

“TRIPLE A” Summer Program 2009 Academics, Arts and Athletics

June

Who’s Watching You?

Ellie Harristhal

Come and explore who may be hiding in a nearby bush, perched on a tree limb or scurrying around your feet. You will discover and study some animals in your backyards and forests. Building a bug catcher and minnow races are a few of the activities planned. A few surprise animal guests will visit on the last day.

1 week/90 minutes

Date: June 22-26

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 1 – 3

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 12

Fee: \$90.00

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Date: June 22-26

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 3-4

Enrollment: Minimum 5/Maximum 8

Fee: \$90.00

Young at Art

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The best of both worlds! This class will take you on an art adventure through literature. We will spend time reading wonderful books! After listening to our favorite stories, we will take time to discuss the major literary elements of the story. The story will extend to an art project, which will enable students to exercise their artistic ability. Let your imagination and creativity run wild in this exciting literary-based art class.

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Date: June 22-26
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Ages: Entering grades 1-2
Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10
Fee: \$60.00

Math Rocks!

Katie Jeffery

Does your child need a confidence boost in math? This support class will focus on: basic addition and subtraction facts, time, money, and place value. Each day, students will have individual work time, participate in small group activities, and play fun math games! Each night your child will bring home an engaging activity to share.

1 week/2 hours
Date: June 22-26
Time: 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.
Ages: Entering grades 2-3
Enrollment: Minimum 4/Maximum 6
Fee: \$120.00

Sunshine Reading!

Katie Jeffery

Let's read! In this reading support class students will: review phonic sounds, refresh decoding and encoding skills, build reading fluency, and focus on reading comprehension. Each day students will read individually, with a partner, and in a large group. At the end of each day, students will create and publish stories. Each night your child will bring home a book to share.

1 week/2 hours
Date: June 22-26
Time: 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Ages: Entering grades 2-3
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Fee: \$120.00

iMovie Technology (Gr. 6-9)

Dave Clements

Are you a budding Steven Spielberg with visions of Hollywood, or do you simply want to impress friends and family with your ability to put together an enjoyable and coherent home movie on your Mac? Then this is the course for you.

1 week/60 minutes

Date: June 22-26
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Ages: Entering grades 6-9
Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10
Fee: \$60.00

MS Office Technology (Gr. 6-9)

Dave Clements

Learn how to effectively use the world's most popular business software. Instruction will be given on creating professional looking reports and papers using Word, producing powerful PowerPoint presentations, and using Excel to create multi-tasking spreadsheets and charts.

1 week/60 minutes
Date: June 29-July 3
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Ages: Entering grades 6-9
Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10
Fee: \$60.00

Summer Bible Study

Greg Aitchison

Why host a Bible study at OLG?

Because the Bible is God's Word-plain and simple and I am firmly convinced that reading the Bible can change lives. It changed mine when I was a teenager!

In an effort to encourage young leaders to know and live their Catholic faith while experiencing fun and fellowship along the way, I will be offering a 6-week Bible study through the book of Acts. We will be learning about the earliest days of the Church, the workings of the Holy Spirit, and how every bit of it remains relevant for Christians (especially teens) in the world today. Each Bible study session will involve prayer, Bible reading, group sharing, and an assortment of fun activities (games, skits, etc.).

Come and have fun learning about your faith! It's bound to be the most rewarding thing you do all summer!

*Note (1): Bible studies will take place immediately following the 9:00 am Mass in the Adoration Chapel. All students are encouraged, but not required, to join us at Mass beforehand.

*Note (2): Students should bring a pen, notebook, and a Bible (New American Bible version preferred) with them each time we meet.

Dates:

Tuesday morning Bible study group:

June 23, June 30, July 7, July 14, July 21, July 28

Wednesday morning Bible study group:

June 24, July 1, July 8, July 15, July 22, July 29

Time: 9:30-11 am (immediately following 9:00 am Mass in the Adoration Chapel)

Ages: Entering grades 7-9 grade

Enrollment: Minimum 5 / Maximum 9

Fee: \$108.00

Guitar Lessons

Greg Aitchison

Face it: Guitar Hero and Rock Band just doesn't cut it.

Ever wanted to be able to play a real guitar???

Well, now's your chance. This summer I will be teaching guitar for both beginner and intermediate learners to any incoming 5th – 9th graders willing to learn.

A self-taught guitar player myself (with hardly a lick of natural music ability), I firmly believe that if I can learn, so can you. Not only will students learn guitar basics, but they will be given the tools to continue the learning process on their own.

So, whether you'd love to be able to play the latest Taylor Swift tune or one of your favorite Jonas Brothers hits (or just about anything else for that matter), your musical career lies just around the corner... THIS summer – at OLG!

*Note (1): All students should have their own guitar (acoustic or electric), a working tuner, and a capo (a capo, pronounced "cape-oh", can be purchased for about \$18 at Guitar Center or Schmidt Music).

*Note (2): When scheduling, please keep in mind that it is usually beneficial for students to have a day or two between each lesson so that previously learned material can be practiced and perfected.

Dates:

June 22-25 (M-W)

June 29-July 2

July 6-9

July 13-16

July 20-23

July 27-30

Times:

12:00-12:55 pm

1:00-1:55 pm

2:00-2:55 pm (except on Thursdays)

Ages: Entering grades 5-9

Enrollment: Minimum 1 / Maximum 4

Fee: 1 student at a time = \$50 per for each 55 minute lesson

2 students at a time = \$25 per student for each 55 minute lesson

3 students at a time = \$17 per student for each 55 minute lesson

4 students at a time = \$12.50 per student for each 55 minute lesson

Private Basketball Lessons

Andrew Sherburne

The individual lessons that I will provide are designed to prepare the students for their upcoming basketball season. Focus will be on the skills that need improvement or refining and developing a more complete player. I know what it takes to make it to the next level! I was a varsity starter at Benilde-St. Margaret's for two years and played Division III college basketball at St. John's in Collegeville for four years. I have coached at OLG and Benilde-St. Margaret's for the past four year, in both 8th and 9th grade. I was also an instructor at Minnesota Developmental Basketball for three years. I am very excited to offer these private lessons this summer at OLG.

Participants can sign up individually or in groups as large as four. This program will run through five weeks of the summer. Contact the office to reserve time slots for the summer, they will fill up quickly. Feel free to contact Mr. Sherburne for more information.

5 Sessions-4 days a week for 1 hour

Dates: Monday-Thursday

July 6-9, July 13-16, July 20-23, July 27-30, and August 3-6.

Times: 12:30-1:30, 1:30-2:30, 2:30-3:30, and 3:30-4:30.

Ages: Entering grades 4-9 (boys and girls)

Enrollment: Minimum 1/Maximum 4

Fee: 1 student \$50.00

2 students \$25.00 each

3 students \$17.00 each

4 students \$12.50 each

Happy Fun Play Time

Greg Aitchison

Study after study has come out suggesting that one thing everyone could benefit from is spending more time playing. This course is designed to help answer that call and to simply "let kids be kids"!

Each week will feature a new game that will require only a positive attitude and a willingness to have fun. Some games may be familiar (Dodgeball, Ultimate Frisbee, etc.) while others (Bonkers, Ultimate Banana, etc.) may not be. All games will be thoroughly taught and explained before playing and, although a healthy sense of competition will be involved, scores and winners will not be a large emphasis of our “Happy Fun Play Time”.

For those of us who can’t get away for the entire summer, consider this your once-a-week “camp-like” experience. It promises to be happy, fun, and stock-full of playtime!

*Note: In the event of poor weather, “Happy Fun Play Time” will be moved to the gym.

Dates:

Thursdays:

June 25, July 2, July 9, July 16, July 23, July 30

Time: 10-11:00 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 5-9

Enrollment: Minimum 16 / Maximum 24

Fee: \$36 for all 6 sessions

July

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Get ready...Get set...Write! Put your pencils to work in this creative writing class. Students will explore the wonderful world of writing through writers’ workshop. This class will add meaning to the writing process and enable students to develop expression, revision strategy, and skill in writing!

1 week/90 minutes

Date: July 13-17

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 3-4

Enrollment: Minimum 5/Maximum 8

Fee: \$90.00

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1 week/90 minutes

Date: July 20-24

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 3-4

Enrollment: Minimum 5/Maximum 8

Fee: \$90.00

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1 week/60 minutes

Date: July 13-17

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Ages: Entering grades 1-2

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10

Fee: \$60.00

1 week/60 minutes

Date: July 20-24

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Ages: Entering grades 1-2

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10

Fee: \$60.00

1 week/60 minutes

Date: July 27-31

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Ages: Entering grades 1-2

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10

Fee: \$60.00

iWorks Technology (Gr. 6-9)

Dave Clements

Do you want to more fully use the Pages, Keynote, and Numbers programs that are on the school computers or your own Mac to become more creative in the documents, presentations and spreadsheets you produce. Then this iWorks class is for you.

1 week/60 minutes

Date: July 6-10

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 6-9

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10

Fee: \$60.00

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1 week/60 minutes

Date: July 13-17

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 3-5

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10

Fee: \$60.00

Mrs. M.'s Book Club (Gr. 7-8)

Marie Maslowski

Come join Mrs. M. for a fun week of reading! We'll explore a book together with some fun activities, great discussion, and in-depth exploration into literary themes. Bring a pillow and your imagination for fun times!!

1 week/90 minutes

Date: July 13-17

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 7-8

Enrollment: Minimum 5/Maximum 12

Fee: \$90.00

Mrs. M.'s Book Club (Gr. 5-6)

Marie Maslowski

Come join Mrs. M. for a fun week of reading! We'll explore a book together with some fun activities, great discussion, and in-depth exploration into literary themes. Bring a pillow and your imagination for fun times!!

1 week/90 minutes
Date: July 20-24
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Ages: Entering grades 5-6
Enrollment: Minimum 5/Maximum 12
Fee: \$90.00

Girls' Basketball Camp (Gr. 3-5)

Marie Maslowski

OLG Girls' Basketball Camp is a fun way to improve your game. The camp will focus on conditioning, fundamentals, instruction, scrimmages, offensive and defensive skills.

1 week/90 minutes
Date: July 13-17
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Ages: entering grades 3-5
Enrollment: Minimum 7/Maximum 10
Fee: \$ 60.00

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Date: July 20-24
Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Ages: entering grades 6-8
Enrollment: Minimum 7/Maximum 10
Fee: \$ 60.00

Play's the Thing

Nancy Jackson and Deb Skinner

Calling all aspiring actors! Bring your talent and enthusiasm to be a part of a dramatic production. Participants will learn vocal expression, movement and creative drama while amazing and entertaining an audience. A performance of a short play will end the two-week session.

2 weeks/2 hours
Date: July 27-31 and August 3-7
Time: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Ages: Entering grades 1-8

Enrollment: Minimum 12/Maximum 25
Fee: \$170.00

August

JumpStart to Algebra

Dave Clements

Are you stepping into Algebra I next year and need some quick review? Or do you simply want to step up your math skills? Then come and join us for two weeks of quick, hard-hitting Algebra fun.

2 weeks/60 minutes

Date: August 3-7 and August 10-14

Time: 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 7-9

Enrollment: Minimum 4/Maximum 10

Fee: \$120.00

Intro to Geometry

Dave Clements

Are you curious as to what is in store for you next year when you step into the Geometry classroom? This class will enlighten you about the vocabulary of Geometry covering such topics as radical expressions, triangles, angle relationships, and the always popular: proofs!!

2 weeks/60 minutes

Date: August 3-7 and August 10-14

Time: 10:15 a.m.-11:15 a.m.

Ages: Entering grades 7-9

Enrollment: Minimum 4/Maximum 10

Fee: \$120.00

MS Office Technology (Gr. 3-5)

Dave Clements

Learn how to effectively use the world's most popular business software. Instruction will be given on creating professional looking reports and papers using Word, as well as producing powerful PowerPoint presentations, and using Excel to create multi-tasking spreadsheets and charts.

1 week/60 minutes

Date: August 3-7

Time: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Ages: Entering grades 3-5

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10
Fee: \$60.00

iWorks Technology (Gr. 3-5)

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1 week/60 minutes
Date: August 10-14
Time: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Ages: Entering grades 3-5
Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 10
Fee: \$60.00

Let's Take Some Action: Working with Verbs in Spanish

Adam Groebner

Are you confused about how to conjugate verbs in Spanish? Take this quick summer course, and we will review work with pronouns, verbs, and verb conjugation. We will work with many regular verbs and some new irregular verbs. Students should leave this course comfortable with present tense verb conjugation and sentence formation. This course is also ideal for new students entering OLG who are new to Spanish.

1 week/60 minutes
Date: August 10-14
Time: 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
Ages: Entering Grades 6-8
Enrollment: Minimum 7/Maximum 12
Fee: \$60.00

Hablamos Español! Spanish Conversation Class

Adam Groebner

Take your Spanish skills a step further and join in this summer Spanish conversation course. This enrichment course will help you excel in 8th Grade Spanish or enter High School Spanish with greater confidence.

2 weeks/60 minutes
Date: August 3, 5, 6, 10, 12, 13 (Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday)
Time: 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.
Ages: Entering Grades 8-9

Enrollment: Minimum 6/Maximum 14
Fee: \$72.00

Volleyball Skills Camp Christina Strantz

This class is designed for the beginner volleyball player. The camp will focus on all aspects of the game with an emphasis on fundamentals. The areas that will be worked on include: serving, serve and receiving, and forearm passing. Individual training combined with team concepts will help the participant learn basic volleyball skills. ****You must bring kneepads and water!****

1 week/90 minutes
Date: August 10-14
Time: 9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.
Ages: Entering grades 4-5
Enrollment: Minimum 7/Maximum 16
Fee: 60.00

GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration Policy

The OLG Triple A Summer Program 2009 is open only to 2009 OLG graduates and students registered at OLG School for fall 2009.

A completed application including full payment for each student is required to process a registration. Registrations will be accepted starting March 16, 2009. To register for OLG Triple A Summer Program, send your completed registration form to OLG School, Summer Program, 5051 Eden Ave., Edina MN 55436. Make checks payable to Our Lady of Grace School. All registration forms must be received by April 20, 2009.

Register each child based on the incoming grade level for September 2009.

Registration will be on a first come, first serve basis.

Confirmation notification will be mailed by May 1, 2009 or when classes are filled.

Outdoor classes will be held indoors in case of inclement weather.

Cancellation Policy

We reserve the right to cancel courses that do not meet stated minimum enrollment. OLG will refund all tuition for any course that is cancelled.

Refund requests made prior to May 15th will be refunded (minus a \$30.00 processing fee), providing OLG is able to fill the class. In the event that OLG is unable to fill your cancellation, a 50% refund will be issued. No refunds will be issued after May 15th. Any request for a refund must be made in writing to OLG school administration.

No refunds will be given due to students absences.

Attendance

Daily attendance supports not only the hours of preparation of the teacher, but honors the commitment your child makes to participate in the class.

Health Forms

*Please note there will be no health associate on staff during summer classes.

All health forms on file for your child should be current. If any changes are required, parents should update the form prior to May 15th.

Discipline Policy

Discipline policies will be consistent with those outlined in the OLG School Parent/Student handbook.

Student Supervision

Students are expected to arrive on time for their scheduled activity.

All students are expected to be picked up promptly from their child's classroom/gym/field. If a child is not picked up on time, the child will be asked to wait in the school office.

Students will not be allowed to be alone on the playground without supervision. In the event of a wait time between classes, parents will be asked to provide supervision for their child. Should there be sufficient demand, OLG will consider offering supervision for a fee.

REMINDER

Triple A runs as a separate entity from the OLG Summer Childcare program. Please consider this when you are registering for classes.

