

Camp Sparta Course Offerings

Grades PreK -- 8

All courses will be held at Meadowview Intermediate School unless otherwise noted. There will be a shuttle between MVI and the HS for classes scheduled at the high school.

Camp Sparta PREK is offered Session 1, June 11 – June 29, 7:45 to 10:45 at the AEC Building at 201 E Franklin.

Camp Sparta K-8 is offered June 18-July 27, (Sessions 2, 3, and 4) with July 4 off. Breakfast and lunch will be available to all students.

090 Off to PreK (Students entering PreK in Fall 2018)

Learn the routines of going to school, making friends, listening, and learning. Join us for a glimpse into your new learning adventure.

Offered:

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091 Montessori PreK All the Way! (Students entering Montessori PreK in the Fall)

Learn the customs and expectations of a Montessori classroom. Children will learn the cycle of work in a Montessori classroom and be introduced to many of the works and materials.

Offered:

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095 – Academic Play for K (Kindergarten)

Get a glimpse of Kindergarten! Students continue their work from preschool or have an opportunity to have their first school experience. Activities that help students advance their skills and make new friends Offered: Full six weeks, 8 to 12, June 18 - July 27.

099 – Flourishing in First! (1st grade)

Let's keep learning! Explore new ideas and expand your knowledge in reading, math and science.

Offered: Full six weeks, 8 to 12, June 18 - July 27.

101 -- Bubble Bonanza and Shaking Things Up (Grades 4-6)

Use STEM engineering principles and the design process to solve real life problems. In the first week investigate bubbles and create your own bubble wand. In week two, design an earthquake resistant building.

Offered: Session 2A

106 – Things that Fly (Grades 4-6)

This hands-on course allows students to create a variety of things that fly, ranging from paper airplanes to kites.

Offered: Session 2B

107 – Digging into Dinosaurs (Grades 2-3)

Dig into dinosaurs! Read stories about dinosaurs and have rich discussions. Students will be exposed to rich vocabulary, creative writing, math activities and science explorations. It is sure to be a DINO-mite time!

Offered: Session 2A

108 – Growing up Wild (Grades 2-3)

Venture out doors and learn about the world around us. We will study nature, wildlife, arts, water, leaves and habitats. We will dissect owl pellets, do some bird beak experiments and much more! Much of the class is held outdoors.

Offered: Session 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B

109 – Wild Sparta (Grades 3-7)

In this course we will explore the parks and outdoor areas of Sparta. We will do outdoor games and activities that focus on creativity and teamwork, while also learning about nature and science. There will be plenty of outdoor fun for older students!

Offered: Session 2B, 3B, 4B

112 – Journey to Space and Back (Grades 5-6)

Come explore the life of Deke Slayton and other astronauts and their training with NASA. Gain greater understanding about the solar system including the moon, stars, constellations and planets.

Offered: 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B

201 – Kreative Kitchen (Grades 6-8)

Come join us for some fun cooking, baking and eating. In this class we will learn basic kitchen skills and review basic math and measurement skills that everyone needs when cooking and baking. We will make different foods and share our creations.

Offered: Session 2B, 3B, 4B

205 – Coding the Future (Grades 2-5)

This course is an introduction to Computer Science including computer coding with the program code.org as well as daily "unplugged" activities which require no technology and promote critical thinking and a deeper understanding of computer programming. This will be a fun course for children to get introduced to Computer Science.

Offered:

4A, 4B

206 – Games Galore (Grades 4-6)

This is a class for anyone who enjoys card games and board games! We will play a variety of games such as UNO, Garbage, Mancala, Pictionary and much more. We will even create our own games and play them

Offered:

2A, 3A, 4A

208 – Bloxels (grades 3-5)

Have you ever wanted to make your own video game? Do you enjoy Minecraft? Well if you answered yes, then you need to come and experience the world of Bloxels. You will be putting your math skills and art skills to the test. We will be creating and playing your own Video games.

Offered:

2B, 3B

210 – Breakout EDU (Grades 2-5)

Students will use critical thinking, collaboration, and communication to unlock various locks in an "Escape Room" style game.

Offered:

4A, 4B

301 -- The Oregon Trail (Grades 3-5)

This class is about pioneer life on the Oregon Trail. History will come alive as kids choose a role and try to survive the long journey to Oregon as it would have been in 1849. Kids will acquire a deep understanding of pioneer life as they work together to survive. They will practice reading, writing, math and problem solving skills along the way.

Offered: Session 2A, 2B

305 – Exploring Pioneer Life (Grades 3-5)

Step back in time and learn what it was like to be a child pioneer in Wisconsin. Students will do a book study using Laura Ingalls Wilder's book, Little House in the Big Woods. They will engage in rich discussions and fun crafts and activities based on Wisconsin pioneer life.

Offered: Session 3A

306 – Geocaching Adventures (Grades 4-5)

Geocaching is a real-world, outdoor treasure hunting game using GPS-enabled devices. Participants navigate to a specific set of GPS coordinates and then attempt to find the geocache (container) hidden at that location. Problem solving is at the root of Educaching! Students will incorporate mathematical reasoning, constructing, modeling, and using tools strategically. Students must attend to precision in their mathematics.

Offered: Session 3A

307 – Fun with American Girl Dolls – Samantha (Grades 2-4)

Learn about Samantha the American Girl Doll. Learn what it was like to be a girl back in 1904. We will play games and make crafts for both girls and dolls. We will end our class with a tea party. Girls are invited to bring their doll to class daily but are not required to bring a doll to attend.

Offered: Session 3B

409 – Fun with Books (Grades 2-3)

In this fun class we will read many favorite books by beloved authors and then create projects, crafts and activities.

Offered: Session 3A, 3B

410 -- Magic Treehouse Minecraft (Grades 3 – 5)

Read about the adventures of Jack and Annie in The Magic Treehouse books and create those worlds in Minecraft.

Offered: Session 2A, 3A, 4A

415 – Through the Eyes of Harry Potter (Grades 4-6)

After you receive your acceptance letter to Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry, your first assignment will be to visit Diagon Alley to collect all your course materials. Once you are at Hogwarts, you will be sorted into houses, and immersed in courses and activities just like Harry, Ron and Hermione!

Offered: Session 2A and 2B

510 -- Let's Play in Spanish (Grades 2-5)

Learning a second language is easier for young children than it is adults! Learn basic Spanish vocabulary through interactive games, books, songs, and technology and learning centers. Come learn colors, numbers, greetings, months of the year, days of the week, and much more in SPANISH!

Offered: Session 2A, 3A

600 – Healthy, Fit and Fun! (Grades 5 to 8)

Come enjoy healthy, fit, and fun activities! Each day get your body moving and follow a recipe to prepare a healthy snack. Along with warm-ups and cool down stretching, activities include nature hikes, jogging, playground workouts, Zumba, yoga, Just Dance, meditation and more.

Offered: Session 2B, 3B

Students need to wear athletic shoes.

604 -- Nature Adventure Camp (Grades 2-6)

Let's explore your own backyard; we will hike around Sparta and play in the natural habitat. Be ready to roll up your pants and wander through West Beaver Creek. We will do a Robinson Crusoe expedition as well as play hide and seek, baseball, and of course, visit the local ice cream shoppes. Grab your sunscreen, walking shoes and water bottle. Let's go!

Offered: Session 3 (double session)

605 – Food and Fitness (Grades 2-5)

Learn about a healthy balanced life style through various fitness activities and by making and enjoying healthy snacks each day.

Offered: 3B

606 – Minute to Win It (Grades 3-6)

Looking for fun? Come test your skills with minute-long challenges using common household items, whether it is toilet paper, pop cans, screws . . . It will be a blast.

Offered: Session 2B, 3B, 4B

607 -- Grease your chains, grab your helmet! A biking we will go (Grades 3-6)

Grease your chains and grab your helmets; we are off to tour Sparta on the seat of your bike. We will learn about bike safety, visit the bike museum, play in the parks, head west from the depot and have ice cream at Ginny's and Rudy's. On Thursday, 6/28, we will head to the tunnel and back. Don't miss out on this awesome adventure on the seat of your bike.

Offered: Session 2 (A and B – double session)

Students need to wear athletic shoes.

608 – Golf (Grades 5-8)

Want to learn to golf? No golf clubs needed – we will provide them for you! Join us at the Sparta Golf Course, River Run, to learn how to play a game that you will be able to play the rest of your life. Join the Varsity Girls Golf Coach, Course Pro, and golf team members for two weeks of fun on the golf course!

Offered: 2A, 2B at Sparta Golf Course, River Run.

615 -- Summer Speed and Strength Training (Grades 6-12)

Concentrate on exercise and weight training while developing a personal program of fitness with the help of an instructor.

NOTE: This course is held at SPARTA HIGH SCHOOL.

Monday, June 11- Friday, August 10th

7-11 am Monday - Friday

6-8 pm Monday – Thursday

July 30 - Aug 10 8-10 am only

We are still setting aside 10-11 am for MS students! Students in grade 6-8 may select this as a course in Session 2B, 3B and 4B only.

Students need to wear athletic shoes.

616 – Spartan Pride: Middle School Sport Camp (Grades 3-4 at 8-10, Grades 6-8 at 10-12)

This course will teach you the techniques used by high school athletes in their summer workouts. You will be working out with your Meadowview friends. Learn how to train like a Spartan!

Offered: Session 2A, Grades 3-4, Session 2B Grades 6-8 at HIGH SCHOOL

617 – Basketball “FUN”damentals (Grades 3-5, Grades 6-8)

This class places an emphasis on learning the fundamental skills of playing basketball. The class provides a fun, non-competitive learning environment that is appropriate for the student’s age and skill level. Drills as well as games will be used to emphasize the fundamentals of dribbling, passing and shooting.

Offered:

Session 2A, 3A, 4A at MVI, Grades 3-5

Session 2B, 3B, 4B at MVI, Grades 6-8

619 – Volleyball and Weightlifting (Grades 4-6 from 8 to 10; grades 7-8 from 10 to 12 at HS)

Learn fundamental volleyball skills such as passing, setting, hitting, and serving while also learning how to work out in the weight room.

Offered:

Grades 4-6: 2A, 3A

Grades 7-8: 2B, 3B

621 – Calm Your Mind (Grade 2-5)

Students will learn how to calm their minds and bodies through: Mindfulness, Drawing and Coloring, Painting, Music, Guided Lessons and Books.

Offered: 2B

625 – Summer Runnin’ – Having a Blast (Grade 6-8)

Are you interested in being a part of Cross Country next year? Come for a fun and fast-paced course on running, stretching, proper eating and most of all, fun.

Offered: 2A, 2B

700 – Stitch Perfect: Cross Stitch for Beginners (Grades 5-8)

Are you creative? Do you like to work with your hands? Would you like to make a new decoration for yourself or to use as a gift? Give cross stitch a try! This is a course for beginners that will walk step by

step through the process of cross stitching. And you will get to walk out of class with a creation all your own.

Offered: 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B

701 -- Arts and Crafts (Grades 3 – 5)

Come and have fun learning to draw 3-D pictures, painting, and make crafts, including Mummies! Each day students work on two projects to enhance drawing skills and work with other students on projects.

Offered: Session 2A, 2B

702 -- The Wonderful World of Duct Tape (Grades 5 – 6)

Duct tape used to be a plain gray super tool for every household. Times have changed and so has duct tape. Learn the history of duct tape while using our skills in measurement, reading and writing to explore craft making with duct tape. Projects may include flowers, bookmarks, bracelets, windsocks, pin wheels, bags/totes and hats!

Offered: Session 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B

708 – Watch Me Knit (Grades 5-8)

This is a beginner's level class for students interested in learning how to knit. The students will learn how to read a pattern and count stitches to make a final product. Projects could include headband, scarfs, boot cuffs and many more ideas that all can be taken home.

Offered: Session 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B

770 -- I-Pad, U-Pad, We all scream for I-pads – Grades (Grades 2-3)

Let's explore the I-pad together! Explore apps with different themes each day such as camping, going to the beach, animals, traveling, and the holidays. Explore new reading and math apps and play educational games.

Offered: Session 2B, 3B, 4B

771 -- iPad Mania – Grades (Grades 4-6)

Create an I-movie, use Drawing Pad, and make a "Show Me" demonstration. Communicate using I-Dairy, email and Today'sMeet.

Offered: Session 2A, 3A, 4A

790 – Cook a little, Quilt a little, Chat a little (Grades 3-4)

Join Ms. Schauf through the stories of quilting with grandma as you make a quilted square. We will create healthy snacks as we chat and sew. You will learn to pick out fabric, iron, cut, piece and sew up a simple quilt square or pillow. Don't miss out on the fun!

Offered: Session 4A

791 – Cookin', Quiltin', Chattin' (Grades 5-7)

Come join the Cookin', Quiltin', and Chattin' class; you will create healthy snacks as you stitch up a project to take home. Build on established sewing skills or learn new skills. You will design your colors, cut, iron, sew, stuff and machine quilt your own piece. Let's get started!

Offered: Session 4B

792 -- Bookin', Cookin' and Craftin' – (Grades 2-6)

Each day we will learn about a different area of the world by reading stories and books, making crafts, and cooking up delicious snacks and dishes. We will be reading different books and creating different foods this year!

Offered: Session 2A, 3A, 4A

795 – Kindness is Contagious (2-3 and 4-5)

We will explore the many aspects of kindness. Beyond the personal benefits of kindness, we will look at the science of kindness and ways to spread it in our own lives, our families' lives and our community members' lives.

Offered: Session 2A, 3A, 4A (grades 2-3)

Session 2B, 3B, 4B (grades 4-5)

Summer Music Clinics

Please email the teacher directly to arrange lessons for your student(s) or to participate in a clinic.

Grades 6-8			
Clinic Title	Time Frame	Teacher	Contact email
Beginner Instrumental Lessons: Learn how to play your instrument.	June 11- July 27 7:30-4:00	Ms. Cash Ms. Young	lcash@spartan.org alyssajoan25@hotmail.com
Intermediate Lessons: Grades 7-8 continue to advance instrumental skills	June 12- July 25 2 days per week 7:30-4:00	Ms. Young	alyssajoan25@hotmail.com Ms. Cash schedules for Ms. Young lcash@spartan.org

Vocal Lessons: Learn how to use your voice.	July 2nd-July 27, 3 Days a week 8AM-Noon	Mr. Sonneman	ksonneman@spartan.org
Show Choir Camp: Sing, dance, what is not to love!	Aug. 13-17 8AM-12PM	Mr. Sonneman	ksonneman@spartan.org
Grades 9-12			
Clinic Title	Time Frame	Teacher	Contact email
Techie Clinic: Learn how to run the electronic systems in the auditorium.	June 11-15, 10-3	Mr. Stiemke	cstiemke@spartan.org
Instrumental Lessons: Refine your skills on your instrument.	July 30- Aug. 26 7:30- 4:00	Ms. Thompson	cthomspn@spartan.org
Color Guard Clinic: Learn the essentials of flags and rifles and advance your skills	July 31-Aug 3 8-4:30	Steinhoff	angela.steinhoff1979@gmail.com
Percussion Clinic: Refine your percussion skills and learn the cadence for marching band.	July 31- Aug. 3 12:00-3:00	Ms. Thompson	cthompson@spartan.org
Band Clinic: Learn how to march and perform on the street and in field shows.	Aug. 6-10 3:00-8:00 PM	Ms. Thompson Mr. Gantzer	cthomspn@spartan.org jgantzer@spartan.org
Piano and Vocal Lessons: Learn the piano and/or improve your singing skills.	July 23 -Aug 24, 3 Days a week 9AM-1PM (no lessons during show choir camp week)	Ms. Schneider	cschneider@spartan.org
Show Choir Camp: Learning music and choreography for this year's competition show!	Aug. 13-17 9am-4pm	Ms. Schneider	cschneider@spartan.org
Musical Camp: Come sing your way through a play – experience the musical genre.	July 30 8am-4pm July 31- Aug 3 8am-Noon	Ms. Schneider	cschneider@spartan.org