

2022

Summer Reading Camp Teacher Application

Benefits, Responsibilities, & Professional Perks



Our overarching purpose of Summer Reading Camp is to ensure that students are engaged in an enjoyable and rigorous experience that targets their growth as readers.

SRC Top Ten Benefits to Teaching SRC:

- *1. Refining an evidence-based approach to teaching reading and writing workshop that can benefit your own Tier 1 classroom instruction
- *2. Watching reluctant readers transform into self-motivated students
- *3. Reversing underachievement in students
- *4. Growing expertise in providing direct/ explicit instruction in reading and writing strategies in a gradual release of responsibility model where students transfer what they are learning in their own independent reading and writing
- *5. Teaching diverse learners
- *6. Mentoring aspiring educators
- *7. Gaining experience in providing targeted, Tier 2 small group instruction using individual learning pathways, Fountas and Pinnell's guided reading leveled texts and effective intervention resources to align skill.
- *8. Applying best practices with STEM and project based learning instruction in partnership with Jeff Young and the Lincoln Science Center, our fine arts dept., high school coaches., and our librarians.
- *9. Developing critical thinkers, communicators, and problem solvers
- *10. Working collaboratively with teachers across grade levels

SRC Top Ten Teaching Responsibilities For SRC:

- *1. Commit to teaching for the duration of Summer Reading Camp. This year's camp is June 6-30th. It is vital that you are there each day from 7:00-3:00.

- *2. Actively participate in the SRC training session and professional development provided.
- *3. Create and maintain a Google Classroom site for your SRC classroom. Post lesson plans for your Tier 1 instruction by Sunday evening at 8 pm for the coming week.
- *4. Implement a core Tier 1 block each morning based on our updated balanced literacy framework including a daily phonics/word work lesson, and reading and writing workshop.
- *5. Encourage student independent reading and writing through support for student selection of texts and topics as well as support for their engagement and application through reading conferences.
- *6. Utilize the digital data wall provided to determine leveled texts and strategies/skills to target during Tier II instruction using Fountas and Pinnell guided reading texts and lesson resources.
- *7. Administer SRC pre and post assessments and monitor student use of iReady personalized pathway.
- *8. Provide support and encouragement for student attendance in SRC. Document student attendance each day in the spreadsheet provided.
- *9. Provide support and reinforcement for positive student behaviors during SRC.
- *10. Proactively and consistently communicate with parents and attend family literacy events during SRC.

SRC Top 3 Professional Perks:

- *1. \$35.00 per hour, 7.5 hours each day, for 16 days (June 6-June 30). Click the link below to see this year's schedule. [2022 Summer Reading Camp Schedule](#)
- *2. Up to 30 renewal credits provided for your professional certification
- *3. An opportunity to practice and apply best practices in ELA instruction.

How To Apply:

- *1. Express interest to your principal and/or literacy coach. Include any evidence of successful reading/writing teaching experience including any R2S courses and/or endorsements earned.
- *2. An email recommendation from your principal and/or literacy coach is required. Deadline for recommendations from principals are due to Dawn Mitchell at mitchelld@spart6.org by Thursday, March 30.