



# SUMMER EXPERIENCE 2021

COLUMBUS CITY SCHOOLS

# Engage and Empower

## Students

- Hands-on, relevant and rigorous experiences
- Focus on closing gaps and re-engaging students

## Teachers

- Mentorship with OSU Partnership
- Professional Development (Instructional design and Planning)

Health and Safety Considerations  
Safety Protocols & PPE

Daily in person learning



Teacher-Student ratio  
K-12 1:15  
PreK 1:10; SNP 1:8  
MD 1:8

# Summer Experiences

## High School Programming

Mifflin High School  
Independence High School  
South High School  
West High School

## Middle School Programming

Medina Middle School  
Dominion Middle School  
Berwick Middle School  
South Middle School  
Hilltonia Middle School  
Wedgewood Middle School  
Champion Middle School  
Fort Hayes High School  
Columbus City Prep for Girls  
Africentric Middle School

## Elementary School Programing

Columbus Spanish Immersion Academy  
Hamilton STEM  
Shady Lane Elementary  
Livingston Elementary  
Parsons Elementary  
Clinton Elementary  
Georgian Heights Elementary  
Trevitt Elementary  
Cassady Alternative Elementary  
Scottwood Elementary  
Watkins Elementary  
West Mound Elementary  
Alpine Elementary  
Colerain Elementary



## Schedules

### ELEMENTARY

Grades Pre K- 5

June 14th - July 22

8:00 - 1:00

Monday - Thursday

### SECONDARY

Grades 6-8

June 14 - July 22

8:00 - 1:00

Monday - Thursday



Grades 9-12

June 14 - July 23

8:00 - 12:30

Monday - Friday

# 2021 Pre-K Summer (6 weeks)

- **Purpose:** To assist incoming kindergarten students and their families so they feel confident and ready for success in school
  - Students will have the opportunity to experience kindergarten before starting school
  - Students will participate in developmentally appropriate activities including early literacy skills, phonemic awareness, math. and social emotional mini lessons
  - Program includes a family and community component to establish a strong parent-school relationship



# K-2 Growing & Going

## Mini Camps

- Students will engage in explicit standards based instruction to strengthen foundational knowledge and skills and participate in design challenges that foster critical thinking, problem-solving, collaboration, creativity and communication. Each “Mini-Camp” will be focused on a theme and include a weekly in person or live virtual experience with our camp partner.

## Mini Camp Themes

- Pollinators & Habitat Hunters
- Jurassic Franklin
- Nature Detective
- Garden Gastronomy
- Park Pirate Palooza
- Arts in Nature

## Learning Beyond the Classroom

- Field trip to the FPC Children's' Garden
- Franklin Park Conservatory CCS Family Day in August
- Kindergarten Spruce Run Experience



# 3-5 Exploring & Excelling

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## Mini Camp Themes

- Gadgets to Go
- Exploring Ecology
- Gross Science
- Mission to Mars
- Coaster Creators
- Superhero Science

## Learning Beyond the Classroom

- COSI Field Trip
- COSI Camp Themed Kits





# 6-8 Programming

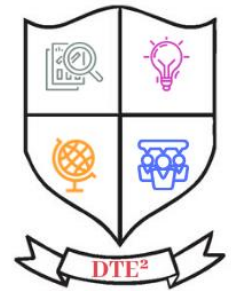
## Design Challenges

- **Topics:** Robotics, Fashion, Additive Manufacturing, eSPORTS, Computer Science/Cyber Security, Aviation, Medical, Urban Agriculture/Culinary
- **Common threads:** Math focus, entrepreneurship, communication, project management, design thinking
  - Exposure to 21st century career paths
  - Hands on and engaging
  - Microcredentials for students and teachers

Partnership with PAST Foundation  
& The Ohio State University



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Design Thinking  
Enrichment Experience  
COLUMBUS CITY SCHOOLS  
Researcher Designer Entrepreneur Communicator

# High School

## **Social Justice Impact Project**

- Face-to-Face Delivery, Deep Learning
- Focus on engaging standards aligned learning experiences (Solving Real Community Focused Problems)
- Interdisciplinary and Inclusive
- Increase the number of students on-track for Graduation through engagement and relevance.

## **Partnership with Korda Institute for Teaching and The Ohio State University**

- Credit Recovery Options will be available for grades 9-12 - Online
- College Credit Plus Summer Opportunities





# SPRUCE RUN - Environmental Education Center

**High School Volunteer Credit (Counselor-In-Training CIT)**

**Project Adventure** - grades 8-11 (*PE credit option*)

**Environmental Science** - grades 11-12 (*Science credit option*)

## **Middle School Enrichment Extensions**

- The Physics of Flight - grades 6-8 (1 session, *2 weeks*)
- Citizen Science: Career Exploration - grades 6-8 (1 session, *2 weeks*)
- Art Exploration - grades 6-8 (3 sessions, *2 weeks* each)
- Ecology - grades 6-8 (1 session, *2 weeks*)
- Survivors Camp (based on Hatchet) - grades 6-8 (3 sessions, *2 weeks* each)

## **Kindergarten “One Week Experience”**

- Outdoor Education Experience



# Exceptional Students

## Summer 2020 (fully remote)

- 4 week program focusing on recreation
- 80 elementary and middle school students could participate

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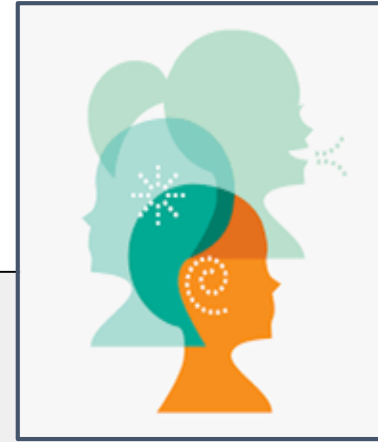
- Include high schoolers
- 2 classrooms per site MS and ES site (368 students)
- Similar schedule to typical peers
- Transportation
- Partnerships include LifeTown, Franklin Park Conservatory, COSI
- By invitation based on individual student need
  - Guardians will not sign up in the portal



# Additional Student Support Services

## Building Support

- Nursing
  - Consider the need for nursing on field trips
- Counselors and Social Workers K-6 sites



### Additional Services

- 1 OT per ES site
- 1 PT per ES site
- 1 SLP per ES site
- Serve students attending Summer Experience
- Serve students by appointment brought by caregiver



# Special Focus Programming

## **Middle School Career and Technical Camp**

CTE will be offering Summer Experience Camps for MS and Secondary students in Robotics, Mechatronics, Culinary and Manicurist. Camps will serve 25 students in each camp for two week period.

## **AP Bootcamp**

Focus on increased preparedness for students entering Advanced Placement classes in English and Math (1 Week per subject)

## **ESL Targeted Support**

Additional support for High Schools who are EL.

***\*Department Sign Up***





**STUDENT REGISTRATION  
OPENS:**

**Monday, March 1, 2021**