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EXPANDED LEARNING

MUSD SUMMER PROGRAMS 2026



SUMMER SQUAD 2026!

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Registration Begins May 22nd

How to Register

How to register for MUSD Expanded Learning Summer Squad Camps.

1. Must be actively enrolled and attending a Madera Unified school site to participate.
2. Ensure your primary number is correct in Aeries & InPlay. Contact your school site's main office to confirm.
3. You will receive a text message on May 22nd with a unique link for each child or use the QR Codes.
4. Select the camp or camps you would like to register your student for.
5. You will receive a confirmation text confirming enrollment or waitlist and DONE!
6. All camp updates and important information will be shared with you through ParentSquare.
7. Need Assistance? Call our Call Center at 559-481-4880.

Benefits to Parents/Guardians:

Finding summer camps to keep your student engaged is difficult. MUSD's Expanded Learning Department has made it easier. Join us for a Summer to remember!

1. Keep your students engaged and learning with FREE enrichment-based camps.
2. Local, high quality programs and vendors selected by the school district.
3. Unique classes that provide hands-on learning & exposure to new skills.
4. Peace of mind knowing your child is in a safe, supervised environment with trained staff all summer long.



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Don’t miss a single adventure! Make sure your ParentSquare is active, that’s your VIP pass to all the camp information, transportation, and important updates!

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Summer Kidz Camp

Get ready for nonstop fun and adventure! Jump into an action-packed camp filled with exciting games, hands-on STEAM challenges, and creative arts and crafts. Campers will stay active, explore new ideas, and build problem-solving and teamwork skills while expressing their creativity. It’s the perfect mix of learning, friendship, and unforgettable summer fun!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 6th

Session 1: July 6 - July 10
Session 2: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
John Wells Youth Center

Future Manufacturers & Engineers Summer Camp

Get ready to design, build, and create! Future Manufacturers & Engineers summer camp gives campers the chance to 3D model, 3D print, build a robot, and have fun! Through these exciting, hands-on activities, they’ll learn teamwork and the basics of manufacturing and engineering in a high-energy environment.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Literate Voices

Become a real author this summer! Create your own story, add your unique style, and even see your work published—how cool is that? Through fun activities, creative games, and teamwork, you’ll build confidence, make new friends, and grow as a writer while discovering the power of your voice.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 6th - 8th

Session: June 9 - June 30

Program Hours:
8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Location:
Madera Tech

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Drone Camp

Take flight into the future! Students explore the exciting world of drones and AI through hands-on activities, interactive lessons, and real-world challenges. They'll learn flight skills, discover how drones impact transportation and safety, and build teamwork and problem-solving skills in a fun, high-tech environment. Location: Fresno State.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 9th - 12th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Dive into Space

Dive into an exciting scuba experience, progressing from snorkeling to real dive equipment while completing fun underwater challenges. Along the way, they'll explore the science of diving and build teamwork, confidence, and problem-solving skills in a safe, supportive environment.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 7th - 12th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Jr. Chef Academy

Get ready to cook, create, and taste the fun! Students jump into a hands-on kitchen experience where they'll learn real cooking skills, explore flavors from around the world, and create delicious meals from scratch. Guided by a professional cook, they'll build confidence, practice teamwork, and discover a love for cooking in a fun and supportive environment.
Location: Clovis Global Academy

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 5th - 12th

Session 1: July 6 - July 10
Session 2: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

GWC STEA2M Summer Camp

Ignite your curiosity and explore it all! The George Washington Carver STEA2M Camp brings science, technology, engineering, agriculture, arts, and math to life through hands-on projects, active challenges, and creative experiences. Hosted at exciting locations like Fresno State, Tower Blendz, and Tower Theater, this camp is packed with fun, discovery, and high-energy learning in a supportive environment! Location: Fresno State

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 6th - 8th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Registration Begins May 22nd

STEAM

Digital Illustration & Design Camp

In this camp, students will learn all about digital illustration, design, and screen printing! In the different courses, students will explore the fields of digital illustrating on an iPad, entry-level graphic design, animation, sticker and tote bag design and production, and lastly, apparel design and production through screen printing. Location: KLSD Education, Fresno

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 8th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

NASA Engineering

Blast off into a space adventure! Students become young engineers as they tackle NASA-inspired challenges and build robotic projects modeled after real astronaut missions. Along the way, they'll explore space, solve problems, and bring their ideas to life! Location: Fresno State

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 2nd

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Robots & Rovers

Roll into a space-powered robotics adventure! Students explore how robots and rovers work through hands-on activities inspired by real NASA missions. They'll build, experiment, and solve challenges as they discover how robotics connects to real-world space exploration and innovation! Location: Fresno State

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 2nd - 3rd

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Fiber Arts

Spin, stitch, and create with fiber art! Students will dive into weaving, sewing, crocheting, and more while exploring the science and math behind textiles. They'll experiment with patterns, structures, and design principles, building creativity, problem-solving, and hands-on STEM skills as they craft unique projects in a fun, artistic environment. Location: Fresno State

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 4th - 5th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Registration Begins May 22nd

STEAM

Clay Creations

Combining the arts and physical sciences, students will create different sculptures and art pieces, all while learning the elements of design behind their masterpieces. Clay Creations engages creative, curious, and kinesthetic learners who appreciate a tangible outcome. Location: Fresno State

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 5th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Fantastic Fruits and Veggies

Grow, explore, and taste the fun! Young scientists dig into hands-on STEM adventures as they plant, discover where food comes from, and explore fruits and vegetables in a garden lab. From experimenting to tasting their creations, every moment is full of curiosity, learning, and delicious fun! Taught by MUSD teachers.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: K - 1st

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Virginia Lee Rose Elementary

The Action Lab

Get ready to move with science! Students dive into the exciting world of forces and motion through hands-on experiments and real-world challenges. From pushes and pulls to gravity, friction, speed, and acceleration, they'll discover how and why things move while building curiosity, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills! Taught by MUSD teachers.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 2nd - 3rd

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Virginia Lee Rose Elementary

Junior Detective Academy

Crack the case like a real detective! Step into the world of forensic science by investigating mock crime scenes, analyzing fingerprints and evidence, and exploring the basics of DNA. Through hands-on activities and teamwork, campers will solve mysteries, think like real investigators, and uncover clues in this exciting, action-packed adventure!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 5th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Torres High School

STEAM

Survival Showdown Camp

Jump into the Wild Defense Games, exploring how animals use camouflage, armor, speed, and teamwork to survive. Through hands-on challenges, experiments, and team competitions, they'll test strategies, design defenses, and think like scientists and engineers in an action-packed adventure!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Virginia Lee Rose Elementary

You Be The Crime Scene Investigator

Step into the world of real criminal investigations! Be the real junior detective, join the Summer CSI Program, and learn how investigators solve crimes using forensic science, evidence analysis, and investigative techniques. Come help us solve the crime!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 3rd - 4th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Torres High School

Money Makers Camp

Get ready to create, hustle, and make it happen! Jump into a high-energy camp where ideas turn into real products! Design shirts, make stickers, try 3D printing, and use real cameras while learning how to create and sell your own creations. Team up, get creative, and bring your business ideas to life in this fun, fast-paced experience!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 6th- 7th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Torres High School

Lights, Camera, Action!

Step into the world of media as campers become videographers, reporters, and producers for the week! Learn to use cameras, frame shots, record interviews, write scripts, and edit video while creating exciting packages showcasing summer camps on campus. Campers will also film fun skits and commercials, featured in a final broadcast!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Torres High School

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Athletics Camps

Bulldog Basketball Camp

Train, learn, and play like a Bulldog! Experience an action-packed basketball camp. The first four days take place at Fresno State with the basketball team, and the final day is at Valley Athletics. Build skills, strengthen fundamentals, and gain confidence in a fun, high-energy environment—perfect for all levels!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 3rd - 6th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Bulldog Baseball Camp

Come take a swing with Fresno State Baseball this summer! Campers will learn the fundamentals of baseball, play games, and further their social skills alongside Fresno State Bulldog players and coaches. Each day will be filled with fitness talks and demonstrations, group and individual instruction, team games, and fun competitions at each station. Location: Fresno State

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 3rd - 8th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Gonzalez Boxing Girls Summer Camp

Empowerment starts here! This all-girls boxing class is designed to build strength, confidence, and discipline through dynamic workouts and real boxing skills. Students will train in proper technique, improve their fitness through conditioning drills, and grow together as a team. No district transportation is provided.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 7th - 12th

Session: June 9 - July 17
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Location:
16850 Road 26 Madera

Break the Barriers

Get ready for an action-packed adventure at Break the Barriers Camp. A one-of-a-kind inclusive experience where campers push their limits, discover new talents, and have an unforgettable time! The day will be filled with gymnastics, taekwondo, dance, swimming, archery, games, and much more. Location: Break the Barriers, Fresno.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: July 7 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Registration Begins May 22nd

Athletics Camps

Wild Waters Adventure Camp

Get ready for the ultimate summer adventure! At Wild Water Adventure Park. Jump into action-packed days full of sports, skill-building, and friendly competition. Campers will master new techniques, make epic plays, and team up for exciting challenges. Plus, they'll cool off with water safety activities and splash-filled fun at the water park—making every day an unforgettable summer of adventure!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 4th - 8th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Dance the Trend

Get ready to move and express yourself at Dance the Trend! In the morning, students will learn the latest trending dance moves from viral TikTok videos and jump right into the hype at All About Dance & Gymnastics. From hip-hop to Latin and pop, dancers will learn fun combos, build confidence, and bring the energy as they master the moves everyone is talking about. In the afternoon, they will return to Alpha Elementary for enrichment classes.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 6th

Session 1: July 6 - July 10
Session 2: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Alpha Elemantary

Game On! Multisport Camp

Get ready for nonstop action and all-around fun! Jump into a wide variety of sports and activities, including basketball, soccer, tennis, archery, and much more!. Build teamwork, coordination, confidence, and positive social skills in a fun, high-energy environment. Designed for all skill levels, this camp is packed with movement, learning, and unforgettable summer fun!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: K - 6th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Madera South High School

Valley Athletics: MultiSport

Play, compete, and have a blast! Jump into Multi-Sport Camp where campers get to try basketball, volleyball, pickleball, and more! Every day is packed with fun games, skill-building, friendly competitions, and teamwork challenges. Whether you're learning new moves or showing off your skills, this camp is all about staying active, having fun, and making new friends!
Location: Valley Athletics, Fresno

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: K - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Adventure & Discovery

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Fair Camp - A Blue Ribbon Day

Step into a Blue-Ribbon Day of creativity, learning, and fair fun! Campers explore art, gardening, agriculture, cooking, and livestock through hands-on activities, interactive games, and lessons led by community partners. Along the way, they'll learn how to prepare, submit, and enter an exhibit at the annual Madera District Fair. A fun introduction to showcasing work and earning blue ribbons! **District Transportation Provided - More information coming**

Grade Level: 1st - 6th

Session: June 15 Only

Program Hours:
8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Drop off Location:
Madera Fairgrounds

Fair Camp - Carnival & Cotton Candy Day

Carnival & Cotton Candy Day puts the carnival right in the hands of campers! Campers will design, build, and run their own carnival-style activities through hands-on creation and operation. It's a fun, interactive day full of creativity, excitement, and sweet surprises—this will truly be a very sweet day!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 6th

Session: June 16 Only

Program Hours:
8:30 am - 2:00 pm

Drop off Location:
Madera Fairgrounds

Battle Dome Laser Tag

Get ready for nonstop action in our Laser Tag Adventure class! Students will team up, strategize, and compete in an exciting, fast-paced game of laser tag. It's the perfect blend of fun, teamwork, and friendly competition. Each session lasts 60 minutes and is limited to 30 students at a time. Students must sign up for a timeslot in advance to participate. Don't miss your chance to join the mission—spots fill up fast!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 2nd - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 16

Program Hours: Vary

Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Magic Threads

Get ready to create, design, and bring your ideas to life with Magic Threads! Students will jump into fun, hands-on yarn art like tufting and machine crocheting to design their own rugs, plushies, and unique accessories. They'll build skills, express their style, and even learn how to turn their creations into a mini business! Location: Clovis Global Academy

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 5th - 12th

Session 1: July 6 - July 10
Session 2: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Martin Luther King Middle School

Adventure & Discovery

Zoo Camp

Campers will learn how animals outwit, outplay, and outlast others to survive in their habitats. Campers will have a blast playing games and activities to learn about animal survival skills. During this five-day camp, your camper will enjoy daily zoo tours, animal visits, crafts, and games at Fresno Chaffee Zoo.

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: K - 6th

Session 1: July 6 - July 10
Session 2: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Alpha Elementary

River Camp at Sycamore Island

Get ready for nonstop summer adventure at River Camp at Sycamore Island! Campers enjoy hands-on STEM activities, outdoor exploration, classic camp games, and exciting team challenges while bonding in small groups. From discovering nature to swimming and canoeing, every day is filled with nonstop fun—all in a safe, lifeguard-supervised environment!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 2nd - 6th

Session 1: July 6 - July 10
Session 2: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Drop off Location:
Alpha Elementary

Magic & Master Chefs Camp

Step into a one-of-a-kind camp where creativity comes to life! In the morning, campers dive into special effects makeup and magic tricks—bringing illusions and characters to life. In the afternoon, they become master chefs, whipping up delicious creations in the kitchen. It's the perfect mix of imagination, hands-on fun, and tasty adventures all in one unforgettable camp!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 3rd

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Alpha Elementary

Little Creators & Chefs Camp

Create, move, and cook up the fun! Mornings are all about creativity and energy as campers explore special effects makeup and learn trending dance moves. In the afternoon, they head to the kitchen to cook and create tasty dishes. It's a fun-filled camp where imagination, movement, and hands-on cooking come together!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: 1st - 3rd

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Alpha Elementary

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Adventure & Discovery

Next-Gen Carpenters Camp

Grade Level: 5th - 7th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Madera High School

Build it, create it, make it happen! Next-Gen Carpenters Camp is a hands-on construction summer program where students learn real-world building skills through fun, project-based activities. They'll explore carpentry tools, safety, and teamwork while building confidence and gaining exciting exposure to construction and skilled trades careers!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Passport to Flavor

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Pack your bags and grab your aprons! This summer, we're embarking on a high-speed culinary expedition. Our young explorers won't just learn to cook; they'll discover the secrets of the spices, the stories behind the snacks, and the traditions that make every culture unique. From rolling sushi in Tokyo to pressing tortillas in Mexico City, every day is a new destination. No passport required—just a big appetite!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Future Healers & Heroes

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Discover your future in healthcare! Explore the five healthcare career pathways: Health Informatics, Therapeutic Services, Diagnostic Services, Support Services, and Biotechnology & Research. From Billing Specialists to Paramedics, Radiologists, Nutrition Specialists, and Genomics Biomedical Technicians—there are thousands of exciting careers to discover! Let's learn, practice, and start innovating your future in healthcare!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

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Visual & Performance Arts

Learn Piano

Learn Piano and explore the joy of making music in a supportive, creative environment! Learn essential techniques, practice sight-reading, and play engaging pieces while building confidence and musical expression. A great opportunity for beginners to grow as musicians, collaborate with peers, and enjoy playing the piano.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 7th - 12th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Learn Piano

Learn Piano and explore the joy of making music and building piano skills in a supportive and creative environment! Students will learn essential techniques, practice sight-reading, and play engaging pieces while improving confidence and musical expression. This is a great opportunity for beginners to grow as a musician, collaborate with peers, and enjoy playing the piano!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Learn Guitar for Beginners

Strum, pick, and rock out at Learn Guitar! This class is perfect for beginners, with step-by-step instruction on essential techniques, basic chords, and simple songs. Explore a variety of musical styles—from pop and rock to classical and folk—while building confidence and foundational skills in a fun, supportive environment. Intermediate players should enroll in the separate class to further develop their skills.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 7th - 12th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

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Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

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Visual & Performance Arts

Cultural Day Trips

Offering students different experiences throughout California to emerge themselves in the ARTS. Different cultural day trips through the summer for grades 4th - 12th provided by the Madera Unified Arts Education Department. Grades & dates vary per trip. District transportation provided.

- **CURTAINS: The Musical Comedy Whodunit, Fresno**
- **The Phantom of the Opera Broadway Musical, San Francisco**
- **Future Innovators: A Day at The Tech Interactive, San Jose**
- **Pines & Palettes: Art Camp at Huntington Lake, San Jose**
- **Fine Art & Sweet Treats: A San Francisco Day Trip**
- **Modern City Canvas & Coastal Views: San Francisco Art Excursion**
- **Sculpting the Shore: A Day of Sand Art in Monterey**
- **Young Frankenstein Play, Sacramento**
- **The Yosemite Sketchbook: A Nature & Art Day Trip**
- **Disney's Beauty and the Beast (Broadway Musical), San Francisco**
- **The Sound of Music (Broadway Musical), San Jose**
- **Annie (Musical) at Roger Rocka's Dinner Theatre, Fresno**

Arts Camp: A Bugs-eye View

Shrink down and explore a tiny world of creativity!
In A Bug's Eye View, campers dive into an imaginative backyard adventure through bug-inspired art, playful dance, music, and acting. Throughout the week, creativity comes to life as they collaborate and explore, culminating in a special showcase for families to enjoy their tiny world!

District Transportation Provided - More information coming

Grade Level: K - 6th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Location:
Virginia Lee Rose Elementary

Registration Begins May 22nd

Visual & Performance Arts

Learn Guitar for Intermediate

Strum, pick, and take your playing to the next level in Intermediate Guitar! This class is designed for students who already have basic guitar experience and are ready to build on their skills. Students will refine techniques, expand chord knowledge, and learn more complex songs across a variety of styles—from pop and rock to classical and folk. With opportunities to collaborate, jam, and perform, this class offers a supportive environment to grow as a musician.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 4th - 12th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Beginning Band

Designed for those with little or no prior experience on a band instrument. Learn the fundamentals of note reading, rhythm, tone production, and ensemble playing. Instrument choices include flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, and percussion. By the end of the summer, campers will perform simple melodies together in the final concert.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Intermediate Band

For those with at least one year of experience, this course builds on foundational skills with a focus on tone, technique, and musical expression. Play a variety of repertoire, expand sight-reading, and refine ensemble skills while fostering teamwork and confidence.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 6th - 9th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Beginning Mariachi

Open to those with little or no experience, this course introduces the fundamentals of Mariachi music. Learn to play violin, trumpet, guitar, vihuela, or guitarrón while exploring traditional rhythms, melodies, and ensemble playing. Sing in Spanish and experience the energy, culture, and excitement of Mariachi!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: June 9 - July 16
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Visual & Performance Arts

Intermediate Mariachi

For those with at least one year of experience, this course builds on traditional Mariachi styles and techniques. Develop harmony, improve phrasing and articulation, and perform classic Mariachi songs with confidence and energy!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 6th - 9th

Session: June 9 - July 16
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Mariachi Honor

Refine your sound and take the stage! For experienced Mariachi musicians ready to elevate their performance skills, this course focuses on intricate harmonies, improvisation, and authentic Mariachi styles. Emphasis is placed on expression, stage presence, and ensemble precision—ending with a final concert showcasing mastery of this rich tradition.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 8th - 12th

Session: June 9 - July 16
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Beginning Orchestra

This course is ideal for students with little or no prior experience on a string instrument. Students will learn the basics of the violin, viola, cello, or bass, including posture, bowing, finger placement, and reading music. By the end of the session, students will play simple songs together and showcase their progress in the final concert.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 4th - 6th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Intermediate Orchestra

For those with at least one year of experience, this course builds technical skills, bowing techniques, and ensemble playing. Explore more intricate repertoire, develop vibrato and shifting, and strengthen musical expression. The summer concludes with an engaging performance showcasing growth.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 6th - 9th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

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Visual & Performance Arts

Symphony Orchestra for Advanced Musicians

Calling all advanced string, woodwind, brass, and percussion musicians! This ensemble builds musical skills in a full orchestra setting. Rehearse and perform music from Hollywood and Broadway while sharpening sight-reading, collaborating with other musicians, and experiencing the excitement of a live performance!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 8th - 12th

Session: June 9 - July 16
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Chamber Percussion A

Step into the spotlight and feel the rhythm! Calling all middle and high school percussionists! Experience the world of percussion through small ensemble performances, rhythm challenges, and hands-on learning. Grow skills on a variety of instruments while collaborating in a chamber group, with ensemble placement based on instrument and experience level.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 8th - 12th

Session: June 9 - July 16
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Chamber Percussion B

Feel the rhythm and make some noise! Calling all middle and high school percussionists! Explore the world of percussion through small ensemble performances, rhythm challenges, and hands-on learning. Build skills on a variety of instruments while performing and collaborating in a chamber group. Participants will be placed in one of two ensembles based on instrument and skill level.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 8th - 12th

Session: June 9 - July 16
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Torres High School

NextGen Theatre Collective: Forging the Future of Original Theatre

Bring stories to life on stage! Middle school creative thinkers will collaborate to create an original performance using improvisation, storytelling, movement, and theatre games. Develop characters and scenes while learning to work as an ensemble, culminating in a fun showcase for family and friends.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 6th - 8th

Session: June 8 - July 16
Monday & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Be Bold! Be Cool! Join the Squad

Visual & Performance Arts

Viva Folklórico: Elementary

Dance, move, and celebrate culture! Get ready for Viva Folklórico, where dancers learn the basics of traditional folklórico through fun steps, vibrant movements, and the meaning behind the music. Build confidence, stay active, and express yourself while making new friends and having an amazing time

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 3rd - 4th

Session: June 8 - July 15
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Viva Folklórico: Elementary

Get ready to dance, move, and celebrate culture at Viva Folklórico! Learn the basics of traditional folklórico dance with fun steps, colorful movements, and the stories behind the music and traditions. Build confidence, stay active, express yourself through dance, and make new friends—all while having a fantastic time!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 5th - 6th

Session: June 8 - July 15
Tuesdays & Thursdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Viva Folklórico: Secondary

Celebrate culture, rhythm, and tradition at Viva Folklórico! Middle and high school students will dive into traditional folklórico dance, practice lively choreographed routines, and explore the rich history behind the music and movements. Build confidence, sharpen dance skills, and connect with others as you bring culture to life through vibrant, energetic performances!

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 7th - 12th

Session: June 8 - July 15
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Theatre Innovation Studio: Devising New Works for the Stage

Create, collaborate, and bring your ideas to life! High school theatre-makers explore devised theatre, creating original performances as an ensemble rather than from a traditional script. Through improvisation, writing, movement, and discussion, original ideas are shaped into a cohesive piece, ending with a final performance created and performed by the group.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 9th - 12th

Session: June 8 - July 15
Mondays & Wednesdays

Program Hours:
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Visual & Performance Arts

Broadway Showcase

Take center stage in our Musical Theatre Showcase! Middle and high school participants will bring iconic musical numbers to life, developing their vocal, acting, and dance skills as they work on scenes and songs from hit Broadway musicals. Collaborate with peers, explore character development, and share your passion in an exciting final performance on July 17th from 5:30–6:30 pm.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 7th - 12th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Location:
Madera High School Theater

Sonic Canvas: Digital Audio Workshop

Step into the producer's chair in this 10-day Digital Music Intensive! High school creators will use digital tools to build original tracks, exploring beatmaking, sound design, and audio arrangement. Whether producing for streaming or a live performance, participants will gain the skills to bring their musical visions to life.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 8th - 12th

Session: July 6 - July 17

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Location:
Madera South High School

Art Speaks: the conjunto of Visual Art, Poetry & collective expression

Let your creativity speak with Art Speaks! This collaborative experience blends visual art and poetry to amplify individual and collective voices. Explore how images, words, and storytelling express identity, culture, and community. Through guided activities, participants will create artwork and poetry that reflect their perspectives while contributing to a powerful shared expression.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 9th - 12th

Session: July 6 - July 10

Program Hours:
8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Location:
Madera High School

From Forests to Boardwalks: A California Photography Adventure

Capture the beauty of California through travel photography! Explore iconic locations—from towering National Park trees to charming historic downtowns, endless beaches, and lively boardwalks. Perfect for aspiring photographers, this course combines hands-on learning with unforgettable experiences, helping you tell unique stories through every shot.

NO District Transportation Provided

Grade Level: 9th - 12th

Session: July 13 - July 17

Program Hours:
7:00 am - 7:00 pm

Location:
Torres High School

Registration Begins May 22nd

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