



# World Academy

To each, a world of opportunity.

Dear Wonderful Families,

There may be snow on the ground, but we're already busy planning for another awesome summer of academic and extracurricular adventures! Each year we specially design the World Academy Middle School Summer Enrichment Camp to meet the academic, social and emotional needs of our current students entering Grades Four through Eight. This summer, a few changes will be happening so as to ensure the success and enjoyment of everyone attending.

Enrichment Camp will now be referred to as **Navigators**, as we are asking campers to make choices to plan their day and navigate through a course of learning to fit their needs. Mornings for the Navigators will feature a choice of either a Project-based Learning Curriculum or an Academic Recovery Program. The rest of the day will be filled with enjoyable theme-based activities, including swimming, field trips, fun team building activities, and opportunities for campers to make lasting memories!

The focus of the Academic Recovery Program will be a review and continuation of the skills learned in Math and Language Arts through the campers' current grade level. Learning will be both individualized and in small groups. In 2 four week-long sessions, students will have the opportunity to dive deep into "curriculum" with a fun twist. This is a great time to fill in those holes possibly created by recent alternative learning conditions.

The goal of the Project-Based Learning Program is to engage students in moments of exploration and self-discovery in **relevant and interesting** activities and projects that help them learn, share, and **teach**. It will integrate English, Mathematics, and Science skills and focus on communication, collaboration, creativity, and critical thinking. This will enhance learning beyond current grade levels.

Some of the exciting weeks this summer include themes such as *The Great Outdoors*, *Shipwrecked*, *Color Me Crazy*, and *Around the World*, to name a few! Please see the Enrichment Camp Registration Form for full camp details. The camp is open to students from all schools entering Grades Four through Eight, so please share our flyer with friends and families whose children may benefit from this program and enjoy sharing the fun with your camper.

Please feel free to email me with questions at [sbishop@worldacademynh.com](mailto:sbishop@worldacademynh.com). We look forward to your child joining us for an engaging, memorable, meaningful and fun summer camp experience!



Sincerely,

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# SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM 2021

OPEN TO ENTERING GRADES 4-8 STUDENTS  
STUDENTS FROM ALL SCHOOLS WELCOME!



*Join us this summer to remedy the "Covid-19 slide" or eliminate the academic "summer slide" while having fun! This camp is designed to meet both the academic and social needs of late Elementary and Middle School students and to support the acquisition of valuable 21st century skills.*

## Daily Schedule

**8:30-9:00 AM**

**Drop-Off and Socialize with Friends**

**9:00-9:30 AM**

**"Wake up and Smell the Coffee!" - Team Building and Game Time**

Campers will start each day with team building activities designed to encourage the development of skills in communication, cooperation and creativity. Activities will focus on completing a challenge as a team, solving logic problems as a group, or creating something fantastic and imaginative to present. The plan for the day will be discussed with input from all in the group.

**9:30-11:00 AM**

**Morning Courses**

Campers will attend either their Academic Recovery classes in ELA or Math, or remain with the Navigators and participate in project-based learning activities based upon the weekly themes. For Academic Recovery, campers will attend classes for either English Language Arts or Math based upon the choice designated in their camp registration. See next page for details about all programs offerings.

**11:30 AM-1:00 PM**

**Mid-Day Break/Lunch**

Lunch, Swimming and Outdoor Adventures including Sports, Games and Geocaching and other Nature-Based Activities. Campers must bring their own lunches, but are able to participate in catered lunch Monday through Thursday and Pizza Fridays at a nominal cost.

**1:00-4:00 PM**

**Navigators**

All campers are in the Navigators for the afternoon to participate in activities as determined by the theme of the week (see themes on next page). Will include nature adventures, STEM Robotics, field trips, visual arts and much more.

**4:00-4:30 PM**

**Wind Down and Wrap Up**

This time will include the playing of quiet team and small group games, as well as activities to review the day and preview the next. Campers will also listen to/read a book linked with the theme of the week.

*Questions? Please call or email Sarah Bishop at [sbishop@worldacademyinh.com](mailto:sbishop@worldacademyinh.com).*

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# Course Catalog

## **Academic Recovery**

Weeks 1-4 in Academic Recovery are Grades 4-5 Math and Grades 6-8 ELA. Weeks 5-8 are Grades 6-8 Math and Grades 4-5 ELA. Academic Recovery lessons are scaffolded and built upon from the first day of the four week session. Signing up for all four weeks is advised to make the most of this learning experience. Project-based learning activities are new each week and are based on the current theme.

### **MATHTHINK - FROM ARITHMETIC TO ALGORITHMS**

This course is for campers who wish to develop systematic methods for problem-solving by building a solid foundation through reviewing arithmetic skills and expanding the knowledge of algebraic skills in mathematics. Special problems will be presented with various solutions to be figured out by the campers, individually and as a team! Additional opportunities for Math teams to practice their skills will also be offered. This program can be personalized to the interests and needs of the group.

### **Navigators - Project-Based Academic Skill Development**

The goal of project-based learning is to engage students in moments of exploration and self-discovery in activities and projects that help them learn, share, and teach. Through this type of learning, campers will develop systematic methods for problem-solving and discovery by being presented with various goal-oriented projects to be organized and completed by the campers individually and as a team! Campers will work through projects related to the theme of the week that involve the development of skills such as organization and note-taking, discussion and brainstorming, team building, reading and writing, logic, dramatic role-play, mathematical concepts, STEAM, and public speaking/presentation. For example, one project may be to develop a restaurant from the ground up including the creation of a design plan; setting a budget for building materials, food and other daily costs; presenting the business proposal to a group of possible funders, and how to creatively run it as a successful business owner.

### **ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS**

Campers will work through several literary concepts while reading short stories and nonfiction articles in order to develop and advance their literary comprehension and understanding. Concepts will be taught through various techniques such as note-taking, discussion and dramatic play. Campers will also receive guidance through the writing process steps in a group and one on one setting, in order to further their skills in brainstorming, development and detail with creative and nonfiction writing, as well as, story creation and telling.

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## **Themes & Activities**

### **JUNE 21ST-25th - THE GREAT OUTDOORS**

This week is all about exploring the Great Outdoors and Healthy Lifestyles! Campers will not only become familiar with the natural world around them but also with different environments of the world such as the oceans, rainforests, and the arctic. They will also tune up their environmental awareness. This activity is all about how to **unplug and enjoy life outside** while learning how to protect nature and keep it clean, safe and beautiful for future generations. Activities include outdoor adventures such as hiking (Beaver Brook), scavenger hunts and geocaching, nature walks and outdoor yoga, environmental awareness and research projects, gardening and hydroponics, and farming topped off by a visit to work on a farm (Wes and Lou's Farm). This week will teach our campers how to be advocates for, and stewards of, our future world!

### **JUNE 28th-JULY 2nd - TOP CHEF**

Campers will learn the ins and outs of how to create a food business-- working as a team, planning a menu and cooking/eating creations of various ingredients during this week. Modeled after the exciting TV series, campers will explore how to compose delightful dishes with fresh ingredients, while working together to run a successful restaurant. This will definitely be a week to challenge their taste buds and their minds. Some activities include cooking, business development, farm to table initiatives and a local trip to pick berries. Bon Appetit!

### **JULY 12th-16th - SHIPWRECKED**

Are you ready to take on this challenge? What would you do if you suddenly found yourself stranded on a deserted island? In this skill based challenge week, campers will take on obstacles, learn navigation and skills to become the ultimate survivor! This all hands on deck week of camp will challenge campers to work through challenging situations and team-based activities to put their real-world survival and collaboration skills to the test! Escape rooms, team challenges involving physical and logic skills, as well as how to cook out and build a shelter will all be part of the fun! Come join us if you're up for the challenge!

### **JULY 19th-23rd - COLOR ME CRAZY!**

This is the week of living color! Our world is filled with art, song, dance, and theatre. It paints the world with creativity and expression! During this week, campers will have the opportunity to do the same with activities such as mosaics, tie-dye, as well as exploring music, dance and theatre to create a living work of art to perform! Campers will explore the fine arts and create their own masterpieces to take home and enjoy. A trip to Chunky's movie theatre will round out this high energy week of creativity.

### **JULY 26th-30th - THE LAB**

Do you often wonder how things are built or what makes them work? How do you take a seed idea from imagination to production? During this week, campers will become scientists, engineers, naturalists and teachers. Camp activities will focus on hands-on learning, encouraging campers to imagine, predict, explore and build. With a focus on fun, community, and STEAM, young minds will be asked to take an interest in many forms of science and creation to work together, create, and problem solve. For instance, what makes a building or a bridge stand so strong? What materials do we need to keep them standing during perhaps an earthquake or a tsunami? Campers will work in teams to design structures and run them through a battery of tests for wind, rain and other possible natural forces to see which ones will stay standing! During this week, campers will also be joined by our very own Lego Man Dan to explore robotics and coding during our afternoon activities.

### **AUGUST 2nd-6th - ATLANTIS**

Let's dive deep into the ocean!! Campers will discover and explore what lies just beyond our reach in the big blue depths. They will spend this week learning about various ocean and marine life, as well as the brave explorers that have ventured into the underwater world. Water is the basis of life. Let's try to unlock its secrets!!! Topics will include Ocean Exploration (water and marine life); Ocean Explorers and Researchers, including their ships, boats, diving, etc. and will include a field trip to the Seacoast Science Center!

### **AUGUST 9th-13th - IN THE JUNGLE**

In this mighty jungle there will be absolutely no sleeping lions! Campers will explore animals and their environments from all over the world. We'll travel on safari, hike through the rain forests of the Amazon, and scale the natural icy creations of the arctic. Campers will become explorers and scientists as they research the animal and plant life around them, then tap into their imagination and knowledge while creating a new plant or animal species of their own. A focus on nature and how to help our environment with virtual trips to nature preserves and animal parks around the world will round out this wild week.

### **AUGUST 16TH-20TH - AROUND THE WORLD**

We are a world of many nations; we are a globe of many people. This week will give campers the opportunity to explore and discover the rich and varied countries and cultures around the world. Activities delve into geography, travel, music, food, and clothing and will include a trip to the Children's Museum of New Hampshire, as well as the Andres Institute for an international artists' hike. Campers will have the opportunity to experience the enrichment plane of discovery and fly about in a world of learning enriched with a knowledge and understanding of the incredible cultures around us.