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# Summer Fun 2009

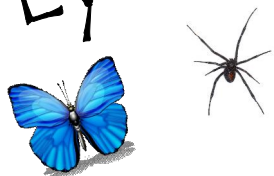
Creatures of the Night



Surf's Up



Bug's Eye View



Make It, Act It, Capture It



**Come join us for a Summer of Fun!**

The students will have a great time over the summer learning about what habitats have nocturnal creatures out there in the night, the wide ocean environments to the small creeks, the world of insects, and how to put art and creativity together to form a production

Join us for a week or the whole summer!

June 22 - August 21

High Street Campus  
Pre-Kindergarten through 5th Grade

Cottage Campus  
Pre-Kindergarten

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## Surf's Up

Pre Kindergarten (ages 2.9 – 4 years)  
at the High Street Campus



Come and join us in our adventure in Oceanography! This summer we will delve into the deep oceans and skim through the shallow creeks. Learn about the many kinds of life in the different bodies of water. We will journey through the oceans using models, activities, art projects, dioramas, videos and songs.

**Oceans and Continents:** We will begin by looking at the oceans and continents of the world with our hands on materials then proceed to the study of the fish.

**Coral Reefs:** We will look at the animals and plants that live in the coral reef. Of course, we will look at snorkeling as a way children can see into the clear warm water of the coral reef habitat.

**Ponds and Creeks:** We will end up our water adventure with learning about ponds and our local water habitats. Pond life is fascinating in a small, accessible way.



## Bug's Eye View

Kindergarten/1st Grade (currently in Kindergarten or 1st Grade)  
at the High Street Campus



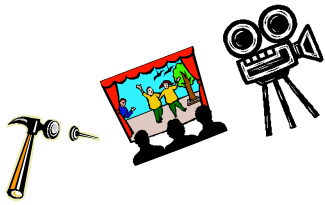
Come and join us in the study of the tiny creatures that live all around us. We will learn about the many kinds of insects and their communities.

**The Environment:** Where do insects dwell? Let's find out where on Earth bugs can be found. Is an ant in your back yard the same type of ant found in Columbia?

**Local Habitats:** What's in your backyard, at the park or even at the beach. Let's explore the different places where bugs can be found.

**Their Contributions:** Find out about the many insects that are helpful and useful. Study the contributions of the ladybug, silkworm and predatory insects.

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## Make It, Act It, Capture It

2nd - 5th Grade (in 2nd-5th now)  
at the High Street Campus



The summer will be filled with creative expression. We will embark on a journey learning about how to perform short scenes and small productions. The first weeks will be involved in preparation with making the props, art work and general creativity, followed with the acting elements and Capture it - short videos and photos of students in action.

**Make It:** Learn about how we create the props for a play utilizing art basics, and discovering the colors around us. From painting, cutting and sewing to seeing .

**Act It:** Acting will begin by using folk tales, which will lead to group acting and learning about how rehearsals are necessary to fine tune performances which ends with a finale for the school, families and friends.

**Capture It:** The third element of creative expression in the modern era is using film and photography and other methods to capture the acting on film. We will have a lot of fun in this open ended section.



## Creatures of the Night

Preschool ( ages 2.4 - 4 years )  
at the Cottage Campus



Come and join us in an exciting venture. We will explore the "night-time world" of animals. In the light of our day, we will see what they experience while we are sleeping! Over the nine weeks, we will explore different habitats where animals, plants and insects go about their daily life. Each week a special animal will be featured.

**Day and Night all Around Us:** We will present the concept of Day & Night, then move on to exploring what is light and what is a shadow, then into the night.

**The Forest at Night:** What happens when the sun goes down at night in the forest? Who comes to life and how do they see? Owls, bats and crickets will be studied.

**The Desert at Night:** Sometimes during the day there seem to be no animals, but wait until the night and the desert is teeming with lizards, snakes, turtles, amphibians and birds.

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**Summer Fun 2009 - Enrollment Request Form**  
Please complete and return to the High Street Campus

High Street Campus

Cottage Campus

Transition Program at CC

**Select weeks wanted**

Week 1  6/22-6/26

Week 2  6/29-7/3

Week 3  7/6-7/10

Week 4  7/13-7/17

Week 5  7/20-7/24

Week 6  7/27-7/31

Week 7  8/3-8/7

Week 8  8/10-8/14

Week 9  8/17-8/21

**Program Fees**

Choose one

	<u>Days &amp; Times</u>	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Circle</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	5 days 8:30 AM—12:30 PM	\$190.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A or B	5 days 8:30 AM—3:00 PM	\$208.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	4 days 8:30 AM—12:30 PM	\$169.00	<u>MTWTh</u> <u>MTWF</u> <u>MTThF</u> <u>MWThF</u> <u>TWThF</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	4 days 8:30 AM—3:00 PM	\$185.00	<u>MTWTh</u> <u>MTWF</u> <u>MTThF</u> <u>MWThF</u> <u>TWThF</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	3 days 8:30 AM—12:30 PM	\$158.00	<u>MTTh</u> <u>MTF</u> <u>MWTh</u> <u>TWF</u> <u>TThF</u> <u>MThF</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	3 days 8:30 AM—3:00 PM	\$173.00	<u>MTTh</u> <u>MTF</u> <u>MWTh</u> <u>TWF</u> <u>TThF</u> <u>MThF</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Kindergarten/1st Grade*	5 days 8:30 AM—3:00 PM	\$208.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd - 5th Grade*	5 days 8:30 AM—3:00 PM	\$211.00	

\*High Street Campus only

**Extended Care Fees** (Hours: 7:00-8:30am and 3:00-6:00pm)

<input type="checkbox"/> Full Flat Rate Plan - unlimited	AM and /or PM	\$ 45.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Under 3 hours per day	AM and /or PM	\$ 32.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Under 2 hours per day	AM and /or PM	\$ 26.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Hourly	AM and/or PM drop-in	\$ 6.00 per hour

**Other Fees**

Application Fee - \$75.00 New Student. **No application fee for Returning Students**

Transition Fee - \$8.00 per week \*\*Cottage Campus only - (Transition fee is paid until potty training is complete.)

male

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_  female Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Completed Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Children **must** sign up for grade completed in June 2009

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Wk Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please enclose applicable fees with this form. I have enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that I will be billed for the weeks marked above, **however any weeks not attended will be credited/refunded.**

I understand that there is a two week probation period for new students.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_