Summer Enrichment Program

The Cherry Hill Public School District is offering a variety of summer enrichment opportunities at High School EAST for students entering 6th through 10th grades. These classes are designed for fun and enriching a student’s knowledge and skills in a particular area. All classes are taught by Cherry Hill Public Schools teachers.

- Program Week 1: July 18-21: Monday-Thursday
  - 2 Sessions: AM Session 9-12 PM; PM Session 1-4 PM
- Program Week 2: July 25-28: Monday-Thursday
  - 2 Sessions: AM Session 9-12 PM; PM Session 1-4 PM

REGISTRATION PROCESS

- Course registration is done through this form: Registration Form.
- Each course costs $160.00. All payments are done online through PaySchools Central.
- Students can take up to 4 courses over the 2 week timeframe.
- A separate registration form must be completed for each student.
- Registration will be open until June 30th.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ

- Program participants must be Cherry Hill Township residents.
- For questions regarding the SEP (not Music), contact Yolanda McClain (vmcclain@chclc.org) or CJ Davis (cdavis@chclc.org).
- Transportation must be provided by a parent/guardian for all courses. There are no buses.

CANCELLATION-REFUND POLICY

Classes may be canceled by the district for insufficient enrollment with all fees refunded. If a parent/guardian wishes to cancel before June 3rd, a full refund will be received. Cancellations received after June 10th will incur a $100 cancellation fee.
Course Descriptions

Creative Writing (B. Connolly)
Creative Writing is designed for budding writers so that they might express themselves as eloquently and vividly as possible. Over the course of the week, we’ll tackle descriptive writing, poetry, drama and fiction. We’ll also work on vocabulary development, creative writing techniques, and other skills.
Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Be a Crime Solver! (J. Bloch/H. Sassinsky)
Are you interested in solving crimes? Join our Forensics Team as we conduct an investigation and gather evidence. Learn real forensic techniques, including fingerprinting, crime scene analysis, blood spatter analysis (don’t worry, it’s fake blood!), and DNA. No experience necessary and fun for all ages.
Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Engineering & Robotics (L. Leibowitz)
Students will have a blast learning the engineering process by implementing potential and kinetic energy concepts to design wind-powered vehicles and see what it’s like to be an electrical engineer by building an electric circuit. Students will be introduced to robotics using Lego Mindstorms NXT and even get the chance to build a personal hovercraft vehicle! No experience necessary, all ages are welcome!
Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Intro to Film Making & Video Production (S. Ansерт)
Whether you’re an aspiring filmmaker, photographer, or YouTube star, learn the ins-and-outs of video production and make films using professional equipment, techniques, and software. As students learn the basics of storytelling, cinematography, audio, lighting, and post-production, they will work in teams with each student editing their own version of a project using the material shot by the group. Students will learn from each experience as they share, reflect and receive constructive feedback.
Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Interactive Storytelling through Dungeons & Dragons (D. Klehamer)
Have you ever read a story and wanted to actually be a part of it? Explore the vast world of D&D in this enrichment course where we will develop and build a character, creatively solve problems, and create the story that you want to tell! D&D, as a role-playing game, provides ample opportunities for critical thinking outside of the box, helps with public speaking, and even performing small, mathematical calculations. There truly is something for everyone, all ages and experience levels are welcome! This is a great way to get a taste for the hobby and meet other folks who could become your future gaming group!
Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Fabulous French Culture, Food and Fun (K. Lester)
Do you want to learn about French Culture, Cooking and a little bit of language to communicate? Come explore famous French monuments (virtually) and learn about French culture and food. Students will learn about French places of interest, learn about and participate in interesting cultural celebrations and how to make several French treats, like crêpes, Croque Monsieur or Madame, chocolate croissants and more while enjoying French music. They will also learn some basic French expressions along the way. No French knowledge required.

Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Fabulous Spanish and Latin American Food, Culture and Fun. (Y. Baron-Santana)
This course will explore Spanish and Latin American culture through cooking, best places to visit while traveling to these countries by using virtual reality glasses, watch movies, and create arts and crafts.

Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Comedy and Story-Telling (J. Blum)
Join me to learn about what makes comedy funny. We'll look at why people laugh, why comedians are funny (or not funny!), and we'll learn to tell funny stories to be hits at parties!

Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM

Introduction to Acting and Improvisation (C. Messias)
Have fun while learning basic acting skills and improvisation. This course is designed to allow the student to develop performance skills, learn about improvisation and work on monologues and scenes. Students will have the opportunity to write and perform their own work while experiencing the excitement and rewards of theatre as they develop social skills, confidence and the ability to work with others.

Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM

E-Sports (A. Graff/M. Han)
Do you want to play video games and learn some of the basics of other jobs in the Esports Industry? Come explore how much more there is to Esports than just playing video games! Of course, we will play video games (likely Rocket League), but we will also make logos using Canva, we’ll learn the basics of shoutcasting by recording some of the matches we play, and learning how to edit them in Wevideo. You’ll learn many practical tech skills that you could use in many contexts, but particularly you’ll also learn that the Esports field has a lot to offer you.

Week 1 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 1 PM Session: 1-4 PM
Week 2 AM Session: 9-12 PM, Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM
German Language and Culture (A. Graff)

Do you want to learn about German Culture, Cooking, Some Science and a little bit of German language to communicate? Come explore several German, Austrian and Swiss monuments and nature, and learn about the Culture and Food. Students will learn about places of interest in German-speaking countries, learn about and participate in interesting cultural celebrations and how to make several German treats, like curry sausage, Kaiserschmarrn, gummy bears, spätzle, spaghetti ice cream and more while enjoying German-language music. Students will play German games and engage in some low-key engineering projects involving gummy bears and pretzels. They will also learn some German expressions along the way. No German knowledge required.

Week 2 PM Session: 1-4 PM