

SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Grades 1-6



Lester C. Noecker School

“We Care About What We Do”

**2017 SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM
LESTER C. NOECKER SCHOOL
ROSELAND, NEW JERSEY**

April 5, 2017

Dear Parents/Guardians:

I am happy to inform you that our summer enrichment program will be offered at the Lester C. Noecker School from July 5, 2017 through July 28, 2017. If you are interested, please log on to www.roselandnjboe.org to register. You can find our registration packet under parent information, Summer School, Summer School-Grades 1-6. Registration is online.

To register your child for the Summer Enrichment Program, you must complete the online registration and submit payment by Friday, May 12, 2017. Checks should be made payable to the "Roseland Board of Education" and post-dated July 1, 2017. Please send payment to the attention of Mr. Mark Mansour, Summer Enrichment Coordinator.

If you have any questions or need help, please contact Mr. Mansour, Summer Enrichment Coordinator, at mmansour@roselandnjboe.org.

We look forward to a wonderful July with your child.

Very truly yours,

Robyn P. Greenwald

Ms. Robyn P. Greenwald
Principal

SIGNIFICANT DETAILS FOR THE 2017 SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

1. Classes will meet in the Lester C. Noecker School. All classrooms are air conditioned.
2. Course offerings - Each child may attend four different classes, 45 minutes each.
3. Classes will meet Wednesday, July 5 through Friday, July 28, 2017. Our program runs 18 days.
4. The school day is from 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon.
5. The cost is \$300.00 for the first child and \$275.00 for each additional child in the family.
6. Transportation to and from school must be provided by parents/guardians.
7. Snack time takes place at 10:30 AM, the beginning of third period. Please be reminded that we are a peanut/nut free environment. We also ask that you do not send in glass bottle beverages with your child.
8. Each student is placed in courses within your child's grade level as of September 2017.
9. **Please postdate your check for July 1, 2017 payable to the Roseland Board of Education.** There will be a \$15.00 fee charged for insufficient funds. A cash payment will then be required. **No refunds will be offered after June 1, 2017.**
10. All children living in Roseland presently enrolled in kindergarten through sixth grade, public or private school, are eligible to register. Children entering kindergarten in September 2017 are eligible for the kindergarten program. **Please use the kindergarten registration form.**
11. **The registration deadline is Friday, May 12, 2017.**
13. **It is necessary to have class size limitations in some of the classes. Therefore, students will be placed on a first come, first served basis.**

**ENRICHMENT COURSE OFFERINGS
SUMMER SCHOOL 2017**

Your child will be placed in courses selected based on the grade your child will enter as of September 2017



Readers Theater

Take the spotlight and boost your self esteem, while you transform into some of your favorite characters from your favorite books. Enhance your acting, reading and writing skills by making your favorite stories come alive! Children will read from scripts after practicing pacing, expression and small actions. We will create simple props, backdrops and even write an original script
(Grades 4-6)



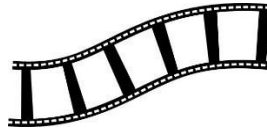
YOGA for Kids

Discover the basics of yoga in fun and creative ways! Practicing yoga builds strength, flexibility, coordination, and focus. Cooperation and compassion will be fostered through partner and group poses. Stretch like a cat, balance like a flamingo, breathe like a lion and engage your whole body and mind. Inner resources such as self-acceptance and centering will be fostered Chill out and energize while learning up dog, down dog and how to walk your dog. Please wear loose fitting clothing, bring a yoga mat, and water. For all levels - beginner to advanced)
(Grades 4-6)



Karaoke Cafe

Hoping you're ready for a 45 minute session of just plain fun. Join this class to participate for some karaoke and movement. Let's Lip Sync and choreograph to your favorite songs! It's a great time to laugh and perform with friends!
(All Grades)



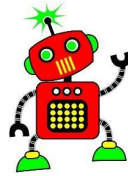
**Movie
Maker/iMovie**

Kids work together to make their very own video movie. Participants create an original script and shoot the movie using iPad and a movie maker App. At the end of session, we have a premier party where the group's movie is viewed on screen for family and friends to enjoy. Every participant gets his/her own copy of the movie on DVD to keep.
(Grades 1-3)



Learn with LEGOS!

Become a confident problem solver using LEGOs! Innovative LEGO lessons ignite mathematical exploration. Activities will inspire teamwork and perseverance while fostering a positive attitude through the challenges of solving problems.
(Grades 1-3)



Exploring Robotics

Students will become engineers and use problem solving skills. They will use their knowledge of technology to build robots that will be able to drive around a table, respond to outside stimuli and make sounds. Students will work to add controls to the robots and problem solve. We will work on determining what problems arise, as well as what solutions are possible. The goal will be to create our own cubelet robots and compare the methods used to create and design.
(All Grades)



Re-Cycle It

Using simple materials such as plastic soda bottles, egg cartons, and cardboard boxes, students will use their imaginations to produce unique sculptures and constructions. We will look at the work of artists who use recycled materials to gain inspiration. A materials list will be sent home on the first day of class with suggested items needed. We will address the need to become environmentally responsible citizens as we explore new uses for old materials.
(All Grades)



History of Rock & Roll

Students will learn about the History of Rock and Roll. We will practice our reading skills by researching about famous musicians and listening to their songs. Students will write stories based on particular songs. Students will also design a slideshow of what they learned.
(Grades 4-6)



My American Girl

Bring in your favorite American Girl Doll and explore the decade they lived in. Students will play American Girl Doll games, create crafts and even have a tea party with their dolls! Each student will also write and illustrate their own American Girl Doll story, just like the ones written for their own American Girls!
(All Grades)



Art is Everywhere

Art is in everything we do and in every subject we study. This interdisciplinary course will show how art is easily integrated into math, music, poetry, writing, technology and sports. This course is for every student, no matter what their interest or artistic ability.
(Grades 4-6)



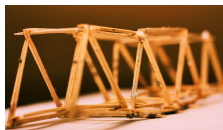
Storybook STEAM

A shared read aloud followed by interactive comprehension activities and a STEAM challenge. This class will delve into popular Storybook's and challenge each student with fun activities in the STEM fields.
(All Grades)



Outdoor Fun

Come join us for a period as we play team games outside and when to hot play in our air-conditioned gymnasium! Be ready to play softball, baseball, soccer, have relay races, we will do it all! Put those sneakers on and team up with friends to have some fun!
(All Grades)



Makerspace & Engineering - STEAM

Have your child learn the engineering design process in which they create and test out prototypes in order to accomplish a task. Students will use materials to complete Makerspace activities. A hands on class that will challenge the mind!
(All Grades)



Coding

Would you like to learn how to create virtual characters, animations, sounds and special effects using kid-friendly technology? Then the coding class is for you, this innovative enrichment courses teaches computer programming skills through video game design using code.org, scratch.com, tykner.com, and tinkercad.com. This engaging offering is perfect for kids in all grades who have great imaginations, like figuring out how things work, or simply love technology.
(All Grades)



Green Thumbs

Students will be introduced to the world of nature through planting, maintaining and exploring the outdoors around our school. Students will learn about plants and the growing process and plant items around the school. A fun hands on class for all!
(All Grades)



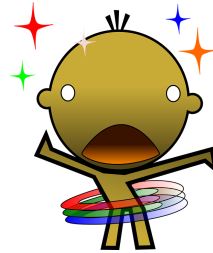
The Wonderful World of Harry Potter

Join in on magical summer fun during the Wonderful World of Harry Potter! Witches and Wizards will be sorted into the four different Hogwarts Houses, and compete in trivia games to earn points to win the House Cup. We will also create various Harry Potter crafts and attend a potions lesson or two.
(All Grades)



Art Around the World

Students will take a “trip around the world” through the eyes of famous artists both historical and contemporary. On our world tour, we will visit the Americas, Europe, Asia and Africa. Students will have fun building their own masterpiece interpretations of famous art work while learning about the culture through stories and pictures. When we visit France, for example, we might re-invent the ancient cave paintings of Lascaux and a modern French impressionist painting by Monet. In North America we can explore the art of Native Americans by creating jewelry, simple weavings or mini teepees. There is so much to experience and enjoy! Come on tour with us and bring home some amazing art souvenirs.
(Grades 1-3)



Let's Move It, Move It!

Let's Move It, Move It! Is all about Fun, Dance & Exercise. We will be learning steps and moves from famous programs such as Zumba and DanceX. Our fun, yet vigorous moves will boost daily motor skill coordination and development. Our fun dance exercise moves are easy to follow and will give us a great workout without realizing we are exercising.
(All Grades)

Fairy Tale Theater



Become a Star and make reading fun. Children will perform their favorite fairy tales with various aspects of hand-on activities, including crafts and games. We will create some props, backdrops, and even write an original script. Bring your best acting skills to play charades and pretend to be some of your favorite characters from your favorite stories.
(Grades 1-3)