

Dear SPS Families,

The Sudbury Public Schools are excited to announce that we will again this summer be offering summer programming for students entering kindergarten-grade 5 who would benefit from additional instruction and support in literacy and/or mathematics. The SMILE program will run for 4 weeks (July 10-August 4), Monday through Friday. SMILE is offered free of charge and transportation will be provided from designated Sudbury and Boston hubs. Teachers recommend students for the SMILE program based upon the students level of need. If your child's teacher is considering a SMILE recommendation, they will share further information about the program and about the basis of their recommendation during March conferences. ADD / Timing



Complementing the SMILE program is EXPLORE. EXPLORE is an enrichment program focused on the arts, science, and physical activity. Students enrolled in a half-day SMILE program will have the opportunity to enroll in a half-day EXPLORE program resulting in a full day (8:30-3:00) of programming. Students attending SMILE & EXPLORE will be provided lunch. EXPLORE is fee-based (\$900 for 4 weeks of half-day programming) and scholarships are available. If spots are available after enrolling interested SMILE students, EXPLORE will be opened to any interested families. SMILE & EXPLORE run simultaneously with most ESY (Extended School Year) programming, allowing for ESY students to also enroll in EXPLORE.

We are grateful to the Town of Sudbury, the SPS staff, and our SMILE & EXPLORE staff for their support of this wonderful opportunity for students to grow as learners and friends.

Sincerely,

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