

Department of Human Service Programs - City Of Cambridge
Fletcher Maynard Community School

Summer 2014

CITY EXPLORERS

A Summer Program for kids ages 7-13

6/30/14-8/8/14* no programs on 7/4

Monday-Friday 12:00pm-6:00pm

Walking field trips around Cambridge/Boston for rising 2nd graders-7th graders, ages 7-13

Weekly Enrollment fee: \$75 per student**

Minimum enrollment: 6 students

**Need- Based Scholarships available to qualifying families. Scholarship deadline: 6/2/2014

Program Mission Statement:

City Explorers aims to help elementary school age youth experience their environment in a new and exciting way. We hope that through hands-on/face-to-face interactions with the rich culture and history that surrounds them they will cultivate a sense of pride in their environment, and as an extension, in themselves. Our goal is to support the development of healthy, physically active, reflective, confident and happy children.

Students will be active participants in :

- Physical activity:** walking while touring, climbing, running in public parks and playground areas
- Accessing the public transit systems**, bus and train service
- **Learning more about the history** of their neighborhood and surrounding area
- **Visiting art and cultural venues** to cultivate a lifelong pride and interest in museums and their city
- A **varied outdoor /indoor** recreational and social experience
- A summer enrichment experience that is **budget -friendly**
- Literacy & Art activities:** opportunity for students to reflect & share their experiences in a creative way through scrapbooking, journal writing, art projects and social media!
- Making connections:** to history, to themselves, to the world. Students will exercise critical thinking skills, and have a more complete understanding of America's Revolutionary History as it relates to Boston and Cambridge. (Massachusetts Dept of Education Learning Standards in Social Studies)

New 2014 Destinations: Boston's Harborwalk, Spectacle Island, & the Magazine Beach Pool!

Favorite trips from past years: Spectacle Island, Georges Island & Mass Audubon Wildlife Sanctuary, Museum of Science, Rose Kennedy Greenway, Freedom Trail, Harvard Museums, MIT Museum, ICA, Frog Pond & Boston Common, Swan Boats & Boston Garden, Mapparium, North End, Faneuil Hall & Quincy Market, and many more! Join us for a summer you wont forget!

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