

Summer Camp is at Chicago Free School this summer!

Choice. Voice. Community. Inclusion. Exploration. These are the principles that guide CFS education -- both during the school year and now, at summer camp!

Chicago Free School brings its hallmark teaching philosophy to summer camp. The CFS aftercare director, **Ms. Moe**, will run the CFS Summer Camp, accompanied by various guest camp staff. Camp will be **based out of the CFS classrooms at KAM Isaiah Israel** (in Hyde Park, 1100 E Hyde Park Blvd, 60615), with field trips near and far. Read on for more info!

- Camp is open to **pre-K to 8th grade**: Our pre-K kids doing full-day camp will have a chance to nap, while kids who don't need a nap will have access to extra trips and excursions.
- Full-day and half-day camp options: Choose the price point or day length that best meets your needs! Full-day camp goes from 9am-4pm, while you can choose either morning (9am-12pm) or afternoon (1pm-4pm) for half-day options.
- Select which weeks you want to enroll: No need to enroll for all 8 weeks! Pick the weeks that work for your family's summer plans.
- **Before-care and after-care options** to meet the needs of working families: Our before-care allows you to drop off at 8:30am, while after-care lets you pick up as late as 6pm.
- <u>Sliding-scale fees to increase access:</u> Just like for school, we want high-quality summer camp to be affordable. We have a three-tier sliding scale for camp fees based on family income (subject to verification)

Summer Camp Sessions

Each session will have a different theme, and the camp schedule will include plenty of fun general and theme activities. Summer Camp Sessions for 2017 include:

- June 26-30 Messy Art with DeeAnn
- July 3-7 Crafts (note: this is a 4-day week because there is no camp on July 4)
- July 10-15 Paper Mache Zoo with Simone
- July 17-21 Music
- July 24-28 Outdoor Adventures
- July 31-Aug 4 Maker Projects
- Aug 7-Aug 11 Robots
- Aug 14-Aug 18 Cooking with DeeAnn

In addition to the theme activities, all summer camps will include:

- Playground fun and outdoor play
- Field Trips
- Water play
- Blocks and Legos

- Arts and Crafts
- Building
- Playdough
- Sand

Register Now!

Register at this website: https://goo.gl/forms/DRrlh7FgikQ7Coka2

Register soon to get the sessions you want! Spaces are limited. **Registration deadline is one month before the start of each session**; any registrations after that may be subject to a late fee.

Camp Fees

	Family income less than \$60,000 * (must also have CFS connection) **	Family income \$60K-\$90K *	Family income more than \$90,000 *
Full-day summer camp fee Camp from 9am-4pm Most weeks July 3-7 (4-day week because no camp on July 4)	 Most weeks: \$125/week 4th of July week: \$100/week 	 Most weeks: \$175/week 4th of July week: \$140/week 	 Most weeks: \$225/week 4th of July week: \$180/week
Half-day summer camp fee Morning 9am-12pm or Afternoon 1pm-4pm Most weeks July 3-7 (4-day week because no camp on July 4)	 Most weeks: \$90/week 4th of July week: \$72/week 	 Most weeks: \$120/week 4th of July week: \$96/week 	 Most weeks: \$150/week 4th of July week: \$120/week
Before-care fee 8:30am drop-off	\$5/day = \$25/week		
After-care fee Pick up 4-6pm	\$15/day OR \$60/week (discount of 1 day free with the whole week of aftercare)		

^{*} Based on gross income as listed on most recent tax filing. Families paying fees based on income less than \$90,000 will be asked to verify income.

^{**} Only families with some affiliation with Chicago Free School (current or former student, new student in fall) are eligible for this camp fee level.

Questions?

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