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SUMMER PROGRAMS

FROM SPORTS TO STEM

GUIDE TO SUMMER FUN AND LEARNING



From sports to STEM, when it comes to summer programs for students, Long Island's got it all.

Throughout Nassau and Suffolk, kids of all ages can find a summer program that inspires, educates, and/or entertains across a variety of interests. No longer simply about outdoor sports and crafts, today's summer experiences are an experience—at any age.



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TODAY'S SUMMER CAMP EXPERIENCE OFFERS...

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

Day campers can choose from outdoor sports, aquatics and creative arts. You can also find summer programs that specialize in art, science and technology – or all three. If sports are your child's thing, there are hundreds of choices with varying sports specialties. There are a number of summer academic programs too, that offer single specialization – from tech to theater, business to language skills, and farming to robotics. Young adults can even experience college while still in high school with academic programs at a variety of Long Island higher education institutions.

SCHEDULES TO SUIT YOUR NEEDS

Best of all, you don't have to confine yourself to one summer-long schedule. Today, you can find summer camps, programs and workshops of one to eight weeks in length. Kids can shake it up and attend a series of different camps (i.e. swimming, soccer, robotics, cheerleading, gaming, coding, sailing, scouting, religious, etc.) for a varied summer experience. Any child or teen's interest can be developed during the summer, but more importantly, they can be exposed to a variety of new topics that can stimulate new thinking and expand interests across wide categories of learning.

FUN... WITH BENEFITS

Research has shown that students who keep their minds and bodies occupied during school breaks may do better during the school year. Summer programs can stimulate the development of interpersonal competencies, enhance leadership skills and have positive effects on an adolescents' sense of empowerment, self-control, and independence.

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STIMULATE YOUR CHILD'S INTERESTS WITH SPECIALTY CAMPS, LEARNING WORKSHOPS, AND OTHER SUMMER FUN

WHAT EVERY PARENT SHOULD KNOW.

Before you make the investment in a summer program consider the following:

KNOW YOUR CHILD/KNOW YOURSELF

Today's children experience the summer break differently than their parents did. Technology has forever changed downtime. Before you start exploring summer program options, talk to your child/children to explore their interests and their view of the summer break. Know if your child might benefit from the structure of a summer program and grow as an individual. Also, look within to understand what you want for your child in a summer experience, and what pursuits are age appropriate and can add to their physical, emotional and mental development.

DO YOUR RESEARCH

Now is the time to contact the camps and programs that interest you. Most hold Open House throughout the Spring where you can visit on-site and check out the facilities and key personnel, as well as talk to other parents about their experiences. If you have an older child considering

a pre-college program, be sure to understand what colleges are looking for in extracurricular learnings and how credits might transfer to a freshman year. If you have a child already in college who wants to earn extra credits over the summer, speak directly with the Admissions office to see how a summer learning experience can benefit your student and impact their GPA.

KNOW YOUR BUDGET

Summer programs can range widely in costs. Know what you are willing to spend, especially if you have several children to accommodate this summer. Weigh the costs versus childcare or other amusements. And, don't forget about transportation costs, if any. Once you have your prospects in mind, outline timing for deposits and deadlines.

SPECIAL NEEDS

From allergies to disabilities, there are a number of camps for children with special needs. Many of these camps provide a counselor to tend to each child and their specific needs, giving them the individual attention they deserve. These programs usually have a full medical staff on location to distribute the children's medications and treat them for any situations that may arise.

THERE IS STILL TIME TO SECURE YOUR SPOT!

To Advertise in the Next Summer Programs Guide, Contact Deborah O'Connor: 631-843-3587 or doconnor@newsday.com



DAY CAMPS, WORKSHOPS AND PROGRAMS FOR EVERYONE



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

- Day Camp
- Short term specialty camps
- Religious camps



MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Specialty or adventure camp
- Educational learning



HIGH SCHOOL

- Academic programs and/or STEM and STEAM
- Service organization camps and programs
- Pre-college on campus programs



COLLEGE

- Added credit while home or away

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