



# 2024 Clinton Community Schools

## K-12<sup>th</sup> Grade

### ***Summer School - Information Packet***



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- Who:** CCSD students entering grades K - 12
- When:** **Session 1:** Wednesday, June 12th - Friday, June 28th  
**Session 2:** Monday, July 8th - Friday, July 26th
- Times:** **Period 1:** 8:00a.m. - 9:30a.m.  
 Recess: 9:30a.m. - 9:45a.m.  
**Period 2:** 9:45a.m. - 11:15a.m.  
**Lunch:** 11:15a.m. - 11:30a.m  
 Busses leave at 11:35am
- Locations:** 4K-8 sessions at Clinton Elementary School  
 Credit Recovery and Strength and Conditioning at CJSHS

**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 that 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. Bus transportation will be scheduled after enrollment. Parents will be notified of the bus schedule prior to the start of summer school. If using bus transportation please complete your registration on or before the deadline to ensure transportation during the first week of summer school.

**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:** Online registration will begin on **April 8 (noon)** and go through **May 10 (9PM)**.

*For additional information about registration, please contact:*  
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### **Credit Recovery**

This year, credit recovery will be at CJSHS and is meant to help students fully recover their credits as soon as they can complete the program. Students and families will be notified if they are required to take a Credit Recovery course.

### **Grades 7-12 Opportunities**

#### **Musical Production Performance - “Moana Jr.”**

Practice times from 8:00-12:00

June 24 - 28

July 8 - 12

July 15 - 19

**Performances on July 18 and July 19 at 6:00pm**

#### **Strength & Conditioning (6 Weeks)**

June 12 - 28 and July 8 - 26

##### **Mondays - Fridays**

7:00-8:00 (grades 10-12)

8:15-9:15 (all grades 7-12)

9:30-10:30 (all grades 7-12)

10:45-11:45 (all grades 7-12)

**All sessions run Monday through Friday  
Enrollment Cap of 24 students per class period**

## COURSE OFFERINGS

\*\*Students will enroll into the grade level they are entering in the fall (2024-2025)

### Session 1: Wednesday, June 12 - 28

<b><u>Outdoor Fun &amp; Adventure</u></b>	
Grades 1-6 All Periods (8:00 - 11:15)	
<b><u>Period 1 (8:00 – 9:30)</u></b>	<b><u>Period 2 (9:45-11:15)</u></b>
Camp with Me!: Grades K-2 Fun in the Sun: Grades K-2 Games Galore: K-1 Mrs. Al, the Science Gal: Grades K-2 Nature Art: Grades K-2 Board & Card Games Galore: Grades 2-4 Sensory Serenity Explorers: Grades 1-3 Out of this World: Grades 1-8 Gym Games and Activities: Grades 2-4 Legos/Robotics: Grades 3-6 Let's Make Some Noise: Grades 3-5 Colors of the World: Grades 4-8 Youth Basketball Camp: Grades 5-8 Board & Card Games Galore: Grades 5-8	Camp with Me!: Grades K-2 Fun in the Sun: Grades K-2 Let's Make Some Noise: Grades K-2 Mrs. Al, the Science Gal: Grades K-2 Nature Art: Grades K-2 Pete the Cat: Grades K-2 Let's Get Crafty: Grades K-2 Youth Basketball Camp: Grades 1-4 Legos/Robotics: Grades 3-6 Listen, Think, and Create: Grades 3-5 Sensory Serenity Explorers: Grades 4-6 Gym Games and Activities: Grades 5-8 Out of this World: Grades 1-8 Board & Card Games Galore: Grades 5-8

### Session 2: July 8 - 26

<b><u>Getting Ready for 4K</u></b>	
All Periods (8:00 - 11:15) with scheduled recess times	
Registration will <b>not</b> be online. Registration can be done at the 4k Open House on 4/24 or call Char Schoonover at CES.	
<b><u>The A-B-C's and 1-2-3's of Kindergarten: 5K</u></b>	
All Periods (8:00 - 11:15)	
<b><u>Period 1 (8:00 – 9:30)</u></b>	<b><u>Period 2 (9:45 – 11:15)</u></b>
Under the Sea: Grades K-2 Sensory Serenity Explorers: Grades 1-3 The Magical World of Harry Potter: Grades 4-8 Let's Take a Hike: Grades 5-8 Youth Baseball/Softball Camp: Grades 5-8 Let's Dance: Grades 6-8  <u>Getting Ready for Grade Level Offerings</u> 1st Grade Lit Camp 2nd Grade Lit Camp 3rd Grade Lit Camp 4th Grade Lit Camp 5th Grade Lit Camp	The Adventures of Pete, the Pigeon, and Pop!: Grades K-2 Sensory Serenity Explorers: Grades 4-6 Youth Baseball/Softball Camp: Grades 1-4 The Magical World of Harry Potter: Grades 4-8 Outdoor Fun and Games: Grades 5-8 Let's Dance: Grades 6-8  <u>Getting Ready for Grade Level Offerings</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)

## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

### 7-12 Grade Opportunities

#### **Strength & Conditioning**

#### **Grades 7-12**

This class is designed for students that 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)

#### **Summer School Musical**

#### **Grades 7-12**

The musical is for students entering grades 7 through 12 who are interested in performing on stage or helping backstage. The students will be involved in all aspects of the production; from acting, singing, dancing to painting, building, sound, costuming, publicity as well as concepts and principles of theater that are not currently instructed during the school year. The end product will be a production performance of *Disney's Moana Jr.* made available to the public. **This year's performance will be on Thursday, July 18 and Friday, July 19th at 6:00pm on the CES Stage!**

The musical will have OPTIONAL practices on July 1-3. Onsite breakfast and lunch will be provided, but **no** transportation provided for the musical students the week of July 1-3. (No enrollment cap)

## **Session 1: Wednesday, June 12 - 28**

#### **Outdoor Fun & Adventure (8:00-11:15)**

#### **Grades 1-6**

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 Cavers Roehl Park to go hiking and hunt for crayfish. We hope to see you this summer! (Enrollment cap of 40)

#### **Camp with Me!**

#### **Grades K-2**

In this course, students will participate in camping related activities that will make them feel as if they are actually 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 came 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)

#### **Fun in the Sun**

#### **Grades K-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)

#### **Let's Make Some Noise**

#### **Grades K-2**

Let's explore handmade instruments, made by you! This course will allow students to explore the sounds that are made through different musical instruments. We will create and play all kinds of instruments made from recycled materials and built by the students. (Enrollment cap of 20)

#### **Games Galore**

#### **Grades K-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)

#### **Mrs. Al, the Science Gal**

#### **Grades K-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)

#### **Let's Get Crafty**

#### **Grades K-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)

#### **Nature Art**

#### **Grades K-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)

#### **Pete the Cat**

#### **Grades K-2**

Come along and share all of Pete's adventures. In this class, we will be reading, singing, and participating in a variety of learning activities, all revolving around Pete the Cat. Who doesn't love a cat that wears sneakers? (Enrollment cap of 20)

**Board & Card Games Galore****Grades 2-4**

Do you love playing games? Here is your chance to play, learn, and even make your own board and card games! Playing multiple kinds of games will keep your mind sharp over the summer. Some games include: Checkers, Connect 4, UNO, Skip Bo, Monopoly Jr., and many more games! (Enrollment cap of 16)

**Sensory Serenity Explorers****Grades 1-3**

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)

**Youth Basketball Camp****Grades 1-4**

Go Cougars! The Clinton High School coaches and players will be conducting a summer school basketball camp. For three weeks our young basketball stars will enjoy learning new drills and skills through a variety of games and activities. The camp will focus on instruction of ball handling, passing, shooting, defensive and offensive concepts, sportsmanship, and of course having fun! (Enrollment cap of 20)

**Out of This World****Grades 1-8**

Get excited for summer school in 3, 2, 1! Explore rocketry and space exploration through a variety of STEM activities. Our young aerospace engineers will design, create, and test various types of rockets and spacecraft. Towards the end of this course, students will get to design, create, and launch their own model rocket. If you are up for the challenge, we would love to have you aboard! (Enrollment cap of 20)

**Gym Games and Activities****Grades 2-4**

Spend a part of your summer playing your favorite games from physical education class during the school year. Have fun, get great exercise, and learn about fair play and exhibiting good sportsmanship. (Enrollment cap of 24)

**Let's Make Some Noise****Grades 3-5**

Let's explore handmade instruments, made by you! This course will allow students to explore the sounds that are made through different musical instruments. We will create and play all kinds of instruments made from recycled materials and built by the students. (Enrollment cap of 20)

**Lego/Robotics****Grades 3-6**

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)

**Listen, Think, and Create****Grades 3-5**

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)

**Colors of the World****Grades 4-8**

Nature inspires our creativity! Students travel all around the world to see beautiful places and observe 15 new landscapes. Then our young artists will learn how to create a landscape one step at a time. At the end of this class, our young artists will have created 15 landscape paintings of mountains, waterfalls, deserts, oceans, ice and snow, flowers, and Wisconsin prairies. (Enrollment cap of 16)

**Sensory Serenity Explorers****Grades 4-6**

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**Board & Card Games Galore!****Grades 5-8**

Do you love playing games? Here is your chance to play, learn, and even make your own board and card games! Playing multiple kinds of games will keep your mind sharp over the summer. Some games include: Checkers, UNO, Skip Bo, Monopoly, Scattergories, and many more games! (Enrollment cap of 16)

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**Youth Basketball Camp****Grades 5-8**

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## **Session 2: July 10 - July 28**

### **The Adventures of Pete, the Pigeon, and Pop!**

**Grades K-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)

### **Under the Sea**

**Grades K-2**

Our oceans are full of beauty and wonder, a separate world waiting for us to explore. We will become ocean explorers this summer and learn about the mysteries of the oceans! We will research different ocean animals through books and videos, and create amazing ocean animal crafts. Through fun filled ocean games, experiments, and arts and crafts we will become experts on our oceans! (Enrollment cap of 16)

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### **Youth Baseball/Softball Camp**

**Grades 1-4**

Batter Up! The Clinton Cougars high school coaches and athletes will be conducting a summer school baseball/softball camp. This camp is designed to introduce the fundamentals and skills involved in baseball and softball. We will focus on throwing, fielding, hitting, and base running. Our young ball players are asked to bring a baseball or softball glove and water bottle. Let's have some fun on the ball field! (Enrollment cap of 16)

### **Sensory Serenity Explorers**

**Grades 4-6**

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### **The Magical World of Harry Potter**

**Grades 4-8**

"You're a wizard Harry!" And you can be a wizard too! Come experience the magical world of Harry Potter as we read sections from the books, learn to play quidditch and wizard's chess, and create other magical objects like wands and butterbeer. (Enrollment cap of 16)

### **Let's Take a Hike**

**Grades 5-8**

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. Moreso, 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)

### **Outdoor Fun and Games**

**Grades 5-8**

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)

### **Youth Baseball/Softball Camp**

**Grades 5-8**

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### **Let's Dance!**

**Grades 6-8**

In this summer school dance course we will immerse ourselves in the foundations of diverse dance styles, from ballet to pop. Through physical fitness and training sessions, we will enhance our strength, flexibility, and stamina, essential for mastering the art of dance. We will include components of character development, resilience, and teamwork, so we can help our students become well-rounded performers both on and off the stage. Join the dance revolution, you'll love it! (Enrollment cap of 20)

## **Getting Ready For Grade Level Classes**

Grades 1-5 will engage in reading and writing activities 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!

## **Getting Ready for 4K**

All Periods: 8:00 - 11:15

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.

## **Grade 5K: The ABC and 123 of Kindergarten!**

All Periods: 8:00 - 11:15

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

### **Digging Into First Grade**

Students will prepare for the new school year learning all about dinosaurs! They will read about different species of dinosaurs, participate in a variety of STEM activities, and turn their classroom into a prehistoric forest! Help get your brain back on track and do it all while learning about these amazing creatures! (No enrollment cap)

### **Grade 1**

### **ZOO-ming Into 2nd Grade**

Students will learn about different groups of animals, their characteristics, and habitats. They will learn about animals through hands-on activities, projects, technology, readers theater plays, and reading and writing activities. During the second period, students will have opportunities to explore, examine and make mathematical connections and scientific discoveries as they investigate STEM concepts. (No enrollment cap)

### **Grade 2**

### **Ready to Rock 3rd Grade**

Students will prepare for 3rd grade by reading several genres of fiction and nonfiction texts and play several different comprehension games to strengthen their literacy skills. Science, math, and technology unite in STEM projects and activities. Hands-on-activities will give students a chance to engage in problem solving through the application of concepts. Join this class now and get ready to become a third grader! (No enrollment cap)

### **Grade 3**

### **Globe Trottin' To 4th Grade**

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 reading and writing 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)

### **Grade 4**


### **Underwater Adventuring Our Way Into Grade 5**

Incoming fifth graders will explore marine mammals through reading, math, and STEM activities. They will read books about ocean life, construct models, and learn about a very special whale who has special talents. Our young marine biologists will have fun learning about whales, sea otters, orcas, sea lions, dolphins, and manatees. (No enrollment cap)

### **Grade 5**

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



**You're invited to our Summer Library Program!**

No Library card needed! Sign up to win awesome prizes!

**Live Performances**

- GEE Funny Farm**  
Saturday, May 18, 1:00 pm
- Snake Discovery**  
Monday, June 10, 2:00 pm
- Mad Science**  
Monday, June 17, 2:00 pm
- Fox and Branch**  
Monday, June 24, 2:00 pm
- TNZ-Magic**  
Monday, July 15, 12:30 pm

**Kids & Teens Summer Program**  
Thursdays,  
11:45 am–1:30 pm  
June 13–July 25, 2024  
No program July 4.

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