



**Rising Star
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Established 1982

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Summer Fun 2011

Pre Kindergarten classes

Our Human Bodies

Cottage



Land Before Time



PreKA

Monet's Garden

PreKB



Elementary classes

Oceans and their Ecosystems



Kindergarten/1st

Draw It, Act It, Capture It



2nd-5th

Come join us for a Summer of Fun!

The students will have a great time over the summer learning about the animals of the past, parts of the human body, wonderful places on planet Earth, gooey concoctions, and how to put art and creativity together to form a production.

Join us for any or all of the 9 weeks of the summer program!

June 20 - TBD

High Street Campus
Pre-Kindergarten through 5th Grade

Cottage Campus
Pre-Kindergarten

Pre Kindergarten classes



Our Human Bodies at the Cottage Campus Preschool (ages 2.4 – 4 years)

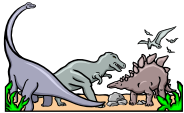


The Five Senses

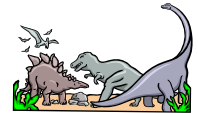
Come join us as we learn more about each of the five senses. During each week of this session, we will present experiences with one of our vital senses. Through activities and creative projects, children will increase their understanding and enjoyment of seeing, touching, hearing, smelling and listening. We have many hands-on materials in our repertoire that will make this subject come alive for children at this age.

Healthy Food – Healthy Body

Take a journey through the digestive system and discover how the teeth, tongue, esophagus, stomach, and intestines are involved in the process of turning food into energy. We will present the basic body systems including the skeletal, muscular and digestive. Learn about health and nutrition and how eating healthy produces a healthy body with the food pyramid. As children become involved in cooking projects and menu planning.



Land Before Time at the High Street Campus Pre Kindergarten A (ages 2.9 – 4 years)



Come and join us in our adventure in Paleontology! This summer we will delve into the mysteries that fossils tell us about life long ago. Learn about the many kinds of prehistoric life. We will journey through the prehistoric time using models, activities, art projects, dioramas, videos and songs. See how the dinosaurs lived together and why they became extinct. Get set to have fun with Dinosaurs!

Dinosaurs on the land: The story of a rock! Come dig up little fossils and put together the bones of dinosaurs that lived on the land. Find out who were the meat-eaters and plant-eaters.

Dinosaurs in the water: Learn about who lived in the oceans and discover who the sea beasts were. We will look at the animals that lived where the water meets the land.

Dinosaurs that traveled through the air: Gliding, diving and flying reptiles! Learn about Archaeopteryx, the first bird, Pterodactyls and other gliding dinosaurs.



Monet's Garden at the High Street Campus Pre Kindergarten B (4 years)



Come and join us for gardening and art! This summer we will feature botany and planting activities with an artistic flair! The children will be in for an exciting discovery of life inside a garden. We will learn about how plants live and what they need to thrive. Children will take walking field trips to our parks in Alameda.

Gardens and green thumbs: Germination and sprouting seeds will be studied. While making little gardens, students will learn about the roots, stems, leaves and plants that are edible. Appreciation of flowers and their beauty will be discovered through art activities. Students will create art from a floral bouquet.

Bugs (the friends of gardens): Students will learn the beauty of bugs by observing butterflies, ladybugs and beetles in their natural habitat. Come and learn about ants and bees, the workers of the garden.

The Art of Gardening, Linnea in Monet's Garden: Come and hear about the popular storybook character Linnea. Students will create a journal of garden drawings that they have seen or imagined. The students will become Jr. Monet artists.

Oceans and their Ecosystem

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

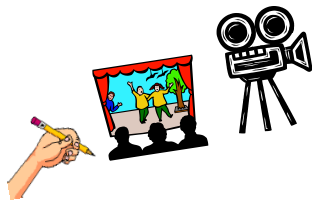


Come and join us in our adventure in Oceanography! This summer we will delve into the deep oceans and skim through the shallow creeks. Learn about the many kinds of life in the different bodies of water. We will journey through the oceans using models, activities, art projects, dioramas, videos and songs.

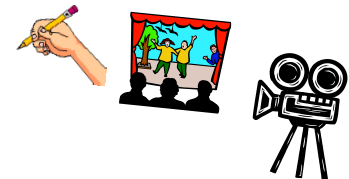
Oceans and Continents: We will begin by looking at the oceans and continents of the world with our hands on materials then proceed to the study of the fish.

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.



Draw It, Act It, Capture It
2nd - 5th Grade (completed 2nd-5th)
at the High Street Campus



Back by popular demand! 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 week begins with choosing a tale, then the actors will be involved in the preparation of general creativity by making the props and posters which then is followed with the acting elements and finally capturing the results.

Draw It: Learn about how we create the posters for a play utilizing art basics, and discovering the colors around us. A poster is created by designing then painting, coloring, and drawing.

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 culminates with a finale for the school, families and friends each Friday.

Capture It: The third element of creative expression is to capture it through a multitude of mediums.



Summer Fun 2011 – Enrollment Request Form
Please complete and return to the High Street Campus

- High Street Campus Cottage Campus Transition Program at CC
(child is NOT potty trained)
- Child is potty trained

Select weeks wanted			
Week 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/20-6/24	Week 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 6/27-7/1	Week 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 7/5-7/8	
Week 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 7/11-7/15		Week 5 <input type="checkbox"/> 7/18-7/22	Week 6 <input type="checkbox"/> 7/25-7/29
Week 7 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/1-8/5	Week 8 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/8-8/12	Week 9 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/15-8/19	Week 10 <input type="checkbox"/> 8/15-8/19 <small>(Tentative, to be determined)</small>

Program Fees

Choose one

	<u>Days & Times</u>	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Circle</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	5 days 8:30 AM–12:30 PM	\$200.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A or B	5 days 8:30 AM–3:00 PM	\$218.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre K A	4 days 8:30 AM–12:30 PM	\$179.00	<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	\$195.00	<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	\$168.00	<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	\$183.00	<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	\$218.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd - 5th Grade*	5 days 8:30 AM–3:00 PM	\$221.00	

*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.)

Child's Name _____ male female Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Completed Grade _____

Children **must** sign up for grade completed in June 2011

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 _____