St. Mel School

Summer Adventure!

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Dear Parents:

St. Mel School is once again very excited to offer a top-quality summer program for students who will be entering grades TK-6 in August 2019. St. Mel Summer Adventure will run for seven consecutive weeks beginning on Wednesday, June 5th and ending on Friday, July 19th.

It is our goal to provide an exciting, stimulating, and enriching environment for students. The morning Reading and Math Enrichment Classes will be Common Core based, and the afternoon camp will include creative, fun activities and field trips! It will be a chance to learn new things and make new friends in a comfortable and relaxed setting.

Please read and review the attached packet. If you are interested in enrolling your child, please return the completed registration form with the appropriate registration fees to the school office by Friday, April 5th. If for some reason we do not have enough students to fill our program, you will be notified by May 1, 2019, and all registration fees will be refunded promptly.

The St. Mel Summer Adventure 2019 teachers include Mary White and Molly Nichols from St. Mel School. Nicole Bannister, currently an employee for St. Mel as both an aide in the classroom and Extension Program, will work as an instructional aide and in Before and After Camp Care. Sarah Updyke, who currently works in our Extension program, will also serve as an instructional aide.
The St. Mel Summer Adventure 2019 is a self-supporting program and fees are its only source of revenue. If you have any questions regarding the St. Mel Summer Adventure 2019, please feel free to contact mwhite@stmelschool.org.

Sincerely,

Ms. Mary White
St. Mel Summer Adventure! 2019

Registration Information

✓ St. Mel Summer Adventure 2019 is open to students entering grades TK-6. Students should enroll in camps that are indicated for their grade level in the fall. Please use the registration form at the end of this packet.

✓ The afternoon Excellent Adventure Camp fees include weekly swimming at the Orangevale Community Pool. Snacks and drinks are provided.

✓ You will need one registration form for each child you are enrolling. You may find additional registration forms in the office, on-line, or you may copy the one in your packet.

✓ You will receive a packet prior to summer school with your registration confirmation and other important information. An invoice will also be sent home with payment fees & due dates.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

✓ Registration will not take place without payment of registration fees. It is important that students register by April 5, 2019 to ensure their enrollment space in the requested sessions.

✓ Turn in one Emergency Information Request form per family at the time of registration. If you are currently enrolled in St. Mel School, you do not need to fill out an Emergency Information form.

✓ All fees must be paid prior to the beginning of St. Mel Summer Adventure. There are no exceptions as fees are the sole support of the St. Mel 2019 Summer Adventure. Students will not be admitted to class/camp without payment of fees.

✓ Drop in fees are due the day services are rendered.
For your convenience, we offer a weekly registration option. We also have an option for students who wish to register on a daily basis. Before and After Camp Care is available from 7:30 – 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 – 5:30 P.M. Prices are listed on the invoice sheet.
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2019 Daily Schedule

7:30 – 8:00 A.M.  **Before Camp Care**
Activities include board games, coloring, free choice, etc.

8:00 – 10:00  **Learning Enrichment Adventure Reading**
*Two Classes – incoming TK-2 / incoming 3-6*

10:00 – 10:30  **Recess/Snack**  *Campers need to bring a snack & water bottle~

10:30- 12:00  **Learning Enrichment Adventure Math**
*Two Classes – incoming TK-2 / incoming 3-6*

Noon – 12:30  **Lunch & Check in for Excellent Adventure Camp**

12:30 – 1:00  **Lunch Recess**  *Campers need to bring a bag lunch & water bottle~

1:00 – 2:00  **K.B.A.R. Time**
*Books are provided, or campers can bring their favorite book to read!

2:00 – 4:00  **Excellent Adventure Camp**  - One daily snack will be provided~
**Weekly Themes**
1. Blast Off into Summer!!To Infinity & Beyond!
2. Land of Fairy Tales
3. Shark Week
4. It’s a Bug’s Life
5. Stars & Stripes
6. Wild About Weather
7. Penguins & Polar Bears
~Water Day Wednesday & Pool Day Friday! ~

4:00 – 5:30 P.M.  **After Camp Care**  - Activities will include: organized sports and activities, movies, computer, coloring, & games.
Learning Enrichment Adventure Reading & Math

Class Description

Learning Enrichment Adventure Reading addresses the literacy needs of children at all levels of reading and writing ability. The program is Common Core based. Writing instruction will focus on the mechanics of writing and daily word work to build skills in phonemic awareness, spelling, and handwriting. Campers will expand their writing skills through expository narratives, descriptive writing, comparison/contrast, poetry, and for the older camper, five-paragraph essays. The classroom Apple TVs and the computer lab will be utilized to enhance the writing experience.

Learning Enrichment Adventure Math is Common Core based and designed to inspire a love of math and numbers in every camper! Campers will design projects, play games, and practice every-day practical skills to make math meaningful. Campers will have fun with math and see its relativity in their lives. They will participate in small group and individual centers, create artwork using math, practice fractions through cooking, and sewing, find patterns in music, and spend time using money skills and “shopping.” The classroom Apple TVs and computer lab will provide additional experiences for campers to enjoy the magic of math.

K.B.A.R. – Kick Back and Read offers students the opportunity to listen to exciting stories read aloud, to read quietly by themselves, or to read aloud to a teacher. Students may bring their own books or share books from our summer school library.

Join the Adventure!
Excellent Adventures Camp
Noon-4PM
Activities & Field Trips

Week of June 5 – June 7
~Wednesday, Thursday, Friday only~
Blast OFF into Summer!!
To Infinity & Beyond!

- Planets and stars and red dwarves, oh my! What child isn't intrigued by the wonders of the universe? Three days of science-based activities that will teach your campers about the solar system.
- “Earth Day” art projects~ Make a rocket and watercolor planet!
- Galaxy Play Doh making!! Create a Solar System necklace! Construct a Space themed wreath~
- Blast off into Summer Adventure! Enjoy a special picnic hotdog and chips lunch catered by us w/Juice boxes & Rocket pops!! (Thursday)
- Fun water-play at St. Mel~ (Friday)

Week of June 10 – June 14
Land of Fairy Tales
- Explore Fairy Tales and your child’s imagination through princesses & princes, knights, dragons, evil sorcerers and more!
- Make sparkle wands & emerald crowns
- Create a paper plate dragon, beautiful unicorn, and clothespin fairy!
- *A Tale of Two Tacos* - Taco Tuesday – Yummy!! Provided by us!!
- Fun water-play at St. Mel~ (Wednesday)
- Field Trip to Orangevale Community Pool- snack and drink provided! (Friday)**We will need enough drivers who have all of their paperwork in to make this possible! If not, we will just have a water day at school. Please let me know if you are able to drive. For all pool days, we leave school at about 1 P.M. and arrive back by 4 P.M.
  Orangevale Community Center Pool 6826 Hazel Ave, Orangevale 95662

**Week of June 17 – June 21**

**Shark Week**

- What child wouldn’t be fascinated by a week of fun Shark Facts & Creative Projects!
- Shark Slime in a bag!!
- Make a Shark tooth necklace~
- “Baby Shark” song and games!!
- Shark Week Waffle Treats provided by us!
- Fun water-play at St. Mel~ (Wednesday)
- Field Trip to Orangevale Community Pool – snack and drink provided! (Friday)* For all pool days, we leave school at about 1 P.M. and arrive back by 4 P.M. ~Orangevale Community Center Pool 6826 Hazel Ave, Orangevale 95662~

**Week of June 24 – June 28**
It’s a Bug’s Life

- What’s Buggin?? Students will spend the week learning about and exploring all sorts of bugs! Sensory activities and more!
- Pipe cleaner Dragonfly
- Build-a-Bug & paper plate bugs!
- Swirling Twirling Ladybugs!
- *The Very Hungry* Caterpillar story & crafts
- Fun water-play at St. Mel~ (Wednesday)
- Field Trip to Orangevale Community Pool- snack and drink provided! (Friday)* For all pool days, we leave school at about 12:40 and arrive back by 4 P.M. ~Orangevale Community Center Pool 6826 Hazel Ave, Orangevale 95662~

Week of July 1 - July 3
~Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday only~

Stars & Stripes

- Students will spend the week celebrating the 4th of July with fun crafts and learning about why we celebrate this holiday and what makes our country so special!
- 4th of July Paper Lanterns
- Sing patriotic songs & construct USA bead necklaces & bracelets
- Red, White, and Blue Fireworks Painting!
- Make a Patriotic Ribbon Wand & Fireworks Ring
- Ice cream sandwiches with red and blue sprinkles
Week of July 8 – July 12
Wild About Weather

- Students will spend the week learning all about the coolest, craziest different types of weather! We will explore weather through song, art, and movement.
- Make rain in a jar, Tornado in a bottle,
- Weather Yoga
- Cloud & rain windsock
- Cloud writing w/shaving cream
- Fun water-play at St. Mel ~ (Wednesday)
- Field Trip to Orangevale Community Pool- snack and drink provided (Thursday or Friday this week) For all pool days, we leave school at about 1 P.M. and arrive back by 4 P.M. ~Orangevale Community Center Pool 6826 Hazel Ave, Orangevale 95662~

Week of July 15 – July 19
Penguins & Polar Bears

- Students will spend the week learning about and developing an appreciation of the majestic polar bear and intriguing penguin species through various art projects and activities!!
- Build a den for a polar bear out of marshmallows~
- Games including the Penguin Waddle!
- Fun water-play at St. Mel~ (Wednesday)
- Enjoy a special PIZZA lunch catered by us! (Thursday)
• Field Trip to Orangevale Community Pool- snack and drink provided! (Friday) For all pool days, we leave school at about 1 P.M. and arrive back by 4 P.M. ~Orangevale Community Center Pool 6826 Hazel Ave, Orangevale 95662~

**Additional Information**

- Field trips to the Orangevale Community pool are usually on Friday, however the day is subject to change depending on the availability of parent drivers. Field trip pool entrance fee (for both campers and drivers/chaperones) and snacks/drinks are included in camp payment.
➢ PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU FILL OUT THE DRIVER INFORMATION BEFORE CAMP BEGINS IF YOU CAN DRIVE ON FIELD TRIP. YOU WILL NEED:

- FINGERPRINTS FILED WITH THE DIOCESE
- SHIELD THE VULNERABLE CERTIFICATE
- CURRENT DRIVER LICENSE
- CURRENT AND ADEQUATE CAR INSURANCE

For more information contact: mwhite@stmelschool.org or mnichols@stmelschool.org
ST. MEL SUMMER 2019 ADVENTURE
Registration Form & Invoice

CAMPER’S Name: _______________________

Grade in August 2019: ____

Mailing Address: ____________________________________________________

Email address/s: _____________________________________________________

Phone Number: ___________________

Registration Fee:  $50 per student, $75 per family

Due by Monday, April 9th

FOR THE WEEKS LISTED – please indicate whether your child will attend the entire week, or if not list days they will attend and the total cost for the week.

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**After Camp Care**  4:00 – 5:30 PM

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*Please note that camp will run for three days only on the weeks of 6/5 and 7/1. Fees are adjusted per the three-day week.*

**Daily Rates**
Before Camp Care 7:30-8 AM- $6
Learning Enrichment Adventure Camp 8-Noon – $28
Excellent Adventure Camp Noon-4PM – $23
After Camp Care 4-5:30 PM- $15

**Daily rates are due at the time of services rendered.**

SESSION 1: June 5th – June 28th  All fees for SESSION 1 are DUE by Friday, June 5th.

Total Amount Due: __________
SESSION 2: July 1st – July 19th → All fees for SESSION 2 are DUE by Friday, June 28th.

Total Amount Due: ______________

✓ All fees must be paid on the above dates. **There are no exceptions as fees are the sole support of the St. Mel 2019 Summer Adventure.** Students will not be admitted to class/camp without payment of fees. By filling out this form & initialing below you agreeing to these payment terms.

✓ Drop in fees are due the day services are rendered.

________________________  __________________________
Initials                  Date