Summer Enrichment Institute 2019

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Course brochure
Pittsford Central School District is pleased
to announce the program offerings for
Summer Enrichment Institute 2019

As educational leaders, we strive to provide unique opportunities and
eriences that enhance the academic and artistic development of our
participants. It is our hope that the programs offered through SEI will con-
tinue to be part of the lifelong learning of the participating members.

The two components of Summer Enrichment Institute are:
Academic & Life Skills and Performance & Visual Arts

*The Academic & Life Skills component provides learning opportunities not
normally available within the school curriculum.

*Performance & Visual Arts includes dance, music, theater and multi-
media arts.

In addition, SEI presents three musical theater productions
for the community’s enjoyment during the summer.

We offer a unique opportunity for several college-level students to partici-
pate as an intern in one of the Musical programs. This enables them to have
practical hands on experiences in this field. A small stipend is offered with
these intern positions. Interested parties should apply through an email be-
fore December. These positions fill very quickly.

We also offer opportunities for sophomores, juniors and seniors to work as
student assistants in the Musical programs. They gain hands on experience
and earn community service hours. Please send us an email if interested.

Please explore the many offerings available to your family through our
program.

We hope many students will be involved in these wonderful course
enjoyment during the summer.

Accident Policy:
The Pittsford Central School District is not responsible for personal
injuries. Students and/or their parents should maintain their own injury
protection and medical coverage. Please provide the necessary emergency
information on your registration. Make sure individual instructors are also
aware of any health concerns.

Special Needs:
Students with special needs are welcome members to these classes. All the
Summer Enrichment classes are electives. They are not extensions of
special education extended school year programs or special education
summer programs.

If additional support is necessary for your child it needs to be indicated on
the registration form
1 to 1 aides need to be arranged for thru Special Education by the parent.

SEI Policies
1-Participants are accepted according to the date they register on line.
2-Payment must be mailed with your invoice once you register
3-Make checks payable to: Pittsford Central School District.
4-NO refunds, partial or otherwise, after May 1st. NO EXCEPTIONS
5 Refund minus $50 processing fee is given prior to May 1st.
6-Full refund is given only if SEI cancels a program.
7-SEI does not prorate classes or wave tuition.
8-All classes have a minimum class size which must be met by the close of
registration in order for the class to run.
9- SEI does not provide transportation to and from classes.
10– A $50.00 fee will be added to each course enrolled into after the close
of our online registration process on May 1st.

Administration:
Tracy Dickerson- SEI Director
Jay Pritchard- SEI Business Manager
**GENERAL INFORMATION**

**Registration:**
Registration will begin on March 1st @ 6pm and close on May 1st @ 6pm. Participants are accepted by date of registration. Enrollment in some classes is limited. In the event of a class being full students will be put on a wait list. Pittsford students are given priority. Out of district students are put on a wait list until registration closes. At that time we will add students in where there is space available in a class.

**ONLY PITTSFORD STUDENTS MAY REGISTER ON LINE.**
www.prestochair.com

SEI will not prorate class fees for students not attending all sessions. Confirmation and any necessary information will be sent out prior to the start of the class.

**Program Location:**
You will be notified of the building and room where your class will be held prior to the start of class. The class instructor will email you 2 weeks prior to the class starting.

**Faculty:**
The faculty members of SEI are qualified professionals with experience as performers and educators. The interns participating in the program are college students studying in various areas of education and the arts.

**Attendance:**
As a courtesy, we would ask that you let the instructor know if you are unable to attend class.

**Transportation:**
Transportation is the responsibility of the student/family. For the safety of all we ask that you drop off students at the designated areas and pick them up promptly at the end of a session.

**Refunds:**
Students will be notified and a full refund given if any program is cancelled by SEI.

If a student withdraws from a class prior to **May 1st**, a full refund minus a $50 processing fee will be given.

Students withdrawing after **May 1st** or while a class is running will not be given a refund.

If space is available in a class after the close of registration a student may still be enrolled but there is an additional $50 late fee added to the tuition

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**Mission Statement**

The **Summer Enrichment Program** provides a variety of learning experiences for students in the areas of Academic & Life Skills and Performance & Visual Arts. The program encourages students to develop a positive self-concept, continued interest in educational and artistic classes and working together towards a common goal.

The **Summer Enrichment Institute** relies on the partnership of students, teachers, and parents to develop the potential of each student.

**Program Goals**

This program is designed to support students’ enthusiasm, interests and creative expression in related learning and performing areas.

The **Summer Enrichment Program** will provide top quality programs taught by highly trained and experienced staff. The program goals are to instill positive values, foster positive self-esteem, help to develop life skills, build social competencies and promote a commitment to learning.

We provide a safe and encouraging environment for students to try new things. We want to empower the students to believe in themselves and their ability.

The **Summer Enrichment Institute is designed to inspire all participants towards creative thinking and developing skills necessary for our ever-changing world.**

As the directors of the Summer Enrichment Institute we want to assure you that we will be available to answer questions or assist you as needed.

Sincerely,

Tracy Dickerson & Jay Pritchard

We look forward to working with you this coming summer.

As always we will consult with you when necessary and feel free to contact us with questions at any time.

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or

jay_pritchard@pittsford.monroe.edu
**Alphapalooza:**

**Phonemic Awareness and Phonics Fun**

Set your child up for advanced success with literacy! In this engaging games and activities. Based upon the Common Core course students will develop an “I can read” attitude through participation in hands-on and earning Standards, students will work on the phonemic awareness and phonics based skills needed by beginning readers.

Cost: $145.00

**Fine Motor Fun:**

This class has been created for children who find printing, using scissors or other fine motor activities challenging. We will engage in a number of hands-on games and crafts to practice our fine motor skills. Emphasized skills will include using school tools, grasp development, eye-hand coordination, and introduction to letter formation. This is a great prep camp for the handwriting/letter sounds decoding/spelling program that will be used in your child’s kindergarten class next year! Come enjoy the fun!

Cost: $165.00

**Figuring Out First Grade**

This course is designed to help with the transition into first grade. Students will participate in a modified school day, participating in activities that include reading, writing, snack, daily calendar, math, and making friends. We will use engaging hands-on activities that focus on strengthening academic skills and preparing for the expectations of first grade.

Cost: $135.00

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**To view your registration at a later date:**

*Go to the “Presto Chair Home” page and enter your e-mail and zip code exactly as before.

*Select the category of one of the classes that you previously registered for and click the “submit” button.

*Click the “confirmation” button in the “your entries” column. This should take you to the confirmation/invoice page. It will show you all the classes you registered for with this e-mail address.

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**Out of District Registration:**

*Registration begins on March 15th

*You must fill out a registration form.

*The form can be found on the district Summer Enrichment web page or you may contact Tracy Dickerson for one

Tracy_dickerson@pittsford.monroe.edu

We are only excepting registration forms returned by E-mail.

* Registration Forms will be numbered in the order they are received. If there is still space available in a class when the Pittsford on line registration closes, out of district applications will be added in the order received.

*You will be notified either way by May 15th

*If there is space and you are added to a class, you are required to submit payment within 48 hours of notification.

Please do not send payment with initial registration in case we are unable to fill your request.
REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

ON LINE: For Pittsford Residents Only

Our On line registration will open on March 1st at 6pm. It’s as easy as 1 2 3.
Registration closes on May 1st @ 6 pm.

DIRECTIONS:
Go to http://www.prestochair.com
*Enter your e-mail address and zip code.
*Select the correct category from the drop down menu labeled, “Select an event”
  Click the “Submit” button
*Find the course that you would like to register for and click the “Register” button.
*Complete all information on the “Event Registration” page then click the green “continue” button
*Proof read all your information on the “Finalize” page. If information is missing or incorrect, click the red “make changes” button. If all is correct, click the green “finalize” button to save your information and submit the registration.
*Click the green button labeled, “Confirmation Page”. This should display all classes you have registered for.
*To add more classes for any family members, click the link at the bottom to “return to the Presto Chair Home Page.”

*Once you have completed all registrations for your family, print 2 copies of your confirmation/ invoice. Please include one signed copy of your invoice with your payment. Send it to the address below:

Summer Enrichment Institute Director
Tracy Dickerson
Thornell Road Elementary School
431 Thornell Road
Pittsford, NY 14534

Teacher: Alexis Aponte
Mad Scientists
July 22nd-26th
Mon-Fri
Time: 12:00-2:00
Entering: 1st-2nd Grade
Cost: $ 125.00

Are you mad about Science? Come find out with a week of scientific discovery! Using the scientific method, we will engage in many hands on experiments! A packet will be sent home at the end of camp that includes directions for the experiments that we completed during the week so that you can do them at home if you choose! This class will surely drive you “mad”... about science of course!

Teacher: Julie Wilson
Kamp Kindergarten
July 29th-Aug. 2nd
Mon-Fri
Time: 9:30-11:30
Entering: Kindergarten
Cost: $ 135.00

This course is designed for children transitioning into Kindergarten. Students will participate in a modified school day, participating in activities that include morning meeting, pre-reading skills, drawing/writing, snack, math, and social thinking skills. We will use engaging, hands-on activities that focus on strengthening group learning skills, academic skills, and preparing for the expectations of Kindergarten.

Teacher: Alexis Aponte
FUNdations Fun
July 22nd-26th
Mon-Fri
Time: 9:00-11:00
Entering: 1st Grade
Cost: $ 120.00

This class will utilize the same handwriting/ letter sound/ decoding/spelling program that was used this year in your child’s kindergarten classroom. We will combine hands-on activities with literature, music and technology to make our learning fun! Your child will come home each day with materials to support the day’s learning. At the end of the week I will give your child a packet of materials/ resources with which to practice handwriting throughout the remainder of the summer in order to support the transition into first grade. Join me in FUNdations Fun!
Summer Reading Club 3rd Grade

Teacher:
Tami Holihan

July 8th – 12th
Mon-Fri
Time: 10:00-12:00
Entering:
3rd Grade
Cost: $135.00

Summer Reading Club 3rd Grade

Summer is a GREAT time to read GREAT books! Get a jump-start on your 3rd grade reading by exploring the awesome titles on Pittsford Central School District’s 3rd Grade Summer Reading list! Students will read two chapter books from the list (which they get to keep!) and discuss them in a book club-type format. Additionally, Mrs. Holihan will share other books from the summer reading list with students, along with related activities. Genres we will explore from the list include picture books, chapter books, nonfiction, poetry, and folklore.

Summer Reading Club 4th Grade

Teacher:
Tami Holihan

July 8th – 12th
Mon-Fri
Time: 1:00-3:00
Entering:
4th Grade
Cost: $130.00

Summer Reading Club 4th Grade

Summer is a GREAT time to read GREAT books! Get a jump-start on your 4th grade reading by exploring the awesome titles on Pittsford Central School District’s 4th Grade Summer Reading list! Students will read one chapter book from the list (which they get to keep!) and discuss it in a book club-type format. Additionally, Mrs. Holihan will share other books from the summer reading list with students, along with related activities. Genres we will explore from the list include chapter books, nonfiction, poetry, and folklore.

Summer Reading Club 5th Grade

Teacher:
Tami Holihan

July 22nd – 26th
Mon-Fri
Time: 10:00-12:00
Entering:
5th Grade
Cost: $135.00

Summer Reading Club 5th Grade

Summer is a GREAT time to read GREAT books! Get a jump-start on your 5th grade reading by exploring the awesome titles on Pittsford Central School District’s 5th Grade Summer Reading list! Students will read one chapter book and one graphic novel from the list (both of which they get to keep!) and discuss them in a book club-type format. Additionally, Mrs. Holihan will share other books from the summer reading list with students, along with related activities. Genres we will explore from the list include chapter books, nonfiction, poetry, and folklore.

High School Musical Theater— Grades 9th—1st year college

9th grade students can chose between Middle school show or High school show or can do both this year.

This is the story of a bride-to-be trying to find her real father told using hit songs by the popular 1970s group ABBA.

Set on a colorful Greek island, the plot serves as a background for a wealth of ABBA songs. A young woman, Sophie who is about to be married discovers that any one of three men could be her father. She invites all three to the wedding without telling her mother, Donna, who was once the lead singer of Donna and the Dynamos. In the meantime, Donna has invited her backup singers, Rosie and Tanya.

Artistic Director: Kelli Hawryschuk
Dates: July 1st - July 27th
Time: 6:00pm-10:00pm Mon-Fri
No Rehearsal on July 4th
Shows are July 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th @ 7:00PM
Auditions are June 27th @ 6:00PM at MHS
Call backs July 28th @ 6PM at MHS
There will be no cuts and we will be double casting some parts
Cost: $425.00
Entering 6th–9th Grade Musical Experience

9th grade students can choose between Middle school show or High school show or can do both this year.

The enchanting modern classic from Disney is ready for your Broadway Junior stars! *Frozen JR.* is based on the 2018 Broadway musical, and brings Elsa, Anna, and the magical land of Arendelle to life, onstage. The show features all of the memorable songs from the animated film, with music and lyrics by Kristen Anderson-Lopez and Robert Lopez, plus five new songs written for the Broadway production.

A story of true love and acceptance between sisters, *Frozen JR.* expands upon the emotional relationship and journey between Princesses Anna and Elsa. When faced with danger, the two discover their hidden potential and the powerful bond of sisterhood. With a cast of beloved characters and loaded with magic, adventure, and plenty of humor, *Frozen JR.* is sure to thaw even the coldest heart!

**Artistic Director: Robin Beel**

July 8th—August 3rd Mon - Fri
12:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Shows August 1st, 2nd, 3rd @ 7:00 pm
There are NO cuts once you register you are in the show!
Cost $ 400.00

**Visiting Author Study!**

This spring, Author Sara Varon will visit Pittsford Schools! Ms. Varon has written a number of popular graphic novels such as *Robot Dreams, Bake Sale,* and *New Shoes.* Get a jump-start on her visit by reading and studying all of her books and learning about the process involved in creating graphic novels.

**Excellent ELA Enthusiasts**

As some of you may know, the transition from 3rd grade to 4th grade can be a BIG one. Let me help make your child’s transition as seamless and as FUN as possible! Your child will get the chance to know and work with a seasoned MCE 4th grade teacher while exploring the 4th grade reading/writing curriculum. Your child will leave this workshop with the beginning ELA skills a 4th grader needs to hit the ground running in September! Consider signing up for Marvelous 4th Grade Mathematicians taught by Ms. Weeks directly following my class.

Teacher:
Tami Hollihan
July 22nd –26th
Mon-Fri
Time: 1:00-3:00
Entering:
3rd - 5th Grade
Cost: $ 130.00

Teacher:
Kim Hosbach
July 8th –19th
Mon-Fri
10 Days
Time: 8:00-10:00
Entering:
4th Grade
Cost: $ 235.00
Marvelous Mathematicians

As some of you may know, the transition from 3rd grade to 4th grade can be a BIG one. Let me help make your child's transition as seamless and as FUN as possible! Your child will get the chance to know and work with a seasoned MCE 4th grade teacher while exploring the 4th grade math curriculum. Your child will leave this workshop with the beginning math skills a 4th grader needs to hit the ground running in September! (Consider taking with Mrs. Hosbach’s ELA prep course which is offered right before!)

Drawing Workshop for Children

Learn some tips and tricks for drawing people, faces, trees, three dimensional objects and animals! We will have one lesson a day, with time to draw in the area that interests your child. Part of class will take place outside, drawing from life. How do artists use size and space to give the illusion of distance? Various drawing tools and media will be explored.

Entering 2nd thru 5th Grade Musical Experience

Based on one of the most treasured Disney animated films of all time, and featuring some of the world’s most memorable songs, Disney’s Sleeping Beauty KIDS is pure, delightful fun.

It's Princess Aurora's sixteenth birthday, and three fairies – Flora, Fauna and Merryweather – must use their magic to save her from the spell of the evil sorceress, Maleficent! The fairies ensure that Aurora only falls into a deep sleep that can be ended with a kiss from her betrothed, Prince Phillip. To prevent Phillip from rescuing Aurora, Maleficent kidnaps and imprisons him. The good fairies are the last hope to free Phillip so that he can awaken Aurora.

Artistic Director: Robin Beel
July 1st - July 19th Mon—Fri
No rehearsal on July 4th
8:30 - 11:30 Monday—Friday
Shows @ 9:00 and 10:30 July 19th
Cost $ 290.00
**High School Study Skills**

The class will offer tips and suggestions on helpful study skills for high school students. These skills include: time management, material organization, learning methods, and active listening, as well as active reading skills. These are all skills that students need in order to be successful in high school. Students who have enrolled in the class in previous years have attested to its value.

Teacher: Marc Hellems  
July 1st – 3rd  
Mon-Wed  
Time: 8:00-11:30  
Entering: 9th-12th Grade  
Cost: $110.00

**You be the Surgeon: Anatomy Explorations**

Are you curious about the anatomy of different organisms? Would you like to learn about the different structures and adaptations living things have in order to survive? Do you want to practice your surgical skills? Then join us as we explore the internal and external anatomy of the clam worm, cray fish, bullfrog, and rat with dissections! We will examine these organisms on the outside, on the inside, and under the microscope as we learn about the common body plans and structures shared by animals.

Teacher: Mark Pelligrino  
July 1st – 3rd and 5th  
No Class on July 4th  
Mon – Wend and Fri  
Time: 9:00-10:30  
Entering: 8th-12th Grade  
Cost: $95.00

**Pre-College Art Portfolio Prep 2019**

Students will have the opportunity to build their individual Art Portfolios for college admittance in addition to being provided guided instruction for more advanced development of their artwork. Students will draw and paint from life, still-life, interior spaces and nature.

Teacher: Sarah Zakalik  
July 8th-19th  
10 Days  
Mon-Fri  
Time: 9:15-12:15  
Entering: 11th-12th Grade  
Cost: $335.00

**Mixed Media Art Exploration**

Do you love painting, but also sculpting? Can’t decide which art materials are your favorite to use? Well, in this week of art camp, you won’t have to! From watercolor paints and inks, to fabrics and found objects, you’ll paint, carve stamps and print, create weavings, and build. You’ll learn interesting ways to layer different art materials on top of one another, play around with see-through papers, and learn that artists can use the sewing machine for things other than fabric. If you’re not afraid to take a risk, and know that in art there are no “right or wrong” ways to create, then this is the camp for you!

Teacher: Mallory Gregor  
July 8th-12th  
Mon-Fri  
Time: 9:00-12:00  
Entering: 2nd-5th Grade  
Cost: $145.00

**Make Way for Mendon**

Students will participate in a 4-day prep program with a focus on preparation for life at Mendon High School, where do I need to be, as well as key people in the building, opening lockers, reading their schedule. This program will support students as they adapt to the high school setting. We will also focus on executive functioning skills, learning styles, prioritizing tasks as well as social skills specific to high school. We will provide opportunities to interact with Mendon High Students [who will answer questions on life as a Viking] and see what high school is all about.

Teacher: Cindy Merrifield  
July 15th-18th  
July 22nd-25th  
8 Days  
Mon-Thurs  
Time: 9:00-11:00  
Entering: 9th Grade  
Cost: $165.00
Teachers:
Dottie Augustine & Kim Maddaleno

July 29th – Aug 2nd
Mon-Fri
Time: 9:30-12:30
Entering:
6th Grade
Cost: $186.00

Catch On To Calkins
This course is designed to prepare students for the expectations and fun to be had in 6th grade! We begin with an analysis of each student’s learning style and continue with organization skills, note taking methods, study skills, test taking strategies, and reading and writing strategies to increase success in 6th grade. Students will have the opportunity to preview 6th grade text books, explore the building, meet new friends and teachers, and become accustomed to using lockers in order to familiarize themselves with their new learning environment!

Teacher:
Kristen Dolan
June 10th – 20th
Mon—Thurs
Time: 4:00 –6:00
Entering:
6th Grade
Cost: $145.00

Be Ready for Barker
Strategic preparation for 6th grade. This class will help students entering Barker Road Middle School adapt more readily to the academic and social expectations of 6th grade and the nuances of middle school. Students will participate in discussions and increase their awareness of learning styles, executive functioning strategies and social thinking skills; all specific to middle school. Throughout this course, students will have the opportunity to learn their way around the school, practice opening lockers, learn how to read a schedule, know how to stay organized and have ALL of their middle school questions answered. This means that on the first day, students will be entering Barker Road Middle School ready to go!

Teacher:
Mark Pellegrino
July 1st –3rd and 5th
No Class on July 4th
Mon—Wend and Fri
Time: 11:00-1:00
Entering:
8th- 12th Grade
Cost: $130.00

Solving Mysteries in Molecular Biology
Modern techniques in Genetics and Molecular Biology have allowed scientists to diagnose diseases, solve crimes, and manipulate the DNA in organisms. In this course you will learn about and gain hand-on experience in genetic transformation, gel electrophoresis, and diagnosing genetic diseases. You will use these techniques to get bacteria to glow different colors, find the bad gene which causes sickle cell anemia, discover who committed a crime, as well as diagnose genetic diseases.