

Bergman Academy Summer Camp Program

Summer 2018



Bergman Academy is pleased to announce its 2018 summer camp program. Camps include a wide variety of topics, such as the magical world of Harry Potter, writer's workshop, art camp, interactive math projects, and so much more!

To register for summer camps, please follow the link: <https://tinyurl.com/BASummer2018>.

You will need to fill out a form for each student's registration. If you have any questions, please email the Director of Enrichment, Becca Miller at enrichment@bergmanacademy.org.

Dates

Summer Camp Registration Open to Bergman Academy Families | **February 1st**
Summer Camp Registration Open to Public | **February 21st**
Summer Camp Registration Deadline | March 30th
Summer Camp Registration Confirmation Sent | **April 1st**
Payment Due | **April 27th**

Cost

Enrichment classes cost \$260 for a full-day, week-long camp session or \$125 for a half-day, week-long camp session. This can be billed to your monthly invoice or paid directly to Bergman Academy. Checks should be made out to *Bergman Academy*.

Snacks and Lunch

- For those students attending full-day camps – you are responsible for one snack and lunch. Times to eat your snack and lunch will be included in the session. Your other snack will be provided by Bergman Academy.
- For those students attending half-day camps – snack will be provided.
- If you are attending two half-day camps (a morning and afternoon session), you may enroll your child in Extended Lunch for \$10 a week, where they will be supervised from 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. You will need to provide a lunch for your child. Eating utensils, refrigerators, and microwaves will NOT be provided.

Enrollment

Minimum and maximum class enrollment numbers may apply to certain enrichments. Bergman Academy reserves the right to cancel any program due to lack of sufficient participation. Due to the registration format, there is a chance you'll be able to register for a camp that has already met its maximum. If this is the case, you will receive an email within 24 hours letting you know that the camp is full. If you don't receive an email, then your registration is complete. If the camp you are trying to register for does not show up on the registration form, it is already full and no longer accepting members. **On April 1st, you will receive an email confirming all registrations.**

Drop-Off and Pick-Up Policies

Please do not drop students off early for camps as there will not be adequate supervision. Please pick up your student at the designated camp location, at the appropriate time. If you are going to be more than 15 minutes late, please notify the instructor. You will be charged an additional \$5 per 15 minutes. Location information will be sent out in the confirmation email on April 1st.

Bergman Academy Summer 2018 Camp Offerings

June 11th-June 15th

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)
Skills Review (incoming PK/K)

Full-Day (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
Writer's Workshop (incoming 2-6)
Magical World of Harry Potter (incoming 4-8)

June 18th-June 22nd

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)
Forest School Mornings (incoming PK-3)
Paper Projects (incoming 2-6)

Full-Day (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
Chess (incoming K-8)

June 25th-June 29th

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)
Skills Review (incoming PK/K)
STEM (incoming 1-5)

Half-Day (12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
Cultural Traditions (incoming 4-8)

July 9th-July 13th

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)
Skills Review (incoming PK/K)
Forest School Mornings (incoming PK-3)

Half-Day (12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)
Forest Fit Camp (incoming 1-6)

July 16th-July 20th

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

Kickstart to Kindergarten (incoming K)
Creative Geniuses (incoming 1-5)

Half-Day (12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Summer Scholars (incoming 1)
Mural Makers (incoming 5-8)

Full-Day (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Hunger Games (incoming 5-8)

July 23rd-July 27th

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

Creative Writing (incoming 6-8)

Full-Day (9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Writer's Workshop (incoming 2-6)

July 30th-August 3rd

Half-Day (9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

Skills Review (incoming PK/K)
Math Project (incoming 3-5)

Half-Day (12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Book Club (incoming 6-8)

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Week of June 11th

(9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

\$125

Skills Review

Grades: Incoming PK and K

Instructors: Amy Simmons and Jeri John

6 minimum/16 maximum

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Week of June 11th

(9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$260

Writer's Workshop

Grades: Incoming 2nd-6th

Instructors: Cassie Ascherman and Jenna Johnson

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Magical World of Harry Potter

Grades: Incoming 4th-8th

Instructors: Laura Finneseth and Becca Miller

12 minimum/25 maximum

Live the magical world of Harry Potter for an ENTIRE WEEK at Camp Bergman! From the moment you arrive, until you check out on Friday, you will cease to be a Muggle, and enter the Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry as a student. Do you have what it takes to learn Potions? Are you ready for daily Quidditch practice? Do you know your spellbook forwards and back? Come join us for a magical adventure where we integrate academics with competition, fun with learning, and friendships with character!

Week of June 18th

(9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

\$125

Forest School Mornings

Grades: Incoming PK-3rd

Instructors: Jen Havemann and Becca Miller

6 minimum/18 maximum

Let's get muddy! Join us this summer for a great camp utilizing our "wild" surroundings. Forest Schools are a cutting-edge program where "littles" explore in the woods through guided lessons proved to provide benefits in all learning areas. In European countries, as well as larger U.S. cities, "Forest School" is common practice among primary education. We will be hiking, building, discovering, foraging and creating nature art, all while instilling environmental stewardship and a love of the outdoors in our littlest scholars. Each session will be different, so join us for all!

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Paper Projects

Grades: Incoming 2nd-6th

Instructors: Cassie Ascheman and Jenna Johnson

6 minimum/25 maximum

With a piece of paper and a little imagination, you can create anything! Our goal is to spark creativity through hands on design. Students will express their own style through projects along with learning the needed skills to be successful. Get ready to design your way through different themes each day. Let your inner designer shine!

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(9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$260

Chess Camp

Grades: Incoming K-8th

Instructors: Jim Freerksen and Katie Freerksen

6 minimum/25 maximum

Participants with no previous chess knowledge are welcome. New players will learn how to play and basic strategy! Players with experience will be taught tournament preparation, etiquette, logical thinking and strategic planning in all phases of the game. Chess is a game where problem solving through creative solutions is at the heart. Groups of all skill level will be taught with an emphasis on how to create a plan and make moves with a purpose. All ages and skill levels are welcome. Players will be divided into groups by skill level.

*With a piece **Featuring Special Guest Instructor 4-time State Champion and National Life Master Tim McEntee: US Chess Rating 2202!**

**A student instructor ratio of 8:1 will be maintained and more instructors will be added if necessary.

Week of June 25th

(9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

\$125

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\$125

STEM

Grades: Incoming 1st-5th

Instructors: Laura Finneseth and Becca Miller

8 minimum/25 maximum

Summer Time Experiment **M**asters (AKA Science, Technology, Engineering, and **M**ath) will focus on simple science activities, projects, and fun! Come for a morning filled with action and reflection where students become leaders in science, math, and technology!

Week of June 25th

(12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$125

Cultural Traditions

Grades: Incoming 4th-8th

Instructors: Laura Finneseth and Becca Miller

10 minimum/25 maximum

Come indulge in a melting pot of world-wide cultures! Students will learn about different cultures and partake in cultural traditions throughout the week. Activities will include research, crafts, games, dances, and food exploration!

Week of July 9th

(9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

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\$125

Forest Fit Camp

Grades: Incoming 1st-6th

Instructors: Jen Havemann and Becca Miller

6 minimum/25 maximum

Join us for a fun, active camp in the forest! We will do fitness activities, explore the forest, and do projects that encompass all the forest has to offer. Activities will include art and games!

Week of July 16th

(9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

\$125

Kickstart to Kindergarten

Grades: Incoming K

Instructors: Angel Kosmicki and Nicholette Schulte

14 minimum/20 maximum

Students will have the opportunity to work on academics including: early reading skills, writing, and math. Students will be exposed to other learning activities such as: team building, STEM, and creative expression, all while having fun!

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\$125

Creative Geniuses Art Camp

Grades: Incoming 1st-5th

Instructors: Creative Genius Instructor

4 minimum/16 maximum

Students will go on a creative journey imagining over the river and through the woods to reach Creative Geniuses ART CAMP. Our bags will be packed with art tools and excitement as we enjoy the wonderful world of art making at camp. A fun, summer inspired, art class for your creative kids!

Week of July 16th

(12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$125

Summer Scholars

Grades: Incoming 1st

Instructors: Angel Kosmicki and Nicholette Schulte

14 minimum/20 maximum

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(12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$125

Mural Makers

Grades: Incoming 5th-8th

Instructors: Creative Genius Instructor

4 minimum/8 maximum

A special art program for middle schoolers. Mural Makers gives a place for the needs of kids this age: individual expression, socializing, and creative growth. We will engage youth in the joy of community service and connect the arts to the community. We will make memories as our group develops and designs art about who they are and what they mean to the community. Each artist uses their own individual strengths and talents to form together a unified collaborative piece. There is a strong emphasis on drawing and painting. All artistic abilities welcomed!

Week of July 16th

(9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$260

Hunger Games

Grades: Incoming 5th-8th

Instructors: Laura Finneseth and Becca Miller

12 minimum/25 maximum

Welcome to Panem. This new country consists of twelve different districts in varying states of poverty. We'll be exploring the twelve districts throughout the week where students will be forming a rebellion to fix the Dystopian empire. We will be doing activities that correlate with the different districts. **We recommend students to have read one or more of *The Hunger Games* books prior to the camp.

Week of July 23rd

(9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)

\$125

Creative Writing

Grades: Incoming 6th-8th

Instructors: Viki Haller and Lindsay Anderson

12 minimum/24 maximum

Put pen to paper (or fingers to keyboard) and express yourself! Join creative writing to strengthen writing skills, enhance voice, and share ideas. Through a myriad of brainstorming, drafting, revising, and editing activities, you will publish a variety of creative writings: poetry and fiction in varying forms.

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Math Project

Grades: Incoming 3rd-5th

Instructors: Viki Haller and Lindsay Anderson

12 minimum/24 maximum

Get back into the mind set of learning with a fun project. Students will utilize and recall several mathematical concepts such as decimals, fractions, area, perimeter, volume, etc. and create a 3-D diagram with graph paper. This camp will give students a chance to get creative artistically, as well as apply key knowledge and solidify their understanding of mathematical concepts they have been practicing through the school year.

Week of July 30th

(12:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

\$125

Book Club

Grades: Incoming 6th-8th

Instructors: Viki Haller and Lindsay Anderson

12 minimum/24 maximum

According to Edmund Wilson, "no two persons ever read the same book." In book club, we'll read a novel cover to cover, actively discussing it along the way. The end goal is to simply enjoy a novel with a group of peers, gleaning new insights and perspectives.