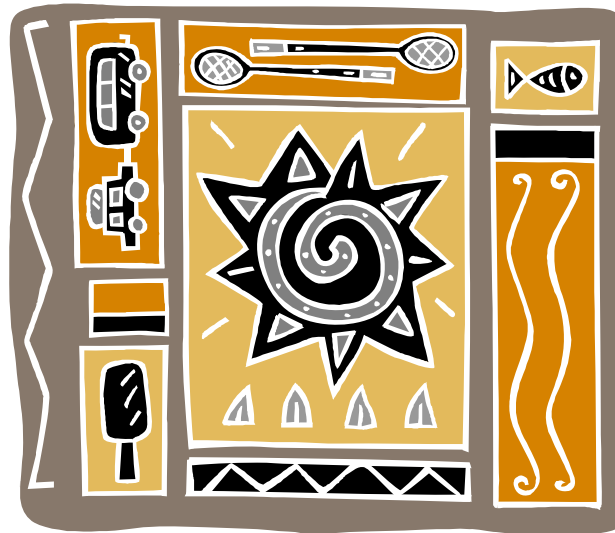


# Summer Enrichment Camp

Falls Church City Public Schools

Thomas Jefferson Elementary School

June 22-July 2, 2010



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# The 2010 FALLS CHURCH CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUMMER ENRICHMENT CAMP

## Grades 1-7 – General Information

### What is the Summer Enrichment Camp?

The Falls Church City Public Schools' 2010 Summer Enrichment Camp offers FCCPS students in grades 1-7 the opportunity to pursue individual interests during a 9-day enrichment academy. All instructional activities will be developed and delivered by FCCPS educators.

### Dates, Times and Location?

The summer enrichment camp will run Tuesday, June 22 – Friday, July 2, 2010. The classes will be held at Thomas Jefferson Elementary School, 601 S Oak Street. Classes will be held from 9am-12pm each day.

### How Do We Apply?

Children currently in grades 1-7 may apply for enrollment in the Summer Enrichment Camp. Class sizes are limited (numbers are indicated after course description) and will be filled on a first-registered, first-filled basis with priority given to families who register in person at Thomas Jefferson Elementary School (601 South Oak Street ATTN: Steve Knight). **Registration begins on Monday, February 1, 2010 and will close on Friday, April 16, 2010.** Mr. Steven Knight will serve as the Coordinator and administrative contact for the 2010 Summer Enrichment Camp, and can be reached via email at [knights@fccps.org](mailto:knights@fccps.org) or by phone (703) 248-5668.

Parents may register their child by one of two methods:

1. The registration form may be **delivered in person** to Steven Knight at 601 South Oak Street from 9am-4pm Monday through Friday, during the weeks of February 1 – April 16, 2010.
2. The registration forms may be **mailed** to Steven Knight (to the address noted on the registration forms) after February 1<sup>st</sup>.

Registration forms are found on pages 6 & 7 of this brochure. Registration forms will not be accepted prior to Monday, February 1, 2010.

### What Does It Cost?

The nine-day session will cost \$200.00 per child; the tuition check reserves a student's place in the summer class. The checks will be held until the last day of enrollment, March 26<sup>th</sup>. Tuition fees cannot be pro-rated. Check should be made payable to **Falls Church City Schools**.

### What About Transportation?

Bus transportation will not be provided for the Summer Enrichment Camp. Parents are responsible for transporting their children to the Enrichment Camp site each morning and picking them up after the session has ended each day.

### Is Day Care Available For My Child?

Although the Summer Enrichment Camp does not provide daycare, the FCCPS summer daycare program will be available for any student who has completed second grade through those entering eighth grade.

Parents/guardians interested in this service may contact Katie Clinton at (703) 248-5683 or visit the FCCPS Daycare website: <http://www.fccps.org/asap/registration.htm>

### What Constitutes A Completed Registration Packet?

Summer Enrichment Camp 2010 Registration Packets are complete when the following information has been submitted by mail OR in person:

1. Completed registration form (page 7)
2. Completed permission and authorization form (page 6)
3. Proper payment for the session (checks made payable to **Falls Church City Public Schools**)

| <b>Cumulative Listing of 2010 Summer Enrichment Camp Course Offerings</b>            |                                      |                           |   |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| <b>Course Name</b>   | <b>Instructors</b>                   | <b>Maximum Enrollment</b> | <b>Grade Levels Invited<br/>(Grade completed as of<br/>June 18, 2010)</b> |
| <b><i>Multi-Cultural Music Makers: Rattles, Scrapers, Chiming Bars and More!</i></b> | Ms. Marie Harbison                   | 12 students               | Grades 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5   |
| <b>Art and Culture: Creative Connections</b>   | Ms. Juls Rathje                      | 12 students               | Grades 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5   |
| <b>Storytelling: The Art of Public Speaking</b>                                      | Ms. Pam Wilkie                       | 12 students               | Grades 4, 5, 6 and 7  |
| <b>Lights, camera, action!</b>   | Mr. Ben Powell                       | 12 students               | Grades 5, 6, 7  |
| <b>Creating Presentations to Knock Their Socks Off</b>                               | Mr. Brett Sparrgrove                 | 12 students               | Grades 6, and 7   |
| <b>Geometry Through Origami</b>  | Ms. Debbie Spring & Ms. Emily Wilson | 20 students               | Grades 4, 5 and 6   |
| <b>Spanish Language and Culture</b>  | Ms. Kate Halseth                     | 12 students               | Grades 3, 4 and 5   |

**Description of Summer Enrichment Sessions**  
*A child's placement in any enrichment session is determined by  
the grade completed as of June 18, 2010.*

**VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS**

**Multi-Cultural Music Makers: Rattles, Scrapers, Chiming Bars and More! (Ms. Marie Harbison, Instructor)**

Do you know what an *Anklung* is? Where does it come from? What does it do? How about a *Jalaterang* or a *Mbira*? They are all musical instruments that you will learn to play in this class. Through hands-on musical experiences like shaking, stamping, sounding and striking you will explore varied world cultures' contributions and connections through the universal language of Music. Choose from an assortment of multi-cultural instruments and design, make and play your own stomping tube, thumb harp, tuned percussion vessel, wind chime, ceremonial rattle or cane scraper! Discover how all of these instruments and others not only define cultures but provide links between them. Your musical journey will include countries such as China, Japan, Philippines, Africa, Australia, North and South America, Indonesia, Trinidad, Germany and England. Be a *Multi-Cultural Music Maker* this summer!

**Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5**

**Maximum Enrollment: 12 students**

**Art and Culture: Creative Connections (Ms. Juls Rathje, Instructor)**

Would you like to create an African Mask inspired by Mali artists or create an ancient mosaic on glass inspired by the Ancient Greeks and Romans? Have you ever wanted to create an artwork completely out of nature, like the artist Andy Goldsworthy? Then come to this class to paint, draw, mosaic, sculpt and more! This class will inspire you with artwork from different cultures to create many masterpieces that you will treasure forever!

**Grades: 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5**

**Maximum Enrollment: 12 students**

**VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS**

**Storytelling: The Art of Public Speaking (Ms. Pam Wilkie, Instructor)**

When you have to get up in front of your class or a crowd of people to speak, do your hands get sweaty and do you get tongue-tied? By developing storytelling techniques and skills, you'll never have to worry about this again. You'll learn what it takes to give an effective presentation, and you'll get practice in the techniques used by professionals. The final culmination will be a day of sharing stories. Videotaping will be an important tool so you can see your progress

**Grades: 4, 5, 6 and 7**

**Maximum Enrollment: 12 students**

## TECHNOLOGY

### **Lights, camera, action! (Mr. Ben Powell, Instructor)**

During this 9-class session, students will write, film, and act in their very own short movies! Students will rely on teamwork and collaboration to tackle multiple aspects of the movie-making process including writing, acting, directing, filming, and editing. Using film as the medium, students will be able to develop their writing skills and creative expression to tell a story to an audience. This session is available for students currently in grades 5-7. Students should feel comfortable with technology be capable of working independently on the computer.

**Grades: 5, 6 and 7**

**Maximum Enrollment: 12 students**

### **Creating Presentations to Knock Their Socks Off (Mr. Brett Sparrgrove, Instructor)**

Make your presentations sing (and dance) with "Creating Presentations to Knock Their Socks Off". Learning how to conduct an effective presentation is an important academic and life skill. A great presentation is a combination of the three elements: content, design, and delivery and this exciting 9-session summer enrichment course will cover all of the essentials! Students will utilize a variety of technology tools to create a number of presentations. Along the way, we will cover important topics such as:

- \* How to utilize color to set the atmosphere
- \* Why you should create custom presentation themes
- \* Why images can have more impact than words
- \* Why design consistency matters
- \* The rules to public speaking
- \* Why simple does not mean simplistic
- \* Why telling a STORY matters
- \* and much more

Learning how to make an effective presentation is bound to unleash your creative side as we play and explore with some neat technology... so sign up today!

**Grades: 6 and 7**

**Maximum Enrollment: 12 students**

### **Geometry Through Origami (Ms. Debbie Spring & Ms. Emily Wilson, Instructors)**

Are you interested in learning the Japanese art of paper folding? You'll be amazed with the awesome things you can create just by folding pieces of colorful paper. We'll make geometric figures such as cubes, pinwheels, octohedron and boxes. You'll become a geometry master while folding paper and playing games!

**Grades: 4, 5, and 6**

**Maximum Enrollment: 20 students**

### **Spanish Language and Culture (Ms. Kate Halseth, Instructor)**

Take in the best parts of rich Latin culture, including its food, customs, holidays, art, history, and of course, language! Learn how to make Spain's paella and Mexico's tortillas (yum!), explore the ancient way of life of the Aztec and Mayans, find out about the coolest tourist destinations in all of Latin America, uncover the mysteries behind some of Spain's most famous art, and learn how to dance salsa, merengue, and the Cha cha! Celebrate Three Kings' Day, Day of the Dead, and Cinco de Mayo all in one week! ¡Qué divertido!

**Grades: 3, 4, and 5**

**Maximum Enrollment: 12 students**

**PERMISSION AND AUTHORIZATION FORM  
FCCPS SUMMER ENRICHMENT CAMP 2010**

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**PHOTO/GENERAL MEDIA RELEASE**

(Optional)

I give permission for my child to be photographed or videotaped for inclusion in Falls Church City Public Schools' public information materials, general media coverage, or school-related materials.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**PICK-UP AUTHORIZATION**

The following person(s) have my exclusive permission to pick up my child from the FCCPS 2010 Summer Enrichment Camp

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**PERTINENT MEDICAL INFORMATION**

Please indicate any medical concerns or special needs below. Medication cannot be distributed during the Summer Enrichment Camp session.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**PICK-UP AUTHORIZATION**

Please list below emergency contact person(s) other than the parent/guardian:

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's/Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Summer Enrichment Camp Registration Form**  
**June 22-July 2, 2010**  
**Thomas Jefferson Elementary School**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Completed as of 6/18/2010: \_\_\_\_\_

Home School:     Thomas Jefferson Elementary                       Mary Ellen Henderson Middle School

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Student's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Please review the "Description of Summer Enrichment Classes" and select the course in which your child wishes to enroll. Place a "1" on the line next to the course that represents your **FIRST** choice, place a "2" on the line that represents your **SECOND** choice, and a "3" on the line for your **THIRD** choice. Every possible attempt will be made to honor all **FIRST** choice selections. However, please be advised that in the event of maximum or below minimum required enrollment in a class, students may receive their **SECOND** or **THIRD** choice selection. **There are NO refunds after May 14, 2010.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Multi-Cultural Music Makers** (grades 1-5)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Art and Culture: Creative Connections** (grades 1-5)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Storytelling: The Art of Public Speaking** (grades 4-7)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Lights, camera, action!** (grades 5-7)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Creating Presentations to Knock Their Socks Off** (grades 6-7)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Geometry Through Origami** (grades 4-6)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Spanish Language and Culture** (grades 3-5)

**Tuition Costs:** The nine-day session will cost \$200.00 per child; the tuition check reserves a students' place in the summer class. Tuition fees cannot be pro-rated.

**Appropriate tuition payment must accompany this form (checks will be held until April 16th).** Please make all checks payable to **Falls Church City Public Schools**. Please be reminded that class spaces are filled on a first-registered, first-served basis with priority given to families who register in person at the Thomas Jefferson Elementary School (601 South Oak Street ATTN: Steve Knight) beginning on Monday, February 1, 2010. You will be informed of your child's acceptance and confirmation of course by April 5, 2010. Please mail or bring (see pages 4 & 5) all registration documents by Friday, April 16, 2010.