



Charles County Public Schools

2026 Summer Programs

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Elementary Summer Boost Rising K-5 Students

July 6 – July 23

- ❖ Purpose: Reduce educational gaps
- ❖ Instruction in ELA and Math intensive addressing specific foundational domains
- ❖ Transportation, breakfast and lunch provided

School Sites

- ❖ Middleton
- ❖ Brown
- ❖ Gale-Bailey
- ❖ Jenifer
- ❖ Mudd
- ❖ Parks
- ❖ Ryon
- ❖ Higdon
- ❖ Mt. Hope*

Time
Monday-Thursday
8 AM – 12 PM



Title I After Boost Learning Camps

Boost Location Site	School	Vendor/Program	Cost
Middleton ES	Barnhart (Title I/CS)	Creative Outlet - Arts and mental health activities built into the program that provides students with expressive skills to promote creativity, build confidence, and strengthen social emotional skills.	No cost for students
	Wade (CS)		
	Middleton (Title I)		
Mudd ES	Turner (Title I/CS)	Literacy Lightbulbs - Summer enrichment program offering engaging literacy experiences that spark imagination and strengthen reading. And writing skills. Movement activities such as yoga and exercise-infused brain breaks are also part of the program.	No cost to Turner and Mudd students
	Mudd (Title I/CS)		Parent-pay - \$538/student for 3 weeks
	Neal		
Brown	Brown (Title I)	Creative Outlets - Arts and mental health activities built into the program that provides students with expressive skills to promote creativity, build confidence, and strengthen social emotional skills.	No cost for Brown students
	Mitchell		Parent-pay - \$125 per week, \$375 for 3 weeks
	Matula Thornton		
Jenifer ES	Jenifer (Title I/CS)	BCAUSEICAN - Provides coding instruction using Scratch; Block-based programming; games, animations, stories; students receive a certificate for their learning.	No cost for Jenifer students
	Berry Diggs		Parent-pay - \$300 for 3 weeks
Parks ES	Parks (Title I/CS)	Mobile STEAM - integrating Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics through project-based learning	No cost for Parks students
	Billingsley Craik		\$135 per child (\$100 for siblings) per week, \$405 for 3 weeks
J.P. Ryon ES	Ryon (Title I/CS)	Literacy Lightbulbs - Summer enrichment program offering engaging literacy experiences that spark imagination and strengthen reading. And writing skills. Movement activities such as yoga and exercise-infused brain breaks are also part of the program.	No cost to Ryon students
	Malcolm Martin		Parent-pay \$538/student for full 3 weeks
Gale-Bailey ES	Indian Head (Title I/CS)	Creative Colony Summer Academy from Club B Learning Labs - Social Emotional, Arts, and Athletic Learning Labs designed to explore creative arts, physical movement and emotional intelligence (visual/digital art, yoga, Zumba, etc.).	No cost for Indian Head students
	Gale-Bailey		Parent pay - \$150 per week, \$450 for 3 weeks
Mt. Hope/Nanjemoy ES	Mt. Hope (Title I/CS)	Fitness Martial Arts/Lego - Combines Lego education and martial arts; Martial Arts promotes physical wellness, healthy habits and positive social emotional development; students earn colored belts as they level up. Lego education promotes problem-solving, critical thinking as they develop structures.	No cost for Mt. Hope students

- Academic extension programs will run from 12:00 – 4:00 PM, 4 days per week for 3 weeks (July 6 – 23)
- AlphaBest will be offered at all sites. Students who are enrolled at a Title I or Community School will have the option to pay for AlphaBest beyond 4:00 when the academic program ends.

Summer School Grades 6-12

- ❖ Purpose: make-up courses offered to students who did not pass during the school year and select original credit high school courses
- ❖ Transportation will **not** be provided, lunch will be provided
- ❖ Middle school students take 2 courses, high school students take 1

**Monday-Thursday
8 AM – 12 PM**

**June 30 – July 30
Graduation July 31**

School Sites

- ❖ All Middle School
 - Stoddert
- ❖ High School
 - Thomas Stone
For students attending TSHS, SCHS, LPHS
 - Westlake
For students attending WLHS, NPHS, MHS, LHS
- ❖ Original Credit
 - Stethem (Virtual)
 - \$300 Fee (\$150 per half credit course)



Extended School Year

July 6 – July 23

- ❖ Purpose: Maintain progress on IEP goals
- ❖ Instruction in ELA and Math for instructional level interventions, IEP goals/objectives
- ❖ Transportation, breakfast and/or lunch provided

Offerings:
Monday-Thursday
8 AM – 12 PM (ES)
10 AM – 2 PM (MS/HS)

School Sites

- ❖ Pre-K:
 - ELC - Waldorf
- ❖ Elementary:
 - F.B. Gwynn Educational Center
 - Eva Turner ES
- ❖ Secondary:
 - Theodore Davis MS
- ❖ Speech Camp & Specialized ACHIEVE
 - Stethem Educational Center



Specialized Summer Camps

❖ Camp Co-Op (40 participants)

Provides students with disabilities a structured summer experience focused on cooperative learning, social skills, and community participation.

No Transportation Provided

 **Dates:** July 1 - August 7 (Monday - Thursday)

 **Hours:** 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM

Cost: \$200 per week

❖ Ages 7 to 21

- La Plata HS

❖ Summer Job Club (2 classes of 10)

Preparing high school aged SOAR and ACHIEVE students for job readiness

Transportation Provided

 **Dates:** July 6 - July 30 (Monday - Thursday)

 **Hours:** 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

❖ 11th - 12th graders

- La Plata HS

❖ Summer Youth Employment (40 participants)

Paid work experiences

No Transportation Provided

 **Dates:** July 1 - August 7 (Monday - Friday)


 **Hours:** 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (Varied by job site)

❖ 11th – 12th graders

- La Plata HS
- Various Job Sites

❖ Camp RISE (1 class of 12-15)

Preparing middle school students for job readiness
Transportation Provided

 **Dates:** July 13- July 23 (Monday - Thursday)

 **Hours:** 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

❖ 6th – 8th graders

- La Plata HS

Enrichment Summer Camps

- ❖ Grades K-8 Enrichment Camps
- ❖ Grades 9-12 Advanced Placement Camps
- ❖ Full day camps with lunch provided
- ❖ First come first served
- ❖ Camp fee \$150

Monday-Thursday
8:30 AM – 2:00 PM

July 27 – July 30

School Sites

- ❖ North Point High School



CCPS Summer Enrichment Camps



Interest based camps designed to provide K-8 students with engaging, enriching and enjoyable experiences.

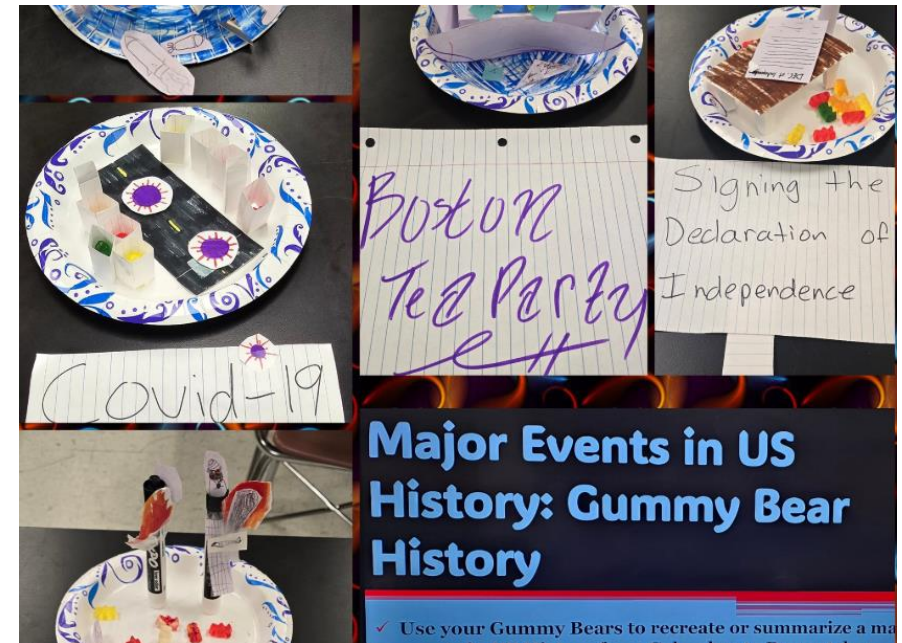
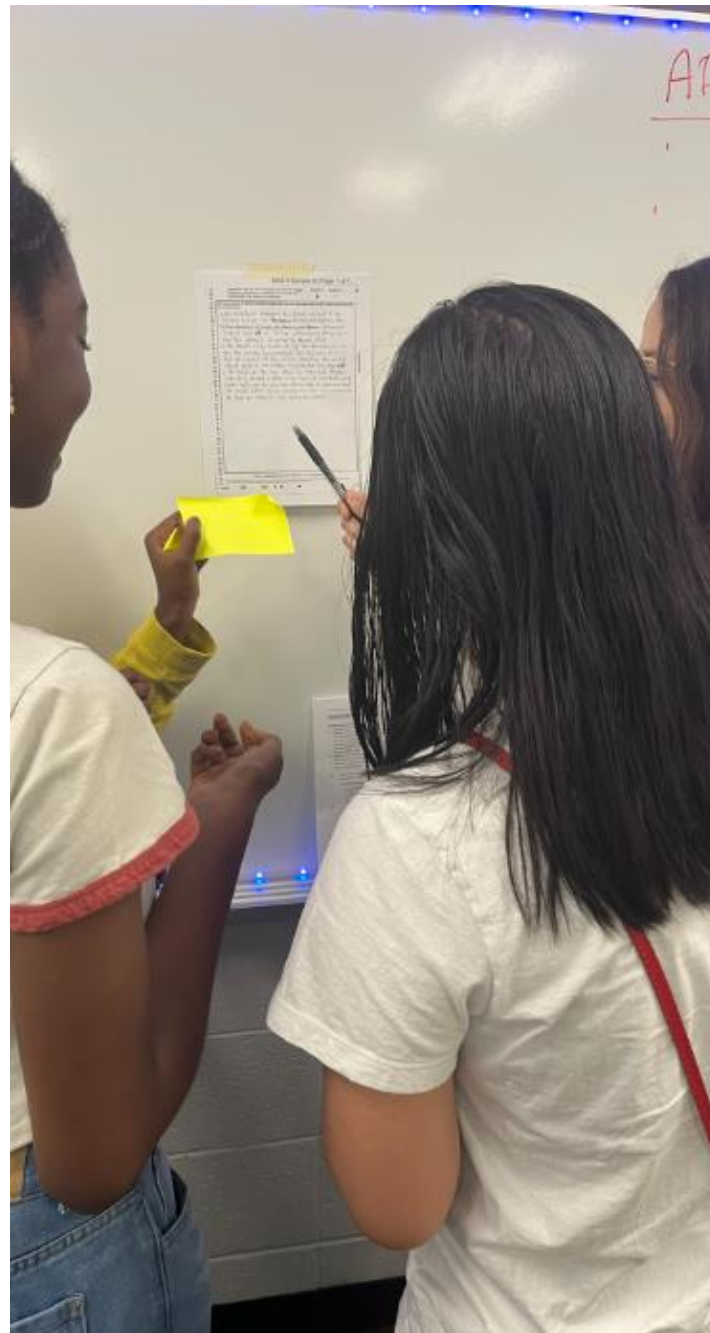
- Week of July 27 – July 30
- Cost \$150
- Full day camps
 - Monday-Thursday
 - 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM
- Lunch Served
- Camp location:
 - North Point High School



CCPS AP Boot Camps

Designed to offer 9-12 grade students an introduction to Advanced Placement courses. Students must be enrolled in AP course for the 2026-2027 school year.

- North Point High School
- Cost \$150
- Week of July 27 – July 30
- Full day camps
 - Monday-Thursday
 - 8:30 AM - 11:00 PM
- Lunch Served



Career Exploration Camps Rising 7-8 Grade Students

July 7-11

- ❖ Students explore up to 13 Career and Technical Education (CTE) pathways
- ❖ Students have an opportunity to go out into the community to explore careers
- ❖ Identify student interest and motivations prior to high school course selection
- ❖ Transportation and lunch provided



School Site

- ❖ North Point HS

Time
Monday-Friday
8 AM – 2 PM





Career Exploration Camps



Nanjemoy Creek Environmental Center Camps

June 18-25
August 4-13

- ❖ One day camps, \$50 per day
- ❖ Each camp is a different theme
 - Birds of a Feather Puppets by Nature
 - Fishing for Fun Raptors Rule
 - Hippie Camp Wizards of the Wild Harry Potter
 - Pollinator Camp Wetland Wanders
- ❖ Parents choose from 10 dates



Registration links will be emailed and are available on the website.



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Early Childhood Summer Story Hours

Month of July

- ❖ Offered for children ages 2-5 who reside in Charles County
- ❖ Child and caregiver participate together
- ❖ Register for the site that works best for your family
- ❖ School readiness activities
- ❖ Children take home a book that day



**Tuesday: Early Learning Center, Waldorf
10:00- 11:00 AM**

**Wednesday: Early Learning Center,
La Plata
9:00- 10:00 AM**



James E. Richmond Science Center

June 18th*
July 13th -July 31st **
August 3- August 6th ***

- ❖ STEM Drop-In Day Camp 4th –8th grade *
- ❖ Daily Fee for Camp- \$50.00 a day
- ❖ Junior Space Entrepreneur Program 10-12th grade ** Program Fee- \$150.00
- ❖ Rocket Rise Camp 6th –8th *** Program Fee- \$50.00



JAMES E. RICHMOND
SCIENCE CENTER



**Drop In Camps Time
Monday-Friday
8 AM – 3 PM**

**Junior Space
Entrepreneur Program
Monday-Friday
9 AM- 3 PM**

**Rocket Rise Camp
Monday- Thursday
8:30 AM- 3:30 PM**

QUESTIONS

