River Forest District 90
Summer School -
Middle School Offerings (5-8)

ALL middle school classes are classes held at Roosevelt Middle School

Summer School Dates:
Thursday, June 13-
Friday, July 12th
(No Classes June 19th, observance of Juneteenth & July 4th, observance of Independence Day)

All classes last 55 minutes.

Resident Registration:
Opens March 5 (at 9am)- Ends April 1 (at 8pm)

Nonresident Registration:
Please contact the D90 registrar at registrar@district90.org or helpdesk@district90.org

Cost:
$208 per class (residents); $260 (nonresidents). $25 Roosevelt Readiness $80 per class 
administrative late fee applies after April 1st.
Payment Invoices will be sent AFTER registration ends
Refund Deadline: June 14

Lab Classes: $125 (by invitation only)

Questions? Email: summerschool@district90.org

Book Club 5th/6th Grade
This book club and reading class will engage students in a whole-class summer read, encourage students to participate in small group discussions, as well as write and share reviews of the books they read with the entire class in fun and unique ways. The class will also study how authors craft their stories by studying mentor texts as we engage in read-alouds.
Instructor: Melissa Graves
Times Offered: 9:45

Math Club 5th/6th Grade
Students will engage in a range of math games, number talks, and real-world problem-solving. Focusing on reinforcing and extending core concepts for the grade level, this class is designed to be engaging, challenging, and fun!
Instructor: Kelly Bower
Times Offered: 10:45

Book Club 7th/8th Grade
This book club and reading class will engage students in a whole-class summer read, encourage students to participate in small group discussions, as well as write and share reviews of the books they read with the entire class in fun and unique ways. The class will also study how authors craft their stories by studying mentor texts as we engage in read-alouds.
Instructor: Melissa Graves
Times Offered: 10:45

Math Club 7th/8th Grade
Students will engage in a range of math games, number talks, and real-world problem-solving. Focusing on reinforcing and extending core concepts for the grade level, this class is designed to be engaging, challenging, and fun!
Instructor: Cory Kadlec
Times Offered: 8:45, 10:45

Roosevelt Readiness
Are you ready for Roosevelt? This is a class specifically designed to bridge the transition between elementary school and middle school! This class will focus on team-building skills, executive functioning to help students prepare for middle school, and some logistical practice (tours, locker locks, etc).
Instructor: Amanda Vanderhill
Classes will meet for 1 week (5 days) only -
Week 1 - No Classes
Week 2 - June 24th - June 28th
Week 3 - No Classes
Week 4 - July 8th - July 12th

Cost:
$25 Roosevelt Readiness $80 per class 
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Refund Deadline: June 14

Lab Classes: $125 (by invitation only)
5th-8th Grade Math Lab
Enrollment by invitation only-password required*
Children needing extra support in mathematics will participate in hands-on, concrete experiences that give them the opportunity to practice math skills, utilize manipulatives, participate in hands-on interactive games, experiment with old and new concepts, and improve critical thinking skills. Join us to expand, explore, and enjoy Math.
Instructors: Lisa Simone and Wendy Kennedy
Times Offered: 10:45

5th-8th Grade Reading Lab
Enrollment by invitation only-password required*
Review and reinforce literacy skills in a fun and supportive environment! This reading lab will be filled with activities for our curious minds who have been receiving extra reading support throughout the school year. Each day, students will be actively engaged while working at literacy centers and participating in small group activities.
Instructors: Gail Barrett & Dana Gunderson
Enrollment by invitation only-password required*
5th-8th Grade Reading Lab
Times Offered: 8:45

5th-8th Grade Writing Lab
Enrollment by invitation only-password required*
Get ready to roll with your pencil and paper. Students who needed support throughout the school year will review and reinforce their writing skills in an engaging and supportive environment. This writing lab will be filled with fun activities focusing on improving writing skills and production. Students will work independently, in partnerships and in small groups, to complete a variety of tasks to deepen their understanding of the writing process.
Instructor: Gail Barrett & Dana Gunderson
5th-8th Grade Writing Lab
Times Offered: 9:45

Basketball Skills (Girls 5-6)
Enjoy this basketball experience to improve your skills and raise your game! Players will develop their fundamentals and have fun scrimmaging.
Instructor: Jonathan Augustine
Basketball Skills (Girls 5-6)
Times Offered: 8:45

Basketball Skills (Boys 5-6)
Enjoy this basketball experience to improve your skills and raise your game! Players will develop their fundamentals and have fun scrimmaging.
Instructor: Jonathan Augustine
Basketball Skills (Boys 5-6)
Times Offered: 9:45

Basketball Skills (Girls 7-8)
Enjoy this basketball experience to improve your skills and raise your game! Players will develop their fundamentals and have fun scrimmaging.
Instructor: Coach Geweke
Basketball Skills (Girls 7-8)
Times Offered: 8:45

Basketball Skills (Boys 7-8)
Enjoy this basketball experience to improve your skills and raise your game! Players will develop their fundamentals and have fun scrimmaging.
Instructor: Coach Geweke
Basketball Skills (Boys 7-8)
Times Offered: 9:45

Board Games (5-8)
Set down your electronic devices to explore a selection of board games this summer! From classic favorites to modern gems, hone your strategic planning skills while forging new friendships through collaborative gameplay. Unleash your imagination as you create your own unique board game to share with others.
Instructor: Gail Barrett
Board Games (5-8)
Times Offered: 10:45
Collage Creators (5-8)
This class is open to students who have an interest in collage making. We will use magazines and recycled materials to create a series of collages. We will create self portraits, color-themed collages, nature themed collages and more. Students who love art and being creative are welcome to join!
Instructor: Tiffany Daniels-Hudson

Digital Photography (5-8)
Digital Photography is open to students who love to take photos and have an interest in learning photography. We will learn the basics of black and white photography, food photography, lighting, angles and more!
Instructor: Wendy Kennedy

Keyboarding Skills (5-8)
Have you ever dreamed of typing with your eyes closed? Efficient keyboarding has never been so important. This course will teach proper techniques, keystroking and fingerling. Get ready to type like a pro!
Instructor: Kelly Bower

Origami (5-8)
Fold your way through colorful geometrical models of the Platonic solids and learn some geometry, too. You will learn the basics of origami as well as what makes a Platonic solid. Open to beginners as well as those with experience in origami. You will take home many beautiful modular creations as well as some more traditional origami projects.
Instructor: Sandra Painter

Ping Pong (5-8)
Take a break from summer learning and move around! In the spirit of the ping pong club offered at Roosevelt during the school year, no experience necessary, singles and doubles tournaments are optional. We are here to have fun!
Instructor: Annmarie Clasky

River Forest Hiking (5-8)
This class would walk most days of the week, weather permitting to interesting local attractions. Due to time constraints, the walking would be 45 minutes at most.
Instructor: Cory Kadlec

Reading Adventures (5-8)
Reading Adventures combines literacy with art, singing, and drama. Each week we will celebrate a different theme like the Great Outdoors, Summer, and Traveling the World.
Instructor: Wendy Kennedy

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**Songwriting 101 (5-8)**
This class is open to students who have an interest in writing lyrics & melodies to songs!! We will explore various genres of music and learn how to write songs in those genres. Genres include: (Pop, R&B, Rock, Hip-Hop, Musical Theater etc..) (Students do not need to know an instrument or how to read sheet music to participate.)

Instructor: Tiffany Daniels-Hudson

**Stop Motion Movie Making (5-8)**
If you enjoy telling stories and bringing inanimate objects to life, join this hands-on class to create stop motion movies! Students will be introduced to stop motion animation concepts; storyboarding and script writing will occasionally be a part of this process. We will film using a variety of materials, and students should bring their iPad.

Instructor: Annmarie Clasky