

Kensington School's SUMMER 2012



★ JUNIOR CAMP ★

Enroll by Spring Break & receive 1 week of Junior Camp FREE in the first session!

“Miss Wizard’s Wonderful World of Summer!”

Junior Camp for 3, 4 and 5 Year-Olds

(Five-year-olds may enroll in Junior Camp or Kindergarten Camp.)

M/W/F or T/Th 9:15-12:15 \$18/day *(includes a snack)*

Junior Camp for 2 Year-Olds

T/Th 9:30-12:00 \$18/day *(includes a snack)*

★ SUMMER ENRICHMENT ★

Additional classes offered in Reading, Math, Art, Science, Sports and Cooking.

Lunch Bunch & Enrichment Classes for 3, 4 and 5 Year-Olds

Lunch Bunch 12:15-1:00 \$7/day

Enrichment Class 1:00-2:00 and 2:00-3:00 \$7/day per class



★ KINDERGARTEN “WINGS” CAMP ★

“I Have Wings and Can Do Lots of Things!”

for Children Entering or Completing Kindergarten

Kindergarten Camp for 5 and 6 Year-Olds

(Campers must be 5 years old to enroll in Kindergarten Camp.)

5 days M-F or T/Th 9:00-2:00 \$35/day *(includes lunch)*



LaGrange, LaGrange Highlands, St. Charles, Geneva, Naperville, Wheaton

Call 630-990-8000 for more information!

www.kensingtonschool.com

JUNIOR CAMP

“Miss Wizard’s Wonderful World of Summer!”



SESSION #1 : June 11 - July 6 (4 weeks) (no camp on 7/4)

“The Wonderful World of Woods & Wildlife & Trees Up High!”



Miss Wizard and her friend, “Gus the Grasshopper” eagerly await your arrival! They can’t wait to share fascinating facts about the woodsy woods, trees up high and woodland wildlife! Environmental friendliness is a very important thing and the embodiment of this is a tree! In this session, Miss Wizard will introduce us to many forest friends who will be living in the “Tree Hotel,” from the basement where chipmunks, ants and worms reside, to the first floor where the woodpeckers, raccoons and cicadas live, to the top floor where the squirrels, robins and hawks live.



- ▲ Nature Boxes (...to hold our collections!)
- ▲ Squirrel Tag and Tree Dancing
- ▲ People Trees
- ▲ Forest Animal Habitats
- ▲ Grasshopper Chant
- ▲ Ants on Parade
- ▲ Miss Wizard’s “Tree Gathering” Party!
- ▲ Leaf Wreaths and Leaf Vein Painting and Printing
- ▲ Tree, Twig and Log Explorations
- ▲ Miss Wizard’s Forest of Trees
- ▲ Pine Branch and Acorn Painting
- ▲ Adopt-a-Tree
- ▲ How old is that Tree? Let’s count the rings!
- ▲ How’s Life in a Log?



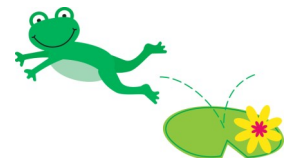
After all of this exciting work, we’ll know so much more about the many uses of Miss Wizard’s gifts. Nature walks at home and backyard summer discoveries will have new meaning for our Kensington Campers!

SESSION #2 : July 9 - August 3 (4 weeks)

“The Wonderful World of Watery Places & Wet Muddy Faces!”

Miss Wizard and Gus the Grasshopper have become friends with the forest creatures... now let’s examine the habitats of our watery friends that live in dirt, water, mud and brooks and streams! We all love to play with water! Now we will get the chance to mix it with dirt that will allow us to wiggle like worms and create mud. Mud, mud, mud the wonderful thing about mud. Watch us stir it up! Listen to it squish through our fingers and around our toes! Squish is how it goes! Please dress for a fun mess this session!

- ◆ Wet and Wild Water Adventure
- ◆ Colorful Water Explosion
- ◆ Mudscapes and Mud Pie Chemistry
- ◆ We Dig Worms! Worm Farm
- ◆ Gummy Worm Dissection
- ◆ Musical Lily Pads
- ◆ Water Dance and Safari
- ◆ Sink and Float Experiments – Soak it to Me!
- ◆ Colorful Fish
- ◆ Mud and Worm Trail Paintings
- ◆ Clay Worms and Sock Worms
- ◆ Leap Frog with Froggie Hats
- ◆ Beaver Chants
- ◆ Wiggle Worm Workouts, Worm Tag and Dancing



Weekly Water Days in every session! Outdoor Play everyday!

Don’t forget your hat and sunscreen!



SESSION #3 : August 6 - August 24 (3 weeks)

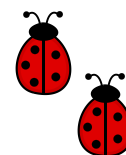


“The Wonderful World of Wind & Wings & Things that Fly!”

Miss Wizard and Gus the Grasshopper will help us investigate the wind around us and what it can do and the many creatures and things that fly through the air. Busy bees will also set out on a Bug Safari in search of great winged summer insects. We will explore our feathered friends. How does a bird make his nest? Fluff up your feathers, flap your wings and come soar with us! Gus the grasshopper will teach us our theme song, “The Ugly Bug Ball,” which will also be the name of our end-of-the-summer party!



- My, how the whistling wind blows!
- Lunch Bag Kites & Paper Airplanes
- Parachute Play
- Wind Skippers & Streamer Wands
- Bumblebee Dance
- Catch the Breezes Days!
- Ladybug Windsock
- Salt Dough Ladybugs



At our “Ugly Bug Ball,” we will learn how to do the Jitterbug, play Pin the Spots on the Ladybug, do the Centipede Chorus Line and best of all, come dressed up as our favorite winged bug! Who will be a grasshopper and jump into the fun? Every bug will receive the Best Buzzer participation award!



KINDERGARTEN WINGS CAMP

“I Have Wings and Can Do Lots of Things!”



**There are so many places that I might see.
There are so many things that I might be.
Come along & dream with me!**



Kindergarten Camp participates in their very own field trips each week and will also take part in “Miss Wizard’s Wonderful World of Summer” at local parks and forest preserves!

SESSION #1 : June 11 - June 22 (2 weeks)

“I Might Be a Kidpreneur!”

Welcome to Wings Camp, Kidpreneurs! What are entrepreneurs and what do they do? We will be the writers, designers, inventors and artists of the future. As a team, our campers will brainstorm, market and create their “shop” as they discover the interesting aspects of the business world. Field trips and visits from local businesses will provide our campers with useful knowledge.

Will we collectively decide to open “The Snickety Snack Shop,” selling lemonade for 25 cents a glass and no bake lollipop cookies on a stick...or “The Littlest Gift Shop,” making and selling bracelets and clay pottery designs and small canvas artwork...or a “Creatively Simple Card Shop” where all varieties of greeting cards are made...or “The BrainWorks Invention and Hobby Shop” where great inventions will come from all of our great minds? *Join us for our Grand Opening Celebration!*



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SESSION #2 : June 25 - July 6 (2 weeks) (no camp on 7/4) "I Might Be a Hero!"



Who are our heroes? What does the word hero mean to us? Who are the heroes in our neighborhood? We will search for those heroes in our midst and follow their hero's journey. How can we be a hero? This session, we will celebrate our local heroes and discover past heroes throughout time! At session's end, we will have visits to or from police, fire, medical and military personnel. We will present awards to our heroes at our "Heroes Welcome" Awards Ceremony. Our homemade awards will surely make them feel appreciated.



SESSION #3 : July 9 - July 20 (2 weeks) "I Might Be a Star!"

Calling all talent scouts! Come and take a look at all of the performers, comedians, actors, musicians, singers and dancers at Kensington School's Wings Camp! Everybody has their own hidden talents. Summertime offers a wonderful opportunity for many new discoveries and skills to develop. Some of us love to get in front of a crowd while others may shy away from the spotlight. Hobbies and talents will emerge and self-esteem will flourish through old and new friends, interests and accomplishments. We'll learn about each other and discover where our interests lie. Whether we can sing or dance, tell the funniest joke or make the biggest pancake, we are all star material. Whether there will be "star" actors or "star" dancers or "star" singers, we will all find our stardom this session!

SESSION #4 : July 23 - August 3 (2 weeks) "I Might Be an Olympian!"



Our Wings campers will convert their camp rooms into a grand sports arena decorated with Olympic banners as we follow the Summer Olympics in London, England. The London Olympic games will provide us with exciting experiences as we learn about the many languages of the countries, their cultures and customs. Our campers will follow the path of the Olympic Torch as we participate in our own torch relay for our opening ceremony. Along the way, "Kensington Olympians" will participate in athletic sports such as Foam Plate Discus Throwing, Aluminum Foil Shot Put, Hammer Throw with stuffed paper bags and hurdles over boxes. On a sillier side, we'll laugh through the Cracker and Whistle Race, Pop a Bag and many other events that will make us into an Olympian. This session will inspire our campers to be their best and maybe even be an Olympic Champion some day!

SESSION #5 : August 6 - August 17 (2 weeks) "I Might Be an Animal Lover!"



Zoo Keepers and veterinarians aren't the only ones having fun with animals. Park rangers, zoologists, humane society volunteers, animal rescue workers, and dog walkers all enjoy the love of an animal. Many of us have a special animal friend at home that is a big part of the family. A critter to which we adore! Let's visit and learn all about the jobs of an animal trainer, pet groomer or even an animal handler. With a visit to the pet groomers, we will learn how dogs are bathed and kept healthy. What should we do to keep our pets healthy? What should their diet include? Exercise and playtime is also very important for your animal friends. Animal handlers train and teach animals all different types of tricks and skills. Our local pet handler will stop in and show us many of the different animals he works with. What would it be like to own a pet shop? With a visit to the pet store, we'll learn about the important jobs of a pet store owner.

SESSION #6: August 20 - August 24 (1 week) "I had a ~~Good~~ Fantastic Summer !"



I had a fantastic summer! Let me tell you about it! Our minds and bodies have grown so much! Let's celebrate the achievements and friendships we've made this summer. We will make "end-of-the-summer" treasures to remind us of our summer days at Kensington. There will be journaling and autograph books which will help us remember all of our summer camp friends. As we say fond goodbyes and hello to fall, we thank you for being a part of an incredible summer adventure!

Junior Camp and Kindergarten Camp Guidelines



Enrollment Guidelines

- ★ Junior Camp and Kindergarten Camp enroll by session. Classes will not be held Wednesday, July 4th. Children must be enrolled for a full session and may enroll for one or more sessions.
- ★ A non-refundable \$50 deposit per session is due upon enrollment. These deposits will be applicable toward tuition for that camp's session. The remaining amount of camp tuition will be charged to your Tuition Express account or credit/debit card on the first day of each camp session. Tuition is non-refundable.
- ★ Tuition must be paid through the Tuition Express Program or by credit/debit card. Check and cash are not accepted.
- ★ Camp tuition includes a snack but does not include lunch. You may enroll for Lunch Bunch and Summer Enrichment to extend your child's day.
- ★ New students must have a complete file to attend camp. If your child is a current student, these forms should already be on file. Please see the list of forms below. They may be downloaded from www.kensingtonschool.com.
- ★ Enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis. Children may only enroll for a full session. Full tuition is due regardless of attendance. Any changes to a child's schedule must be made a week in advance and is dependent upon availability.

Every Child's File Requirements

These forms must be reviewed before your child's first day and can be found at www.kensingtonschool.com:

- ★ Enrollment Form, completed and signed by a parent
- ★ Medical Form, completed and signed by a physician and also signed by a parent
- ★ Consent Form, completed and signed by a parent
- ★ Authorization for Emergency Medical Care
- ★ Discipline Policy Form
- ★ Verification of Receipt for the Summary of DCFS Licensing Standards
- ★ Tuition Express Enrollment Form (*if applicable*)
- ★ Copy of child's birth certificate
- ★ Getting to Know You Form
- ★ Contingency Pick Up Form
- ★ Late Pick-Up Policy Statement

Summer Camp Procedures



- ★ Each day your child should bring the following items:
 - Waterproof tote bag or backpack with the child's name on the outside of the bag.
 - A complete change of clothes.
 - Rubber soled shoes or aqua shoes (these are highly recommended).
 - Please do not send your child in open toe sandals. They are not safe for climbing or running.
- ★ Please see that all of your child's belongings are CLEARLY LABELED with your child's first initial and last name.
- ★ PLEASE APPLY SUNSCREEN TO YOUR CHILD EVERYDAY BEFORE COMING TO CAMP!
- ★ Sprinkler Water Day Apparel: (A note from your child's school will give you water day dates!)
 - Each camper should come to camp in a swimsuit worn under his or her play clothes.
 - Girls should wear a two-piece suit if possible so bathroom needs can be easily managed.
 - Bring a large towel (labeled) in his or her waterproof bag.
 - Bring a complete change of clothes.

We are looking forward to a wonderful summer of fun with your child.
Please feel free to call us with any questions you may have!

Child's Name _____

If neither parent can be reached in case of an emergency call:

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Persons designated to pick up child other than parents:

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Persons NOT permitted to pick up child: _____

Child's Doctor's Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Child's Dentist's Name _____ Address _____

City _____ Phone _____

Any allergies/food restrictions (i.e. vegetarian) _____

Other children in family (please list birthdate of each) _____

Previous schools attended _____ Anticipated elementary school _____

Child's arrival time _____ Pickup Time _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Must be completed at time of enrollment

By signing below, I authorize Kensington School to process a **non-refundable** \$50.00 Camp Deposit per session (*deposits are applicable to each session's tuition*) in the following way:

- Charge my credit/debit card for a total of \$_____.
- I am a current Kensington School family. Charge my existing Tuition Express Account for a total of \$_____.

The remaining amount for each session's tuition will be charged on the first day of the camp session.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Kensington School

Lunch Bunch Camp 2012 Enrollment Form

Lunch Bunch is a perfect way to extend your camper's day, enabling him or her to enjoy an organic lunch (*catered by Organic Life*) with friends. Children combining morning Junior Camp with Summer Enrichment must be enrolled for Lunch Bunch as it serves as a nice transition from camp to enrichment. Campers may also enroll for Lunch Bunch as an add-on to morning camp or afternoon enrichment classes.

Tuition for Lunch Bunch will be charged per session on the first day of each session.
Lunch Bunch tuition is due regardless of attendance. Tuition for Lunch Bunch is \$7 per day.

Child's Name _____

Phone # _____

Please indicate any food allergies: _____

I'd like to enroll my child for Lunch Bunch:

Session #1: Tuesday, June 12- Thursday, July 5 (4 weeks)

_____ Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Wednesday _____ Thursday _____ Friday

(No Camp on Wednesday, 7/4)

Session #2: Tuesday, July 10- Thursday, August 2 (4 weeks)

_____ Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Wednesday _____ Thursday _____ Friday

Session #3: Tuesday, August 10- Thursday, August 23 (3 weeks)

_____ Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Wednesday _____ Thursday _____ Friday

I authorize Kensington School to charge my existing Tuition Express or credit/ debit card for Lunch Bunch tuition on the first day of each session.

Signature: _____ Date: _____
