

# ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SUMMER 2009



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**Q: Is there a Summer Program provided by the Kansas City, Missouri School District for 3 & 4 year olds?**

A: No. Summer school is for those students who will enter kindergarten for the 2009-2010 school year.

**Q: What is the age requirement for my Kindergarten child to attend Summer school?**

A: Your child must be five (5) years of age before September 1, 2009 to be eligible for Summer School.

**Q: Do the children have to wear uniforms during Summer School?**

A: No. Uniforms are not required for the summer session.

**Q: Will my children receive breakfast and/or lunch while attending summer school?**

A: Yes. Breakfast & lunch will be provided for summer school students free of charge.

**Q: Who is eligible to attend the KCMSD Summer Session?**

A: All current KCMSD students are eligible to attend the summer session.

**Q: How do I apply for Summer School?**

A: Applications are available at all KCMSD schools and the District website: [www.kcmsd.net](http://www.kcmsd.net). All applications should be returned to your child's school site for processing.

**Q: Will my High School Student have to attend both sessions for the summer?**

A: Depending on the academic needs of the student they may need to attend both sessions. Please contact your child's school counselor to determine the specific need of the student.

**Promoted students will attend summer school in the next grade level. For example current 1st grade students will attend summer school as a second grader.**

**Students who are retained will attend summer school at their current grade level.**

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## Elementary School Summer Programs

Grades 1-5—Students will be promoted upon the successful completion of established criteria. Sufficient academic progress shall be determined based on the student receiving passing grades in three (3) of the five (5) academic areas. A student who has not demonstrated sufficient academic progress in mathematics, language arts, social studies, science and reading may be retained. This retention will be based on the recommendation of the teacher. The recommendation will include the remediation strategies employed and the concurrence of the principal. In the event that the principal does not concur, the principal or teacher may appeal the decision to the appropriate director of schools.

Grade 4—State law requires that all students who are reading below a third-grade level according to the district's fourth-grade reading assessment shall be retained if the student has not adequately improved by the end of summer school. Further, if a student fails to attend remediation assigned as a condition of promotion, the student will be retained.

### Promotion/Retention Criteria for Required Academic Performance, Grade 6-8

Number of Passing Grades Required for Promotion—Student will be promoted upon the successful completion of established criteria. A sixth, seventh or eighth grade student must have passing grades in eleven (11) of the fourteen (14) semester-units to be promoted to the next grade. Of the required 11 units, a student must pass seven (7) semester units within English, language arts, mathematics, social studies and science; and four (4) semester units within other subjects.

An Extended Day Program will be offered at each site: 7-8:20 a.m. & 3:20-6 p.m. for the 8:20-3:20 sites, 7-9:30 a.m. & 4:30-6 p.m. for the 9:30-4:30 sites. To enroll, contact your child's assigned summer school.

For placement regarding ESL, contact the Language Services Office at (816)418-2600.

Applications are processed on a first come, first serve basis.

To apply:

1. Review and complete application information.
2. Parent/guardian sign and date the application.
3. Return application to your child's school.

Out-Of-District applicants need to contact the Admissions Department:

1211 McGee Street  
Kansas City, Missouri 64106  
(816) 418-7505

## **CURRICULUM**

### **Summer 2009**

#### **Incoming Kindergarten**

Teachers will work with students on oral language and early literacy skills to help develop a readiness for the school year. Students will make real world connections through stories, poems, songs and other classroom activities. The teacher will provide targeted instruction, followed by hands-on activities in oral language, phonological awareness, letter knowledge, and print knowledge. At the same time, teachers can foster children's awareness in other areas as the program is integrated with science, social studies, math, writing, music, and other curriculum and content areas.

#### **Incoming Grade 1 Students**

Students entering first grade will expand on the literacy skills developed during their kindergarten year. The first grade program emphasizes foundational phonics and early decoding skills through stories that students will want to read. Through large and small group instruction students will learn how words are alike and different, work on grouping words by sound structures, and apply what they learn.

#### **Incoming Grades 2-8**

Students in grades 2-8 will experience a skill-rich curriculum for reading and writing improvement and building essential skills that lead to reading success. Teachers will help students focus on vocabulary and word study to build the background knowledge essential for making connections to both fiction and non-fiction texts. Students will also have the opportunity to develop skills which will help them comprehend the stories they read. Through writing opportunities students will gain a better understanding of grammar and other mechanics of writing as well as support their reading skills.

### **MATH**

#### **Incoming Grades 1-8**

Through targeted, individualized instruction teachers will work with students to develop skills in math to help them reach and stay on grade level. Lessons are organized by math content strands which include measurement, number sense and geometry. Students will use a variety of materials including graph paper, dot paper, fraction strips, and base-ten blocks as well as other instructional resources.

#### **Grade 8**

Students promoting to grade 9 will have the opportunity to participate in an algebra readiness program designed to prepare them for secondary math courses.

### **OTHER CONTENT AREAS**

#### **Science**

##### **Incoming Grades 6-8**

Students will have the opportunity to explore science topics related to the Missouri Grade Level Expectancies. Through both a text based and hands-on approach students will learn both content vocabulary and inquiry skills.

#### **Social Studies**

##### **Incoming Grades 6-8**

Students will participate in units related to their particular grade level: Grade 6 will focus on Ancient Civilizations; Grade 7 will focus on Geography/Economics; and Grade 8 will focus on Early American History.

#### **General Music and Vocal Music**

The Summer School Program for General Music and Vocal Music is an extension and continuation of content and process offered during the school year.

#### **Elementary Art**

Summer School is a great time for teachers and students to participate in a variety of projects from the core curriculum. Students may explore painting and drawing, as well as, mixed media.

## **TRANSPORTATION:**

The application is a request for placement in summer school, it does not guarantee placement. Students attending comprehensive community schools will be assigned to a summer school according to their neighborhood school of residence or summer school transportation address. Students attending signature schools, a Montessori program or specialty programs will be assigned to a summer school as determined by the District. The schools and feeder patterns listed are for information only as your child may be currently attending a neighborhood school other than your child's school of residence. You can determine your child's school of residence or school based on the summer school transportation address through the '**find your school program**' which can be accessed through the parent tool box located on the [www.kcmsd.net](http://www.kcmsd.net) website. Students do not have a choice of schools and will be assigned to a summer school program based upon the District summer school criteria. Busing will be provided to students who meet summer school transportation eligibility requirements.

Application must be received by May 15, 2009 to guarantee transportation for the first day of summer school for students who meet transportation eligibility requirements.

### **Summer School Transportation Eligibility Requirements**

Summer School District-Provided Transportation Who Is Eligible? Resident students who live 1.5 miles or more from their assigned summer school are eligible for transportation. Resident students who live less than 1.5 miles from the school they attend are not eligible for transportation. The safe transport of these students to and from school must be the responsibility of the parent. District transportation is not provided for students who attend a school other than their authorized summer school as defined by District guidelines. Students who are eligible for transportation are not required to walk more than six (6) blocks to their bus stop location.

Summer High School session usually consists of two 13-15 day sessions with the majority of students attending different schools in the summer than during the regular school year. Routes are developed specifically for the summer and factoring the brief duration of each summer school session, are designed to pick up as many students as possible in a short period of time. Whenever possible, summer school routes are express type routes with few stops and large numbers of students are picked up at each stop. In all likelihood students summer school bus stops will be different from the regular school year. Schools are often used as pick up points during the summer time. The majority of bus stop change requests will not be honored due to the short duration of each school session.

Students who attend a comprehensive community school and are eligible for transportation, whose address or transportation address are within the feeder pattern for the summer school of attendance will receive transportation. Students listing addresses outside the feeder pattern boundaries for the summer school of attendance will not receive transportation.

Please check to make sure your child's school has the correct address on file. If you submit a transportation address for summer school which differs from the regular school year, an address change must be submitted by the completion of summer school, July 17, 2009, to guarantee transportation for the 2009/2010 school year.

## FOOD SERVICE

Breakfast and Lunch is provided by the Kansas City Missouri School District Summer School Program.

Breakfast and Lunch is free to students that participate in the Summer School 2009 program.

For further information, you may contact the Summer School site that your child will be attending.

## INCENTIVE

The incentive for Summer School 2009 is **\$50.00**

### Criteria for receiving summer incentive:

- Students must be enrolled and attend on the first day of school and remain the entire summer session.
- Students can miss no more than four (4) hours of class room instruction to be eligible to receive the incentive.
- Students must receive a passing grade in all courses taken.

Attucks	2400 Prospect Ave.	KCMO., 64127	(816) 418-3900
Banneker	7050 Askew Ave.	KCMO., 64132	(816) 418-1850
Carver	4600 Elmwood Ave	KCMO., 64130	(816) 418-4925
Delano	3708 Linwood Blvd.	KCMO., 64128	(816) 418-2200
Foreign Language	3450 Warwick Ave.	KCMO., 64111	(816) 418-6004
Franklin	3400 Highland Ave.	KCMO., 64109	(816) 418-6775
Garcia	1000 W. 17th St.	KCMO., 64108	(816) 418-8725
Gladstone	335 N. Elmwood Ave.	KCMO., 64123	(816) 418-3950
Hartman	8111 Oak St.	KCMO., 64114	(816) 418-1750
Holliday	7227 Jackson Ave.	KCMO., 64132	(816) 418-1950
King	4201 A-Indiana Ave	KCMO., 64130	(816) 418-2475
Northeast K-7	4904 Independence Blvd.	KCMO., 64124	(816) 418-3400

### NOTICE OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

The Kansas City 33 School District does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, age, disability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or any other factor prohibited by law in its programs and activities. If you believe you have been subject to discrimination or harassment, or if you have any inquiries regarding the District's non-discrimination policies, please contact the Anti-Discrimination and Harassment Coordinator at 1211 McGee, Suite 1103 Kansas City, Missouri 64106, call (816)418-7610

**Kansas City, Missouri School District**  
1211 McGee St. 64106  
(816)418-7000

# SUMMER SCHOOL 2009

Elementary School Application  
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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: DATE STAMP

Student Name	Last	First	Middle	Student ID Number	<b>Please Check One</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Date of Birth	School Attended 2008-2009			Grade Level 2009-2010	
Student Home Address	City,		State	Zip	<b>Please Check One</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Am. Indian/Alaskan Nat. <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> White
Parent/Guardian Name	Relationship				
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Work Phone			

<b>Summer Transportation Address</b> <i>(if different than home address)</i>	City,	State	Zip	E-Mail
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## 8:20 – 3:20 BELL TIME

### ELEMENTARY

- Carver (4291 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Carver, Melcher, Moore, Pitcher, West Rock Creek)
- Delano (6031 DIS/ALT) (SPED Extended Year)
- Garcia/ESL+ (5631 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Garcia, Longfellow)
- Gladstone/ESL+ (4501 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Gladstone, James, McCoy, Garfield)
- Holliday++ (5451 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Faxon, Holliday, Border Star)
- King (4751 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (King, Graceland, Richardson)
- King (2121 CCS\*\*) – RETAINED 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE
- Northeast/ESL+(5091 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Askew, East, Northeast, Trailwoods, Whittier)

## 9:30 – 4:30 BELL TIME

### ELEMENTARY

- Attucks (4061 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Attucks, Phillips, Woodland)
- Paige@Banneker (5431\*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Banneker, Blenheim, Paige, Pinkerton, Troost)
- Foreign Language/Longan++  
(4351 DIS/SPN or \*DIS/FRN\*\*)  
(SENATE BILL 319 HELD AT FOREIGN LANGUAGE)
- Franklin (4451 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Franklin & Bryant)
- Hartman@Cook (4581 \*DIS/CCS\*\*) (Swinney, Hartman, Knotts)

+ESL Summer Program for elementary students available at this location. ++ Must be currently enrolled in Signature School.  
\*DIS for Promoted Students CCS\*\* for Retained Students

Parent/Guardian Signature  
*Parent/Guardian must sign the application for it to be valid.*

Date

School Staff Signature

Date