WILLOWWIND SCHOOL'S
SUMMER PROGRAM
PRE-SCHOOL - SIXTH GRADE 2023

JUN 5TH THROUGH AUG 4TH
WELCOME!

Dear Willowwind Summer Friends,

Thank you for considering Willowwind’s Summer Program for your family. Willowwind School is a joyful learning community where children develop their unique potential through child-led inquiry. It is with great excitement that we invite your child to join us for their summer break.

We have an action-packed program lined up this year that is sure to energize your child with a strong interest in learning and exploration. Summer at Willowwind School is a wholesome, engaging, and educational experience for your child. The Summer Program is designed to suit a wide variety of interests by providing opportunities to learn and play through nature, arts, special visitors, STEM projects, theater, and more. Campers also have plenty of unstructured time to explore their interests and form new friendships.

We are looking forward to the exciting, enriching opportunities for children to come together and collaborate in summer 2023. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at the email below. Take care.

Sincerely,

Mary Iverson (she/her)
Programs Coordinator
maryi@willowwind.org | 319-338-6061

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

BASP:
- PreK-6 BSP 7:30-8:15 AM (8:30 PreK)
- PreK-6 ASP 3:15 (3:30 PreK)-6:00 PM

Families not registered for BASP will be charged the per day fee if students are dropped off or picked up more than 15 minutes before or after their scheduled class time. The BSP fee is $10 per day & the ASP fee is $20 per day.

CAMP SESSIONS:
- PreK half-day session 8:30-11:30 AM
- PreK full-day session 8:30 AM-3:30PM
- K-6 AM session 8:15-11:15 AM
- K-6 PM session 12:15-3:15 PM
- K-6 lunch/recess session 11:15 AM-12:15 PM

Available to half-day K-6 children for $40 per week.

*** NO CAMP TUESDAY JULY 4TH ***
COVID-19 POLICIES

Willowwind continues to use pandemic management protocols based on guidance from the Center for Disease Control (CDC), the American Camp Association (ACA), and direct consultation with the Johnson County Department of Health (JCPH). Willowwind keeps a close eye on evolving practices surrounding infectious diseases and will shift policies as recommended by the CDC, ACA, and JCPH. Policies regarding isolation and facial coverings may be utilized.

FACIAL COVERINGS:
At this time, students, employees, parents, and visitors are not required to wear facial coverings. If a student is COVID+, they will be required to wear a mask on days 6-10 per CDC guidance.

POSITIVE FOR COVID-19 - ISOLATION REQUIREMENTS:
If your student has COVID (confirmed by a PCR test or rapid test), please notify Willowwind School immediately.

• COVID+ individuals must isolate themselves from Willowwind for 5 days.

• COVID+ individuals can return to Willowwind School on day 6 so long as:
  • their symptoms have improved
  • they are fever, vomiting, and diarrhea free for 24 hours prior to return, without the use of fever-reducing medication
  • they are fully masked consistently and correctly through Day 10. Willowwind reserves the right to send the COVID+ individual home for the remainder of the 10-day isolation period if it is observed frequently that correct and consistent mask wearing was not possible.

• COVID+ individuals will be required to eat snacks and lunch separately from their peers through day 10.

• A COVID negative test is not required for COVID+ individuals to return to school on day 6.

COVID EXPOSURE - QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS:
Individuals, regardless of vaccination status, considered in close contact with an individual who has tested positive for COVID-19 (at Willowwind, at home, or within the community) will not be required to quarantine, but must monitor symptoms for 10 days following exposure.

• If an individual (regardless of vaccination status) has had a confirmed close contact exposure within the last 10 days, they will be asked to stay home or be sent home if they experience any one COVID-like symptom.

• A negative COVID test (rapid or PCR) will be required to return to Willowwind.

If any student or employee tests positive for COVID, and individuals at Willowwind School are deemed possible close contacts, Willowwind will notify those exposed to the COVID positive individual.

To learn more about Willowwind’s current safety measures, visit Willowwind’s 2022-23 Safety Measures Guide. This guide highlights practices specific to Willowwind’s academic year, but similar safety practices will apply for Willowwind’s Summer Program. Changes to policies will be shared with registered campers before the start of camp. Please send any questions you have to Mary Iverson, Programs Coordinator.

WHAT TO BRING EVERYDAY:
These things help make sure that your child has the energy, the gear, and the drive to get the most fun and learning they can from each day at camp. Please help your child remember to pack these things every day.

- Mask (optional)
- Lunch & snacks
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen
- Comfy clothes & shoes
- A good attitude
REGISTRATION & POLICIES

WHO CAN REGISTER
Public, private, and home-schooled students in preschool through Grade 6. Elementary students should register based on the grade they will be entering in fall 2023. For preschool programs, students must be at least three years old and toilet-trained. Willowwind provides equal opportunity to participate in programs and does not discriminate by gender, sexual orientation, marital status, socioeconomic status, disability, race, national origin, color, religion, or creed.

PAYMENT & FEES
A deposit of 50% will be required at the time of registration for all summer programs (including the registration fee and any optional BASP fees). Any remaining tuition will be billed in equal monthly installments throughout the spring (see specific billing dates online when you register). If payment is not made in full when the payment plan is complete, we reserve the right to cancel your registration. We process all registrations in the order in which they are received. We accept registrations as long as there is space available. We do not offer prorated tuition for absences or late starts. We cannot accommodate drop-ins. There is a registration fee of $25 per student.

HOW TO REGISTER
Returning campers will use their existing CampDoc account and new families will create an account for Summer Program registration. Registration can be completed at app.schooldoc.com/register/willowwind.

Preschool Registration Requirement:
Willowwind is requiring a minimum registration of two consecutive weeks for preschool summer programming. Participating in consecutive weeks of summer programming allows students time to become comfortable with class routines, develop independence, and encourages meaningful relationships with their peers and teachers. Be sure to take advantage of our multi-week discount!

Registrants will receive an email confirmation within two business days of registration. We will send a more detailed email confirming class dates and times, location, and other general information closer to their start date.

LUNCH SUPERVISION
Lunch and recess supervision from 11:15am -12:15pm is free for PreK-6th grade when the child is registered for both morning and afternoon classes. Lunch/recess supervision may be purchased for $40 per week for K-6 grade children signed up for half-day camps only. Preschool lunch supervision is included only in full-day registration and is not available for AM only registration.

ATTENDANCE
In order to get the most out of each class, we expect children to attend every day of their enrolled classes, except in the case of illness or emergency. Tuition will not be prorated and refunds will not be issued for missed classes.

BEHAVIOR
All children have the right to learn in a safe classroom that is free from excessive distraction. When a child’s behavior becomes a distraction, the faculty and staff use a number of strategies to mitigate the issue. They begin with reteaching, reinforcing, and acknowledging appropriate behavior, and then move on to redirecting the individual student. If a child is unable to correct their behavior or is unresponsive to teacher interventions, Willowwind reserves the right to excuse the child from its Summer Program. Refunds will not be made for current camp class days not attended due to dismissal. Should the child be registered for future camps, we will refund for tuition fees paid at the time of dismissal.

SUMMER TECHNOLOGY POLICY
Willowwind School is committed to providing students access to instructional technology tools. Use of technology in the classroom is for educational purposes, such as accessing curriculum-related information, sharing resources, and promoting innovation in learning. Unless granted permission to do so by a teacher, administrator, or staff member the use of a child’s personal technology devices are not permitted during camp hours (7:30am - 6:00pm). Willowwind’s Summer Program catalog will make note if technology from home is required for a class. If technology from home is recommended but not required, Willowwind will communicate this in its camp-specific communication leading up to the week of camp.
CLASS CANCELLATION POLICIES

We want all students to be satisfied with their experiences at Willowwind School. If after attending the first day of class, you decide that you do not wish to continue, let us know before the second class and your tuition will become a credit, which you may use toward another available space in a summer 2023 class. After the second day of class, we will not make any tuition or enrollment adjustments.

- If you cancel your registration at least four weeks before the class begins, tuition will be refunded, less a $50 cancellation fee per class.
- If you cancel your registration less than four weeks before the class starts, no refund will be given. Any tuition paid for the canceled class, minus the $50 cancellation fee, becomes a credit toward another 2023 Willowwind Summer Program class. Any difference in cost from the new class will not be refunded.
- No credit or refund is given for cancellations occurring within two business days of the start date of the class.
- If tuition has not been paid in full by the time the monthly payment plan is complete, and no action to cancel has been taken, no refund or class credit will be issued and the registration will be terminated.

Cancellation by Willowwind: We reserve the right to cancel a class if enrollment is insufficient. Any tuition paid will be refunded in full.

BEFORE & AFTER SUMMER PROGRAM (BASP)

Our Before and After Summer Programs (BASP) is available for preK through sixth grade students. When registering for courses, BSP and ASP will be listed as add-on options available when registering via CampDoc.

Willowwind can accommodate drop-ins with prior notice at a rate of $20 per day for ASP and $10 per day for BSP. Please be sure to call the office at 319-338-6061 before dropping in.

BSP: 7:30am-8:30am $35/week  ASP: 3:30pm-6:00pm $80/week

CANCELLATION OF BASP

- BASP fees will be refunded if cancellation occurs at least four weeks before the start date of the program.
- Cancellations in less than four weeks results in BASP fees being credited towards another Willowwind summer class during summer 2023.
- No credit or refund is given to BASP cancellations occurring within two business days of the class start date.
- If BASP fees have not been paid in full by the time the monthly payment plan is complete, and no action to cancel has been taken, no refund or class credit will be issued, and the child’s registration in BASP will be terminated.
- If a student misses BASP, is picked up early, or dropped off late, fees will not be prorated.

SUMMER DISCOUNTS

Register by March 31st and waive your registration fee! Use the code Earlybird23 when registering.

If you’re joining us for most or all of our summer program, we want to say thank you with the following discounts!

- 7 full weeks- save $25 with code 7weeks.
- 8 full weeks- save $50 with code 8weeks.
- 9 full weeks- save $100 with code 9weeks.

*A full week is one week of full-day classes or one week with both AM & PM options.
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<th>Week 1: Jun 5-9</th>
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<td><strong>HELPING HANDS $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Children will find joy and gain independence while focusing on helping others. Activities during this fun-filled week will build self-esteem and compassion as helping habits are introduced and practiced. Children will enjoy incorporating these activities into their daily lives at school and beyond.</td>
<td><strong>WEATHER WATCHERS $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Come explore the exciting world of weather during this whirlwind week of games, art, science, and sensory play! Children will learn to observe and describe the weather outside. We will also shine some light on how rainbows are made, and discover many other wonders of weather.</td>
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<td><strong>EXPLORING OUR SENSES $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Children have a natural curiosity and desire to explore and respond to their world. Montessori sensorial works help children use their senses to form relationships between concepts like shape, size, length, and color. Children will explore their surroundings with their five senses and discover how each provides important information about the world around them.</td>
<td><strong>CRITTER CONNECTIONS $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Children will learn about some of the animals they may see in their nearby natural environment. They’ll discover animals that live in ponds, creeks, forests, and prairies. Children will engage in math, literacy, and science works to learn about a variety of animal species, their habitats, and common behaviors.</td>
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<td><strong>CURIOUS WORLD $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Come explore Montessori humanities and science curriculum with us! We will cover geography, world culture, zoology, botany, and much more. Children will explore Montessori works that stimulate their developing senses and curious minds while learning about the composition of the universe, the world, and their special place in it.</td>
<td><strong>MUSIC MAKERS $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Music lovers won’t want to miss this class! Children participate in dance and musical games, learn about instrument families, and enjoy visits from guest musicians. Children will also make their own music, and develop beat keeping, ensemble playing, and rhythm skills.</td>
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<td><strong>GRACE &amp; COURTESY $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Montessori’s focus on grace and courtesy models and guides how children engage with others, and the environment around them. In this class, children will learn the importance of kindness and compassion towards others. They will practice sharing materials, taking turns, including other children in play, and respecting surroundings and the physical space of others.</td>
<td><strong>GARDEN BUDS $245/$150</strong>&lt;br&gt;Children will explore the wonders of gardening and growing through hands-on activities. Come play with plants, taste garden produce, and create botanical crafts. Learn about worms, insects, and pollinators, and explore the natural environment through science-based learning. Children will discover where food comes from, collect seeds, and observe growing plant life.</td>
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**Note:** No camp July 3-7 | Love for Letters $195/$120<br>Children will spend the week learning and exploring letter sounds and shapes, and brainstorm words that begin with each letter they learn. To develop a deeper understanding of the letters, children will enjoy hands-on letter activities which may include cooking projects, visual arts, and singing.

**LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR PRESCHOOL AT WILLOWWIND.ORG/MONTESSORI-PRESCHOOL**

**FULL DAY OPTION 8:30AM - 3:30PM OR HALF DAY OPTION 8:30 - 11:30AM**
WILLOWWIND MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL

The goal of Willowwind’s Montessori Preschool program is to teach the child as a whole, equally guiding the physical, social, emotional, and intellectual growth of each child. Through the prepared environment, calmness of the teacher, and attention to grace and courtesy, we strive to offer an educational experience based upon the teachings of Maria Montessori. We offer both full-time and part-time options for preschoolers aged 3-5 years.

Certified Montessori teachers lead students in the core Montessori curricular areas of practical life, sensorial, mathematics, language, culture, and humanities. Preschool students are also provided instruction in science, art, music, and physical education.

FULL-TIME PRESCHOOL
M-W,F 8:30am - 3:30pm
Th 8:30am - 2:30pm

PART-TIME PRESCHOOL
M-F 8:30am - 11:30am

WILLOWWIND’S MONTESSORI PROGRAM FOSTERS:

- Independence
- Joy of learning
- Love of order
- Learning through discovery
- Concentration
- Self-discipline
- Ability to make decisions
- Self-confidence
- Peaceful problem-solving skills
- Care of the environment

Contact our Admissions Coordinator, Rachel Butler at info@willowwind.org to learn more about Willowwind's preschool program or to schedule a virtual or in person tour. We look forward to talking with you!

SPRING BREAK CAMP, MARCH 13-17TH

PRE-SCHOOL - 6TH GRADE

Spring break camps will occur March 13-17th between 8:30AM - 3:30PM. K-6 camp will be a full-day and preK camp will be full-day with a half-day option. BASP will be available for an additional cost for all children. Registration is currently open at willowwind.org/spring-break.

BSP 7:30-8:30AM  ASP 3:30-6:00PM

Families who register for Spring Break classes with Willowwind will receive a special discount code to use when registering for the 2023 Summer Program. This can be applied even after a child’s summer registration is completed through CampDoc.

PREK: KIDCHELLA (FULL-DAY 8:30AM - 3:30PM & HALF-DAY 8:30AM - 11:30AM)
Preschoolers (ages three to five and toilet-trained) are invited to dance and sing through a fun-filled Spring Break week of music and sound. A music-rich environment develops children’s confidence, language, cognitive, and listening skills. Preschoolers will move and groove our way through fun activities that will bring excitement to all. Willowwind’s Preschool Spring Break Camp will create a musical-inspired festival, our own “Kidchella.” This week will be jam-packed with dance parties, musical crafts, silly songs, and much more! Willowwind’s very own Ms. Cassidy will teach the Preschool Spring Break Camp!

K-6: ARTAPALOOZA (FULL-DAY 8:30AM-3:30PM)
Looking to explore different art mediums? Look no further! Artapalooza is a celebration of color, textures, exploration, and art. We’ll do it all: painting, collage, printmaking, modeling, and drawing! Spend a week of art exploration and create a feast of artistic fun!! Students will study drawing with pencil and charcoal and explore the fundamentals of watercolor and acrylic painting. Throughout the camp, students will touch on still-life, landscape, and the basics of portraiture. No art experience is necessary. Individual talents and areas of interest will apply! Willowwind friend, Ms. Suzie will be back in Iowa City to teach this incredible class.

willowwind.org/summer-program  Registration begins January 30th.
## KINDERGARTEN

**CHOOSE:** FULL DAY 8:15AM - 3:15PM (INCLUDES LUNCH SUPERVISION 11:15-12:15)  
AM ONLY 8:15AM - 11:15AM OR PM ONLY 12:15 PM - 3:15PM

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<td><strong>FAMOUS ARTISTS $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>MAGICAL CREATURES $175</strong></td>
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<td>Students will explore a multitude of mediums and become inspired to create their own masterpieces. They will learn about famous artists and works of art across many genres to create pop art inspired by Andy Warhol, make a gorgeous portrait inspired by Frida Kahlo, and study Jackson Pollock’s revolutionary method of “action painting”.</td>
<td>Spend the week immersed in the magical world of mythical beings. Make magical creatures and their forest homes, including egg carton mushrooms. Fill out this magical week with nature crowns, tasseled bell ankle bracelets, nature crowns, bubble wands. All together students will build a rock spiral and bake rainbow cupcakes.</td>
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<td><strong>TRANSPORTATION STATION $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>HABITATS OF THE WORLD $175</strong></td>
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<td>This week is full of hustle and bustle as students explore transportation and the science that makes things go. Students will visit the U of I CAMBUS station to see the ins and outs of the big buses. Students will apply their learning to create their very own trucks, trains, or other modes of transportation.</td>
<td>From the tree tops of rainforests to the deepest ocean waters and everything in between, students will explore unique habitats around the world. They will also explore the tall grass prairie habitat found right here on Willowwind’s campus as well as other areas nearby.</td>
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<td><strong>POLAR OPPOSITES $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>COLORS, COLORS EVERYWHERE $175</strong></td>
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<td>Take a journey to the North and South Poles to meet polar bears and penguins. Learn how Arctic animals are built for the extreme weather. Play in the snow in summer, study climate changes impact on glacier melting, and learn about one of the most unique sea animals in the Arctic, the narwhal!</td>
<td>This class focuses on all things bright and beautiful. Budding artists will hone their color skills in the classroom and out in nature. Students will utilize their five senses to explore natural art, study the color wheel, and experiment with different mediums to explore endless possibilities of color.</td>
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<td><strong>DEEP SEA EXPLORERS $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>FAIRYTALE TOWN $175</strong></td>
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<td>Dive into the waters of the Atlantic and Pacific to learn about the creatures that call the ocean home. Explore the science behind waves and currents, and why the ocean ecosystem is so important to human life. This hands-on class will include demonstrations, experiments, and fun crafts!</td>
<td>Join the world of fairies with stories and projects including fairy gardens, flower crowns, and magical scavenger hunts. Students will work together to solve mysteries and complete enchanted challenges. Wings, fairy ears, magic wands, and students’ imaginations will bring this week to life.</td>
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### WILLOWWIND MISSION

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[LEARN MORE AT WILLOWWIND.ORG.](#)
KINDERGARTEN CONTINUED

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<td>Swim with whales and soar with falcons as you explore the animal kingdom! Learn how animals live and use your imagination to act like your favorite creature. Why do camels have humps? What can humans do to share the planet with non-human friends? Students will answer these questions and more in this exciting week of animal adventures.</td>
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<td>DINO-MANIA $175</td>
<td>GARDEN BUDS $175</td>
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<td>Let's spend the week exploring the dinosaurs, birds, fish, and other creatures that inhabited the earth long ago. What animals roamed Earth and its deep ocean waters? What caused their extinction? Which survived and evolved into the creatures we know today? Students will explore these questions and more as they learn about the prehistoric creatures of land, water, and air.</td>
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<td>SPACE EXPLORERS $175</td>
<td>MAKER'S SPACE $170</td>
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<td>Where does the sun go at night? Why does the moon seem to change shape? Why are some stars bright and others dim? Students will explore these questions and much more as they blast off into outer space to learn more about the planets, stars, and moons we see in the night sky.</td>
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<td>GET READY FOR KINDERGARTEN (FULL DAY, 2 WEEK CLASS) $650</td>
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<td>Explore the exciting new world of kindergarten! Any child entering kindergarten in the fall of 2023 is invited to participate in this full day, two-week course that will focus on building skills for success in their new classroom environment. Featuring literacy, math, science, movement, and social skills, children will build confidence about kindergarten. This class reflects an actual school day at Willowwind including time for specials classes. Academic and interpersonal skills instruction will be specialized for children making the big transition from self-directed preschool experiences to project-based kindergarten work.</td>
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WHY WILLOWWIND?

IQ + EQ
Willowwind balances academic achievement with the development of social and emotional intelligence, emphasizing students’ respect and appreciation in themselves, others, and the natural world. This provides students with a sense of belonging, a climate of trust, and a joyful merging of social, emotional, and intellectual development.

willowwind.org/summer-program
Registration begins January 30th.
**FIRST & SECOND GRADE**

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<td><strong>PAPER CRAFT ART $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>ART IN NATURE $185</strong></td>
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<td>Discover the world of paper art in this creative class. Students will explore paper crafting techniques from around the world as they make handmade paper, create three-dimensional objects using traditional origami folding techniques, learn to design and cut pop-ups, and assemble unique paper sculptures.</td>
<td>Throughout history, artists have been inspired by the natural world. Students will learn about famous artists whose work was influenced by or created with nature. They'll visit some of our community's most scenic locales, exploring nature and finding creative ways to express what they see. With beautiful landscapes in view, artistic options will be endless.</td>
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<td><strong>CRACK THE CODE $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>ROALD DAHL $175</strong></td>
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<td>Investigate the world through the eyes of spies and detectives. Students will learn how to think critically, write ciphers, and decode messages as they create secret missions. Students will also learn about famous spies throughout history and uncover the secrets of how to distract others away from their spy work.</td>
<td>Explore the creative genius of Roald Dahl and famous characters like Willy Wonka! Students will enjoy a read aloud of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, use compare and contrast skills to spot and discuss the differences between the book and movie. Designing their own candy experiments may be the highlight but we'll also do sweet crafts and so much more. Come join this world of imagination!</td>
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<td><strong>MIGHTY METEOROLOGISTS $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>LEGO CREATIONS $175</strong></td>
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<td>Become a meteorologist for the week! Make a weather station and learn about weather patterns that occur around the world. Students will make their own weather as they create mini tornadoes and &quot;snow&quot; in the summer. They will also learn about the water cycle and greenhouse effect as they build their own terrarium.</td>
<td>Build a device to prevent tigers from escaping, design a sturdy house able to withstand the weight of a textbook or two, or a device that can catch objects! Students will use higher-order thinking to problem solve and complete a variety of fun challenges with LEGO bricks during this week of creativity and building.</td>
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<td><strong>ARTASOURUS CAMP $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>IT'S A BIG WORLD $175</strong></td>
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<td>Explore the wild world of dinosaurs and other reptiles through science and art! Students will learn about prehistoric animals, study extinction, make dinosaur eggs and fossils, and use their new knowledge to design and build prehistoric habitats. Young artists and scientists will dig into their creativity and the life of dinosaurs. It will be a ferociously fun time!</td>
<td>Through music, song, and dance, students will discover and explore many countries and cultures around the world. Visit Korea, France, Ireland, Africa, and unique regions of the United States. Students will build their own “one of a kind” instrument out of recycled materials. This class's creative activities will help students learn about and appreciate different communities and cultures.</td>
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<td><strong>SLIME-TOPIA $140</strong></td>
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<td>This ooey, gooey, squishy, squasy slime-drenched Willowwind favorite is back! Explore different kinds of the playful polymer and the chemistry compounds within. From sticky to slippery; from fluffy to foamy - we’ve got you and this class covered (in slime, that is)!</td>
<td>Become the creative genius behind the design of marble mazes, foosball games, mini-golf, and more. Using STEAM concepts and everyday materials, young toy makers will design, build, and test their own toys and games. Willowwind will supply the materials and students will supply the most important tools: their own creativity, imagination, and ingenuity!</td>
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<td>What makes magic? A strong imagination? A spark of creativity? Eye of newt and a dash of unicorn hair? Come discover mythical creatures, develop enchanted skills, hear tales of giants, and venture into Willowwind’s prairie to track fantastic beasts during this week of myth and magic.</td>
<td>Using a map, compass, and sense of adventure, students will navigate around our amazing world and local community. Discover how people got around before GPS. Students will learn how to use different types of maps and make a few of their own. What treasure awaits when the secrets of map reading are unlocked?</td>
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FIRST & SECOND GRADE CONTINUED

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<td><strong>ARTIST’S STUDIO $175</strong></td>
<td><strong>BUST THE MYTH $175</strong></td>
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<td>Create masterpieces using oil pastels, watercolors, tempera paints, colored pencils, and chalk! Students will learn about famous artists throughout history and explore art forms from different cultures around the world. This creative class is open-ended and full of artful play.</td>
<td>Do cell phones and light switches really have more germs than a toilet seat? Do pop rocks and soda explode when combined? Based on the hit TV show “Mythbusters,” students will use the scientific method to test whether popular legends, rumors, and myths are actually true, or if they’re busted.</td>
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<td><strong>SPASH &amp; JUMP INTO H2O $185</strong></td>
<td><strong>ONCE UPON A TIME $175</strong></td>
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<td>Take a break from the summer heat in this Willowwind favorite! Students will enjoy creek walks, play water games, and stay cool at some of the area’s best aquatic destinations. They’ll also learn about water safety and how to be environmental stewards of our waterways.</td>
<td>Explore classic stories like <em>The Three Little Pigs</em> and <em>Little Red Riding Hood</em>. Students will bring these famous stories to life through role playing and artwork. What could’ve happened if these fairytales went differently? We’ll find out when the class creates alternative endings to these well known tales.</td>
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<td><strong>KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD (FULL DAY) $375</strong></td>
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<td>A favorite from last summer is back! Students will enjoy a week of food, fun, and games as they venture to some of our favorite local spots. They’ll explore the fossil gorge, visit a museum, and perhaps even hike or go for a swim at a local park. Search for art and murals in downtown Iowa City and learn about the history of our town and its unique neighborhoods. Wherever we end up this week, we know an adventure awaits.</td>
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IGNITE A PASSION FOR LEARNING AT WILLOWWIND!

**WHY WILLOWWIND?**

**INTEGRATED ARTS**

Willowwind’s Integrated Arts Program weaves the Arts into core instruction, bringing lessons to life, and inviting children to dive deeper into meaningful learning.

Integrated Arts also encourages students to explore and engage with Willowwind’s social justice curriculum through creativity and collaboration.

WILLOWWIND.ORG/INTEGRATED-ARTS
## Third-Sixth Grade

**Choose:** Full Day 8:15AM - 3:15PM (includes lunch supervision 11:15-12:15)  
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<td><strong>Kid Cartography $185</strong></td>
<td><strong>StoryboardThat! $175</strong></td>
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| Using a map, compass, and sense of adventure, students will navigate around our amazing world and local community. Discover how people got around before GPS. Students will learn how to use different types of maps and make a few of their own. What treasure awaits when the secrets of map reading are unlocked? | Come create your own comic, graphic novel, or storyboard. Using StoryboardThat, students will create characters, design backgrounds, imagery, and add dialogue bubbles to tell their story. The storytelling possibilities are endless!  
A tablet or laptop from home is required. Please let us know if your family needs help supplying a device. |
| **DiY Self-Care $175**    | **Amusement Park Science $175** |
| Students will discover how to make self-care mixtures they can use every single day! Students will explore aromatherapy and discover scents that can soothe or energize. Using easy to find materials, students will learn to make lotion, soap, and deodorant from scratch! | How do roller coasters work? What makes bumper cars hover? Take a ride into amusement park science and watch physics come to life in this hands-on, exploratory class. Students will apply their knowledge of energy and force to design a marble roller coaster track. |
| **Know Your Neighborhood (Full-Day) $375** | **Cooking Around the World $185** |
| A favorite from last summer is back! Students will enjoy a week of food, fun, and games as they venture to some of our favorite local spots. They’ll explore the fossil gorge, visit a museum, and perhaps even hike or go for a swim at a local park. Students will search for art and murals in downtown Iowa City and learn about the history of our town and its unique neighborhoods. Wherever we end up this week, we know an adventure awaits. | Get ready to take your taste buds on a trip around the world! Students will travel through Europe, Asia, and South America and learn to cook local delicacies. They will practice chopping vegetables, rolling dough, and mixing ingredients while learning the importance of kitchen safety! We’ll even take a trip downtown to visit a local restaurant or two. |
| **Music Mixers $175**     | **MathBusters! $140**       |
| Love music and technology? This class has both! Students will learn the fundamentals of mixing songs, scratching sounds, and DJ music theory from a professional DJ. By the end of the week they will know more about song structure, the science of sound, how to make beats, have a better understanding of sampling, and how DJs remix popular songs. | No challenge is too great for mathbusters! Students will take on math challenges as they dig in, play games, solve riddles, and complete spine-tingling problems. Use math skills like probability, statistics, story problems, and graphing to determine if the math problem is confirmed, plausible, or busted! |
| **MathBusters! $140**     | **Slime-Topia $140**       |
| No challenge is too great for mathbusters! Students will take on math challenges as they dig in, play games, solve riddles, and complete spine-tingling problems. Use math skills like probability, statistics, story problems, and graphing to determine if the math problem is confirmed, plausible, or busted! | You’re never too old for slime! This ooey, gooey, squishy, squishy, slime-drenched Willowwind favorite is back! Explore different kinds of the playful polymer and the chemistry compounds within. From sticky to slippery; from fluffy to foamy - we’ve got you and this class covered (in slime, that is)! |
| **Art in Nature $185**    | **Minute To Win It Challenge $175** |
| Throughout history, artists have been inspired by the natural world. This week, students will learn about famous artists whose work was influenced by or created with nature. Students will visit some of our community’s most scenic locales, exploring nature and finding creative ways to express what they see. With beautiful landscapes in view, the artistic options will be endless.  
A digital camera/device from home is required. Please let us know if your family needs help supplying a device. | Test your speed with a week of “minute to win it” challenges! Students will test their skills, focus, reflexes, and more as they participate in many fun challenges. Students will also collaborate to invent some new challenges to test their classmates.  
This class will work on critical thinking, team work, creativity, and is sure to keep brains engaged for the whole week. |

[willowwind.org/summer-program](http://willowwind.org/summer-program)  
Registration begins January 30th.
### THIRD-SIXTH GRADE CONTINUED

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<td>JUL 17-21 STRATEGY GAME BUFFET $175</td>
<td>BEYOND THE SELFIE $175</td>
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<td>Learn and play some of the latest multiplayer tabletop strategy games! Students will be introduced to a wide variety of cooperative games as they discover strategies of deck building, worker placement, and more. Students will also take movement breaks each morning to incorporate physical activity into their gaming.</td>
<td>In today's world it's easy to create a selfie. Did you know that artists have been creating self-portraits for hundreds of years? Why do artists create self-portraits? How do they tell a story about the artist? Students will create their own self-portrait and explore other methods of self-expression, such as fashion, music, and performance.</td>
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<td>JUL 24-28 MYTH &amp; MAGIC $175</td>
<td>SPLASH &amp; JUMP INTO H2O $175</td>
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<td>What makes magic? A strong imagination? A spark of creativity? Eye of newt and a dash of unicorn hair? Come discover mythical creatures, develop enchanted skills, hear tales of giants, and venture into Willowwind’s prairie to track fantastic beasts during this week of myth and magic.</td>
<td>Take a break from the summer heat in this camp favorite! Children will enjoy creek walks, play water games, and stay cool at some of the area’s best aquatic destinations. They’ll also learn the importance of water safety and how to be environmental stewards of our waterways.</td>
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<td>JUL 30- AUG 4 MYSTERY SOLVED $175</td>
<td>MAGICAL POTIONS $175</td>
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<td>Step into the shoes of a crime scene investigator and search for evidence. Try real scientific procedures for collecting fingerprints and analyzing evidence. Use sleuthing skills to discover clues, solve puzzles, and think critically to accomplish tasks. Students will work together to decipher a message that will take the class on an adventure to solve the big mystery!</td>
<td>Learn about physical and chemical reactions. Create concoctions such as an exploding volcano, exploding chalk, and bouncy balls! But what happens to make the volcano explode? How do the ingredients work together to make bouncy balls bounce? Enter the science laboratory and explore the why behind these fun experiments!</td>
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### WHY WILLOWWIND?

**SMALL CLASSES**

Willowwind prides itself on creating a learning environment which offers all students an opportunity to thrive. Willowwind’s K-6 classrooms are capped at 16 students.

This approach allows teachers to work closely with each student to create personalized education plans that provide necessary support and appropriate challenges to meet their individual needs.

**DISCOVER MORE AT WILLOWWIND.ORG.**

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Curious about Willowwind's school year program?

NOW ENROLLING FOR 2023-24!
PREK-6TH GRADE SPOTS AVAILABLE.

Willowwind is committed to a rigorous academic program rooted in experiential and project-based learning. We encourage independence, risk-taking, and critical thinking across the curriculum and equip our students with the skills to approach complex challenges and a changing environment with curiosity, persistence, and leadership.

Willowwind balances academic achievement with the development of social and emotional intelligence, emphasizing students’ respect and appreciation in themselves, others, and the natural world. This provides students with a sense of belonging, a climate of trust, and a joyful merging of social, emotional, and intellectual development.

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