



2025 Clinton Community School District Summer School Information Packet



WELCOME!

Welcome to the Clinton Community School District Summer School Program! There are a variety of summer school courses being offered this summer that are open to students entering grades K-12. These include enrichment classes that provide students the opportunity to explore interests they may have, and perhaps even develop new interests. There are also offerings for credit recovery courses at both the middle and high school levels.

Who: CCSD students entering grades K-12

When: **Session 1:** Mondays - Thursdays June 16 - July 3, 2025
Session 2: Mondays - Thursdays July 7 - July 24, 2025

Times: Breakfast: 7:45 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Period 1: 8:00 a.m. - 9:25 a.m.
Recess: 9:25 a.m. - 9:40 a.m.
Period 2: 9:40 a.m. - 11:05 a.m.
Lunch: 11:05 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Buses leave at 11:35 am

Locations: 4K-8th grade sessions at Clinton Elementary School
Credit Recovery, Course Completion, and Strength and Conditioning at Clinton Junior/Senior High School

Enrollment: Enrollment is determined on a first-come first-served basis. A class size of at least 12 will be required to hold a class. Students enrolled in classes that do not meet the criteria will be enrolled in another class that best fits their schedule. It is understood that circumstances may force some courses to be canceled.

Transportation: Bus transportation will be available for all students who are attending summer school (in town and outside the village but in the district). If interested in bus transportation, complete and return the transportation request form, which is available online on the summer school website. Bus transportation will be scheduled after enrollment. Parents will be notified of the bus schedule before the start of summer school. If using bus transportation, please complete your registration on or before May 16 to ensure transportation during the first week of summer school.

Conduct: Regular school year student conduct rules will be followed.

Cost: There are no fees for your child to participate in summer school unless specified by a teacher for a field trip, or other expenses above and beyond classroom activities.

Registration: Registration will begin via Skyward on **April 14 (noon)** and go through **May 16 (9 pm)**.

4K Information: 4K registration will not take place online. Registration forms will be available at the Clinton Elementary School office, as well as at the 4K Open House.

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COURSE OFFERINGS

**Students will enroll in the grade level they are entering in the fall (2025-2026)

Credit Recovery

Credit recovery is meant to help students fully recover their credits as soon as they can complete the program. Credit recovery will take place via an online platform, but students must work on their course in person monitored by a Summer School Teacher. Students and families will be notified if they are required to take a Credit Recovery course. Enrollment is capped, so register as soon as possible once notified. Credit recovery is during the regular summer school sessions, and will run from 8:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. each day.

Course Completion

This course is for 7th & 8th grade students who did not pass or meet satisfactory progress in a core class during the regular school year to make up the course. Students must attend in person to complete their course. Students and families will be notified by their school counselor if they are required to take a Course Completion Course.

Strength & Conditioning

This class is designed for students who are interested in gaining greater strength, size, explosive power, speed, agility, and flexibility. The class is designed as 10 minutes for warm-up, 20 minutes in the weight room, 20 minutes in the gym or outside, and 5 minutes for a cool-down. *Sign up for one of the four class times through Skyward Family Access.* (Enrollment Cap of 24 students per class period)

Times Offered:

- 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
- 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
- 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
- 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

AP Summer Sessions

Students enrolled in an AP course for the upcoming school year will be required to attend four hours of sessions in the summer. Final dates and times will be provided and communicated by the AP teacher to the students who are enrolled in each specific course. See teachers for details.

Making the Move

Making the move is an opportunity for 7th graders and students new to Clinton Junior/Senior High School to learn CJSH readiness skills, practice daily schedules and routines, and become familiar with using their lockers. It also allows them to meet CJSH Staff and learn more about the awesome opportunities at CJSH. Students attend August 28, 2025.

Enrichment Courses (4K-8)

Enrichment courses are designed to allow students to try new things and explore and develop interests that they may otherwise not encounter within the typical school year. There are a variety of classes offered to allow students an opportunity to explore various topics.

SESSION 1 ENRICHMENT COURSES:	
PERIOD 1	PERIOD 2
Board and Card Games Galore (Grades 2-4) Camp With Me! (Grades K-2) Emotion Detective: SPOT Those Feelings (Grades K-2) Fun in the Sun (Grades K-2) Games Galore (Grades K-1) Legos and Robotics (Grades 3-6) Level Up Literacy (Grades 1-2) Listen, Think, and Create (Grades 3-5) Literacy and Legos (Grades K-2) Mrs. Al the Science Gal (Grades K-2) Nature Art (Grades K-2) All-Star Sports (Grades 4-8) Out of this World (Grades 1-8) Sensory Serenity Explorers (Grades 1-3)	Board and Card Games Galore (Grades 5-8) Camp With Me! (Grades K-2) Emotion Detective: SPOT Those Feelings (Grades K-2) Fun in the Sun (Grades K-2) Legos and Robotics (Grades 3-6) Let's Get Crafty (K-3) Level Up Literacy (Grades 3-4) Listen, Think, and Create (Grades 3-5) Literacy & Legos (Grades K-2) Mrs. Al the Science Gal (Grades K-2) Nature Art (Grades K-2) All-Star Sports (Grades K-3) Out of this World (Grades 1-8) Sensory Serenity Explorers (Grades 4-6)
Both Periods (8:00 - 11:05) Outdoor Fun & Adventure (Grades 1-6)	

SESSION 2 ENRICHMENT COURSES	
PERIOD 1	PERIOD 2
<u><i>Lit Camp: Gear Up for the Next Grade Offerings</i></u> 1st Grade Lit Camp 2nd Grade Lit Camp 3rd Grade Lit Camp 4th Grade Lit Camp 5th Grade Lit Camp <u><i>Additional Offerings</i></u> Let's Take a Hike (Grades 5-8) Sensory Serenity Explorers (Grades 1-3) The Magical World of Harry Potter (Grades 4-8) Under the Sea (Grades K-2) Youth Baseball/Softball Camp (Grades 5-8)	<u><i>STEM: Gear Up for the Next Grade Offerings</i></u> Digging Into 1st Grade (STEM) ZOO-ming into 2nd Grade (STEM) Ready to Rock 3rd Grade (STEM) Globe Trottin' To 4th Grade (STEM) Adventuring Our Way Into Grade 5 (STEM) <u><i>Additional Offerings</i></u> Sensory Serenity Explorers (Grades 4-6) The Adventures of Pete, the Pigeon, and Pop! (Grades K-2) The Magical World of Harry Potter (Grades 4-8) Youth Baseball/Softball Camp (Grades 1-4) Outdoor Fun and Games (Grades 5-8)
BOTH PERIODS (WITH SCHEDULED RECESS TIMES) Getting Ready for 4K ** <i>Registration is Not Online. Contact Samantha Rorabeck at sarorabeck@clintonwis.com to register.</i> The A-B-C's and 1-2-3's of Kindergarten (Grade 5K)	

ENRICHMENT COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Session 1

All-Star Sports (Grades K-8)

Period 1 Grades 4-8; Period 2 Grades K-3

Get ready to jump into the action and explore a variety of team and lifetime sports! Students will learn and play exciting sports like handball, cricket, baseball, basketball, and soccer, developing their skills while having fun. Each class will introduce a new sport, combining teamwork, competition, and skill-building in an energetic and supportive environment. Whether you're trying a sport for the first time or honing your game, this class is the perfect way to stay active and have a blast! (Enrollment cap of 20)

Board & Card Games Galore (Grades 2-8)

Period 1 Grades 2-4; Period 2 Grades 5-8

Get ready for a summer filled with strategy, fun, and friendly competition! Students will explore a wide variety of board and card games that challenge their minds and encourage teamwork. From classic favorites like Checkers, Chess, Uno, and Monopoly to exciting new games that test logic, creativity, and problem-solving, there's something for everyone! Students will learn game strategies, practice good sportsmanship, and even have the chance to create their own unique games. Whether you love fast-paced card games or strategic board games, this is the class for you to keep your mind sharp over the summer! (Enrollment cap of 16)

Camp with Me! (Grades K-2)

Periods 1 & 2

In this course, students will participate in camping related activities that will make them feel as if they are camping. Students will have the chance to explore nature and participate in STEM activities that challenge them to think critically, problem solve, engineer and construct, read, and use mathematics. Some of these camp related STEM activities include making s'mores and ice cream, playing classic camp games, and so much more! Young campers, get ready to camp with me at Clinton Elementary! (Enrollment cap of 20)

Emotion Detective: SPOT Those Feelings (Grades K-2)

Periods 1 & 2

Calling all feelings detectives! Put on your detective hats and get ready to crack the case of emotions! In this exciting summer class, we'll explore feelings with the *A Little SPOT of Feelings* books as our guide. Each day, we'll uncover a new emotion, solve clues about what it looks like and feels like, and complete fun activities to bring it to life. From happy to worried, silly to sad, we'll become experts at identifying and understanding emotions—all while having a blast! Are you ready to join the Feelings Detective Squad? (Enrollment Cap of 14)

Fun in the Sun (Grades K-2)

Periods 1 & 2

Are you looking for ways to get exercise while having fun outside? This is the perfect class for you! Everyone will participate in warm-ups, games, and fitness activities to keep all students having fun and engaged. These activities will develop and improve your flexibility, cardiovascular endurance, muscular strength and power, and balance. Students will work together, learn about sportsmanship, and become problem solvers as well. If you are ready to have fun in the sun then this is the perfect class for you! (Enrollment cap of 20)

Games Galore (Grades K-1)

Period 1

Do you love playing games? Here is your chance to play a variety of games that would support social skill development, fine motor, and problem-solving. In addition, playing multiple kinds of games as a young child will help you learn about sportsmanship, taking turns, and sharing. (Enrollment cap of 16)

LEGOs and Robotics (Grades 3-6)

Periods 1 & 2

Attention all Lego fans, this class is designed for building creativity, improving patience, and exploring knowledge about building and mechanics. There will be Lego building challenges, projects, experiments, and informative books. Students will develop dexterity, problem-solving skills, improve critical thinking, and promote the awareness of teamwork all through using Legos. (Enrollment cap of 16)

Let's Get Crafty (Grades K-3)

Period 2

Do you like to make crafts? Do you want to learn how to make crafts? Well, this is the class for you! In Let's Get Crafty, you will use your imagination and creative skills to make homemade crafts. Some crafts are BIG! Some crafts are small! Some crafts will be painted! Some crafts will be made from recyclables! If you're looking to spend your summer being active and artistic, then Let's Get Crafty is the class for you! (Enrollment cap of 14)

Level Up Literacy (Grades 1-4)

Period 1 Grades 1-2; Period 2 Grades 3-4

Get ready to power up your reading skills this summer! Level Up Literacy is an exciting, interactive program designed to help students maintain and strengthen their reading abilities. Students will build confidence, improve comprehension, and expand their vocabulary. This class will help you level up in your reading skills in a supportive and encouraging environment. This class is specially designed to provide an extra boost in literacy skills. Students that have been recommended by their classroom teacher will have priority in enrollment for this class. (Enrollment cap of 20)

Listen, Think, and Create (Grades 3-5)

Period 1 & 2

Grab your favorite spot in the classroom and listen to a new book every day. Following the reading and small discussions, students will use a variety of art materials such as air-dry clay, yarn, pencils, tempera paint, and watercolors to make a piece of art that shows their favorite part of the story. I can't wait to see what our young artists create! (Enrollment cap of 16)

Literacy & LEGOs (Grades K-2)

Periods 1 & 2

There is something magical about LEGOS and Literacy! Looking for an engaging way to build the love of literacy while engaging the love of critical thinking? If you are, this is the perfect class! All participants will listen to stories and explore story elements, and comprehension and foster creative storytelling. The integration of LEGOS into literacy will foster learning through play and enhance narrative exploration by building scenes and characters. Students will construct stories with a beginning, middle, and end, develop characters, and practice their reading skills by retelling the events in a story. Our goal is to boost imagination and capabilities along with developing an understanding of story structure all while having fun. (Enrollment cap of 15)

Mrs. Al, the Science Gal (Grades K-2)

Periods 1 & 2

Enjoy the world of science with your favorite local scientist, Mrs. Ryan! Fun, hands-on experiments will be conducted by our young scientists in the classroom lab. This course is filled with a variety of experiments, crafts, and exciting activities all based on science concepts. (Enrollment cap of 16)

Nature Art (Grades K-2)

Periods 1 & 2

Nature inspires our creativity! This course will involve using materials found in nature in order to make art. We will study patterns and colors found in nature and learn about the properties of different natural materials. We will do collaborative and independent projects, including painting, clay work, drawing, and stamping. We will spend time outside, gathering materials and getting inspiration from nature. Some of the course activities include: making nature suncatchers, leaf rubbings/prints, making natural paint brushes, clay nature stones, watercolor painting, painting rocks, leaf print wallhangings, and so much more! (Enrollment cap of 20)

Out of This World (Grades 1-8)

Periods 1 & 2

Countdown to an unforgettable summer in 3...2...1...Liftoff! Get ready to explore the wonders of rocketry and space travel through hands-on STEM activities. As young aerospace engineers, you'll design, build, and test different types of rockets and spacecraft. Then, for the grand finale, you'll create and launch your very own model rocket! If you're ready for an out-of-this-world adventure, buckle up—we'd love to have you aboard! (Enrollment cap of 20)

Outdoor Fun & Adventure (Grades 1-6)

Both Periods - Class runs from 8:00 a.m. - 11:05 a.m.

Outdoor fun and adventure will be exploring a variety of outdoor activities through theme weeks. First up is "camouflage week," where students learn about different animals and how they survive. During "fishing week," students learn about a variety of fish and go on a fishing field trip to Kwaina's Pond. I wonder who will catch the biggest and most fish this summer? Lastly, "camping week," where students learn how to build shelters and campfires and take a field trip to Carver-Roehl Park to go hiking and hunt for crayfish. We hope to see you this summer! (Enrollment cap of 40)

Sensory Serenity Explorers (Grades 1-6)

Period 1 Grades 1-3; Period 2 Grades 4-6

This is a magical class designed to empower young children with the tools to navigate and calm their emotions through sensory projects. In this enchanting journey, children will embark on a series of hands-on activities, carefully crafted to cultivate their emotional well-being and self-awareness. Children will curate their own personalized Calming Toolkit. This toolkit will be filled with the sensory projects that resonate with them the most, serving as a go-to resource when they need a moment of serenity in the midst of their daily adventures. (Enrollment cap of 14)

Session 2

Gear Up for the Next Grade Offerings:

Getting Ready for 4K

Both Periods - Class runs from 8:00 a.m. - 11:05 a.m.

The 4K summer school session is a 3 week introduction to the modified routines of 4K. During this 3 week time frame the goals include introducing essential 4K readiness skills including but not limited to learning routines, sharing, social skills, listening skills, and most importantly helping the children adjust and be prepared for school when they start 4K in the fall. Activities include calendar time, literacy activities, math activities, singing, dancing, fingerplays, projects, free play, and gross motor outdoor activities. (Enrollment cap of 16)

Gear Up for 5K: The ABC's and 123's of Kindergarten!

Both Periods - Class runs from 8:00 a.m. - 11:05 a.m.

Students will tame any fear of entering 5K through fun interactive readiness activities including math, reading, music, stories, and centers. (Enrollment cap of 25)

Lit Camps: Gear Up for the Next Grade (Grades 1-5)

Period 1

Grades 1-5 will engage in reading and writing activities meant to prepare them for the next grade level through an interactive summer school camp approach called Lit Camp. Campers will enjoy all of the fun camp themed activities through literacy such as opening campfire, around the campfire, bunk time (independent reading), and closing campfire. At the end of Lit Camp, our campers will have strengthened their confidence and curiosity in reading. See you all around the campfire! (No enrollment cap)

STEM: Digging Into First Grade (Grade 1)

Period 2

Get ready for an epic journey back to the past as students prepare for the new school year by exploring the fascinating world of dinosaurs! They'll learn about different dinosaur species, dive into STEM activities, and even turn their classroom into a prehistoric forest! This hands-on, adventure-filled class will help sharpen young minds while learning all about these amazing creatures. Get your brain roaring and ready for the school year ahead! (No enrollment cap)

STEM: ZOO-ming into 2nd Grade (Grade 2)*Period 2*

Students will learn about different groups of animals, their characteristics, and their habitats. They will learn about animals through hands-on activities and projects. Students will have the chance to explore STEM concepts, making mathematical connections and scientific discoveries as they investigate the wonders of the animal world. Get ready for an action-packed learning adventure! (No enrollment cap)

STEM: Ready to Rock 3rd Grade (Grade 3)*Period 2*

Get a head start for 3rd grade by diving into STEM projects that bring science, math, and technology together! Through hands-on activities, students will engage in exciting problem-solving challenges while applying key concepts. This fun and interactive class will help build the skills needed to succeed in 3rd grade and beyond. Join us now and get ready for an adventure in learning! (No enrollment cap)

STEM: Globe Trottin' To 4th Grade (Grade 4)*Period 2*

Students will travel the world and explore different countries and regions! They will learn about different parts of the world through hands-on activities, projects, technology, and other activities. In addition, students will receive a passport to travel and complete STEM challenges from famous landmarks on each continent. No need to pack your bags because students will virtually visit each country! (No enrollment cap)

STEM: Underwater Adventuring Our Way Into Grade 5 (Grade 5)*Period 2*

Incoming fifth graders will dive into the fascinating world of marine mammals through reading, math, and hands-on STEM activities. They'll read exciting books about ocean life, create models, and discover the story of a special whale with unique talents. Our budding marine biologists will have a blast learning about whales, sea otters, orcas, sea lions, dolphins, and manatees while exploring the wonders of the ocean! (No enrollment cap)

Let's Take a Hike (Grades 5-8)*Period 1*

This course offers a great opportunity to visit National Parks in the United States! Students will "road trip" to a different park each day and learn about the park's history, interesting facts, and animals who live there. They will explore through a variety of activities that integrate reading, writing, social studies, technology, science, and math. Also, students will have the opportunity to hike local trails in the area and identify plants and animals along the way. By the end of this course, you will be ready to plan your next adventure! (Enrollment cap of 16)

Sensory Serenity Explorers (Grades 1-6)*Period 1 Grades 1-3; Period 2 Grades 4-6*

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The Adventures of Pete, the Pigeon, and Pop! (Grades K-2)*Period 2*

Every week our little readers will go on an adventure with a famous children's author and character. In the first week, students will read and listen to stories from Eric Litwin about Pete the Cat. Then they will go on adventures with Mo Willems's famous Pigeon. In the last week, our young readers will enjoy stories from Dr. Seuss about Hop on Pop, Cat the Hat, and many more! After each story, students will create a fun craft, play a game, and enjoy all of the activities! (Enrollment cap of 16)

The Magical World of Harry Potter (Grades 4-8)

Periods 1 & 2

“You’re a wizard, Harry!” And now’s your chance to step into the enchanting world of Harry Potter! Join us for a spellbinding summer as we dive into the books, play wizarding games like Quidditch and Wizard’s Chess, and craft magical objects—including wands and delicious butterbeer! Whether you’re a brave Gryffindor, a clever Ravenclaw, a loyal Hufflepuff, or a cunning Slytherin, this class is sure to be a magical experience you’ll never forget! (Enrollment cap of 16)

Outdoor Fun and Games (Grades 5-8)

Period 2

Students will be introduced to a number of team and lifetime sports and games. Students will work on basic skills through a variety of team and individual sports that will keep them active for their entire lives. Have fun, get great exercise, and learn about teamwork while exhibiting good sportsmanship. (Enrollment cap of 16)

Under the Sea (Grades K-2)

Period 1

Get ready to take the plunge into an underwater world full of mystery and wonder! This summer, we’ll become ocean explorers, discovering the incredible creatures that call the deep blue sea home. Through exciting books, fascinating videos, and hands-on experiments, we’ll unlock the secrets of the ocean. Create dazzling ocean animal crafts, play splash-tastic games, and conduct cool experiments that bring the magic of marine life to the surface. Join us for a fin-tastic adventure where fun and learning go hand in hand! (Enrollment cap of 16)

Youth Baseball/Softball Camp (Grades 1-8)

Period 1 Grades 5-8; Period 2 Grades 1-4

Step up to the plate for an action-packed baseball summer school class! Whether you’re a rookie or a seasoned player, this program is designed to help you learn, improve, and love the game. Fundamentals Training – Learn and practice hitting, throwing, catching, and base running. Game Strategies – Understand team positions, rules, and in-game decision-making. Drills & Workouts – Improve speed, coordination, and overall fitness. Fun & Competitive Play – Participate in friendly games, challenges, and teamwork activities. No matter your experience level, this class will help you build confidence, sharpen your skills, and have a blast with teammates. Join us and let’s play ball! (Enrollment cap of 20)

Clinton Public Library is offering a Summer Reading Program after Summer School.

