. Whether you're learning to make the perfect taco, mastering arepas, or perfecting your empanada dough, each dish will take you deeper into understanding the heart of Latin America and the Caribbean.

*Dive Deep Discovery Camp

Instructor: Jenna LoDico

Fee: \$460

Ages: 6-8

A full day of marine science discovery awaits! Young ocean explorers will dive deep into marine science, outdoor adventures, and creative play as they uncover the wonders of life beneath the waves. From plankton to predators, campers will conduct hands-on experiments, create ocean-inspired art, and learn how to care for our oceans. With daily lab experiments, games, and plenty of exploration fun, this camp is the ultimate adventure for future marine biologists!

LEGO Minecraft Mania Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$355

Ages: 5-11

Experience the world of Minecraft with LEGO® bricks in this fun summer camp! With NEW builds, campers will delve deeper into the world of Minecraft with Ender dragons, Steve, Creepers, Endermen, Witches and Withers, and all the popular characters Minecraft has to offer! Campers will face new challenges each day, building LEGO® motorized robotic models and crafting key elements from the popular Minecraft game.!

Campers will have the opportunity to build their own virtual Minecraft world on iPads before bringing their designs to life by building new characters, mosaics and custom models, incorporating LEGO® bricks. So, are you ready for the challenge? All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the fun LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO® minifigure!

*Zoomania!

Instructor: [Emili Jaime-Allwood](#)

Fee: \$580

Ages: 8-12

Are you a fan of animals? Would you like to expand your Spanish vocabulary with animal-related words and phrases? This camp is just for you! Join me daily for an exciting adventure to Zoo Tampa, where you'll discover fascinating facts about different animals. We'll combine painting and writing as we enjoy our time at the zoo each day.

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Jim Harley's Basketball School

Instructor: Eckerd College Men's Basketball Coaching Staff

Fee: \$325

Ages: 8-14

Hours: 8:30-3:00

Jim Harley's Basketball School (JHBS) is a summer co-ed basketball camp directed by the Men's Basketball Coaching staff at Eckerd College. The JHBS Fundamental Camp will consist of skill stations, 3 on 3 and 5 on 5 competition. The staff includes experienced and enthusiastic coaches from the college, high school and middle school levels and student-athletes from the Eckerd College men's and women's basketball teams. Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt. For questions, please email: jimharleysbasketballschooll@gmail.com

June 15-18 Full Day Camps

Note that we are closed Friday, June 19th, for the Juneteenth holiday.

*Little Doctor School

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$415

Ages: 6-8

Little Medical School - Tampa Bay presents our community's newest future doctors! Through hands-on activities and role-plays, students will take on the role of a doctor and learn about the vital organs that make up the human body. Throughout the week, participants will become different medical professionals by specializing in and exploring new body systems. Students will engage in role-plays, create demonstrations of the body to learn how it works, and understand the important role doctors play in preventing, diagnosing, and treating illness and injury. These future doctors will practice using real medical tools including a stethoscope and reflex hammer and have hands-on experience learning first aid in emergency situations. This camp includes daily take-home projects and tools the students will use and create throughout their learning journey.

At the end of the week, families are invited to attend a ceremony where participants will demonstrate their new skills and graduate with their own student white coat, stethoscope, and diploma. Take-home items include: student white coat; Little Medical School stethoscope; student-made models of the lungs, blood, and eye; organ and bone sticker sets; student first aid kit; brain hat; graduation certificate

Art & Design Camp: Supported Studio

Instructor: [Sara Norine](#)

Fee: \$270

Ages: 6-8

In these small camps, students will enjoy immersing themselves in the fundamentals of art and design while working on projects that support creative thinking. We begin each camp session with a planned project and group cohesion. This calming rhythm supports each student as they move into the free choice segment of our time together. During this time, creative play and small motor practice are emphasized as students enjoy working on open ended projects. Each student may choose to explore a wide variety of materials including painting, printmaking, sewing, finger knitting, sculpture, origami, and other mixed media. New projects and stations are presented in response to the interests and socio-emotional needs of each unique group of campers. This fun and supportive studio environment is a blend of directed work time with open ended explorations. With abundant materials and a focus on flow, this camp emphasizes the joy of the creative process. Campers expand their attention span and end each session with a sense of satisfaction. As we close each session, we gather around for an art themed storytime and group discussion about our time together and what to expect when we gather again. All levels of art experience are welcome to join this fun and inspiring camp. [Click here to enjoy Sara's professional and teaching portfolios.](#)

Game On Classic LEGO Arcade Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$355

Ages: 5-11

Today it's all about the world of online video games and apps. Bricks 4 Kidz wants to bring the digital world to life with the use of LEGO® bricks! In this hands-on summer camp, campers will bring popular games based on themes like Super Mario Bros, ROBLOX, MINECRAFT, Pokémon, and Fortnite to life through the use of our LEGO® robots, LEGO® mosaics, and LEGO® 3D art! We will also bring back some of Nintendo and SEGA classic themes such as Pacman, Contra, NBA Jams, Zelda, Duck Hunt, and Sonic the Hedgehog! Each day will be a new adventure as the virtual and LEGO® worlds combine!

All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the fun LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO® minifigure!

Jim Harley's Basketball School

Instructor: Eckerd College Men's Basketball Coaching Staff

Fee: \$260

Ages: 8-14

Hours: 8:30-3:00

Jim Harley's Basketball School (JHBS) is a summer co-ed basketball camp directed by the Men's Basketball Coaching staff at Eckerd College. The JHBS Fundamental Camp will consist of skill stations, 3 on 3 and 5 on 5 competition. The staff includes experienced and enthusiastic coaches from the college, high school and middle school levels and student-athletes from the Eckerd College men's and women's basketball teams. Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt. For questions, please email: jimharleysbasketballschool@gmail.com

June 22-26 Full Day Camps

Little Veterinarian School: Adopt a Cat

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$525

Ages: 6-8

Come explore the exciting world of animal care with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay! After adopting their plush cat, students will take on the role and responsibilities of a veterinarian and learn how to care for their new feline friend. These future veterinarians will perform a nose to-tail wellness exam, learn about common cat illnesses, diagnose and treat a sick and injured cat, and much more! This camp includes daily take-home projects and tools the students will use and create throughout their learning journey. At the end of the week, families are invited to attend a ceremony where participants will demonstrate their new skills and graduate with their own student white coat, plush cat, and diploma. Take-home items include: student white coat; plush cat; veterinarian journal; vet clinic design; personalized kitty litter box; student-made cat toy; syringe; blood model; adoption and graduation certificates

LEGO Star Wars Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$395

Ages: 5-11

A Long Long Time Ago in a Galaxy Far Far Away, The Jedis, Empire, and Mandalorians were all in a battle to reign supreme! And in this classic summer camp, your child will learn the way of The Force by making all of the classic STAR WARS characters and spaceships out of LEGO® bricks! Campers will be using their creativity and our signature building methods to create a LEGO® Baby Yoda, Kylo Ren's LEGO® light saber, Luke Skywalker's X-Wing Fighter, The Mandalorian's armor, Rey's Millennium Falcon, and much more! We have them all! Come explore the Galaxy in this one-of-a-kind STAR WARS LEGO® Camp!

All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the fun LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO® minifigure!

Art Fiesta Latin American Inspirations

Instructor: Jessica Ruiz

Fee: \$465

Ages: 8-10

At Art Fiesta Latin American Inspirations, learning and creativity come together in a celebration of culture and art. Campers journey through the landscapes and histories of Latin America, exploring how artists express identity, nature, and community. Through hands-on projects—like weaving inspired by Andean traditions, vibrant painting in the style of Frida Kahlo, or designing masks from Caribbean folklore—campers gain an appreciation for artistic diversity and cultural storytelling. The camp fosters curiosity, collaboration, and respect for different cultures, all while letting creativity blossom in a welcoming, festive environment.

June 29 - July 2 Full Day Camps

Note that we are closed Friday, July 3rd, for the Fourth of July holiday.

Art & Design Camp: Supported Studio

Instructor: [Sara Norine](#)

Fee: \$270

Ages: 6-8

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BRICKS 4 KIDZ LEGO® Chess Camp with Board One Chess Academy!

Instructors: Bricks 4 Kidz & Board One Chess instructors

Fee: \$315

Ages: 6-9

Bricks 4 Kidz and Board One Chess Academy are excited to offer this one-of-a-kind camp for the first time at Shorecrest Prep to the Summer 2026 Camp programming! This fun and educational week will be an exciting blend of LEGO® robotics and LEGO® art and the strategic game of chess! Campers will spend half the day in whole group and small group chess instruction using a Smartboard projector and will learn chess fundamentals, tricks, and tactics. The emphasis will be on the joy of the game, but with a close eye to the student's progress. The other half of the day will be filled with the signature LEGO® motorized robotics, 3D, and mosaic art models of Bricks 4 Kidz, but with a chess twist. Each day campers will build LEGO® models that tie into the game of chess! This fun, educational, week-long camp is for chess players and LEGO® builders of all levels! Come build your chess game and LEGO® skills with us for this amazing week of summer camp!



Fashion Design Camp

Instructor: Evan Neidich

Fee: \$425

Ages: 10-13

Get ready to dream it, design it, and wear it! In Fashion Design Camp, students will dive into the exciting world of wearable art. We'll learn fun techniques to create our very own accessories and clothing pieces using sewing, jewelry making, and creative construction skills. Students will design and build unique items they can wear! This camp encourages creativity, imagination, and self-expression while teaching practical hands-on skills. Each week, we'll bring our ideas to life in fun, colorful, and fashion-forward ways to take home and enjoy!

July 6-10 Full Day Camps

Latin Cuisine

Instructor: Jessica Ruiz

Fee: \$480

Ages: 6-7

Becoming a chef who specializes in Latin cuisine is a fantastic journey that combines the exploration of rich, diverse flavors with the discovery of Latin culture and history. Whether you're learning to make the perfect taco, mastering arepas, or perfecting your empanada dough, each dish will take you deeper into understanding the heart of Latin America and the Caribbean.

LEGO City: Jungle Safari Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$395

Ages: 5-11

If you like adventure, this BRAND NEW summer camp is for you! During this week long adventure down the Amazon River, our campers will be searching for hidden treasure with famous explorers! On the way, they will encounter all of the wonders, dangers, and surprises the wild jungle has to offer! Campers will have to navigate around the chomping crocodiles of the Amazon, sneak past the indigenous tribes protecting hidden treasures, and wrestle with the animals of the jungle like gorillas, snakes, rhinos, and much more! So, pack your adventure bags and treasure maps, and get ready to explore this summer in our Jungle Safari Camp!

All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the fun LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO® minifigure!

*Junior Medical School Workshop

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$525

Ages: 8-12

Through this exciting program with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay, students will explore a wide range of medical and STEM-related careers. Each day of the week will feature a new profession brought to life through hands-on activities and engaging role-play. Lessons are drawn from our signature program - Junior Doctor School - as well as our other STEM.org accredited favorites including Marine Biology, Forensic Science, and Sports Medicine. Join us on our STEM adventure to care for patients of all kinds! Junior Medical School Workshop includes daily take-home projects and tools that students will use and create throughout their learning journey. This camp concludes with a showcase for families where our future healthcare heroes will demonstrate their new

skills! Take-home items include: Little Medical School reflex hammer, surgery model, sea turtle exam form, student-made bioluminescent organism, student-made fingerprint card, magnifying glass, completion certificate

Jim Harley's Basketball School

Instructor: Eckerd College Men's Basketball Coaching Staff

Fee: \$325

Ages: 8-14

Hours: 8:30-3:00

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July 13-17 Full Day Camps

Little Doctor School

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$525

Ages: 6-8

Little Medical School - Tampa Bay presents our community's newest future doctors! Through hands-on activities and role-plays, students will take on the role of a doctor and learn about the vital organs that make up the human body. Throughout the week, participants will become different medical professionals by specializing in and exploring new body systems. Students will engage in role-plays, create demonstrations of the body to learn how it works, and understand the important role doctors play in preventing, diagnosing, and treating illness and injury. These future doctors will practice using real medical tools including a stethoscope and reflex hammer and have hands-on experience learning first aid in emergency situations. This camp includes daily take-home projects and tools the students will use and create throughout their learning journey.

At the end of the week, families are invited to attend a ceremony where participants will demonstrate their new skills and graduate with their own student white coat, stethoscope, and diploma. Take-home items include: student white coat; Little Medical School stethoscope; student-made models of the lungs, blood, and eye; organ and bone sticker sets; student first aid kit; brain hat; graduation certificate

LEGO Superhero Builder Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$395

Ages: 5-11

The superpowers of our LEGO® camps have just gotten even more awesome with our BRAND NEW Superhero Camp! This camp is full of all your favorite Marvel and DC superheroes! Spider Man, Captain America, Batman, Iron Man, Wonder Woman, Superman, Thor, Aquaman, The Flash, Black Widow, The Hulk, and much more! We have even added more characters to our Super Team so our campers can bring these powers to life using LEGO® bricks! One day we will be building a flying LEGO® Superman, and the next we will be chasing down the villains of the Avengers! Whether you love Marvel superheroes, DC superheroes, or both, this camp will be a hit for all super kids!

All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO® minifigure!

Passport to the Hispanic World

Instructor: Jessica Ruiz

Fee: \$460

Age: 7-9

¡Bienvenidos! Pack your bags and get ready for an exciting adventure through the vibrant cultures, languages, and traditions of the Hispanic world! In this fun and interactive camp, students will explore the music, art, food, and festivals of Spanish-speaking countries across Latin America and Spain.

Campers will learn basic Spanish phrases, dance to lively Latin rhythms, create colorful crafts inspired by famous Hispanic artists, and even taste a few kid-friendly traditional snacks. Through games, storytelling, and hands-on activities, children will discover how diverse—and connected—the Hispanic world truly is. By the end of camp, each student will have their own “passport” full of stamps, memories, and newfound appreciation for the rich cultures that make up the Hispanic world.

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Art Studio Camp: Drawing, Painting, & More!

Instructor: Evan Neidich

Fee: \$465

Ages: 11-14

In this immersive studio art camp, students will spend their days creating, experimenting, and growing their artistic skills in a fun and supportive environment with a local professional artist.

Each morning, we'll focus on drawing—building strong observational skills while also exploring imaginative, expressive artwork. In the afternoons, campers will dive into painting, collage, and other mixed-media projects inspired by their own interests and ideas.

This camp is perfect for middle and high school students who love art and want to deepen their abilities while discovering new ways to express themselves. Get ready to draw, paint, and create all week long!

July 20-24 Full Day Camps

LEGO Encore Mashup 2.0 Camp

Instructor: [Bricks 4 Kidz](#)

Fee: \$395

Ages: 5-11

Summer is almost over, but we have one more exciting week of LEGO® fun with all of the best themes of the summer:

MINECRAFT
LEGO® City
Super Mario Bros.
STAR WARS
Roblox
Superheroes
Harry Potter
Pokémon
and much more!

Campers will experience several LEGO® themes throughout this awesome week! Your Master Builder will have a chance to create motorized robotic models, 3D color brick builds, LEGO® mosaic art, and learn different design and building techniques using LEGO® bricks! Join us for this super fun LEGO® Camp to end the summer!

All campers will take home fun crafts and have photos taken of all the fun LEGO® models they made throughout the week and take home a custom-made LEGO®

Junior Doctor School

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$525

Ages: 8-12

Little Medical School - Tampa Bay presents our advanced program for future doctors! Through hands-on activities and role-plays, students will take on the role of a doctor to learn about the vital organs and systems that make up the human body. Throughout the week, participants will become different medical professionals by specializing in and exploring new body systems to diagnose and treat patients through our realistic case studies. These future doctors will learn how to administer first aid in emergency situations by performing CPR and the Heimlich maneuver, complete advanced surgery techniques, role-play complications, and much more! Student doctors will practice and prepare a college admission interview and create a medical school and professional timeline. At the

end of the week, families are invited to attend a ceremony where participants will demonstrate their new skills and graduate with their own student white coat, stethoscope, and diploma. Take-home items include: student white coat; Little Medical School stethoscope; blood, bone, and skin models; heart and EKG demonstrations; surgery model; CPR practice steps; medical doctor timeline; college admission interview plan; graduation certificate

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July 27 - 31 Full Day Camps

Little Veterinarian School: Adopt a Dog

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$525

Ages: 6-8

Come explore the exciting world of animal care with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay! After adopting their plush dog, students will take on the role and responsibilities of a veterinarian and learn how to care for their new pet patient. These future veterinarians will perform a nose to-tail wellness exam, diagnose and treat a sick and injured dog, learn proper hydration and nutrition, practice taking blood samples, and much more! This camp includes daily take-home projects and tools the students will use and create throughout their learning journey. At the end of the week, families are invited to attend a ceremony where participants will demonstrate their new skills and graduate with their own student white coat, plush dog, and diploma. Take-home items include: student white coat; plush dog; veterinarian journal; vet clinic design; healthy dog treat recipe and playdough treat; dog bowl; syringe; blood model; adoption and graduation certificates

Chess Camp

Instructor: [Board One Chess Academy](#)

Fee: \$395

Ages: 7-13

This fun, educational, week-long chess camp is for chess players of all levels. Chess Camp features group chess instruction at smartboard and tournament play. Emphasis is on the joy of the game but with a close eye to the student's progress. Divided by age and ability, students will learn chess fundamentals, tricks, and tactics, as well as enjoy fun activities with both indoor and outdoor sports! Board One Chess Academy owner Steve Crookston and his team of coaches are excited for their summer camp at Shorecrest Preparatory School!

Volleyball Camp

Instructor: Coach Courtney Draper

Fee: \$395

Ages: 10-15

Time: 9am-4pm

This camp runs Monday through Thursday only.

Players will be divided by age and ability. There will be everything from a beginners court all the way to an advanced court. The advanced players will have positional breakouts and the middle school courts will have an all skills development approach. This camp is run by Shorecrest Varsity Coach, Courtney Draper, who has over 20 years of NCAA College Coaching experience at FSU, Duke, JU, Eckerd & USF. Other coaches that will be instructing are elite level club and varsity level coaches who can help prepare your child for a school or club team.

Machine Sewing - Sewing from a Pattern - Beginner

Instructor: Catherine Briggs of [Sew Pinellas](#)

Fee: \$490

Ages: 11-14

This machine sewing camp introduces students to sewing from a pattern while allowing space for individual creativity and choice. After completing a small warm-up project to learn sewing machine skills, students will select a commercial sewing pattern and create a garment of their choice, such as a skirt, shorts, pants, or a top. Instruction focuses on learning how to follow a sewing pattern, cut fabric accurately, and assemble a garment step by step. This camp is well suited for beginners who want a strong foundation in garment sewing and also works well for returning students looking to build confidence, independence, and project-planning skills at the sewing machine

August 3-7 Full Day Camps

Little Medical School Workshop

Instructor: [Little Medical School Tampa Bay](#)

Fee: \$525

Ages: 6-8

Through this exciting program with Little Medical School – Tampa Bay, students will explore a wide range of medical and STEM-related careers. Each day of the week will feature a new profession brought to life through hands-on activities and engaging role-play. Lessons are drawn from our signature programs - Little Doctor School and Little Veterinarian School - as well as our other STEM.org accredited favorites including Little Dental School, Little Pediatrician School, and Little Wilderness Medicine School. Join us on our STEM adventure to care for patients of all kinds! Little Medical School Workshop includes daily take-home projects and tools that students will use and create throughout their learning journey. This camp concludes with a showcase for families where our future healthcare heroes will demonstrate their new skills! Take-home items include: Little Medical School stethoscope, veterinarian journal, toothbrush, cavity model, syringe, Little Medical School emergency-use bandana, completion certificate

Volleyball Camp

Instructor: Coach Courtney Draper

Fee: \$395

Ages: 10-15

Time: 9am-4pm

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Before and After Care: Ages 5-12

Drop your children off as early as 8am for Before Care (\$35 per week), or keep them engaged and supervised until 5:30pm for After Care (\$55 per week). All Before and After Care registrations are charged by the week, and you can attend just one day or every day!

***Phonics Pathways (weekly 8-9am)**

Instructor: Danielle Cameron

Fee: \$250

Ages: 5-7

Days and Times: available weekly starting June 8 through July 31. Phonics Pathways meets from 8-9 am, allowing your camper to head straight to their morning camp afterwards.

Join one of Shorecrest's literacy experts for a morning reading boost! This 45-minute small group session (6 children max) will include specialized reading instruction using Orton-Gillingham strategies. This group is designed to help students increase their reading fluency and accuracy. Students will engage in multi-sensory techniques designed to help them master new phonics concepts and spelling rules.

3-Hour Babysitter Training Programs

Babysitting 101

Instructor: Little Medical School

Fee: \$150

Ages: 11+

Days and Times: June 5, July 31, 9am-12pm

Babysitting 101 is a 3-hour class, designed for ages 11 and up, who are interested in babysitting. Students will have an introduction to basic care, safety, and first aid for infants and children. Students will also learn about the developmental stages of infants through school-age children and design activities to use with each age. Health, nutrition, and sleep for each developmental age will be taught. Students will have hands-on experience learning the Heimlich maneuver and how to use an EpiPen. Finally, students will design a babysitting advertisement for their business and receive a certificate of completion. The program can also be used to earn the Girl Scouts babysitting badge.

All About Driving

Driver Education Traffic Safety (DETS) Classroom Only

Instructor: Jackie Suchanek of [All About Driving](#)

Fee: \$150

Days and Times: In-person classroom meetings are scheduled on three Mondays throughout the summer: **June 8, June 22, and July 27**. Jackie will work directly with families to schedule behind-the-wheel training.

The DETS course is mandatory for Florida teens ages 15-17 applying for their learner's permit. This course replaces the Traffic Law & Substance Abuse Education (TSAE) requirement. This blended course includes an in person classroom day with an approved FLHSMV instructor and a 6 hour online course and test.

This blended course gives students the opportunity to develop the knowledge, attitudes and skills necessary to become a safe and responsible driver. The classroom portion will be taught using a blend of AAA curriculum, ADTSEA curriculum and the Florida Driving Manual. Main concepts taught will be the driving task, controlling the vehicle, driving in different environments and being a responsible driver. On completion of the blended course, students will receive a completion certificate to meet the new requirements.

Driver Education Traffic Safety (DETS) Classroom + Behind-the-wheel Training

Instructor: Jackie Suchanek of [All About Driving](#)

Fee: \$800

Days and Times: In-person classroom meetings are scheduled on three Mondays throughout the summer: **June 8, June 22, and July 27**. Jackie will work directly with families to schedule behind-the-wheel training.

All lessons will be done in a company vehicle that is equipped with a FLHSMV approved instructor, a passenger brake, and a three channel camera. Behind-the-wheel training will consist of four, 1.5 hour lessons that include pick up and drop off (within Pinellas County). Driving will include parking lots,

residential, open highway, intown and expressway. Students will practice various driving skills to prepare them to be safe and defensive drivers. Lessons will be set up through All About Driving.

On completion of the classroom and 6 hours of driving, students will receive a certificate of completion for their insurance company. Participants are encouraged to check with their insurance companies for eligibility for a discount.

** Students do not need to have a permit to register and may begin driving lessons once they have their permit