Bridge School Camps Summer 2024



To enroll, complete the <u>Summer Camp Registration Form</u>. Registration opens February 9th. Contact <u>Amanda@BridgeSchoolCoop.org</u> with questions.

June 17-20, 2024 / M-TH 4 day camps

Combine Photography Camp & Printmaking Camp for a full-day experience for ages 8-12; supervised recess and lunch included at no extra charge. Students should bring a packed lunch.

TIE-DYE & PRINTMAKING ART CAMP



Join us for an introduction to Printmaking. We will be exploring the dying process and elements of design together! Have you ever tried printmaking? Or are curious how everyday items can be used to create fascinating visuals? We will create some textiles you are sure to love for years to come. This camp will be offered both AM & PM the week of June 14, geared towards younger and older ages.

9am-12 noon / Ages 5*-7 1pm-4pm / Ages 8-12

Cost: \$240

Instructor Bio: Teacher Danielle has been a nanny in the community for over a decade, is a teacher at Burien Cooperative Preschool, and has experience in a variety of visual and performing arts. She loves looking at the world with a childlike sense of curiosity and hopes kids will join her for some summer artistic fun!

PHOTOGRAPHY EXPLORERS CAMP



A week-long visual adventure designed to engage students' creativity as we explore the world of photography. Each day students will learn a new skill as we learn the secrets to composing a strong photograph, the magic of using light to create visual images, and the art of storytelling. It is a journey into our own personal visions that will ignite a lifelong love for the art form.

What's a photography camp without a grand exhibition? Our campers will curate their very own gallery, showcasing their best works for parents, friends, and fellow campers. We will create memories that last a lifetime!

9am-12 noon / Ages 8-12 Cost: \$240 + \$20 supply fee

Instructor Bio: <u>Alexis Wolfe Mbassa</u> is a music and portrait photographer with 20+ years experience in the industry documenting hip-hop artists, bands, individuals, organizations, and families. She is also a certified teacher and a Creative Enrichment and Outdoor Education instructor for The Bridge School.

June 24-28, 2024 / M-F 5-day camp

HALF-PINT PUPPETS CAMP



Design and build your own muppet-style puppet. We'll teach you how to turn your idea into a character with furs, fleece, eyeball making, arm attaching, sketch creation, and a final performance for family and friends! Build a puppet, change the world! All materials included.

9am-12 noon / Ages 7-12

Cost: \$300

Instructor Bio: Since 2011, Stephani Vrell Sachs, Human, has taught 100s of humans to build puppets. Before <u>Half Pint Puppets</u> was born, Stephani designed and built big, furry costumes for Children's Educational Theater in Salem, Oregon. While attending a workshop at *The 2nd City* in Chicago (name dropping), she attended an improvised puppet show, and was hooked. Puppets are like a costume for your hand! Stephani taught puppet building, along with costuming, at the Children's Educational Theater until moving to Seattle with the quest of putting a puppet on every hand in the city!

July 1-3 / M-W 3-day camp

POKEMON CAMP - 3 Day



A favorite of Bridge kids, Pokemon camp is back for trading card gameplay, friendly competition and Pokémon-inspired arts & crafts! Discover or level-up your love of Pokémon while creating

the ultimate team. No prior experience necessary; we welcome campers with zero Pokémon familiarity, all the way through those who play regularly! Learn new skills and strategies each day to most effectively face off against a friend, and go home at the end of the week with a deeper understanding of the popular game. Each student will receive a Pokémon deck and new booster packs daily. *Pokemon Camp will run twice, and children are welcome to enroll in both.*

10am-1pm / Ages 7-12

Cost: \$185

Instructor Bio: Elliot Gantner is a Bridge School graduate and current student at the University of Washington. He has competed internationally in Pokemon Trading Card Game tournaments. Elliot's passion for sharing his love of Pokemon has fueled many a Seattle-area child's interest in the game, whether it's through his work at a local card game shop or previous camps and clubs at The Bridge School.

July 15-19 / M-F 5-day camps

Combine Theatre Arts Camp & Pokemon Camp for a full-day experience for ages 7-11; supervised recess and lunch included at no extra charge. Students should bring a packed lunch.

THEATRE ARTS CAMP



Kids will collaborate to write plays, design characters and build sets, while exploring their imaginations. Teacher Danielle will guide young theater artists through the key elements of storytelling, turning story ideas into scripts, designing characters, and creating rich visual environments from upcycled materials. The week of fun and imagination will culminate in a live play performance for families.

9am-12noon / Ages 6-11

Cost: \$300

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POKEMON CAMP - 5 Day



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1pm-4pm / Ages 7-12

Cost: \$300

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AUGUST 19-23 / M-F 5-day camp

LET'S PLAY A GAME! CAMP



Bring your budding gamer kids for a week of game play and creativity. Kids will play well-known age-appropriate board, card, and physical games and invent their own. We'll learn about the elements of a good game design, discuss what we like in a game, and create our own games to play-test together. Games will be in large and small groups, and kids will have their own game designs to bring home at the end of the week. All skill levels welcome!

9am-12noon / Ages 5*-8

Cost: \$300

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The Fine Print:

- Camps are open to the public, including Bridge 2024-25 students and alumni. Tell your friends!
- Camps running is subject to minimum enrollment.
- Small supply fees may apply to some camps.
- *Students enrolling in Kindergarten in Fall 2024 are eligible for camps for ages 5+
- Students enrolled in two camps for a full day option will have a supervised lunch/recess.
- Enroll a child in 2 camps for 10% off
- Full tuition policies and waiver available on the registration form.