

SUMMER OF FUN AND FRIENDS!



Summer
with Goddard

2025

The Goddard School
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THE GODDARD SCHOOL
FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

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SUMMER CAMP

AT THE GODDARD SCHOOL

Fueled by **FUN!**

The Goddard School's philosophy is that children have fun while learning skills needed for success in school and in life - **SUMMER INCLUDED!** Join us June 2 - August 28, as we experience exciting visitors, field trips, and engaging activities including:

- arts & crafts
- sports & outdoor activities
- literature & language
- science & nature
- games & water activities
- computer & technology
- kid-friendly challenges
- friendships - new & old!

Designed to be **UNIQUE.**

- Huge 8 acre summer campus
- Separate home base, gym and fields for older campers
- Weekly "Mini Camps" for school-age campers
- Carefully selected counselors focused on fun & character development

Keeping them **SAFE.**

The safety and health of the campers is our highest priority. We not only follow ODJFS standards, we also apply additional Goddard safety, health and supervision standards to keep campers cared for throughout the summer! All teachers are trained and certified in CPR, first aid and communicable disease best practices.

THE CAMPUS

HUGE FOR SUMMER!

GODDARD GROUNDS

Our Goddard School main campus includes large classrooms, science/cooking center, covered patio, and gym. Campers also enjoy the outdoor classroom and outdoor sport court for basketball, four square and more! This is in addition to 3 playgrounds with plenty of space for kickball, soccer and outdoor sports.

GODDARD ANNEX

Comboni is the "home-base" for our school-age summer campers, as well as home to our Goddard Kindergarten Annex.

All campers at the Annex have access to Goddard grounds, as well as the huge Comboni campus, kitchen, and full-sized gym throughout the day!



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DISCOVERY CAMP

Ages: under 5 years old

This camp includes our inquiry-based Wonder of Learning curriculum that stimulates social-emotional growth and supports core STEAM skills. Engaging visitors, weekly water days, and fun summer activities are aligned to weekly camp themes. Activities are conducted on Goddard's main campus and playgrounds.

Camp Options: Full and half-day schedules available, 2-5 days / week. Enroll by the month or by the week.

Cost: Varies by schedule and age. Call (513) 474-5292 to speak with our Summer Director. A 10% discount given on older sibling's camp cost.



EXPLORER CAMP

Ages: 5-6 years old (entering kindergarten)

Structured for students about to enter Kindergarten and ready to start exploring the world! This camp follows the Discovery Camp schedule including engaging visitors and weekly water days, with the addition of age-appropriate field trips. Explorer Campers are based within Goddard School's main campus with walking trips to our Comboni summer campus.

Camp Options: Full and half-day schedules available, 2-5 days / week. Enroll by the month or by the week.

Cost: Varies by schedule. Call (513) 474-5292 to speak to our Summer Director. A 10% discount given on older sibling's camp cost.

Discovery & Explorer Camp Schedule

Week	Theme	Camp Activities/ Visitors	Explorer Field Trips (Subject to Change)
6/2	Welcome to Summer	Summer Bucket Lists, Tidal Wave Parachute Game, Slip 'N Slide , Kona Ice Family Social	
6/9	Animal Habitats	Animal Habitats, Seven Snakes Math Game, Wave Shark Cart	Hidden Valley Orchards
6/16	Insects	Recycled Materials Insect Houses, Bumble Bee Buzz Game, Dr. Insecta Bug Lab	Movie Theater
6/23	Great Pets	Best Pet Venn Diagrams, Paw Print Number Bonds, Veterinary Dramatic Play, Petting Zoo	Cherry Grove Bowling
6/30	Animal Feelings	Watercolor Animal Silhouettes, Kona Ice Family Social	City Center Park Splash Pad
7/7	How to Investigate	Mystery Box Tools, Riddle Mysteries, Microscopic Wonders, Train Rides	Family Fun Putt Putt
7/14	Solving Problems	Proud Moments Gallery, Mega Memory , Life Size Operation Game	Juilfs Park Field Day Challenges
7/21	Be an inventor	"If I had a Robot..." Writing Activity, Something That Flies Invention, Slip 'N Slide	Glenwood Gardens
7/28	Use My Senses	"Musical Hoops" Game, Pour Paint Art, High/Low Pitch Sound Exploration, Magic Cowboy	Children's Museum
8/4	Outer Space	Gravity Magnet Experiment, All Star Basketball , Strike 'Em Out Game	Movie Theater
8/11	Powerful Sun	UV Bead Creations, Kona Ice Family Social , Cincinnati Museum Wonders of Weather	Cherry Grove Bowling
8/18	Planets	Papier Mache Planets, Drake Planetarium Dome	FHSD starts (8/21)
8/25	Go Big!	Big, Bigger, Biggest Partner Readings, Small But Mighty Animal Research	

KINDERGARTEN READINESS

The learning doesn't stop during the summer. Teachers provide intentional Kindergarten prep learning activities aligned with Forest Hills academic guidelines.



SCHOOL-AGE CAMPS

Ages: 6-10 years old

Designed for school-agers with an even wider variety of adventures and environments! These camps include engaging visitors, water days, high-energy outdoor summer activities, and fun field trips each week. Campers have access to Goddard School's expanded summer campus with a full-sized gym and large fields. Campers also participate in specialty Mini Camps each week.

There are three school-age camps organized according to age and ability: Adventure, Journey and Quest camps. They each have their own space, follow the same general schedule, and experience the same field trips, visitors, and mini-camps. Camp Counselors structure daily activities to accommodate the interests and abilities of each camp group.

Camp Options: 2-5 days / week

Cost: Full-day 5 days/week is \$335/week (7am-6pm). Includes all activities, visitors, mini camps & field trips. A 10% discount on older sibling's camp cost.

ADVENTURE CAMP Ages: 6-7 years old (kindergarten grads)

JOURNEY CAMP Ages: 7-9 years old

QUEST CAMP Ages: 8-11 years old



Adventure, Journey & Quest Camp Schedule

Week	Theme	Camp Activities / <i>Visitors in Italics</i> <i>Field Trips in Red (subject to change)</i>	Mini Camps
6/2	Welcome to Summer	Summer Bucket Lists, <i>Slip 'N Slide</i> , <i>Kona Ice Family Social</i>	
6/9	Animal Habitats	Animal Habitats, Seven Snakes Math Game, <i>Soccer Lessons</i> , <i>Juilfs Park All Star Sports</i> , <i>Cincinnati Zoo</i>	Sports of All Sorts: Part 1
6/16	Insects	Recycled Materials Insect Houses, <i>Dr. Insecta Bug Lab</i> , <i>Pizzeria Tour</i> , <i>Makino Park</i>	Cooking
6/23	Great Pets	Best Pet Venn Diagrams, <i>Wave Penguin Visit</i> , <i>Painting Lessons</i> , <i>Movie Theater</i> , <i>Contemporary Arts Center</i>	Art & Jewelry Making
6/30	Animal Feelings	Watercolor Animal Silhouettes, <i>Kona Ice Family Social</i> , <i>Hidden Valley Orchards</i> , <i>USA Ninjas</i>	Dude Perfect Challenges
7/7	How to Investigate	Mystery Box Tools, Riddle Mysteries Microscopic Wonders, <i>Bowling</i> , <i>City Center Park Splash Pad</i>	STEAM Egg Drop Challenge
7/14	Solving Problems	Proud Moments Gallery, <i>Life Size Operation</i> , <i>Mega Memory</i> , <i>Movie Theater</i> , <i>Family Fun Putt Putt</i>	Pinewood Derby
7/21	Be an inventor	"If I had a Robot..." Writing Activity, <i>Slip 'N Slide</i> , <i>Glenwood Gardens</i> , <i>Florence Y'Alls Circus Game</i>	Rocket Camp
7/28	Use My Senses	"Musical Hoops" Game, Car Wash, <i>Magic Cowboy</i> , <i>First Aid/CPR Intro Training</i> , <i>Children's Museum & Omni Max Theater</i> , <i>Scene 75</i>	Crime Solving
8/4	Outer Space	Gravity Magnet Experiment, <i>All Star Basketball</i> , <i>Strike 'Em Out Game</i> , <i>Red's Hall of Fame</i> , <i>Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu</i>	Sports of All Sorts: Part 2
8/11	Powerful Sun	UV Bead Creations, Talent Show, <i>Kona Ice</i> , <i>Cincinnati Museum Forces of Nature</i> , <i>Bowling</i>	Star Performers
8/18	Planets	Papier Mache Planets, How Far From the Sun Activity, <i>Drake Planetarium Dome</i>	FHSD Starts (8/21)
8/25	Go Big!	Big, Bigger, Biggest Partner Readings, Small But Mighty Animal Research	

During August, Camp Counselors provide structured activities aligned with Forest Hills learning guidelines to help students get back in the rhythm of school. Teachers will also work on individualized learning areas as directed by parents.

Mini Camps

School-age campers will participate in fun Mini Camps each week to explore new interests and skills.



Sports of All Sorts

Goddard Gym & Sport Court;
Comboni Gym & Fields
Weeks of 6/9 & 8/4

Have a blast practicing in sports, forming teams, and competing against fellow campers to get into the Goddard Hall of Fame!

STEAM Egg Drop Challenge

Comboni Courtyard - Week of 7/7



Campers build their own contraptions to protect an egg dropped from the Comboni roof! They'll test their inventions and have fun learning about gravity.

Art & Jewelry Camp

Base Camp - week 6/23

Roll up your sleeves and explore different types of art and jewelry making to express yourself, then showcase your work in the Goddard Gallery!

ROCKET CAMP

Base Camp - Week of 7/21

S.T.E.A.M. skills get hands on during this fun camp. We'll investigate propulsion as we make and launch rockets.



Pinewood Derby

Comboni Gym - Week of 7/14

Design, build and weigh your own unique car for Annual Race Day Competition on the huge derby track! Campers compete to get their name on the Pinewood Derby plaque showcased in our main Goddard hallway.



Cooking Kids

Goddard Kitchen - Week of 6/16

Campers will get hands on practice cooking and preparing various recipes. They will learn how to plan, prepare, and serve their creations.

Star Performers

Comboni Gym - Week of 8/11

Whether you love acting, singing or just being silly, this is a super fun camp! Campers have the opportunity to perform their talent at the Star Performers Showcase.

Good Deeds

Throughout the Summer!

We'll reach out to our community with words and deeds of kindness and appreciation.

Dude Perfect Challenges

Goddard Gym - Week of 6/30

Campers will create their own "Dude Perfect" type challenges and record their success!! Let's see who has the skills to complete the most amazing feats!



Crime Solving

Base Camp - Week of 7/28

A crime has happened at the Goddard School! Campers will use investigation tactics to solve the crime through clues, fingerprinting, and detective work at the crime scene.

REINFORCED DAILY

Fit for Life

Healthy habits to build a strong and fit body are reinforced daily. We move, run, jump, and stretch. Campers also learn about great nutrition to grow up strong and healthy!

Personal Character Building

We reinforce positive self-esteem, and also let others know how much they're appreciated. We reach out to our community with words and deeds of kindness and gratitude.



