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Cedar Hill Summer School Course Catalog

*The Cedar Hill Elementary Champ Camp site will also serve students from South Elementary.

COURSE GUIDE

SUMMER SCHOOL INFO

If you have any question regarding the courses in this guide or general Champ Camp questions, please contact Cedar Hill Elementary directly.

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Readiness for Kindergarten, Grade Kindergarten

This program is designed to empower students as they embark on their journey to Kindergarten readiness! Through engaging activities, we'll focus on establishing essential routines and understanding the expectations of Kindergarten. Additionally, students will enjoy daily STEAM sessions alongside 4th graders, fostering a collaborative learning environment. Together, we'll cultivate vital social skills like sharing, active listening, and nurturing friendships, setting a strong foundation for their future academic and personal success!

1-2 CLASS CHOICES

Weird Animals, Grade 1-2

Come learn about different types of animals, focusing on unusual ones like a platypus and anteater. Each week we will study a different type of animal (mammal week, bird week, etc). We hope to have the Runge Nature Center come visit and talk about animals as well.

Story Art- Connecting Literature and Art, Grade 1-2

Attention bookworms and artists! Get ready for a captivating adventure where reading meets creativity. In this class, we'll delve into amazing books and bring them to life through inspiring projects. Plus, we'll design sets and costumes for class plays. Join us as we blend the magic of literature with artistic expression!

The Zoology Club, Grades 1-2

In this class, students will learn about a new animal every other day. We will complete a fun craft and play games. This class is perfect for students who love zoology, science, nature, and art. The students will learn about the animal's physical characteristics, habitat, diet, and some fun facts. They will engage in discussions about the animals and use their new knowledge to participate in games. They will complete a simple craft for each animal.

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Out of this World, Grades 1-2

In this summer school theme, second graders will embark on an unforgettable adventure into the vast expanse of outer space. Through a variety of engaging activities, experiments, and interactive lessons, students will delve into the wonders of the universe, gaining a deeper understanding of space, celestial bodies, and the mysteries that lie beyond Earth. Throughout the program, students will engage in hands-on experiments, team challenges, and group discussions to deepen their understanding of space concepts. By the end of the summer school, students will have developed a sense of wonder and curiosity about the universe and their place within it.

Holidays Around the World, Grades 1-2

Let's learn about the world. In this class, we will learn about the holidays that are celebrated around the world. Each week we will learn about a country, learning about what they celebrate and the traditions that are included. Including a variety of crafts and activities that we can do.

Critical Lego Minds, Grades 1-2

In this course, students will participate in Critical Thinking Activities that are related to Lego Building and other games. In this course, students will incorporate group learning as well as a deep dive into different ways to think and learn. Students will discover ways to read and write with the engineering minds of lego designs and building while also working on critical thinking skills required to master their skills in reading and writing. We will venture into an afternoon of math and science while building on social skills all day with diverse group learning. As we work on building ideas with legos we will also work on more intricate critical thinking games that ignite the deep level of thinking giving the students an opportunity to discover new ways to learn. At the end of each week students will have composed, created, and mastered an engineered project to take home and enjoy!

3-5 CLASS CHOICES

Math Games, Grade 3-5

Do you like math? Do you like to play games? If so, you are going to love Fact Fluency Games! We will learn games using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. We will play Flashlight Math, Monster Math, BINGO, War and so much more! You will be rock stars at math by the end of our game sessions!

Summer of STEM, Grade 3-5

Students will be exploring different aspects of STEM with each week having a main theme. Week 1: Will it grow? Students will be exploring plants, How/what they need to grow. We will be setting up experiments that we will be collecting data from the rest of the semester. Week 2: Forces. Students will be exploring forces: Push, Pull, Gravity, Lift. Magnets, this week will conclude with building and launching rockets. Week 3 and 4 Engineering: Students will work through the design the best paper planes, Marble runs, and solar ovens. Students will see how engineering has revisions and rebuilds and how that is just apart of the process to make products or solutions better.

Hogwarts Students in Training, Grade 3-5

IA Harry Potter/ Hogwarts themed enrichment course touching heavily on reading and writing, along with some Math, enrichment.

Summer of Friendship, Grade 3-5

Students will participate in activities to get to know their classmates while learning how to appropriately communicate with classmates. We will talk alot about social skills and how to agree and disagree respectfully. We will do this using many activities, including incorporating math games. The math games will help us focus on social skills and math fluency. We will also do some fun crafts that help us represent our personalities and admire our differences and get to know our classmates.

Ready to STEM? Grade 3-5

This course will allow students to explore 4 different STEM projects- 1 each week. Each activity will incorporate science, math, and reading/writing for a week long adventure and ending with some kind of project at the end of the week. Students will be encouraged to work together, collaborate, and facilitate discussions as they work through each STEM project.

7 C's of Communication, Grade 3-5

In this course we will have team building activities to master the art of expressing agreement or disagreement in a constructive manner. By honing these communication skills, team members can navigate discussions and decisions with respect and understanding. Validating others' viewpoints or respectfully presenting differing opinions can help them improve their communication skills. Clear, Concise, Concrete, Correct, Coherent, Complete, and Courteous will be the name of our Summer School "game".