Summer Opportunities for 6th-8th Graders
Summer 2022

Compiled by:
The Middle School Network
Why Summer Matters: Summer programs provide structure to young people’s summer experiences, providing them with opportunities to build strong relationships, make new friends, build and keep fresh academic skills, engage in new experiences, and fun ways to stay active.

How To Use This Guide:
- Our goal is to provide one place to find all the information you need to make summer plans
- This guide includes all of the major programs for this age group in Cambridge: those run by nonprofits, by City agencies, by local universities and businesses
- The Planning Tool (the grid on the first few pages) will provide less detail but a quick overview of what programs will meet your needs.
- Each program has key details listed, with links to the program applications and websites
- If you would like someone to talk through your options, please let us know - we can help sort through the information you see here and choose what works for you and your family.
- If you would like interpretation or problem-solving in your native language, please contact Annie Leavitt, Middle School Network Coordinator at aleavitt@cpsd.us

Cost Key:
- $: low cost, or affordable because cost is adjusted by income
- $$: higher cost, no scholarships available
- $$*: higher cost but with scholarships readily available
- $$$*: expensive but with scholarships readily available

Who We Are: The Middle School Network (MSN) is coordinated by the Cambridge Agenda for Children Out-of-School Time (OST), a citywide intermediary working with Cambridge Public Schools as well as many other city-run and community-based programs serving young people beyond the school day and year.

The Agenda for Children OST’s mission is to increase equity, access and innovation and sustain the highest quality OST opportunities and experiences for all children, youth and families. For more on the Agenda for Children’s projects and initiatives visit www.agendaforchildrenost.org.
This Summer Guide was compiled in collaboration with FindItCambridge.org. Find these programs and more opportunities for those who live, work and play in Cambridge!

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Full Day Enrichment Camps

Agassiz Baldwin: Outback

**Location:** 20 Sacramento Street Cambridge, MA

**Dates/Times:** 8 one-week sessions from July 11 - September 2; Monday-Friday, 8:30AM-3PM (regular day); 8:30AM-5:45PM (extended day)

**Primary Program Activities:** Arts (ceramics, painting, mixed media, printmaking), sports & games, dance/drama. Choice-based program with a variety of activities.

**Grades/Ages Served:** Rising JK through rising 6th grade

**To Enroll:** Enroll through the online registration system when registration opens (date March 1). It's recommended to set up an account beforehand to make sure you're ready the day of. You will then pay a deposit ($100 per week that you sign up for) and complete a permissions form. Screen reader support enabled.

**Deadline:** No deadline - enrollment is open until the program fills up. Typically we see a waitlist start on the day enrollment opens, but there can be some movement.

**Cost:** $412 per week for regular day, $567 per week for extended day. There is a discount if you pay by check or automatic withdrawal, and those rates are $400 for regular day and $550 for extended; Scholarships, Vouchers available

**For more information:** [https://agassiz.org/childrens-programs/outback-summer-program/](https://agassiz.org/childrens-programs/outback-summer-program/)

See Agassiz Baldwin on Find It Cambridge

Contact: Jess Leach (Children's Programs Registration) at 617-349-6287x19, registration@agassiz.org

Visit their Outback Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

Cambridge Adventure Day Camp (CADC)

**Location:** TBD

**Dates/Times:** Mon-Friday, 9am-4pm. One 5 week session from July 11th- August 12th, 2022

**Primary Program Activities:** Field trips, sports, arts, crafts, nature and science, swimming

**Grades/Ages Served:** 5-11 years old, plus Jr CITs ages 12&13

**Eligibility:** Must be Cambridge resident, priority given to under-resourced families

**To Enroll:** Make an office appointment with Sara to fill out paperwork, or call 617-864-0960 to do it on the phone.
**Deadline:** Registration opened March 1st, usually fills in late March/April, late applicants can be added to a waitlist.

**Cost:** Sliding scale based on family income and household size.

**Transportation:** Includes free bus transportation to and from CADC within Cambridge city limits.

**For more information:** Contact Sara Whitford, 617-864-0960, s.whitford@cambridgecamping.org. Website: cambridgecamping.org

Visit their CADC Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

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**Cambridge Community Center (CCC): Cowemoki Summer Enrichment Program**

**Location:** Cambridge Community Center, 5 Callendar Street, Cambridge, MA 02139

**Dates/Times:** July 5th - August 26th, 7:30AM - 4:30PM w/ extended day till 5:30PM

**Primary Program Activities:** Swimming, Soccer, Middle-School Hip Hop, Art Classes, Tech Lab Activities

**Grades/Ages Served:** K-6th, 5-12

**Eligibility:** if relevant for program, take out if not

**To Enroll:**
1. Please register online first
2. A director will follow-up by email or phone
3. Must have certain documents in order to start
4. Director will give you a start date

**Deadline:** No deadline

**Cost:** $225/week or $50/day. Can sign up for one week or whole summer.

**For more information:** [http://www.cambridgecc.org/](http://www.cambridgecc.org/), Latifah & Rachel, phone number, rachelk@cambridgecc.org / latifahj@cambridgecc.org

Visit their Cowemoki Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

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**Cambridge Daybreak Day Camp**

**Location:** Community Charter School of Cambridge

**Dates/Times:** July 11-August 12, Mon-Friday, 8:30a-2:30p

**Primary Program Activities:** crafts, field trips, nature, athletics, swimming

**Grades/Ages Served:** Ages 5-12, grades K-6/7

**Eligibility:** Children who need a smaller setting with more adults available to support participation and connections

**To Enroll:** Contact Mia at Daybreak@cambridgecamping.org
Deadline: Contact can start now, registration site opens 3/1/2022. Until Late April or May, but families should reach out at any point.

Cost: Sliding fee scale based on family size and income; Scholarships, Sliding Scale, Vouchers

Transportation: Yes, there are school busses for pickup and drop off

Other: Daybreak believes that children learn new skills, make friends, and find success when they feel a sense of belonging and a connection to a community that celebrates who they are.

For more information: Website: www.cambridgecamping.org, Contact Mia Klinger, Phone: 617-686-3579, email: daybreak@cambridgecamping.org

Visit their Daybreak Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

Cambridge Friends School Summer Program

Location: Cambridge Friends School, 5 Cadbury Road, Cambridge 02140

Dates/Times: June 27th-August 19, Mon-Friday, 8:30a-3:00pm

Primary Program Activities: Themes for each week drive camp activities:

- Week 1 (June 27 – July 1): Super Heroes: Real and Imagined
- Week 2 (July 5 – 8): Under the Sea
- Week 3 (July 11 – 15): King Arthur’s Faire
- Week 4 (July 18 – 22): Go West, My Friend
- Week 5 (July 25 – 29): The Mind is an Incredible Thing
- Week 6 (August 1 – 5): That’s Ancient History
- Week 7 (August 8 – 12): CFS Summer Olympics
- Week 8 (August 15 – 19): All Things Fantastical

Grades/Ages Served: Ages 4-13 (rising K-8)

Eligibility: students do not need to attend Cambridge Friends School to attend.

To Enroll: Go to https://cambridgefriendsschool.org/summer/ and click on registration.

Deadline: registration opened in March, is open until each week is full. Waitlists are created.

Cost: Tuition per week is $550 (lower price for July 4th week). Financial aid is available on a first come, first served basis. To apply for financial aid please contact CFSsummer@cambridgefriendsschool.org before completing online registration.

Other: Groups are no more than 12 students, with two teachers per group. Program provides a packaged snack each day, children bring lunches.

For more information: Website: https://cambridgefriendsschool.org/summer/, Contact: 617-354-3880 ext146, email: CFSsummer@cambridgefriendsschool.org

Visit their CFS Summer Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

Cambridge Youth Enrichment Program
Location: Cambridge local schools (Tentative: Peabody School and Cambridgeport School)
Dates/Times: July 6 - August 12, Monday-Friday, 9am-3:30pm
Primary Program Activities: Day camp, learning, field trips, recreation, community
Grades/Ages Served: ages 6-13
Eligibility: Priority to Cambridge residents of affordable housing communities, or those who are free or reduced-lunch eligible
To Enroll: Applications open in March. Fill out the form online to the best of your ability.
Deadline: March 1 - May 15, 2022 (Rolling admissions until camp is full)
Cost: $140, Scholarships, Sibling discount
For more information: Website: https://pbha.org/programs/sup, Contact person: CYEP Directors, phone number, email: cye@pbha.org
Other: We also have several other Boston-based camps. We can refer interested registrants if CYEP fills up.
Visit their CYEP Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

Camp Rainbow
Location: Cambridge Street Upper School
Dates/Times: Starting July 11th
Primary Program Activities: Camp Rainbow serves children and youth (ages 6-22) with disabilities by providing a super fun summer program full of outdoor activities, swimming, field trips, crafts, cooking, and more!
Grades/Ages Served: K-12th grade
To Enroll: https://www.cambridgema.gov/DHSP/Recreation/specialneeds
Deadline: Open until filled
Cost: The fee for full-day attendance (9:00am-3:00pm) is $50 per week.
The fee for half-day attendance (12:30pm-3:00pm) is $10 per week
For more information: Website, name of contact person: Erin Quinn, phone number: 617-892-5478, Email: cambridgecamprainbow@gmail.com
Transportation: Yes
Visit their Camp Rainbow Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

Community Arts Center: ArtRocks! Summer Camp
Location: Community Art Center - 119 Windsor Street Cambridge, MA 02139
Dates/Times: July 5th - September 2nd, Monday-Friday, 8:00am - 6:00pm
Primary Program Activities: Visual arts, theatre, media arts, dance, outdoor exploration
Grades/Ages Served: 5-12 years old
To Enroll: Summer Program enrollment opens in April. Parents will fill first out an interest form through ProCare:
https://schools.procareconnect.com/register/2612f3a6-04f4-4bf4-a71c-815361495032
Community Art Center will then contact the parent to offer more information and an optional tour. If the parent would like to move forward, they would then fill out an application:
https://www.communityartcenter.org/sacc-applications-forms
Deadline: TBD
Cost: Cost is calculated on an income-based sliding scale
https://www.communityartcenter.org/_files/ugd/f6ea47_131b1529c633481492b500c82dc9fa83.pdf
For information about financial aid and scholarships, please email Jen Babcock Davis, Director of Operations and Finance at jen@communityartcenter.org
For more information: Website: https://www.communityartcenter.org, Contact person: Jada Alleyne, Phone: 617-868-7100 x 125, email: jada@communityartcenter.org
Visit their ArtRocks! Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

City of Cambridge: Department of Human Services Programs
Cambridge Youth Summer Programs (4 different options)

All camps will run Monday -Friday from 8:30am-5:30pm, during three 2-week sessions.
Session 1: Week 1 and 2 (July 11-22)
Session 2: Weeks 3 and 4 (July 25 – August 5)
Session 3: Weeks 5 and 6 (August 8 – August 19)
Deadline: Applications accepted through Friday, April 15. Families will be notified of their child’s placement in a camp or in the waiting pool the week of April 25th.

- CYP Summer Programs are open to rising 4-8th graders.
- Programs will run Monday – Friday from 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. during three 2-week sessions.
- Applications will be accepted through DHSP’s Trax registration system through Friday, April 15.
- People who apply will be automatically placed in a waiting pool until a lottery is run for each program. Priority will be given to applicants from low-income households.
- Families will be notified of whether their child is offered a seat at a camp or placed in the waiting pool the week of April 25.
• Program cost: affordable fees based on a sliding scale. Grade 4-7 sliding scale based on household income ($25-$300 weekly). Grade 8 students are free. No financial assistance or scholarships are available. [View tuition rates]
• Website: http://www.cambridgema.gov/SummerCamps
• Visit their CYP Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

(see next page for programs and sites)

**Discovery Program at Russell Youth Center**
**Location:** 680 Huron Avenue
**Primary Program Activities:** Rising 4-8th graders explore their interests and express themselves through performing and visual arts, science exploration, sports, and other fun activities!
**For more information:** Contact: Nelita DePina, Phone: (617) 349-6314, Email: ndepina@cambridgema.gov

**Empowerment Program at Frisoli Youth Center**
**Location:** 61 Willow Street
**Primary Program Activities:** Build confidence, self-esteem, and community in an environment inclusive of all gender identities. Activities include volleyball, self-defense, swimming, arts, science, and more!
**For more information:** Contact: Vanessa Fisher, Phone: (617) 349-4497, Email: vfisher@cambridgema.gov

**Sports Leadership Academy at Moore Youth Center**
**Location:** 12 Gilmore Street
**Primary Program Activities:** Learn, practice, and develop skills for a variety of sports, including soccer, basketball, swimming, tennis, and more! In addition to athletics, programming focuses on enrichment, academics, and leadership building.
Contact: Kaitlyn Kelley, Phone: (617) 349-4492, Email: kakelley@cambridgema.gov

**Middle School Summer Program: Swag Academy at Gately Youth Center**
**Location:** 70 Rindge Avenue
**Primary Program Activities:** Enjoy a variety of fun activities, including sports and visual arts. Learn about healthy living and develop leadership skills, with a focus on connecting with peers and younger youth
Contact: Bo Lembo, Phone: (617) 349-6277, Email: rlembo@cambridgema.gov
East End House Middle School Summer Program

**Location:** Putnam Ave Upper School  
**Dates/Times:** Exact dates TBA. Full day program with breakfast, lunch and a snack  
**Primary Program Activities:** Enrichment activities, field trips and social emotional learning  
**Grades/Ages Served:** Rising 6th, 7th, 8th graders  
**To Enroll:** Contact Marse Romero - marse@eastendhouse.org Marse Romero, Phone: 617-876-4444.  
*Visit their East End House Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.*

Margaret Fuller Neighborhood House

**Location:** TBD  
**Dates/Times:** Dates: TBD, 8:30am-5:30pm  
**Primary Program Activities:** Field trips, swimming, museums, and much more  
**Grades/Ages Served:** Rising K-6th grade  
**To Enroll:** Online application  
**Deadline:** Registration begins April 15th until full  
**Cost:** Contact program for cost, accepts vouchers and has subsidized slots available for eligible families.  
*For more information:* Website: [Margaret Fuller House.org](mailto:Margaret Fuller House.org), Contact person: Amanda Perez, Phone: 617-216-6945, Email: aperez@margaretfullerhouse.org  
*Visit their Margaret Fuller Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.*

Steve & Kate’s Summer Camp

**Location:** Buckingham Browne & Nichols Middle School at 80 Sparks St (from June 21st - August 4th) and then three more weeks at St. Theresa of the Child Jesus, 192 Summer St, Somerville, MA 02143 from Aug 10-Aug 26th.  
There is also a Boston location at the Winsor School (from June 20-Aug 12th)  
**Dates/Times:** 8am-6pm, June 21st - August 26th, 2022.  
**Primary Program Activities:** Media lab, performing arts, sewing salon, bakery, sports & rec, the “makery”, water play, pie throwing every Friday, plus weekly “specials.”  
**Grades/Ages Served:** Ages 4-12  
**To Enroll:** Go to [https://steveandkatescamp.com/cambridge/](https://steveandkatescamp.com/cambridge/) and click “register now.” You have to create an account, and then registration takes about 5-10 mins.
Cost: One-day passes (at $109/day) Whole summer pass (more than 30 days of camp) for $3,270/per child. Financial aid offered to qualifying families. Day rates in Cambridge/Boston with financial assistance are $79/day or $2,370/whole summer.

Other: Lunch and snack provided

For more information: Website: https://steveandkatescamp.com/cambridge/
Email Cambridge@steveandkate.com, Phone: call or text 617-245-0410
Visit their Steve and Kate's Find It Cambridge page to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

Summer Arts at Fayerweather

Location: 765 Concord Avenue, Cambridge, Ma 02138

Dates/Times: Monday-Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm

Session 1: June 27-July 15
Session 2: July 18-August 5

Primary Program Activities: Students explore their creativity, express their individuality, and take artistic risks

Grades/Ages Served: Ages 6-15

To Enroll: Summer Arts is full for the 2022 season. However, please contact Camp Director Toby Dewey if you would like to be on the waitlist for the second session (July 18 - August 5) or placed on the mailing list for the 2023 season (registration available on December 1, 2022)

https://summerartsfayerweather.campbrainregistration.com/

Cost:
- Full Season (6weeks): $3,600-Dates-June 27 to Aug 5
- Session One (3weeks): $1,800-Dates: June 27 to July 15
- Session Two (3weeks): $1,800-Dates: July 18 to Aug 5

For more information: Website: https://summerarts.fayerweather.org/ , name of contact person: Toby Dewey, phone number: 617-876-4746, email: toby@fayerweather.org

Summer @ BB&N Classic Camps

Location: Buckingham Browne & Nichols, 80 Gerry’s Landing Road, Cambridge, MA

Dates/Times: 8 weeks of camp available, starting June 24th and going until August 12th. Day runs from 8:15-3:30 with extended day and transportation available for an extra fee.

Primary Program Activities: full day summer camp with variety of activities, swimming once a week and lots of fun in the sun.
- Kiddie Camp (PreK-K)
- Junior Day Camp (Gr. 1-3)
- Senior Day Cam (Gr. 4-6)
- Teen Camp (Gr 7-9)
• LIT Level 1 (Gr 8-10)
• LIT Level 2 (Gr 9-10)

Grades/Ages Served: See above for different age groups

To Enroll: Go to Summer@BB&N Website at [https://bbnsummer.com/dates-registration/](https://bbnsummer.com/dates-registration/) and make an account to register. Cambridge gives out some scholarships to residents, with priority for low income families and families on free/reduced lunch. See that form here.

Deadline: Groups for K-2nd graders fill quickly, others open until mid-May in some cases.

Cost: $600-$670/ week depending on age of child.

For more information: [https://bbnsummer.com/](https://bbnsummer.com/), Cristina DeFabritiis, summer@bbns.org

Visit their [BB&N Camps Find It Cambridge page](https://bbnsummer.com/) to learn more about this opportunity and other programs.

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Y.M.C.A Cambridge

Location: Cambridge Central Square YMCA, 820 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139

Dates/Times: July 5th-Aug 26th, 8:00am-5:00pm

Primary Program Activities: structured, fun-filled activities and outings to local parks, as well as weekly field trips to museums, movies, beaches, and other exciting locations in the Boston/Cambridge area.

Grades/Ages Served: Ages 5-13

To Enroll: [https://www.cambridgeymca.org/clientuploads/Forms/Childcare/2022_Summer_Program_Application.pdf](https://www.cambridgeymca.org/clientuploads/Forms/Childcare/2022_Summer_Program_Application.pdf)

Cost: Week 1: $220 / Weeks 2 - 8: $275

For more information: Website: [https://www.cambridgeymca.org/childcare/summer-program/](https://www.cambridgeymca.org/childcare/summer-program/), name of contact person: Beck Govoni, phone number:(617) 661-9622 ext. 721, email: bgovoni@cambymca.org

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Breakthrough Greater Boston

Location: Cambridge Rindge & Latin School

Dates/Times: July 5th- August 13th, Monday-Friday, 8:00am-3:00pm

Primary Program Activities: Academics, Community Building, Trips, Clubs

Grades/Ages Served: Ages 13-16

Eligibility: Program runs November-February
To Enroll: November
Deadline: Early February
Cost: No cost
For more information: Website: http://breakthroughgreaterboston.org/, name of contact person: Kimone Simpson, phone number: 617-599-9827, email: ksimpson@btgbmail.org
Transportation: Yes

CPS Morning Math & CPS Morning ELA
Location: TBD. Typically Putnam Ave Upper School Building. Transportation provided to and from the program from local bus stops.
Dates/Times: July 11th - August 12th (5 weeks), 9am-12noon
Primary Program Activities:
Morning Math Activities:
- Math enrichment activities - math, logic and problem solving
- Build confidence and prepare for next year
- Potential partnership with Young People’s Project
Morning ELA Activities:
- Participate in engaging reading and writing activities
- Read and discuss rich, grade appropriate novels
- Receive targeted intervention as needed
- Build confidence and prepare for next year
Grades/Ages Served: Rising 6th - Rising 8th graders
Eligibility: this program is open to all CPS Upper School scholars, with priority given to those scholars who have shown the need for support in making academic gains and growth.
To Enroll: Register online on the CPS Summer Program Registration Portal
Transportation: Transportation provided to and from the program from local CPS bus stops.
Deadline: TBD
Cost: No cost.
For more information: check CPS website for Summer Programs: https://www.cpsd.us/summer. Email Katisha John at kjohn@cpsd.us about Morning Math.

CPS: CRLS Summer Preview Courses
Location: At CRLS or Virtual, still TBD
Dates/Times: varies based on the program
Primary Program Activities: Options still TBD.
Offerings in the past for rising 9th graders have included Preview courses for Grade 9/10, Summer Math Preview Program, History Preview Program and a CRLS “freshman academy.”

**Grades/Ages Served:** Rising 9th - 12th graders  
**Eligibility:** most programs are open to anyone  
**To Enroll:** check out options as they are posted on the “high school” tab at https://www.cpsd.us/summer  
**Cost:** No cost.

For more information: Check this site as summer approaches:  https://www.cpsd.us/summer

**CPS: English Language Learners (ELL) Summer Program**

**Location:** in a CPS school building, TBD  
**Dates/Times:** July 11th - Aug 5th, 2022, 8:30am - 2pm  
**Primary Program Activities:** 4 week in person summer program for students currently enrolled in CPS English Language Learners (ELL) programs, who will be in grades 1-8.  
**Grades/Ages Served:** Students entering grades 1-8.  
**Eligibility:** Eligible students will be invited by program leaders.  
**To Enroll:** Talk to your child’s teacher.  
**Cost:** None  
For more information: see https://www.cpsd.us/summer

**CPS: Rise UP Program @Cambridge Rindge and Latin**

**Location:** Cambridge Rindge and Latin High School, 459 Broadway, Cambridge, MA 02138  
**Dates/Times:** July 11 - August 19, Mon-Friday 8:30-12:30  
**Primary Program Activities:** Transition to CRLS High School  
**Grades/Ages Served:** 8th grade  
**Eligibility:** rising 9th graders, Cambridge residents who will attend CRLS in Sept 2022  
**To Enroll:** email rkelley@cpsd.us  
**Deadline:** 1/10 until full  
**Cost:** No Cost. Can be a Mayor’s Program site (and thus a paid job) if young person also applies for the Mayor’s Summer Employment Program (see employment section)  
For more information: Website: https://crls.cpsd.us/activities/rise_up_program  
Contact person: Rob Kelley, phone number: 6178422525, email: rkelley@cpsd.us

**Club Z Tutoring: Study Skills Program**

**Location:** Virtual  
**Dates/Times:** Session scheduling is flexible, call for details.
Primary Program Activities: this program starts with a diagnostic quiz, so that tutoring sessions can be customized for each young person in the following topics: time and self management skills, information gathering skills, improving concentration and memory, organizational skills, test prep and anxiety, homework management skills and strategies, writing papers and essays.

Grades/Ages Served: 5th - 12th graders

Eligibility: if relevant for program, take out if not

To Enroll: Registration for summer opens on May 2nd, 2022.

Cost: varies based on program length, no scholarships or financial assistance is available

For more information: check website at [http://www.clubztutoring.com/Cambridge](http://www.clubztutoring.com/Cambridge), contact Celine Bewsher, 617.245.2507, cbewsher@clubztutoring.com

Also See: Club Z Singapore Math Tutoring in the STEM Opportunities section below

MIT/Welllesley Upward Bound

Location: Wellesley College, 106 Central Street Wellesley, MA 02481

Dates/Times: six weeks between June and August, Sunday evening at 7:00PM through Friday afternoon at 2:00PM

Primary Program Activities: Classes and Academic Support, Workshops, College Advising, Cultural and Recreational Activities & Wellesley College Poster Presentations

Grades/Ages Served: ages 13 to 18

Eligibility: Applicant must meet the federal low-income guidelines and/or be first-generation to attend college. Additionally, an applicant must be enrolled at Cambridge Rindge and Latin School (CRLS), Community Charter School of Cambridge (CCSC), or Prospect Hill Academy (PHA) Charter School or be a rising ninth grader registered for enrollment at one of these schools in the fall.

To Enroll: Parent will need to complete the Student Pre-Application form for their child, once they have completed the form it will be submitted and a UB staff will review the student Pre-Application to determine their eligibility to continue in the full application process.

Deadline: Applications from students in the eighth grade are accepted annually from February 1st to May 15th. Applications from students in the ninth, tenth, and eleventh grades are accepted annually primarily from September 1st to December 15th. However, these current high school students may apply at any time throughout the year.

Cost: No Cost

Transportation: Transportation services are provided during the summer session only; via Sunday evening (5:50PM) and Friday afternoon (at 2:00PM) bus service.

For more information: Website: [http://mitwupwardbound.mit.edu/](http://mitwupwardbound.mit.edu/), Contact person: Kelly Galvao, Phone: 617-680-2635, email: lgalvao@mit.edu
Other: Please note that we are working on our summer planning, for the last two years due to Covid-19 we have held our summer programming virtually. The information inputted is based on an in person experience. We will keep everyone updated with our final summer plans soon.

Recent Immigrant Summer Enrichment (RISE)

Location: Boston school building (exact one TBA)
Dates/Times: July 6 - August 12, Monday-Friday, 9am-3:30pm
Primary Program Activities: Mentorship, community service, college and career preparation, English as a second language instruction, social emotional skills/community building. Note: this program used to be called RYSE - Refugee Youth Summer Enrichment and recently changed their name to better reflect the student population they serve.
Grades/Ages Served: ages 14-20
Eligibility: Recently arrived teenagers who are motivated to improve their English skills and explore career opportunities.
To Enroll: Fill out the form online, contact rise@pbha.org with any questions. Application link: https://pbha.org/get-involved/for-program-participants/sup-camper-application/
Deadline: March 1 - June 15, 2022 (Rolling admissions until camp is full)
Cost: $140 with Scholarships and Sibling discount available. Contact rise@pbha.org to request a fee waiver.

For more information:
Website: https://pbha.org/programs/recent-immigrant-summer-enrichment/ , Contact person: RISE Directors, phone number, email: rise@pbha.org
Other: We also have several other Boston-based camps. We can refer interested registrants if this one fills up.

Summer Ink Simmons 2022

Location: Simmons, 2 Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, MA
Dates/Times: July 18-29, 2022, 8:30am-3pm plus extended care 3-5pm
Primary Program Activities: writing, arts, sports, exploration of Boston
Grades/Ages Served: rising 5th and 6th graders
To Enroll: Click the link for registration and answer all questions.
Deadline: Registration opened on 2/11/22; Spots are limited so we encourage those interested to apply ASAP
Cost: $1,750; Scholarships, Sliding Scale. The financial aid application is included in the regular application
Work Force: Summer Learning Literacy Program

Location: 119 Windsor Street Cambridge, MA
Dates/Times: July 5 - August 11, Monday-Friday, 9 am - 12:30 pm
Primary Program Activities: Field trips, Literacy workshops, Special guest speakers, team work
Grades/Ages Served: ages 12-13
Eligibility: Cambridge Housing Resident
To Enroll: complete an online application at https://www.charesidentservices.org/summer-program-applications
Deadline: Application go live on March 14th until March 22th
Cost: No cost. Participants are paid up to $250 for full participation across the summer.
For more information: Website: https://www.charesidentservices.org, Contact Person: Carmen Blyden, phone number: 617-407-0691, email: cblyden@cambridge-housing.org

Cambridge School of Culinary Arts

Location: 2020 Mass Ave, Cambridge, MA 02140
Dates/Times: Classes are offered at different dates throughout the summer. Each class is usually 4 hours long, either in the morning (9:30-1:30) or 3 hours long from 3-6pm. Most are 5 days long, so 4 hours a day across a whole week.
Primary Program Activities: local culinary school offers Teen and Pre-Teen cooking/baking classes at their Porter Square location, including:

- Teen Techniques of Baking, Beginning or Intermediate (5 days)
- Teen Techniques of Cooking, Beginning of Intermediate (5 days)
- Pre-Teen Bakeshop
- Teen Just Cakes (5 days)
- Teen Tour of Italy/ Teen Tour of Spain/Teen Tour of Asia/Teen Tour of France (5 days each)

Grades/Ages Served: Teen classes are for ages 12-17. Pre-teen classes are 8-12 years old.
Eligibility: For scholarships, priority goes to CPS students on free/reduced lunch status at school.
To Enroll: check out the calendar for Teen/PreTeen offerings at this link: https://cambridgeculinary.rezclick.com/index.php?page=calendar&term=teen

Deadline: programs fill at varying rates. Almost all summer classes still have spots open as of March, but many will fill by May.

Cost: $495 for a 5 day pre-teen class; $595 for a 5 day teen class. The Middle School Network has a scholarship arrangement with CSCA where families pay a lower family contribution based on income level; if you would like to attend a class but can’t afford the cost, please email Annie Leavitt at aleavitt@cpsd.us.

For more information: Go to https://cambridgeculinary.com/recreational-programs/ and click on Teen Cooking and Baking Classes to see the calendar. Phone: 617-354-2020. Contact at CSCA: Jerrod Perry, jperry@cambridgeculinary.com

Mass Art Creative Studios

Location: Offering virtual format or on-campus format on the Mass Art Campus

Dates/Times: June 25th - July 8, 2022, Monday- Fridays, 8:30-12:00pm and/or 1-4:30pm

Primary Program Activities: Students may attend for the full day, or for morning or afternoon sessions only. They can also choose a virtual program or an in-person program.

- Architecture and Design (virtual only)
- Drawing Fundamentals (either format)
- Fashion Design (on campus only)
- Stop Motion Animation (Virtual only)
- Comic Book art (virtual only)
- Studio Explorations (on campus only)

Grades/Ages Served: For students entering Grades 7 through 9

To Enroll: Online at https://massart.edu/creative-studios. First come, first serve. Submitting a registration form does not guarantee you enrollment in a class - if your preferred classes are full, you will be placed on a waiting list and be notified if space becomes available.

Deadline: Registration period is from Feb 14th - May 30th, 2022

Cost: Virtual format is $680 per half day, On Campus format is $745 per half day. Scholarships are based on financial need and are available on a first-come first served basis. You will be asked to provide a copy of your most recent tax return with your registration form if you are applying for a scholarship.

For more information: See https://massart.edu/creative-studios. Contact: k12@massart.edu

Sewing Camp

Location: 1343 Cambridge Street, Cambridge, MA 02139
Dates/Times: June 27th-Aug 26th, Monday-Friday, 9:00am-12:30pm
(Variety of camps throughout the summer)

Primary Program Activities: Students learn how to use a sewing machine, read a pattern and cut out fabric. Projects include a drawstring bag, pajama pants, slippers, and a messenger bag.

Grades/Ages Served: Ages 9-14

Eligibility: if relevant for program, take out if not

To Enroll: https://gatherhereonline.com/apps/bookthatapp/calendar

Deadline: Until slots are filled

Cost: $365 per session

For more information: Website: https://gatherhereonline.com/apps/bookthatapp/calendar, Phone:(617) 714-4880, Email: https://gatherhereonline.com/pages/contact

Teen Programs at the Community Arts Center

Location: Community Art Center - 119 Windsor Street Cambridge, MA 02139

Dates/Times: July 11th - August 19th, 2022, Monday-Friday

Primary Program Activities: Teen programs for summer include:

● Teen Public Art Program: creating murals and public art installations
● Teen Filmmaking Program: media foundations, storytelling, filmmaking and photography.

Grades/Ages Served: 14-19 years old (this program is a site for the Mayor’s Program in the summer. In the school year they work with ages 13-19).

To Enroll: Apply to the Mayor’s Program. Fill out this form about your interest in the Teen Programs and you can schedule a tour to check it out.

Deadline: For summer, you must be assigned through the Mayor’s Program. For the school year, it’s best to join at key transition points (start of each semester or school year).

Cost: Young people are paid through the Mayor’s Program in the summer. In the school year, they are paid a stipend for their participation.

For more information: Website: https://www.communityartcenter.org/teen-programs Contact person:, Phone: 617-868-7100 x 119 (Lionel Blaise) or X117 (Jack O’Hearn) email: Lionel@communityartcenter.org, Jack@communityartcenter.org
Dance Complex
Location: 536 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139
Dates/Times: View calendar for details: [https://www.dancecomplex.org/in-person-studio-classes/](https://www.dancecomplex.org/in-person-studio-classes/)
Primary Program Activities: In-person dance classes(Virtual classes are also available)
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 4 and up
To Enroll: Click the class on the calendar to register.
[https://www.dancecomplex.org/in-person-studio-classes/](https://www.dancecomplex.org/in-person-studio-classes/)
Cost: See calendar for more details
For more information: Website:[https://www.dancecomplex.org/in-person-studio-classes/](https://www.dancecomplex.org/in-person-studio-classes/), Phone number: (617) 547-9363

José Mateo Ballet
Location: 400 Harvard Street, Cambridge, MA 02138 (in Harvard Square)
Dates/Times: July 5th-August 5th
Primary Program Activities: José Mateo offers a few options:
- Summer Elementary Program (Summer program for young dancers), ages 3-10
- Summer Intensive Program, ages 10-19, performance based program with audition
- Young Dancers Program - ballet training for ages 3-18, Thursday nights
- Teenagers Introduction to Ballet for ages 11-18
Grades/Ages Served: See above for offerings at different age levels
To Enroll: Go to [https://www.ballettheatre.org/](https://www.ballettheatre.org/) and click on “The School” to find more info on programs listed here.
Cost: View website for details. (Financial Aid is available)
For more information: Website: [https://www.ballettheatre.org/](https://www.ballettheatre.org/), Phone: 617-945-1944, Email: info@ballettheatre.org

New School of Music: Kid’s Cabaret
Location: 25 Lowell St, Cambridge MA 02138
Dates/Times: 3 weeks from July 5 - July 22nd, Mon-Friday 9am-4pm. One-week sessions from July 25 - August 26th to be announced soon.
Primary Program Activities: In three weeks, young people design, write and perform their own musical theater production, and finish the program with a performance of their original musical for family and friends. One week programs in August are a mix of fun musical experiences.
Grades/Ages Served: ages 7-14
Eligibility: if relevant for program, take out if not
To Enroll: Call Kristine Kirby, registrar, at 617-492-8105, or register online at https://www.amilia.com/store/en/newschoolofmusic/shop/activities/3725601

Cost: $950 per week, with financial aid available. Before and after care available.

For more information: http://newschoolofmusic.org/vacation-programs/summer-vacation/

New School of Music: Music Lessons

Location: 25 Lowell St, Cambridge, MA 02138. Virtual lessons are also available for some instruments.

Dates/Times: Summer lessons start after June 20th. Private lessons are either 30min, 45 min or 60 min long, at a time arranged between you and the instructor.

Primary Program Activities: private music lessons with an instructor. Vocal lessons, piano, and many instruments are available for lessons.

Grades/Ages Served: all ages

To Enroll: Call New School of Music at 617-492-8105 or fill out a private lesson inquiry form at this link. The school will match you up to a teacher to do a trial lesson. Once that happens, if you want to move forward, you register for a “pack” of private lessons over the summer.

Deadline: lessons can be started at any point of the summer, and the cost is adjusted for how many lessons fit into the remaining weeks.

Cost: a pack of sixteen 30min lessons is $800 at full price. New School of Music has a generous scholarship program to discount that price, anyone can apply for a need based scholarship - download the form to fill out here.

For more information: info@newschoolofmusic.org, call 617-492-8105

Summer STARS (Overnight)

Location: Northfield Mount Hermon Campus in Gill, Massachusetts.

Dates/Times: August 7th - 15th, 2022 (8 days)

Primary Program Activities: One week (8-day) overnight/residential performing arts camp focused on artistic commitment, risk-taking and the joy of performing. Daily sessions on voice, acting, dance instruction and a public performance in front of a full house audience at the end of the week.

Grades/Ages Served: ages 12-17 years old

Eligibility: young people from economically disadvantaged families who show great interest and potential in the performing arts - no audition and experience required. All students must be fully vaccinated to attend camp.

To Enroll: Apply online at https://www.summerstars.org/come-to-camp

Deadline: Applications are due June 1st, 2022
Cost: 100% free to all participants (no costs for housing, meals, or any programming)
For more information: See videos, pictures and lots more info at https://www.summerstars.org/
Contact: Nina Biggar Del Vecchio, 617-932-1302, nina@summerstars.org

Urbanity Dance: Discovery Dance 1 & 2
Location: 725 Harrison Ave #100 Boston, MA 02118
Dates/Times: July 5th-August 5th, Monday-Friday, 9:00am-12:00pm
Primary Program Activities: Each week students will build strength and flexibility, problem-solving skills, special awareness, musicality, a stronger mind-body connection, and increased confidence.
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 6-12
Eligibility: if relevant for program, take out if not
To Enroll: https://www.urbanitydance.org/summer-session-2022
Cost: $400 per week (Discounts available)
For more information: Website: https://www.urbanitydance.org/summer-session-2022,
Phone number: 617-572-3727, Email: studio@urbanitydance.org

Employment Opportunities

Agassiz Baldwin: Outback CIT (Counselor in Training)
Location: 20 Sacramento Street Cambridge, MA
Dates/Times: Monday-Friday, 8:00am-2:45pm (AM session) & 12:00pm-5:45pm (PM session)
   Session 1: July 11-22
   Session 2: July 25-Aug 5
   Session 3: Aug 8-19
   Session 4: Aug 22-Sep 2
Primary Program Activities: Assisting our teaching staff, being positive role models & leaders, helping run a busy and fun outdoor summer program!
Grades/Ages Served: Rising 7th-9th graders
Eligibility: Must be available for full session
To Enroll: Step 1: Applicants must complete an online application form, and parents/guardians will complete a permission form. Step 2: Registration team will contact applicant to confirm session and shift assignment or waitlist status. Step 3: CIT will attend virtual interview / orientation
Deadline: (Registration opens March 15th) May 13th
Cost: Free and CITs receive a $75 stipend after completing their session
For more information: https://agassiz.org/childrens-programs/outback-counselor-in-training/
Contact: Jess Leach (Children’s Programs Registration) at 617-349-6287x19, registration@agassiz.org

CitySprouts Young Leaders Program Summer Internship
Location: TBD. They will be hosted a four public school gardens in Cambridge (most likely PAUS, RAUC, Kennedy Longfellow, and Haggerty)
Dates/Times: July 11th-August 12th, 9am-2pm
Primary Program Activities: Gardening, STEM activities and experiments, environmentalism, leadership, team building games
Grades/Ages Served: ages 11-14, Rising 5th grader through 8th grade.
Eligibility: Open to any youth who goes to CPS or lives in Cambridge who is between 11-14 years old or a rising 5th grader to 8th grade.
To Enroll: Once the application is live they can fill it out online or on paper and we will get back to them with next steps.
Deadline: Early Spring, After June admission to the program becomes unlikely
Cost: No cost - earn $100 over the 5 week program for taking care of the garden!
For more information: Website: www.citysprouts.org, contact Solomon Montagno-Program Director, Phone: 617-876-2436, email: smontagno@citysprouts.org

Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program
Location: Various Locations
Dates/Times: July 11-August 19, Mon-Friday, Varies, but most programming runs between 8:30a and 6p (20 hours a week)
Primary Program Activities: Teen Employment
Grades/Ages Served: 14+
Eligibility: Cambridge residents, priority for lower income youth
To Enroll: Enrollment open 4/11/22
1) Follow the application link.
2) If you already have a Trax account, log-in
3) If you don't already have a Trax account, create one. Verify your email. Complete the household information.
4) Add your teen child as a participant
5) Select Mayor's Summer Youth Employment Program from the Activities drop down
6) Have your young person work on the MSYEP application.
7) Electronically sign the MSYEP application and submit. Make sure to click "I'm not a robot!" on the following page.

8) You will receive a confirmation email. All applicants are placed on the waitlist to start.

**Deadline:** 4/29/22 (program is not first-come first served...all applications received by 4/29 will be reviewed and admitted based on low-income priority and then for other on-time applicants as space allows)

**Cost:** No cost

**For more information:** Website: www.cambridgema.gov/dhsp/msyep, Contact: George Hinds, Phone: 617-349-6268, email: ghinds@cambridgema.gov

**Other:** Must be authorized to work in the United States in order to get paid

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**The Cambridge Youth Police Academy**

**Location:** 125 Sixth Street

**Dates/Times:** July 5th - August 12th, Monday-Friday, 9:00am - 2:00pm

**Primary Program Activities: Overview:** Youth workers learn about the role and function of Cambridge Police Officers and varying units within the Department, including the Traffic Unit, Explosive Ordnance Unit, and Special Response Team. Participants gain understanding about juvenile law, rights, and responsibilities with Strategies for Youth and the role of the Cambridge Fire Department, Emergency Communications Department and Pro EMS in public safety. (Daily Workouts, Mindfulness, Yoga, Boot Camp, & CPR Certification)

**Grades/Ages Served:** 14-18 years old

**Eligibility:** Must Be A Cambridge Resident

**To Enroll:** 1st: Enter Website Information,
2nd: Go to Community Resources,
3rd: Youth Volunteering and Employment Programming

**Deadline:** Apply Through The MYSEP (MID-APRIL), When MYSEP Application Deadline Closes

**Cost:** No cost

**For more information:** Website: www.cambridgepolice.org, Contact: Kessen Green, Phone: 617-349-6009, email: kgreen@cambridgepolice.org

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**Outdoor Adventures**

**Community Boating Jr. Program**

**Location:** 21 David G Mugar Way, Boston, MA 02114 (right across the river)

**Dates/Times:** June 13th - August 19th, 2022, 8:30am - 3:00pm
**Primary Program Activities:** Sailing program that serves young people of all levels, those just beginning to sail and kids who have tons of experience. Kids take classes till they reach a level where they can take boats out on their own, then can choose what their day looks like and what further classes they want to take.

**Grades/Ages Served:** Anyone age 10-18 who can swim 50 yards (two lengths of a standard pool)

**To Enroll:** Go to https://www.community-boating.org/junior/getting-started/ to read FAQs and get the basics before you enroll. Young people must have some proof they can swim 50 years - you can take a swim test for free at any YMCA, or you can show other forms of certification (see website at: )

**Deadline:** Registration opens in mid-Jan. No deadline, but the beginner sailing classes fill up by May/June, so if your child is new to sailing, sign up soon.

**Cost:** Generous need based sliding scale goes from $1 - $395 for the whole summer - it includes membership, classes and boat usage. CBI uses a fee calculator during registration that is based on household income and family size.

**For more information:** Start here: https://www.community-boating.org/junior/welcome/ and Call the boathouse at 617-523-1038 with questions!

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**Parkour Generations**

**Location:** Indoor and outdoor classes around Cambridge and Somerville (see calendar for specific locations)

**Dates/Times:** See current class schedule at https://pkgenboston.sites.zenplanner.com/calendar.cfm

**Primary Program Activities:** Parkour is a movement discipline where participants learn to move their bodies in their environment: it includes jumping, balancing, overcoming mental and physical obstacles, conquering challenges and learning to apply these skills in the real world.

**Grades/Ages Served:** Kids classes are 6-13 years old, Teen Classes are 11-16 years old.

**To Enroll:** You can use the website to sign up for a free trial class (for any of the ones offered), and then pay for each class or buy a 5/10 class pass.

**Deadline:** None. Classes offered all year round.

**Cost:** Trial class is free. Drop in for any class is $15, 5-class pass is $50, 10-class pass is $75.

**For more information:** https://pkgenboston.com/ contact Blake Evitt at 617-302-7542.

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**RECESS**

**Location:** Hoyt Field

**Dates/Times:** TBD, likely Tuesday - Friday, 1pm - 5pm from July 18 - Aug 12th.

**Primary Program Activities:** RECESS is a drop-in program for 10-14year olds (rising 5th - rising 9th) focused on socializing, trying new things and spending summer afternoons with friends in a
low-stakes, safe and supportive setting. Try new activities together, build relationships, test out new skills and keep exploring who you are and who you can be in the future.

Activities include: Arts and crafts, chill zone, water play, cooking workshops, STEAM activities, music, games, sports skills clinics, and cross-city competitions between different programs that serve this age group.

**Grades/Ages Served:** 10-14 year olds (rising 5th - rising 9th graders)

**To Enroll:** Registration details and links will be available in June.

**Deadline:** None. Students can register the same day and come join as long as a parental release is signed (via google form).

**Cost:** None

**For more information:** See local article on last year’s pilot or watch this video about RECESS: [https://youtu.be/PXjB1gRh_1U](https://youtu.be/PXjB1gRh_1U)

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**Summer Youth Learn-to-Row**

**Location:** Community Rowing Inc, at Harry Parker Boathouse at 20 Nonantum Road, Brighton, MA 02135

**Dates/Times:** One week programs either in the morning (9am-11:00am) from MOn-Friday or mid-day (11:30am-1:30pm). Offered throughout the summer.

**Primary Program Activities:** CRI offers two fun and inclusive recreational programs on the Charles River:

- Learn to Row Sweeps (ages 12 -18, introductory, non competitive course for folks who have not rowed before) Sweep rowing is in a boat with other rowers.
- Learn to Scull (ages 12-18, introductory course in sculling, which is rowing in a boat on their own, a single rowing shell).

**Grades/Ages Served:** 12 - 18 year old

**Eligibility:** if relevant for program, take out if not

**To Enroll:** online at [https://www.communityrowing.org/programs/youth-rowing](https://www.communityrowing.org/programs/youth-rowing)

**Cost:** $250 for a one week program. Financial aid available, email contact below.

**For more information:** see website at [https://www.communityrowing.org/programs/youth-rowing/summer-rec](https://www.communityrowing.org/programs/youth-rowing/summer-rec), email friendlyperson@communityrowing.org or call 617-779-8267.

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**Kroka Expeditions**

**Location:** Non profit wilderness expedition school based in Marlow, New Hampshire

**Dates/Times:** Varies depending on the program - some are one week, some are two weeks
**Primary Program Activities:** Outdoor, overnight explorations for different age groups. For teens, check out offerings like Adventure Racing, From Cedar to Sea, Rock, Rope and Rescue, and Sustainability Adventure.

**Grades/Ages Served:** Ages 11-18. There is no availability in the younger group at this point, but there are options for the teen group (ages 13-18).

**Eligibility:** if relevant for program, take out if not

**To Enroll:** some available is left in teen programs, for ages 13-18 years old. Go to [https://kroka.org/programs/summer/](https://kroka.org/programs/summer/) and click on “list currently available programs” to see options.

**Deadline:** programs for younger kids fill fast (by March)

**Cost:** Cost is adjusted based on household income, from around $1000 up to $3,500 for a two week overnight program. Additional financial aid is available through a scholarship application available on their website. All programs require an initial deposit of $250.

**For more information:** Check out [https://kroka.org/programs/summer/](https://kroka.org/programs/summer/)

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### Sports and Athletics

#### Cambridge Jets Track & Field

**Location:** Danehy Park. For GPS use this address: 165 New St Cambridge, MA 02138

**Dates/Times:** April-July

**Primary Program Activities:** Outdoor Track & Field. Practice and track meets.

**Grades/Ages Served:** Ages 6-18

**Eligibility:** if relevant for program, take out if not

**To Enroll:** [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeHpr6ol_gBOsrif22ToKzEUtNwP-MuzCZQ4cMPBLU7XMmGyg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeHpr6ol_gBOsrif22ToKzEUtNwP-MuzCZQ4cMPBLU7XMmGyg/viewform)

**Deadline:** There is rolling admission. Join anytime.

**Cost:** $250

**For more information:** Website: [https://www.cambridgejetsofma.org/](https://www.cambridgejetsofma.org/), name of contact person: Alida Castillo, phone number: 617-380-8080, email: cambridgejets@gmail.com

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#### Cambridge Recreational Basketball:

**Davonte Neal Instructional League**

**Location:** Donnelly Field (look into field)

**Dates/Times:** Monday and Wednesday; 5:30pm Skills/Warm-up, 6:00pm-8:00pm Games
Primary Program Activities: Skills and drills, Games
Grades/Ages Served: Co-ed, ages 8-11
To Enroll: On-site registration or contact vpierre@cambridgema.gov
Cost: $10
For more information: Website: , name of contact person: Vladimir Pierre, phone number: (617) 349-6228 , email: vpierre@cambridgema.gov

Sharif Moustafa Instructional League
Location: Glacken Field, 600 Huron Ave. (next to Fresh Pond Golf Course)
Dates/Times: Tuesday and Thursday; 5:30pm Skills/Warm-up, 6:00pm-8:00pm Games
Primary Program Activities: Skills and drills, Games
Grades/Ages Served: Co-ed, ages 9-13
To Enroll: On-site registration or contact vpierre@cambridgema.gov
Cost: $10
For more information: Vladimir Pierre, phone number: (617) 349-6228 , Email: vpierre@cambridgema.gov

Fast Break
Location: Hoyt Field, 12 Gilmore St, Cambridge
Dates/Times: Tuesday and Thursday; 5:30pm Skills/Warm-up, 6:00pm-8:00pm Games
Primary Program Activities: Skills and drills, Games
Grades/Ages Served: Co-ed, ages 12-14
To Enroll: On-site registration or contact vpierre@cambridgema.gov
Cost: $10
For more information: Vladimir Pierre, phone number: (617) 349-6228 , email: vpierre@cambridgema.gov

Crimson Youth Soccer Camp for Girls
Location: Harvard Athletic facilities. 65 N. Harvard St
Dates/Times: Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm (early drop off and late pick up options available)
  Session 1: June 27 - July 1
  Session 2: July 11-15
Primary Program Activities: Soccer skills and development; teamwork. Our counselors are female college athletes and coaches and great role models for youth soccer players. All participants get a T-shirt.
Grades/Ages Served: 6-13, Girls Only
To Enroll: Follow the links to youth camps on the website and complete the online registration form. Health and waiver forms may be uploaded at a later date.

Deadline: We sold out last year. Camps typically are filled by mid May

Cost: $425 for 4 day option, $495 for 5 day option; Sibling discounts and multiple camp discounts

For more information: www.crimsonsoccer.us, Chris and Mike, Program Directors, chris@crimsonsoccer.us, 857-362-7709, info@crimsonsoccer.us

Crimson Volleyball Camp for Girls

Location: 39 Holyoke Street Cambridge, MA 02138

Dates/Times: Session 1: July 6th-July 8th, 9:00am-3:00pm
Session 2: July 11th-July 13th, 9:00am-3:00pm

Primary Program Activities: Development drills and offensive and defensive strategy systems.

Grades/Ages Served: Middle School

Eligibility: We invite athletes of all skill levels

To Enroll: http://www.crimsonvolleyballcamps.com/shop/EVENT

Cost: $375 per session

For more information: Website: http://www.crimsonvolleyballcamps.com/shop/EVENT, name of contact person: Jeffrey Aucoin, email: volleyballcamp.harvard@gmail.com

Harvard Youth Basketball Academy

Location: Lavietes Pavilion, 65 North Harvard Street, Boston, MA 02163

Dates/Times: Aug 2-Aug 4th, 9:00am-3:00pm

Primary Program Activities: ball-handling, passing, shooting, rebounding and defensive stations

Grades/Ages Served: Ages 7-14

Eligibility: Boys only

To Enroll: harvardbasketballacademy@gmail.com

Deadline: Before the start of camp

Cost: $375 (Early drop off: $50 per week, late pick-up $50 per week)

For more information: Website: https://basketballacademyatharvard.net/youth-camps.php, name of contact person, phone number, email: harvardbasketballacademy@gmail.com

Jae H. Kim Taekwondo Institute

Location: 2000 Massachusetts Avenue Cambridge, MA 02140

Dates/Times: See website for details
Primary Program Activities: Fun, high energy martial arts classes. Both in-person and virtual.
Grades/Ages Served: Kindergarten and up
To Enroll: jaekim.taekwondo@gmail.com
Cost: Contact program for details
For more information: Website: https://www.tkd-cambridge.com/, Phone: 617-492-5070, Email: jaekim.taekwondo@gmail.com

MIT All Day Sports Summer Camp
Location: MIT Recreation
Dates/Times: June 21st-Aug 5th (There will be no camp on Mon, June 20 and Mon, July 4)
Monday-Friday; 9am-4pm. (Early drop off 8am; Late Pick-up 5:30)
Primary Program Activities:
- Capture the Flag
- Dance
- Floor Hockey
- Free Swim/Diving/Water Polo
- Kickball/Dodgeball/Basketball/Wiffle Ball
- Soccer
- Tennis and much more
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 6-13
To Enroll: daycamp@mit.edu
Cost: $320-$400 per wk. (Early drop off $64-$80 per wk; Late Pick Up $92-$115 per wk)
For more information:
Website: https://www.mitrecsports.com/work-out/youth-programs-old/mit-day-camp
Contact: Amanda Molle, Phone number: 617.253.2913, Email: amolle@mit.edu

Olympia Fencing “Free Trial”
Location: 127 Smith Pl. Cambridge MA
Dates/Times: Saturdays, 9:00am-12:30, Tues 4:00pm-5:00pm
Primary Program Activities: 60-90min learn to fence class
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 7 and up
To Enroll: trials@olympiafencing.com
Cost: No cost
For more information:
Website: https://www.finditcambridge.org/programs/free-fencing-class-kids-and-adults, Email: trials@olympiafencing.com
Pink Sunday Youth Flag Football Program

Location: Russell Field
Dates/Times: Session 1 June 12th; Session 2 June 19th; Session 3 June 26th, Sundays, 10am-12pm
Primary Program Activities: Flag football clinics and 2 flag football showcase games
Grades/Ages Served: ages 7-14
Eligibility: Girls only
To Enroll: Register on website Pinksunday.org
Deadline: Registration period, March 15th - June 5th; Never too late to sign up
Cost: No cost
For more information: Website: Pink Sunday.org, Contact Person: Lynnit Sotomayor, Phone: (857) 293-2095, email: Hello@pinksunday.org

Pop Warner Football & Cheerleading

Location: Russell Field, 333 Rindge Avenue, Cambridge MA
Dates/Times: Starts August 1st, 2022 from 6pm-8pm, Monday-Friday until Labor Day, Tuesday and Wednesday after Labor Day
Primary Program Activities: Practice, games, and competitions
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 5-14
To Enroll: https://www.cambridgewarriors.org/
Deadline: September 2, 2022
Cost: $150
For more information: Website: https://www.cambridgewarriors.org/, Email: cambpw@gmail.com

Somerville Adventure Weeks at BBP (Formerly Brooklyn Boulders)

Location: 12A Tyler St Somerville, MA 02143
Dates/Times: June 27th-August 26th, Monday-Friday, 9:00am-3:00pm (Extended day 3:30pm-6:00pm)
Primary Program Activities: Weeks are designed to help kids foster teamwork and build self-confidence as they climb soaring walls, crawl through obstacles like ninjas, balance like gymnasts and master the art of problem solving through physical activity.
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 5-12
To Enroll: https://brooklynboulders.com/summer-adventures-2022/?loc=somerville
Summer @ BB&N Sports Camps

Location: Buckingham Browne & Nichols, 80 Gerry’s Landing Road, Cambridge, MA

Dates/Times: Full day sports camps are offered across the 8 weeks of summer, starting June 24th and going until August 12th. The camp day runs from 8:15-3:30 with extended day and transportation available for an extra fee.

Primary Program Activities: full day summer camp focused on these sports:
- Basketball Camp (grades 3-9, Co-ed or Boys/Girls)
- Crew: Learn to Row and Crew: Advanced (grades 6-12)
- New England Fishing Academy (grades 3-9)
- Soccer (gr. 3-9)
- Ultimate Sports (gr. 3-9)
- Volleyball (gr. 3-9)

Grades/Ages Served: See above for different age groups

To Enroll: Go to Summer@BB&N Website at https://bbnsummer.com/dates-registration/ and make an account to register. Cambridge gives out some scholarships to residents, with priority for low income families and families on free/reduced lunch. See that form here.

Deadline: Open until filled.

Cost: $600-$670/ week depending on specific camp

For more information: https://bbnsummer.com/, Cristina DeFabritiis, summer@bbns.org

Tomorrow’s Stars Flag Football

Location: Russell Field

Dates/Times: July 25th-July 28th; Monday-Thursday; (Raindate: Friday)
Session: 8:45am-1:00pm

Primary Program Activities: Flag football drills and games

Grades/Ages Served: ages 6-14 (groups are divided by age clusters and gender

To Enroll: starsbbpride@yahoo.com or call 508-404-4288

Deadline: Ongoing until the program starts

Cost: Session: $180 For more information: Website: https://www.starsbb.com , Phone number: 508-404-4288, email: starsbbpride@yahoo.com
Tomorrow’s Stars Soccer

**Location:** Russell Field  
**Dates/Times:** July 11th-July 14th; Monday-Thursday; (Raindate: Friday)  
- Full day session: 8:45am-2:45pm  
- Half day session: 8:45am-11:45am  
**Primary Program Activities:** Soccer drills and games  
**Grades/Ages Served:** ages 6-14 (groups are divided by age clusters and gender)  
**To Enroll:** starsbbpride@yahoo.com or call 508-404-4288  
**Deadline:** Ongoing until the program starts  
**Cost:** Full day session: $260 Half day session: $180 ($20 discount for siblings)  
**For more information:** Website: https://www.starsbb.com, Phone number: 508-404-4288, email: starsbbpride@yahoo.com

Tomorrow’s Stars Baseball

**Location:** Danehy Park  
**Dates/Times:** July 18th-July 21st; Monday-Thursday; (Raindate: Friday)  
- Full day session: 8:45am-2:45pm  
- Half day session: 8:45am-11:45am  
**Primary Program Activities:** Baseball drills and games  
**Grades/Ages Served:** ages 6-12 (groups are divided by age clusters and gender)  
**To Enroll:** starsbbpride@yahoo.com or call 508-404-4288  
**Deadline:** Ongoing until the program starts  
**Cost:** Full day session: $260 Half day session: $180 ($20 discount for siblings) Special group rates are available  
**For more information:** Website: https://www.starsbb.com, Phone number: 508-404-4288, email: starsbbpride@yahoo.com

**STEM: Science Technology Engineering and Math**

Artemis Project

**Location:** Boston University Campus  
**Dates/Times:** July 5th - Aug 5th, 9:30-3:30pm  
**Primary Program Activities:** five week summer program for 8th grade girls focused on computer science. Learn computer languages as well as cryptography, robotics, artificial intelligence, and circuits.  
**Grades/Ages Served:** Current 8th graders/rising 9th graders only
To Enroll: Check out the application steps at www.bu.edu/lernet/artemis/applications.html

Deadline: apply by May 1st, 2022, find out by May 15th

Cost: $100 registration fee, to be paid once accepted into the program

For more information: https://www.bu.edu/lernet/artemis/

Club Z Tutoring: Virtual Singapore Math Program

Location: Virtual

Dates/Times: June 31 thru end of August 31, Monday-Friday, Flexible depending on the family's needs

Primary Program Activities:
- An initial diagnostic to assess particular areas of focus
- The program follows the Singapore math curriculum
- Program encourages active thinking process, communication of mathematical issues as well as problem solving in real world contexts
- Integrated homework between sessions

Grades/Ages Served: 1st thru 8th grade

To Enroll: Please call us or fill out an inquiry form from our website: an education consultant will set up a phone meeting to understand needs and answer all questions; your child will complete an online diagnostic test; we will meet with your virtually to discuss program details; the sessions will start based on an agreed schedule. Registration opens on May 2nd

Deadline: Registration deadline is June 13

Cost: Varies based on level and program length; No financial assistance or scholarships are available

For more information: Website: www.clubztutoring.com/Cambridge, contact: Celine Bewsher, phone number: 617-245-2507, email: cbewsher@clubztutoring.com

DynaMIT

Location: MIT Campus - Specific Location TBD

Dates/Times: Monday-Friday, 10:00am - 5:00pm
  - Session 1: August 15-19th
  - Session 2: August 22-26th

Primary Program Activities: Activities in the Fields of Chemistry, Biology, Astronomy, Mechanical Engineering, and Mathematics

Grades/Ages Served: ages 11-15

To Enroll: Fill out an application at dynamit.mit.edu or email mayborne@mit.edu for the application link. Application decisions are released in mid-to-late April.
Deadline: April 17
Cost: Free
For more information: Morgan Mayborne, Student Outreach Director, mayborne@mit.edu, 262-955-5123, or dynamit_board@mit.edu

EmPOW STEM Summer Programs
Location: Lexington, Newton, Natick, Milton, Cambridge, Boston, North Andover
Dates/Times: June 27 - September 2, 9:00am - 4:00pm
Primary Program Activities: Coding, Minecraft, Video Game Design, Digital Arts & Design, Robotics
Grades/Ages Served: 7-15
Eligibility: 2nd grade - 8th grade
To Enroll: Complete an online application https://empow.me/summer-camp/register
Deadline: Currently Open
Cost: $839 (in-person) or $459 (live virtual)
For more information: https://empow.me/summer-camp/register, Customer Service, 617-395-7527, info@empow.me

iFp Studios (Innovators for Purpose)
Location: Cambridge Public Library 449 Broadway
Dates/Times: July 5 - August 5, Mon-Friday 9:15am - 3:15pm
Primary Program Activities: Dream, design and build experiences that will look amazing on your college applications, while making a lasting impact in Cambridge and beyond! In iFp Studios, teens in collaboration with mentors use design, technology and story as tools for change.
Grades/Ages Served: 14-18, Must be 14 years old at start of program
Eligibility: if relevant for program, take out if not
To Enroll: Acceptance into the program is competitive. Registration forms must be completed, then students will be invited for interviews based on strength of application. Thought must be placed into responses. Only 4-5 new students are accepted per term.
Deadline: Deadline May 13th.
Cost: No cost. Students are paid through the Mayor's Program.
For more information: Website: https://innovatorsforpurpose.org/our-work, Contact Person: Michael Dawson, Phone: 857-285-3842, email: info@innovatorsforpurpose.org
Other: Our projects have been installed in some of Cambridge’s most innovative places. Past projects include: Kendall Square’s Looking Glass sculpture and Cambridge Public Library’s augmented reality installation This Should Not Be (inspired by the George Floyd murder). If you are interested in making a difference - iFp Studios is for you.
KIDS 4 CODING Weekly Summer STEM Programs

**Location:** Cambridge Matignon School, 1 Matignon Rd, Cambridge  
Roxbury Latin School, 101 St Theresa Ave, W Roxbury

**Dates/Times:** July 6-Aug 5, Monday - Friday  
- Full-Day 9-4pm  
- Morning Half-Day 9-12 pm  
- Afternoon Half-Day 1-4pm

**Primary Program Activities:** Python, Game Development, Minecraft Engineering, Roblox, AI & AR

**Grades/Ages Served:** ages 7-16

**To Enroll:** Kids4Coding.com. No specific deadline to register, Kids 4 Coding currently has $50 off regular tuition thru March 31st; programs are expected to fill up, due to limited availability.

**Cost:** Full-Day $649 | Half-Day A.M. or P.M. $349; No financial assistance or scholarships.

**Virtual option:** In addition to on-campus programs, Kids 4 Coding offers Weekly Summer Virtual Enrichment Programs ages 7-16. Small groups 5:1 | June 6-Aug 11.

**For more information:** Kids4Coding.com, Denise or AnnMarie, info@kids4coding.com, 800-484-2664

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NuVu Summer Studio Program: Voyage to the Moon and Back!

**Location:** 450 Massachusetts Ave, 2nd Floor

**Dates/Times:** Mon-Friday, 9am - 3pm  
- Session 1: July 11 - 22, 2022,  
- Session 2: July 25 - August 5, 2022,  
- Session 3: August 8 - 19, 2022

**Primary Program Activities:** Hands-on, project-based creating and innovating with 3d fabrication and a lot of imagination

**Grades/Ages Served:** 11 -15 years old; rising 6th - 9th

**Eligibility:** If relevant for program, take out if not

**To Enroll:**

**Deadline:** Currently open and will remain open until August 8;  
Prior to the first day of each studio

**Cost:** $2,025, Scholarships available

**For more information:** Website: https://cambridge.nuvustudio.com/pages/summer-2022  
Contact person: summer@nuvustudio.org, phone: 617-945-7716, email: molly@nuvustudio.org
**Other:** Lunch is included. Students must have their own laptop

**Science Club for Girls: Summer Rocketry Program**

**Location:** Session 1: virtual with rocket launches at Danehy Park in Cambridge  
Session 2: Peabody School, Cambridge (in person)

**Dates/Times:** Session 1: July 11-July 22, Session 2: Aug 1-Aug 12th  
Mon-Friday from 1:30 - 3:30pm

**Primary Program Activities:** Designing, building and launching model rockets; Learning more about aerospace careers; building robot rovers and astronaut space suits!

**Grades/Ages Served:** rising 6th grade - 8th grade

**Eligibility:** girls and gender expansive youth

**To Enroll:** Complete an application online ([bit.ly/SCFGSummer2022](https://bit.ly/SCFGSummer2022)) If a parent/guardian needs assistance, please contact Hannah Buchsbaum by email or phone.

**Deadline:** May 31st

**Cost:** Free, no cost

**For more information:** Website: [www.scienceclubforgirls.org](http://www.scienceclubforgirls.org), Contact: Hannah Buchsbaum (Program Manager), Phone: 508-314-3556 ext 3, email: hweinstock@scienceclubforgirls.org

**Other:** Check out some videos from past summers here: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=og6Y4XuE04o&t=1s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=og6Y4XuE04o&t=1s)

**Summer @ BB&N Specialty Programs: Codemoji, Chess & Vanta League**

**Location:** Buckingham Browne & Nichols, 80 Gerry’s Landing Road, Cambridge, MA

**Dates/Times:** Specialty camps are spread across the 8 weeks of camp available, starting June 24th and going until August 12th. The camp day runs from 8:15-3:30 with extended day and transportation available for an extra fee.

**Primary Program Activities:** full day summer camp focused on these topics:
- Codemoji (Grades 1-2, 3-5, Code It, Game On, Junior Coding)
- Chess (grades 2-9)
- Vanta League Sports (grades 3-9)

**Grades/Ages Served:** See above for different age groups

**To Enroll:** Go to Summer@BB&N Website at [https://bbnsummer.com/dates-registration/](https://bbnsummer.com/dates-registration/) and make an account to register. Cambridge gives out some scholarships to residents, with priority for low income families and families on free/reduced lunch. See that form here.

**Deadline:** Open until full. Usually fill slower than classic camps.

**Cost:** $600-$670/week depending on camp. See “to enroll” for scholarship info.
Mentoring

Partners for Youth with Disabilities Mentoring
Location: 5 Middlesex Avenue, Suite 307, Somerville, MA 02145
Dates/Times: Contact program for details
Primary Program: We provide one-on-one mentoring to youth and adults with disabilities to reach their full potential.
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 6 and up
To Enroll: https://www.pyd.org/get-involved/youth-application/
Cost: No cost
For more information: Website: https://www.pyd.org/, Contact: Jordan Lome, Phone: 617-556-4075x119, Email: https://www.pyd.org/get-involved/

Big Brothers and Big Sisters
Location: 184 High Street, 3rd Floor, Boston, MA 02110.
Dates/Times: Bigs meet with Littles for 3 hours, a couple times per month, in the community.
Primary Program Activities: Adult mentors are paired with children.
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 7-12
To Enroll: https://emassbigs.org/enroll/enroll-your-child-2/
For more information: Website: https://emassbigs.org/, Email: https://emassbigs.org/contact

Big Sister Boston
Location: 20 Park Plaza, Suite 1420, Boston MA 02116. Dates/Times: Minimum one year commitment. Big Sisters meet with Little Sisters once a week for the first 3 months, then 2 times a month (for about 3 hours per hangout)
Primary Program Activities: Big Sisters and Little Sisters meet out in the community for their time together - during the pandemic, they were meeting virtually. Big Sisters runs a few site based mentoring programs as well.
Grades/Ages Served: Ages 7-12
To Enroll: Download application forms or enroll online at [https://www.bigsister.org/enroll/](https://www.bigsister.org/enroll/) You can also enroll by phone. Little sisters do an interview with staff, then get matched and meet their Big Sister.

For more information: Website: [https://www.bigsister.org/enroll/](https://www.bigsister.org/enroll/)

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**Jewish Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Boston**

**Location:** 333 Nahanton Street, Newton, MA 02459

**Dates/Times:** Matches meet a few times a month at times determined by family/mentor

**Primary Program Activities:** JBBBS matches adults to children for one-to-one mentoring, role-modeling, encouragement and friendship in the following programs:

- Community Program
- LGBTQ+ Program
- College Mentoring Program (High school Juniors/Seniors)

**Grades/Ages Served:** Ages 6-18.

**Eligibility:** JBBBS has deep ties to the Jewish community, they are fully inclusive, and the children, families, volunteers, staff and board members hail from a huge variety of religious affiliations. You do not have to be Jewish to participate.

To Enroll: [https://www.jbbbs.org/enroll-a-child/](https://www.jbbbs.org/enroll-a-child/)

For more information: Website: [https://www.jbbbs.org/](https://www.jbbbs.org/) Phone: 617-965-7055, email: info@jbbbs.org
To see the most updated electronic version of this guide (and the Summer Guide for Grades K-5) please visit https://www.agendaforchildrenost.org/msn-resources.html.

For support in finding summer programs and questions about this guide, please contact: Annie Leavitt, Middle School Network Coordinator, aleavitt@cpsd.us, (857) 220-7031.