



Summer Newsletter

We are pleased to announce the arrival of the summer season, which presents new opportunities for engagement and growth. We are enthusiastic about welcoming your child to our program. We anticipate a rewarding two months focused on enriching experiences. Our summer curriculum is designed to balance enjoyment with the continued development of critical thinking, problem-solving, and communication skills through various learning experiences, including crafts, experiments, activities, and games. We encourage you to participate in your child's journey by engaging in daily conversations about their experiences.

Session 1: Fantasy (June 8—June 18)

Where Royalty Rules, Pirates Plunder, and Heroes Save the Day! Embark on an unforgettable adventure at the Dayspring Fantasy camp, where imagination knows no bounds! This magical experience brings together the worlds of princesses, pirates, and superheroes for a week of thrilling fun and creativity. Campers will step into their favorite roles, enjoy themed games and activities, and create stories filled with courage, friendship, and wonder. From royal quests to daring treasure hunts and heroic challenges, every day is packed with excitement and opportunities to dream big. It's the perfect camp for kids who love to explore, play, and become the heroes of their own tales.

Session 2: Music Around the World (June 22—July 2)

Discover the Beat of Every Culture! Travel the globe through music at the Dayspring "Music Around the World" summer camp! This exciting program invites campers to explore diverse cultures and traditions through rhythm, melody, and song. Each day features hands-on activities like learning instruments from different regions, singing folk tunes, and creating unique musical pieces inspired by global sounds. From African drums to Latin beats and European harmonies, campers will discover how music connects people everywhere. It's a fun, educational adventure that sparks creativity and celebrates the universal language of music.

Session 3: Dayspring Circus/Carnival (July 6—July 17)

Step Right Up to a Summer of Fun and Wonder! The Dayspring Circus and Carnival camp is a vibrant celebration of creativity, fun, and community spirit. Designed to immerse campers in the magical world of circus arts and carnival festivities, the program offers a unique blend of thrilling performances, interactive workshops, and colorful games. From learning juggling and acrobatics to enjoying classic carnival treats and rides, every day is packed with excitement and discovery. This camp is the perfect opportunity for children to build confidence, explore new talents, and create unforgettable memories in a lively, supportive environment.

Session 4: Water Adventures (July 20—July 31)

Make a Splash into Summer Fun! Get ready to dive, splash, and giggle your way through the Dayspring Water Adventures summer camp! Every day is packed with awesome water games, crafts, activities, and splash-tastic contests that will keep you cool and smiling. Grab your swimsuit (weather permitted) and join the fun as we turn summer into a wave of excitement! With tons of laughter, new friends, and endless water adventures, this is the camp where the fun never dries up!





Teacher assignments for our Summer Program are listed below:

Classroom	Teachers
Room 1	Ms. Cecilia, Ms. Lauren, & Ms. Sophia
Room 2	Ms. Yesenia & Ms. Alma
Room 3	Ms. Azi & Ms. Brittany
Room 4	Ms. Preeti & Ms. Jyoti
Support Staff	Floater: Ms. Rica

Additionally we will have Ms. Stacey, Administrative Assistant, at the front desk, and myself, Maria Arroyo as Executive Director assisting all the children and teachers.

UPCOMING SUMMER BREAKS

June 19th

Juneteenth Holiday

July 3rd

Independence Day Observed

August 3rd-7th

Teacher Planning & School Closure





Protocols for Communication and Daily Attendance

Our primary tool for all correspondence is Brightwheel. We ask that you utilize this platform to message your child's teachers or other school personnel as needed. Additionally, daily check-in and check-out must be completed through Brightwheel. For morning drop-offs, please confirm that a classroom teacher has noted your child's arrival before you depart, and we kindly remind you to be punctual when picking up your child.

Summer Dress Code

To ensure the safety and comfort of all participants, we continue to recommend tennis shoes for daily activities. On particularly warm days, water shoes or sandals are acceptable provided they feature a secure back strap. For safety reasons, we kindly request that children do not wear flip-flops. Additionally, please provide a complete set of weather-appropriate spare clothing—including a shirt, shorts, underwear, and socks—to be kept at the school for your child's use.

Applying Sunscreen

Please ensure your child has sunscreen applied before arriving each morning. For afternoon reapplications, we ask parents to provide sunscreen (strictly no spray bottles) along with a signed permission form. If your child already has sunscreen and a current form at the school, no further action is required. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Stacey

Essential Items for the First Day:

- Refillable water bottle
- Nut-free lunch (include an ice pack if necessary)
- A small comfort item for nap time (blankets, sheets, and cots are supplied)
- Sunscreen accompanied by a signed authorization form
- Dayspring tote bag (to be provided to all new students)
- Necessary medications with an official physician's letter
- Personal care supplies such as diapers, pull-ups, or wipes
- All required and signed school documentation

Please label all of your child's belongings. Thank you!



Snack Menu

Session 1 June 8th-18th

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8	9	10	11	12
Pita Bread Hummus Milk	Graham Crackers Applesauce Water	Pasta Baby carrots Milk	String cheese Apples Water	Chex mix Bananas Milk
15	16	17	18	19
Toast Fruit Spread Milk	Animal crackers Watermelon Water	Ritz crackers Canteloupe Water	Cheerios Raisins Milk	Juneteenth Holiday CLOSED

Session 2 June 22nd-July 2nd

22	23	24	25	26
Wheat thins Pineapple Water	Cucumbers Ranch Water	Goldfish Oranges Milk	Strawberries Yogurt Water	Chex mix Apples Milk
29	30	1	2	3
Pita Bread Hummus Milk	Tortilla Chips Guacamole Water	Baby carrots Ranch Water	Cheerios Raisins Milk	Independence Day CLOSED

Session 3 July 6th-17th

6	7	8	9	10
Saltines Cucumbers w/ranch Water	Nilla wafers Yogurt Water	Graham Crackers Applesauce Milk	String cheese Apples Water	Pasta Baby carrots Milk
13	14	15	16	17
Toast Fruit Spread Milk	Animal crackers Watermelon Water	Crackers Cucumbers w/ranch Water	Pretzels Canteloupe Water	Cheerios Raisins Milk

Session 4 July 20th-31st

8	9	10	11	12
Wheat thins Pineapple Water	Cucumbers Ranch Water	Nutri grain Bar Milk	Strawberries Yogurt Water	Chex mix Apples Milk
15	16	17	18	19
Cheez-Its Cherry tomatoes Water	Pancakes Applesauce Milk	Graham Crackers Oranges Milk	Pita Bread Hummus Water	Cinnamon Toast Crunch Milk

We serve fresh fruits and vegetables whenever possible.

Substitutions may occur based on availability.

We serve milk for lunch. Children bring their own lunches from home.