

# 2024 Summer Intensive Policies for Grade 4 Scholars

(as of June 2024)

#### **Welcome to Success!**

Through our Summer Intensive experience, we make sure you and your child have everything needed for an amazing start to the upcoming year. No other school in NYC provides a program designed to help your child adjust to their new learning environment and its expectations.

Our learning experience will be held from July 1 to July 26, 2024, Monday through Friday—there will be no session on July 4. Families have the option to choose between our two virtual options: the morning session from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. or the evening session from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Throughout the program, your child will have in-person optional opportunities to meet other new students and see what programs they can look forward to in the upcoming school year. Throughout the program, your child will have in-person optional opportunities to meet other new students during a field trip and see what programs they can look forward to in the upcoming school year.

## This document outlines key policies for easy reference. Please review carefully!

For questions or support, please email enrollment@successacademies.org or call us at (646) 472-1911.

#### **Eligibility & Grade Placement**

Participation in the summer intensive is optional for newly accepted students entering Grades 4. While the program is optional, we strongly recommend attending Summer Intensive, to help your child get a head-start on adjusting to our program, our routines and expectations, and our content before the school year begins.

## **Completion Criteria**

In order to successfully complete Summer Intensive, students must not miss more than four (4) sessions.

#### **Attendance**

Student attendance expectations regarding Excused/Unexcused absences are as defined in our <u>family handbook</u>., with an additional call out for Summer Intensive:

• Gr 5-6 students who do not meet the Summer Intensive attendance requirements (more than four (4) days of unexcused absences) will be enrolled in their previous grade. Gr 4 students will start the year in Gr 4 regardless.

#### **Uniforms**

Summer Intensive students are expected to wear their uniforms at all times during class and while taking assessments. This will help your child get in the habit of being dressed for success once school starts! We sent an email with instructions on how to order your uniform, so check your inbox, but for ease, you can find instructions in the SA Family Portal under your registration tasks.

If you're still waiting on your uniform packet, your child can wear navy pants, a white button-down shirt, and black shoes without shoelaces.

## **Accommodations**

 Students will receive accommodations that can be reasonably implemented during remote assessments.

# **Behavior Expectations**

All SA students are expected to adhere to our ACTION values:

Value	Definition	Examples of How Parents and Guardians Can Model ACTION Values
Agency	Take responsibility for one's own actions.	Address issues proactively and constructively.
Curiosity	Always ask questions.	Take an active part in your child's education by attending family events and asking your students about what they are learning.
Try and Try	Always give your best effort.	Ensure that your child is following our school policies (e.g., in school every day for the whole day, on time, and in uniform; homework is complete and of high quality).
Integrity	Be honest and trustworthy.	Treat school staff and community members with respect and honesty.
Others	Be a nice and thoughtful member of one's community.	Participate in school events, field studies, or the Parent Council. Volunteer when you can. Attend advocacy events to support your student, and help more families get access to high-quality schools.
No Shortcuts	Never look for the easy way out.	Do everything that is necessary to help your child achieve success, no matter how inconvenient or difficult the task.

Students will be held to the same expectations set forth in the <u>Family Handbook</u>; it's particularly important to pay attention to the section on academic integrity!