

Oconto Unified School District Academic and Enrichment Virtual Summer School 2020 (Students entering K-12)



July 6 - 31, 2020

Days and times will be determined by the teachers after student enrollments are completed

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Oconto Unified School District has quickly adapted as we all have during this time and is excited to offer Virtual Academic and Enrichment Summer School to students entering grades K-12. Please read over the course descriptions in this packet.

Class meeting times will be determined once the enrollment period is complete and specific detailed course information will be shared closer to class start date. Virtual summer school will run from Monday, July 6 - Friday, July 31. Again specific course meeting dates and times will be provided prior to July 6th. Your child may take a course even if you have vacation plans or scheduled appointments.

Your child may enroll in more than one class. Courses are offered for free. All classes are offered on a first come, first serve basis. **Chromebooks will be issued to students enrolled in a summer school course.**

You may enroll your students through the Parent Portal, detailed instructions are provided below. Please enroll your child(ren) by **Friday, June 19th**. If you do not have access to online enrollment you can print the form on the bottom of this document and return it to our District Office. Completed forms may also be mailed to:

Oconto Virtual Summer School Enrollment
Oconto District Office
400 Michigan Avenue
Oconto, WI 54153

Course requests received after **Friday, June 19th** will be scheduled based on course availability. I hope you and your child will take advantage of this wonderful learning opportunity. I look forward to working with you this summer!

Sincerely,

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2020 SUMMER SCHOOL OFFERINGS

(Listed alphabetically. Grades listed represent the grade they **will be entering** in fall 2020)

BEGINNER BAND LESSONS (Percussion) – Grade 6

Beginning percussionists will learn through virtual instruction the ins and outs of basic snare drumming and mallet playing. This course does require the student to have an instrument at home. Please refer to rental communications sent by Ms. Van Der Leest. If you did not receive any communication and this course interests you, please email Ms. V at mckenna.vanderleest@oconto.k12.wi.us

BEGINNER BAND LESSONS (Flutes & Clarinets) – Grade 6

Beginning flute and clarinet players will learn all about proper care and basics of playing their new instrument! This course does require the student to have an instrument at home. Please refer to rental communications sent by Ms. Van Der Leest. If you did not receive any communication and this course interests you, please email Ms. V at mckenna.vanderleest@oconto.k12.wi.us

BEGINNER BAND LESSONS (Trumpets & Alto Saxophones) – Grade 6

Beginning trumpet and alto saxophone players will learn all about proper care and basics of playing their new instrument! This course does require the student to have an instrument at home. Please refer to rental communications sent by Ms. Van Der Leest. If you did not receive any communication and this course interests you, please email Ms. V at mckenna.vanderleest@oconto.k12.wi.us

BEGINNER BAND LESSONS (Baritone, Trombone, Tuba) – Grade 6

Beginning baritone, trombone, and tuba players will learn all about proper care and basics of playing their new instrument! This course does require the student to have an instrument at home. Please refer to rental communications sent by Ms. Van Der Leest. If you did not receive any communication and this course interests you, please email Ms. V at mckenna.vanderleest@oconto.k12.wi.us

BEGINNER: INDIAN CLASSICAL KATHAK DANCE - Grades K-8

Kathak is an Indian Classical Dance from Northern India. It is a dancing art of the storyteller. The style which use footwork, spins, pirouettes, and delicate body movements to narrate a story or flow with any rhythmic music whether it is fusion or instrumental ones.

BEGINNER VOLLEYBALL FUN– Grades 3-8

Individual skill development: serving, passing, setting and hitting. A volleyball is needed as skills will be practiced outside.

DIAMOND PAINTING– Grades 3-8

Be an artist while you relax and engage in something that's creative and satisfying. Diamond Painting (much like a mix between paint-by-numbers and cross-stitch) is a mess-free craft hobby where you apply tiny resin "diamonds" to a DMC-coded adhesive canvas to create vibrant mosaic paintings and stickers.

DIRECTED DRAWING – Grades K-4

Do you love drawing? Star Wars? Super Heroes? Pokemon? Nature? Cartoon characters? Disney movie characters? Animals? Silly foods? Each day, you will be learning how to draw fun things in a step by step method. At the end of our final class, you will have a collection of drawings to share.

FIT FOR LIFE – Grades 6-8

This course will consist of a daily fitness challenge that will require no equipment. All exercises and workouts can be modified to accommodate different fitness levels. We'll meet virtually, I'll explain and demonstrate what the workout challenge will be for that day, then we'll sign off and you can complete the challenge on your own. Let's see how strong and fit you can become over 3 weeks!

MINECRAFT MADNESS– Grades 4-8

Whether you're a Minecraft master, or have never played before, this class is an adventure waiting for you! Work together with classmates and your teacher to build a community! Design buildings, establish trade, and farm animals and crops. Learn how to use redstone for basic electrical connections. Learn how to forge tools and armor before adventuring together through mountains, caves, and oceans! Protect each other, create stories, and discover a world of imagination! Come join us! *****Students must have their own access to the Minecraft game, please note that school chromebooks are not able to run or install this game so you must have your own PC, android, iphone, tablet, xbox1, or ps4*****

POWER UP YOUR MATH– Grades 1-2

This is a fun math course for kids that want to polish up and review their math skills over the summer. The teacher will play a math game with you each session and you will have additional resources available to play some fun online math games and learn from some online videos.

READING READINESS – Grades 1-2

Need a little extra help with reading comprehension? Students in this class will get a refresher with comprehension skills before getting back into the swing of the new school year.

READING SUPPORT – Grade 5-8

Need a little extra help with decoding and spelling? Students in this class will get a refresher with phonics and comprehension before getting back into the swing of the new school year.

STRENGTH & SPEED TRAINING – Grades 7-12

Designed to improve athletes strength, power and speed. Any questions contact Mr. Ruechel: (920) 604-2703 or dave.ruechel@oconto.k12.wi.us.

SUMMER STEM CHALLENGES– Grades K-2 & 3-5

Do you like to build and make things? Join us as we challenge you for some fun STEM(Science Technology Engineering Math) activities! Students will participate in some fun hands-on challenges. Each student will receive a kit that contains the supplies they need to complete the challenges. The challenges will be different than ones in the past, so all kiddos are encouraged to sign up!

THINK LIKE A HISTORIAN – Grades 7-12

Interested in history? Do you want to dig deep into a topic to learn more about it? Students in this class will select a historically impactful topic and learn more about it through the eyes of a historian. Online research will access old newspapers, documents in the Library of Congress, and other helpful primary source sites based on the chosen topics.

VIRTUAL LEGO CLUB – Grades 3-7

Log on each day for a LEGO build challenge, then log off to develop your design before reconnecting to share and celebrate everyone's creations!

WHAT IS MY SPARK– Grades 1-3

Exploring interests and emotions through UW- Extension 4-H Cloverbud and FoodWise Activities

In this course your child will participate in a variety of activities to help them discover what makes them unique. We all have areas of interest, and experience emotions as we go through life that shapes who we are. Your child will get to explore and wonder using all of their senses to learn and grow while gaining valuable skills including: goal setting, teamwork, time and stress management, self regulation, reflection, health and nutrition. They will get to experience new things and decide which of them spark excitement and joy for them. Activities will be facilitated by the UW-Madison, Division of Extension 4-H Program and Foodwise Educators for Oconto and Marinette Counties. Planned activities will follow the experiential learning model- DO- REFLECT-APPLY, and have been developed by state and national accredited resources. Your child does not need to be a current 4-H member to participate, but will have an opportunity to join if you decide to. Packets with learning materials and supplies will be distributed to each participant.

Summer School Course Registration Instructions

To register your student/s for Summer School. Please follow the instructions below. Please note if you do not have a parent portal account or are having trouble logging into the system please email help@oconto.k12.wi.us and we will get you your login information.

1. Go to the parent portal website. <https://wicloud2.infinitecampus.org/campus/portal/oconto.jsp>
2. Once you are logged in you will go to the MORE option in the left hand menu.
3. Then Choose Course Registration and choose the summer school option.
4. Be sure you have selected the correct student you wish to enroll in summer school. (If you have multiple children) You will notice the student you are on by the picture of the student in the upper right hand corner. If this is not the correct student you can click on the students picture in the upper right corner and switch to the correct student.
5. Next select the Add Course option and click the plus symbol to add the course your student wants. Once you click the plus symbol you will have 2 options Request and Alternative. You should choose the Request option and NOT Alternative.
6. Repeat this step for all the courses your student would like to take for summer school. You can select up to 5 courses. Be sure you are choosing a Request option and Not Alternative for each course.
7. Now you need to select 2 alternative courses, This does not happen very often but, If for some reason a course does not run or has a scheduling conflict your student will be placed into one of the alternative classes so be sure your alternative classes are something your student is interested in.

Go to the Today option in the left hand menu to refresh your screen and then click on the More option in the left hand menu. Choose Course Registration again and choose Summer School. You should now see your students courses you selected with a REQ next to each and ALT next to the alternates you selected.

You will repeat the above process for any other students you would like to enroll.

Once you are complete you can exit the portal.

SUMMER SCHOOL 2020 – REGISTRATION FORM

(Only complete if you are unable to register online)

Student Name: _____ Grade in 2020-21 (next year): _____

Please list course requests in order of priority from 1 through 5. We will do our best to schedule your top priorities, but we may need to use alternate choices if courses are full or if there are conflicts.

Some courses may not be offered if there is not enough interest.

All Academic Remedial course requests will be scheduled first.

Some parents may receive a letter recommending Academic Summer School.

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