

SUMMER 2015

ST. FRANCIS PREPARATORY SCHOOL



English & Math
Science Research
Franciscan Leadership

Music Technology & Production
Computer & Fine Arts
Musical Theatre
SFPTV Production

July 27 - July 31
9 AM - 3 PM

ST. FRANCIS PREP SUMMER ACADEMY

An enrichment opportunity for students aged 10 through 14 on the campus of St. Francis Preparatory School.

Our Mission is to enable students to experience the joy of learning in a comfortable engaging atmosphere.

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

SUMMER ACADEMY FOR ENGLISH & MATH

Our Summer Academy provides enrichment for elementary school students ages 10 to 14 who wish to develop and broaden their academic skills. St. Francis Prep faculty members and our own high school students will create a positive, student-centered learning environment. Each student will have an English Language Arts class and a Mathematics class everyday. Students will also have a recreation period and a special program period each day. Our mission is to enable students to experience the joy of learning in a comfortable educational atmosphere.

SCIENCE RESEARCH SUMMER ACADEMY

The Science Research Summer Academy provides students with a concentrated overview of the process of conducting authentic science research. Students will spend five days exclusively engaged in the scientific method. They will learn the skills needed to conduct a literature search, discover the facts about a specific research area in science, and then use what is already known about the topic to formulate an objective and design a procedure. This will be followed by data collection and analysis, ultimately allowing them to draw a conclusion from their results. The week will culminate with a poster session that will simulate a professional research symposium.

FRANCISCAN LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

Franciscan Leadership Academy is designed for young leaders who want to make a difference in our local and global community. Using Saints Francis and Claire as role models, participants will learn important skills to navigate early adolescence, care for our environment, and demonstrate compassion for others. Leadership skill development will be focused around time management, value clarification, public speaking, goal setting, and taking care of ourselves. Sessions will include hands-on learning and service opportunities (Cunningham Park clean-up, canned food collection, etc.). Personal reflection, prayer, and discussion about faith will also be integrated throughout the academy.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Small supportive classes
- Students will experience academic success and emotional growth
- Individualized instruction and assessment
- End of class evaluation and completion certificate

SUMMER ACADEMY FOR MUSIC TECHNOLOGY & PRODUCTION

The Summer Academy in music technology provides young students the opportunity to learn about common practices in today's recording industry. Students will spend five days immersed in the studio learning how to produce, engineer, record, and mix their own original music. Projects will vary based upon student interests and musical performance ability. Students will receive in-class lessons and work on computer-based music production stations to complete a week-long intensive recording project. The session will culminate in a presentation of the student's work, which will showcase completed projects by all enrollees in the program.

THE COMPUTER & FINE ARTS ACADEMY

The Computer and Fine Art Summer Academy provides educational experiences using both traditional and non-traditional art mediums. St. Francis Prep faculty will teach students new skills and techniques in drawing and computer graphics that foster each student's creativity. Students will have one drawing class and one computer class each day. Aside from learning new drawing methods, students will learn how to use state-of-the-art computer programs and electronic pen tablets. Every student will have work printed and displayed in an art show on the last day of the academy.

MUSICAL THEATRE

Students will learn acting scenes, dance production numbers, chorus ensemble pieces, and vocal solos of a selected Broadway show. The structure of each rehearsal day will begin with vocal and dance warm-ups. Following the warm-up, the students will break into small rehearsal groups. Each student will be given a specific role to act, dance, or sing. Each group will join together the last 30 minutes of the day to rehearse the show. A performance for family and friends will be presented on the final day of the program.

SFPTV PRODUCTION

The SFPTV Production Academy will provide students with an interactive experience in our newsroom. Students will experience a hands-on program in all aspects of news TV production. At the conclusion of the academy, students will demonstrate their production work for the week.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Academy day begins at 9:00 AM and ends at 3:00 PM.
- Arrival time: students should arrive 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.
- Academy T-shirts: Students will be given 2 t-shirts for the week and are asked to wear one everyday. Additional shirts may be purchased during the week.
- Academy Backpack will be distributed on the first day.
- Lunch will be available for purchase in our school cafeteria everyday.

ST. FRANCIS PREP SUMMER ACADEMY APPLICATION

Select One Academy July 27 - July 31

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| <input type="checkbox"/> English & Math | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Technology & Production |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science Research Academy | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer & Fine Arts Academy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Franciscan Leadership | <input type="checkbox"/> Musical Theatre |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> SFPTV Production |

Name _____

Address _____ APT. _____

_____ ZIP _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Gender _____ Age _____ Birth date _____ Grade Entering 9/2015 _____

Parent's Business Phone Number _____

Emergency Phone Number and Name _____

Circle One: Shirt Size YM YL AS AM AL AXL

THIS MUST BE SIGNED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN

I understand that any student who does not abide by rules and regulations promulgated by the academy is subject to dismissal without reimbursement or recourse. The academy is not responsible for injury or illness if same was not caused through fault of academy. I hereby authorize the St. Francis Prep Summer Academy to act for me according to their best judgment in any emergency situation.

When participating in St. Francis Prep activities I (or the person I am registering) give consent to be interviewed, photographed, videotaped, or electronically imaged for the purpose of promotional materials, news releases, or other published formats for St Francis Prep. The images will be the sole property of the St. Francis Prep I hereby release and hold harmless St. Francis Prep from any claim arising from the use of these images.

Signature of Parent/ Guardian _____

Mail to:
Saint Francis Prep Summer Academy
6100 Francis Lewis Blvd
Fresh Meadows, NY 11365
Att. Mr. Patrick McLaughlin

Fee:
\$240.00 per camper

Please make check or money order
payable to ST. FRANCIS PREP

The entire fee must accompany the application, which is non-refundable.
For all inquires please call: 718-423-8810 ext. 310 or visit our website at www.sfponline.org