

Summer Enrichment Program

Date: June 2-June 27, 2025 Location: 2176 Marilyn Street (Lower School campus)

Eligible students: dePaul's summer program is open to rising K-7 students who are struggling with reading and/or math foundational skills due to dyslexia or a related learning difference. Placement testing is conducted during the admissions process to ensure classes are created according to children's age and academic needs. Student to teacher ratio is less than or equal to 6:1.

Students may enroll for morning only or full day sessions. Aftercare is available for additional cost.

Overview:

Morning Session: 9:00 am- noon Lunch: 12:00-12:30 pm Afternoon Session 12:30-3:00pm Aftercare: 3:00-5:00 pm

Morning Session Schedule:

8:40-9:00 am- Arrival 9:00-9:40- Orton-Gillingham Based Phonics 9:40-10:20- Reading Comprehension 10:20-10:40- Recess/Snack 10:40-11:20- Composition 11:20-12:00- Reading Fluency

Students will receive 2 hours/week of small group occupational therapy during comprehension for handwriting and executive functioning support.

Afternoon Session Schedule:

12:30-1:30- Math 1:30-1:50- Recess 1:50-3:00- Science/STEAM

Curriculum:

Reading/ELA: IMSE Orton-Gillingham Phonics, Handwriting and Writing Without Tears, Scholastic Fluency Resources, UFLI decodable passages and fluency; Each class will perform a reader's theatre play of a different version of a fairy tale on the last day of the program.

Math: Nessy Math, Happy Numbers, fact fluency strategies, Everyday Math partner games

STEAM unit based on the book: *How to Code a Rollercoaster* (students will be designing their own theme park by building rides and games, creating a ticketing system, creating a dining plan, and designing characters that fit the theme of their park). In-house field trip: Bricks for Kids Lego engineering and culminating field trip to Celebration Station (a small, local theme park)

Staff:

The Reading and Math/STEAM lead teachers are all dePaul teachers who are trained in Orton-Gillingham. We will have an occupational therapist working 6-8 hours a week. Our support staff includes students in SPC's teacher training program, dePaul's ASL teacher, and student volunteers who are dePaul School alumni.

Tuition and Fees: (Rates are for enrollment from June 2-June 27)

Morning only: \$1800 Full Day: \$3000 Aftercare: \$280 (*aftercare is not an academic session and is not eligible for scholarship funds)

A 15% discount is offered to students currently enrolled in the dePaul School. Non-dePaul students have a \$200 registration fee

Please contact the summer program director with any questions:

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The dePaul School for Dyslexia is a specialized, independent school dedicated to the education of children in grades K-8 with dyslexia and related language-based learning difficulties, with the primary goal of enabling these students to achieve academic and personal success.