

## PRESCHOOL - K

#### Week 1:

<u>I'm an Artist</u> – Campers will experiment with different forms of art materials. Every day will be a new adventure as we create masterpieces with materials such as watercolors, finger paints, puffy paint, oil pastels, glitter gel and more! Campers will be encouraged to explore their imagination and discover their creativity.

#### Week 2:

<u>Heroes and Superheroes</u> – Who's your favorite superhero – Batman, Spiderman, Supergirl? Embrace your inner superhero and let loose this week at camp. We will also explore some of our real-life heroes such as firemen and policemen and discover that it takes more than a cape to be a hero.

### Week 3:

<u>How to be a Pirate</u> – Ahoy Matey! "X" marks the spot! Join us as we discover how to make maps, find buried treasure, and build a pirate ship. It will take teamwork and problem-solving to get through daily scavenger hunts.

#### Week 4:

<u>I Can Cook</u> – Does your child love to help out in the kitchen? Come spend the week cooking through literature with many of our favorite children's authors. Incorporated into each day will be opportunities for art, drama, and, of course, cooking!

#### Week 5:

<u>Budding Scientists</u> – There is a scientist in all of us waiting to escape! We are off to the laboratory to boil, bubble, and stay out of trouble! Let's see what happens when the scientist within us escapes! Our experiments will surely thrill and delight.

### Week 6:

<u>Discovering Dinosaurs</u> – Discover the prehistoric world of the dinosaurs! Learn about different types of dinosaurs, where they lived, and what they are. We will read stories about dinosaurs, measure how long they were and dig for bones. Campers will get a special visit from the Lorain County Metroparks' CONSTRUCT-A-SAURUS.

#### Week 7:

<u>Under the Sea</u> – This camp is the perfect place to beat the heat! Have an ocean full of fun as we uncover the mysteries found under the sea. We will explore water, sea creatures, sand and more. Experience the wonders of the sea through water play, science experiments, games and crafts. Bring your bathing suit, water shoes, and a change of clothes – you're bound to get wet!

#### Week 8:

The Best of Summer – It's been a fun-filled summer and we've had a great time! In fact, we loved some of our activities so much, we'd like to do them again! This last week of camp, we will bring back one of our favorites each day. One day may be another water day or maybe we'll cook. We might do another science experiment or create a new piece of art. Come join us for this week of the best. Who knows what will happen?

### GRADES K – 2

#### Week 1:

<u>Creative Kids</u> – Campers' days will be filled with fun ways to express themselves. Painting, crafts, clay, spin art, murals and more! We will work on individual projects and join fellow campers to create group masterpieces.

#### Week 2:

<u>Heroes and Superheroes</u> – Who's your favorite superhero – Batman, Spiderman, Super Girl? Embrace your inner superhero and let loose this week. We will also explore some of our real-life heroes such as firemen and policemen and discover that it takes more than a cape to be a hero.

#### Week 3:

<u>Treasure Hunters</u> – "X" marks the spot! Campers will learn how to navigate a map to find buried treasures inside and outside.

## Week 4:

<u>Call of the Wild</u> – This camp is for animal lovers, young naturalists, and aspiring zoologists. Join us as we travel from the Arctic to the jungle and learn about the animal kingdom.

#### Week 5:

<u>Crazy Concoctions</u> – This camp is for budding scientists and lovers of messy, gooey, wacky concoctions. Campers will explore the amazing world of science and our lab will be overflowing with experiments.

#### Week 6:

<u>Cooking 101</u> – Time to cook up some fun! Campers will make everything from appetizers to desserts in this hands-on cooking experience. They will learn skills such as measuring, chopping, and slicing. Campers will create a cookbook of the fabulous creations they make so they can share their newfound cooking skills at home!

#### Week 7:

<u>Wild Water Adventure</u> – Campers will splash their way through an awesome week of water activities. We will have fun with water inside and out. Think water balloons, liquid watercolors, and more! Bring your swimsuit, towel, and sunscreen as we're bound to get wet!

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## GRADES 2 – 4

#### Week 1:

<u>Outdoor Art</u> – Do you love to be outside and enjoy art? We will go on hikes as we gather natural materials we need and also to help get our creativity flowing. Some of our projects may include nature murals, sun catchers, wind chimes, stepping-stones and more!

#### Week 2:

<u>Party Planning</u> – Who doesn't love a party! Campers will set a theme, take notes, do Internet research, brainstorm ideas, organize activities, decorate, and follow through with responsibilities. We will end our week of camp with a real party on Friday!

### Week 3:

<u>American Girl Doll</u> – Join us for our very popular fun-filled American Girl Week. Bring your American Girl doll or any 18" doll to camp to partake in daily tea parties and real tea sets, including girl and doll-size treats. We will make a variety of crafts for you and your doll to enjoy

#### Week 4:

<u>Super Science</u> – Observe! Predict! Discover! Our laboratory will be overflowing with experiments. Campers will gain a better understanding of scientific principles as we conduct our hands-on experiments.

#### Week 5:

<u>Crafty Kids</u> – Masking tape, glue, leather, and glitter. These are just some of the materials our crafty kids may be using for their projects. We will work on individual projects and join fellow campers to create group masterpieces.

### Week 6:

**CSI (Crime Scene Investigation)** – A mystery is a magnet attracting eager minds. We gather clues and evidence and ponder what we find. Solutions are elusive. It's wise to bide your time. It isn't always obvious who perpetuates a crime. Calling all detectives: A crime has been committed! Can you help?

#### Week 7:

<u>Cooking 202</u> - Breakfast, lunch, and dinner – we'll cook it all! Sharpen your measuring, chopping, and slicing skills as we cook up a storm. We'll even make a cookbook full of our delicious recipes so campers can show off their cooking skills at home!

### Week 8:

<u>The Best of Summer</u> - It's been a fun-filled summer and we've had a great time! In fact, we loved some of our activities so much, we'd like to do them again! This last week of camp, we will bring back one of our favorites each day. One day may be a water day or maybe we'll cook. We might have another sports day or create a new piece of art. Come join us for this week of the best. Who knows what will happen?

#### GRADES 4 – 6

## Week 3:

**2D Computer Game Design** – Interested in how games are made? We'll use the popular computer program Gamemaker to program 2D computer games that you can play on your computer at home. Sign up quick! This camp is limited to 10 awesome programmers.

#### Week 5:

Stop Motion Animation – Calling all filmmakers! Get hands-on experience using digital camcorders and Apple's iMovie® editing software. Create your own stop motion animations using LEGOS, clay, and may other objects. Upload our film to You Tube and become even more famous.

# Counselor-in-Training (CIT)

Our **Counselor-in-Training** program is for students entering 5th through 7th grade in the fall who are interested in helping in the classroom with our younger campers. The CIT program will run all 8 weeks of summer camp, starting June 12 through August 4. Students may apply for 1 up to 8 weeks of camp. However, we do ask that students apply for only those weeks in which they are available all 5 days.

Duties of Counselor-in-Training are as follows:

- To assist the classroom teacher(s) in any capacity requested, such as helping campers with crafts and clean up or retrieving items outside of the classroom.
- To interact and play with campers both in the classroom and outdoors.
- To be a positive role model.

At no time will a CIT be solely responsible for the welfare and safety of campers. CIT's are expected to stay with the classroom teacher(s) at all times and may not leave the classroom without permission from supervising teacher.