Proposed Summer School Classes for Students Who Have Completed 3rd-5th grade in 2025 June 16-July 3, 2025

<u>Math Booster:</u> This class will offer math skills to build confidence and reinforce the importance of mathematics through many meaningful activities. Age and ability appropriate skills will be emphasized.

Reading Booster: This class will offer reading skills to build confidence and reinforce the importance of reading through many fun and meaningful activities. Age and ability appropriate skills will be emphasized.

<u>France and Spain:</u> Enjoy learning the fundamentals of these two foreign languages spoken throughout the world.

<u>Babysitting</u>: Come learn the basics of babysitting! Even if you only take care of younger brothers and sisters you can learn important safety information and new activities to do with them. This class is for 4th and 5th graders.

<u>Cooking:</u> You will learn cooking terms and measurements. Come discover the world of cookbooks. Become a chef as you test these new recipes.

<u>Art Studio:</u> Students will have fun making their own summer school art portfolios. Students will have the opportunity to explore many different art techniques and create exciting new projects centered around drawing, coloring, and painting.

<u>Beading and More:</u> Students will learn how to make creations like key rings, necklaces and other fun projects with beads and other materials.

<u>Games Galore:</u> Learn and play board games and card games that involve strategy, thinking outside of the box and a whole lot of fun!

<u>Animal Planet:</u> If you love animals, this is the class for you! Come learn about animals and their habitats through hands-on activities, crafts and games.

<u>Passport Around the World:</u> Come and learn about the language, food, customs, landmarks and games of a different country every day!!

<u>American Sign Language (ASL):</u> Have you ever wanted to talk with your friends without speaking? Come learn the basics of American Sign Language! This class includes learning the ASL alphabet, numbers, short conversations, as well as an introduction to Deaf culture!

<u>Dungeons and Dragons:</u> Have you watched Stranger Things? Do you like online role-playing games? Do you want to go on quests to defeat monsters? If so, DnD might be for you! Come learn the basics of Dungeons and Dragons, a tabletop role-playing game. You will be provided with a premade character sheet and dice that you get to keep!

<u>STEM-Tastic:</u> This course will be packed full of hands-on STEM-tastic learning! Students will create and collaborate in our Makerspace while utilizing technology tools such as Osmos and Spheros and a variety of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) challenges.

<u>Bounce Back:</u> Students will learn how to identify and calm down strong feelings using strategies such as deep breathing and relaxation techniques, creative outlets, game play and other age-appropriate strategies designed to help students manage anger, anxiety and other hard to manage feelings.

<u>Under the Sea:</u> Students will become ocean explorers as they explore the deep. They will learn about the ocean through literature, videos, crafts, edible creations, games and math activities.

<u>Walk & Talk:</u> This course will engage your student in communication and regular physical activity each day while having fun! Students will partake in walking adventures to build endurance. We will track our steps and miles throughout the course. Students will also be given new fun topics to discuss each day while walking and talking.

<u>Basketball Basics:</u> This class is a great opportunity to improve your fundamental skills as well as have a positive and fun experience playing the game of basketball. The focus of this class will be placed on individual skill development such as dribbling, passing, shooting, and defense as well as various other components of the game.

<u>Playground Games:</u> Students will get exercise and enjoy the outdoors while learning about all of their favorite playground games. They can utilize these games during their recess time or with friends outside of school. Some examples of games we will play include: 4-square, 9-square, tag games, jump rope games, relay races, obstacle courses, lawn games and more!

<u>Sports, Sports</u>: This course is an outdoor sports class. Students will learn and practice fundamental skills and team play. Sports could include basketball, baseball, softball, volleyball and other team sports.

Swimming Lesson Information

Information (blue sheet) should have come home with the summer school information. Mrs. Lynn Bubolz is in charge of this program. She can be reached at bubolz@rio.k12.wi.us. Please let Mrs. Bubolz know if you will need transportation for your child or if you will be providing transportation for your child.

6th Grade Academy

This course is for all graduating 5th graders ONLY and is strongly recommended. 6th Grade Academy will be held in August. The registration form should have come home with this summer school packet (pink sheet).

Instrumental Music

This course is for graduating 5th graders ONLY. If you will be joining the middle school band, Ms. Herring will be contacting you to schedule instrumental lessons during the weeks July 23-August 6th.