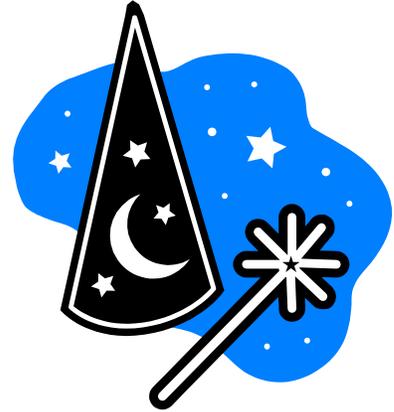




Countryside Summer Camps 2020 for students entering Kindergarten – 9th grade

Open to ALL students attending any school – not just Countryside students.



Who may attend?

Any student (from any school) of appropriate age for the camps is invited to enroll. Camps are for students **entering** the grades listed.

Where are the camps held?

Countryside School, 4301 W. Kirby Avenue, Champaign, IL 61822

When are the camps held?

Only one session this summer: **June 8 – 12**

Morning camps: 9 a.m. – 12 each day Afternoon camps: 1 – 4 p.m. each day

For campers registered for **both** morning & afternoon camps, supervised lunchtime play included – *campers bring their own sack lunch*

Optional Early Bird drop off: 7:45 – 9 a.m.

Cost: \$200 per session or \$375 if register for both morning and afternoon sessions
Early Bird drop off \$20

Refunds:

- We will return your tuition or place you on a waiting list (if you prefer) if a camp is full when we receive your enrollment form and tuition.
- Families will receive a refund if a camp is cancelled by the school for any reason.
- You will receive a refund if you notify Countryside at least **three** weeks prior to the beginning of the camp that you must cancel.

Additional information: Students should bring their own snack for midmorning break.

How to register: Fill out the enrollment form. Return the form to the school with your tuition.

Questions? Please call the school 217.355.1253



Digging Dinosaurs

Grade: entering K - 1st grade

Instructor: Arin Cox

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. - 12

Come have a dyno-mite time discovering dinosaurs! We will dive into the world of paleontology and participate in hands-on experiences that uncover these mighty creatures that lived millions of years ago. We will practice the skill of excavating, make our own fossils, and even go on our own dinosaur dig! Your mini-paleontologist will look forward to telling all about his or her paleo-adventure at the dinner table.



Crazy for Eric Carle

Grade: entering K - 1st grade

Instructor: Arin Cox

Dates: June 8 – 12 afternoon 1 - 4 p.m.

Watch the works of Eric Carle come alive as we explore his vividly illustrated picture books! We'll roll up our sleeves in the kitchen while exploring *Pancakes, Pancakes!* and *Walter the Baker*. We'll investigate some of the animals featured in Eric Carle's most popular works, such as *The Mixed-Up Chameleon*, and we'll create unique illustrations in the style of this beloved author/illustrator.



Insect Invasion Investigation

Grade: entering 1st – 3rd grade

Instructor: Katrina Widholm

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. - 12

Insects are amazing creatures! They can be both beautiful and terrifying, yet they are fascinating and essential to life as we know it. Each day students will investigate different insects and have the opportunity to create artwork, sketch, journal, read and learn about insects. They will develop a notebook with facts, illustrations and findings about insects as well as create sculpture, watercolors and a costume to take home. Hopefully, we will even have a visit from the University of Illinois "Insect Petting Zoo."



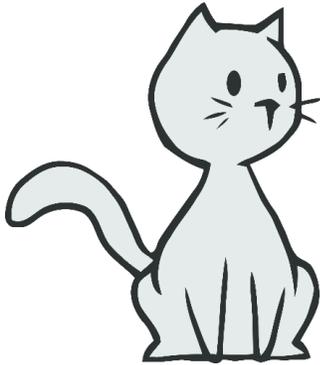
Chinese Culture, Crafts, & Cooking

Grade: entering 2nd – 4th grade

Instructor: Eileen Chen

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. - 12

Let's start with Chinese greetings and making our own stuffed panda. We will: learn about Chinese foods and how to use chopsticks; learn about the Kung Fu animals and try tofu; learn about clothing from Chinese history and even wear clothes from a different dynasty. We will even make bubble tea, Chinese dumplings, and Chinese toys! We will invite our parents to see our performance highlighting our fan dance, King Fu, and Chinese yo-yo skills and see our crafts. Join us for a week of Chinese culture and fun.



Everybody Wants to be a Cat

Grade: entering 2nd – 4th grade

Instructor: Katrina Widholm

Dates: June 8 – 12 afternoon 1 - 4 p.m.

Cats are everywhere in our world's culture. Hello Kitty is a worldwide phenomenon, the Broadway show "Cats" has been made into a big screen movie, Walt Disney made the Cheshire Cat and Lion King known and loved, and the "Lucky Cat" is the unofficial mascot of China and Japan. Isn't it true that "Everybody wants to be a cat?" Dive deep into the world of cats and learn about the different species – from the lion to the lynx to domesticated cats. Scientific facts along with learning what life is like for a cat will through performance, stage makeup, arts and crafts will be investigated during a fun-filled week of learning and exploration.



First Tee Golf

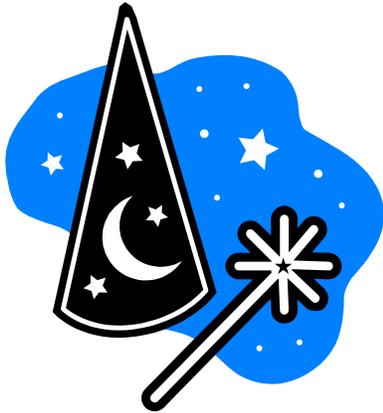
Grade: entering 3rd – 6th grade

Instructor: Shane Woodcock

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. - 12

Golf camp will introduce participants to the sport of golf utilizing the First Tee Golf curriculum. Each day we will spend time focusing on 1-2 golf skills, core values, and healthy habits related to the game of golf. Participants will be taught a skill, given challenges and practice time to work on them, while

focusing on the core value(s) for the day. Everything will lead up to creating our own golf course and playing a round at the school. Participants are required to wear closed toe shoes for this camp. All equipment will be provided.



Wizard Academy

Grade: entering 4th – 7th grade

Instructor: Sarah Predmore

Dates: June 8 – 12 afternoon 1 - 4 p.m.

Young wannabe witches and wizards will begin their week at Wizard Academy by being “sorted” into one of the four houses, then work with their house to design a house logo and create their own house T-shirt. We will also hatch dragon eggs and play games like wizard checkers and (broom-less) Quidditch. We will attend wizarding classes to learn how to make potions, cast spells and other wizarding skills. We will even participate in a Wizard Tournament and enjoy tasty magical treats.



Bead Craft & Jewelry Making with Polymer Clay

Grade: entering 4th – 8th grade

Instructor: Gail McWilliams

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. - 12

Make your own wearable art! Students will create beads and pendants from polymer clay and use them to make jewelry such as bracelets, necklaces, earrings, and pins. Experienced students will have the opportunity to explore more advanced polymer clay techniques, but no experience is necessary — beginners are welcome!



Sugar Paste & Meringue

Grade: entering 4th – 8th grade

Instructor: Eileen Chen

Dates: June 8 – 12 afternoon 1 - 4 p.m.

Have you ever had a sugar paste flower on your cupcake or macaroon? With practice and patience, cake decorating and sugar paste flower making skills can be easily learned. This camp starts out with the basics of learning about gum paste, panda, dog making, and flower making along with the proper use of decorating tools. You'll develop techniques practiced by professional cake decorators. We will learn how to make a panda, Pusheen cat, watermelon, cosmos flowers, and some other flower designs. We will also learn how to make cake lace, the alphabet, and a pattern design using fondant. Let your creativity and aesthetic ideas help you to design your own cakes! In addition, you are going to have the opportunity to share your sugar paste cupcake and cake with your family each day!



Magic the Gathering

Grade: entering 6th – 9th grade

Instructor: Tara Santiago

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. - 12

Whether it's your first or hundredth time playing, Magic the Gathering (MTG, or just Magic) is a ton of fun! Learn the rules, or teach them to someone. Bring your own deck, use a pre-constructed one, or build one using our cards. Play against one other player, or team up to play Two-Headed Giant. Both beginning and experienced players are welcome! Each camper will receive a welcome deck.



Dungeons and Dragons

Grade: entering 6th – 9th grade

Instructor: Toby Antonsen

Dates: June 8 – 12 afternoon 1 – 4 p.m.

Make a character with a group and lead them on an adventure of magic and mystery. Become a hero whose name is legend. This camp will teach and train beginners, and experienced players (if numbers permit) will have extended time for independent D&D play.



Footprints: A Champaign-Urbana Walkabout

Grade: entering 6th – 9th grade *and* consent of instructor

Instructor: Chris Antonsen

Dates: June 8 – 12 morning 9 a.m. – 12

This camp is return-camper friendly but may include one or more stops visited in the past several years. We will hit the road by foot and MTD bus to check out cool things in Champaign-Urbana and learn how to use a fantastic public transportation system.

Our five-morning trek will send us digging into local history, wondering at architecture, finding the local arts scene, visiting cool businesses, and getting to know our town even better. Students should be ready and willing to hit the road no matter what the weather is — a little rain will not stall our adventure. (Based on popular request, we may visit one special restaurant for the purpose of having a late breakfast or early lunch together. Campers will need to bring \$10-15 on that day only.)

Note: *We may begin earlier or end later on some days due to the use of public transportation around town. Mr. A. will provide participants and parents with details on a daily basis.*