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# FXW SUMMER PROGRAMS





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We are excited to offer **onsite** summer programming this year. Summer is a wonderful time to build upon the academic foundation, explore new interests, and develop friendships in a fun and familiar atmosphere!

We are prioritizing **in-person programming** with **grouped and limited capacity**. All school, city, state, and federal COVID-19 regulations will be in effect and are subject to revision at any time. Agreement with and adherence to all summer policy waivers is required of each participating family.

We may add additional courses to the Summer 2022 schedule. Please continue to check periodically for the latest updates.

Please reach out to Tom Burke ([burket@fxw.org](mailto:burket@fxw.org)) if you have any further questions or accommodation requests.

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# CAMP JAGUAR



**Instructor:** Specialists/Counselors

**Cost:** \$550/session (\$385 week of July 4th)

**Grade(s):** Pre-K–Grade 7 (ages 4–12)

**Location:** OSP (120 S. Desplaines St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 6 **Maximum Number of Students:** 36

**FXW's Camp Jaguar** is a fantastic opportunity for your Pre-K through Grade 7 child to build life skills, make friends, learn social skills, and gain confidence that can last a lifetime.

Through our age-appropriate activities and games, we encourage active participation all while having fun. If it's not fun, it's not worth doing!

With every day comes a new adventure packed with new experiences. Whether it's making elephant toothpaste during Zany Science, playing sports, or cooling down as campers have 5-day-a-week access to a fully supervised swimming pool, this will be an unforgettable summer experience for your child.

Your child will be met at each activity by one of our specialists. Each of these educators have specialized in one of our activities and will take charge of that alone. We believe this provides your child with a more unique and structured experience, and it is our hope that they get the most out of each day.

Our experienced summer staff have a passion and enthusiasm for working with young people. Made up of group counselors, division heads, and specialists, our team is in place to provide maximum support for every camper to succeed. We also want to give parents peace of mind by allowing face to face daily updates from division heads.

To us, summer camp is a continuation of your child's education, and we have structured Camp Jaguar to be a fun environment to learn lasting life skills and build new friendships.

## **Dates/Times:**

**Session 1:** June 20–June 24 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

**Session 2:** June 27–July 1 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

**Session 3:** July 5–July 8 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

**Session 4:** July 11–July 15 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

**Session 5:** July 18–July 22 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

**Session 6:** July 25–July 29 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.



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# COUNSELORS IN TRAINING (CIT)



**Instructor:** Senior Staff

**Cost:** \$480/session (\$385 week of July 4th)

**Grade(s):** Grade 8–Grade 9 (ages 13 and 14)

**Location:** OSP (120 S. Desplaines St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 6 **Maximum Number of Students:** 10

**Our Counselor in Training (CIT)** program provides the oldest Camp Jaguar attendees with an opportunity to work to gain leadership skills under the direct supervision of senior counselors and a division head.

CITs are assigned to a pack for the summer and assist campers with their daily activities. It's a great way for kids to gain hands on childcare experience while being under the guidance of our more experienced staff.

We expect our CIT's to be active participants and fully engaged throughout the day and provide substantial support with regular check-ins and a continuous feedback loop.

This ensures that they feel comfortable and capable as they refine the skills needed to navigate a wide range of situations involving young children.

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# AFTER CAMP CARE

**Cost:** \$35.00/day

**Grade(s):** Pre-K – Grade 7 (ages 4-12)

**Location:** OSP (120 S. Desplaines St.)



For families who need extra time before picking up their campers, an after-camp option is available for Camp Jaguar until 6 p.m. Our After Camp program involves a mixture of semi-structured activities that allow campers to unwind after a full day of action. Families are welcome to sign up for After Camp during registration, or on an as-needed basis.

## Dates/Times:

**Session 1:** June 20–June 24 | 3–6 p.m.

**Session 2:** June 27–July 1 | 3–6 p.m.

**Session 3:** July 5–July 8 | 3–6 p.m.

**Session 4:** July 11–July 15 | 3–6 p.m.

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# ATHLETES ON THE RISE



**Cost:** \$2,500/athlete

**Grade(s):** Grade 5–Grade 8 (minimum of 10 years old; if younger than 10 years, a conversation with Coach Erick prior to the camp is required to determine fit)

**Location:** HNC Gym (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 15 **Maximum Number of Students:** 40

This 4-week camp is for athletes that are rising 5th–8th graders that want to put in the work to become the best versions of themselves! This camp will develop speed, strength, conditioning, basketball skill, mental resilience, teamwork, and as a result, CONFIDENCE. Athlete assessment, goal setting, and individualized progression will be done to ensure maximal development. A growth mindset and an understanding of the process will be instilled into all athletes as they learn what it takes to become an elite athlete. The camp is run by Coach Erick Vigansky, MSc, CSCS, who has an extensive educational & experiential background in athletic development from the youth through the pros both in Europe and the USA (for more info, [click here](#)).

**Dates/Times:**

**Session 1:** July 5–August 4 | 8:45 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Mon–Thurs

**Pre & Post Camp Evaluations:** June 20 & August 8 | 9 a.m.–12 p.m.



# JAGUAR GENIUSES



## Coding and Robotics: Little Programmers

**Instructor:** Lindsay Mosshammer

**Cost:** \$550

**Grade(s):** Grade 2–Grade 4

**Location:** OSP (120 S. Desplaines St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 10

**CALLING ALL CODERS!** Explore the fundamentals of coding through simple block-based programming. Build and program LEGO robots, create digital stories using Scratch Jr, and explore video animation and game design! Lessons varied based on age and experience.

**Dates/Times:**

**Session 1:** July 11–15 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

## STEAM: Tinkers and Thinkers

**Instructor:** Lindsay Mosshammer

**Cost:** \$550

**Grade(s):** Grade 2–Grade 4

**Location:** OSP (120 S. Desplaines St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 10

**DESIGN, BUILD, and CREATE!** Join the Maker Movement! Explore the engineering design process through hands-on STEAM tasks, challenges, and learn about prototype design through 3D printing. Lessons varied based on age and experience.

**Dates/Times:**

**Session 1:** July 18–22 | 9 a.m.–3 p.m.



# JAGUAR GENIUSES (CONTINUED)



## Algebra Readiness

**Instructor:** Steven Ripes

**Cost:** \$1000

**Grade(s):** Grade 8

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 30

In **Algebra Readiness**, we will heavily review and enrich the main concepts learned in 7th grade Pre-Algebra. This class is designed for students looking to feel more prepared for the 8th grade Algebra 1 class they will begin in the fall. Topics are a combination of 7th grade Pre-Algebra content and beginning 8th grade Algebra 1 concepts. Students will gain the confidence needed for 8th grade after having reviewed concepts from the previous year as well as concepts ahead in their future.

**Dates/Times:**

**Session 1:** June 27–July 29 | 8:30–9:30 a.m.

## Trigonometry

**Instructor:** Steven Ripes

**Cost:** \$400

**Grade(s):** Grade 6–Grade 8

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 30

Trigonometry is merely frightening in name only. It is, in fact, an essential branch of geometry that allows us to measure height and distance (without traditional measuring devices) and navigate the globe with precision and accuracy. In this six-week program., we will learn the foundation of right triangle trigonometry by exploring trigonometric ratios (sine, cosine, tangent, etc.). We then explore these concepts further to see how Trigonometry can also be used with any type of triangle, not just right. Scientific calculators are required. Perfect for students who wish to foster their appreciation for mathematics and learn ahead to concepts customarily presented in high school.

**Dates/Times:**

**Session 1:** June 27–July 8 | 10–11 a.m.



# JAGUAR GENIUSES (CONTINUED)



## Beginning Calculus

**Instructor:** Steven Ripes

**Cost:** \$400

**Grade(s):** Grade 7–Grade 8

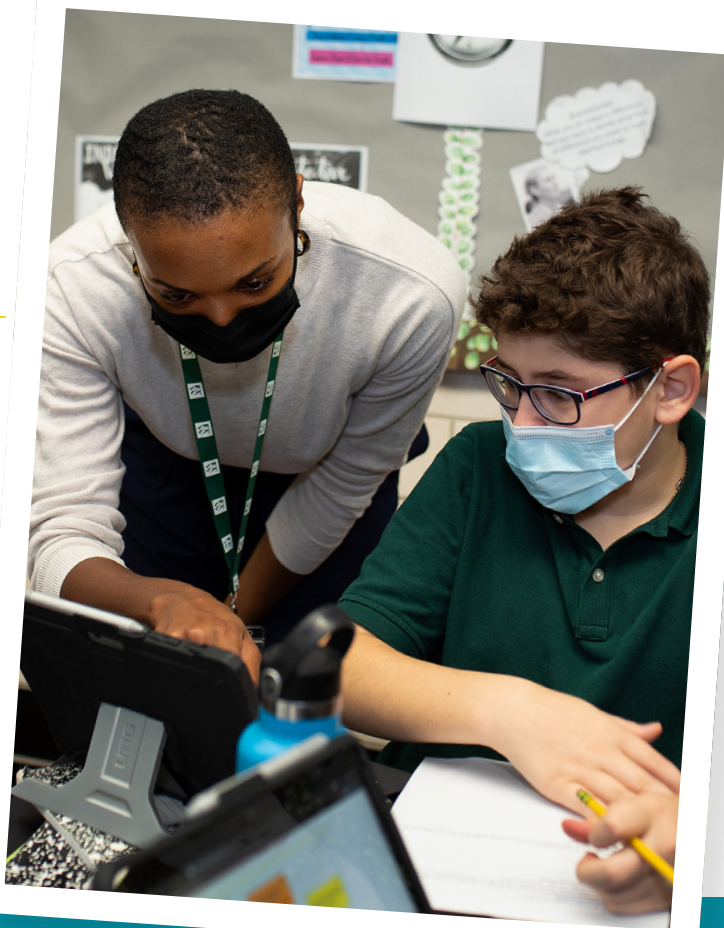
**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 30

Calculus is the study of how things change. The word “Calculus” comes from Latin meaning “small stone”. In Beginning Calculus, we will cut things into smaller pieces to see how they change (Differential Calculus). Then, we will join these “small stones” back together to find how much there is (Integral Calculus). A moderate to strong understanding of slope of a linear equation, and how to calculate it, is required. Scientific calculators are also required. Perfect for students who wish to foster their appreciation for mathematics and learn ahead to concepts customarily presented in high school.

### Dates/Times:

**Session 1:** July 11–22 | 10–11 a.m.



# JAGUAR GENIUSES (CONTINUED)

## Further Math: Base-10 Conversions

**Instructor:** Steven Ripes

**Cost:** \$200

**Grade(s):** Grade 5–Grade 8

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8   **Maximum Number of Students:** 30



All numbers are written with a combination of ten different digits: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9. But how can the same Base-10 (Decimal) numbers be written with only two digits, 0 and 1? Or three digits, 0, 1, and 2? Or four digits? Or eleven digits? (What's the eleventh digit?!) Or twelve digits? During this week-long session we will learn and explore our Base-10 (Decimal) number system and how numbers in Base-10 can be converted into Base-2 (Binary), Base-3 (Ternary), Base-4 (Quaternary), Base-5 (Quinary), and beyond. We will even cover bases higher than 10. In Further Math, we take Middle School mathematics...further! Together, we will study and learn concepts beyond the traditional state curriculum standards and take a far more detailed look at concepts learned in class. Perfect for students who wish to foster their appreciation for mathematics and learn ahead to concepts customarily presented in high school. Scientific calculators are required.

### Dates/Times:

**Session 1:** July 25–29 | 10–11 a.m.

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# JAGUAR GENIUSES (CONTINUED)



## Film Makers Camp

**Instructor:** Jeff Predmore

**Cost:** \$550

**Grade(s):** Grade 4–Grade 8

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 20

Campers will collaborate to write their own screenplay. They will rehearse, film and edit the screenplay until they have a final short movie at the end of the week. They will learn to work as a creative team, use film editing software learn about camera angles and lighting, and create costumes and props for their movie. Movies will change week to week

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## Dance and Cheer Clinic (FXW students only)

**Instructor:** Sarina Klein

**Cost:** \$375

**Grade(s):** Grade 2–Grade 4

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 12

Ready to learn some dance and cheer with Ms. Sarina!? This mini camp will explore into the world of different dance styles and the world of cheerleading. We will dive into the dance styles of Tap, Ballet, Jazz and more! For cheerleading we will learn various cheers, chants, and proper cheer skills. We will even perform our very own cheer/dance routine! Come join us for the fun and Let's Go Team!!!

### Dates/Times:

**Session 1:** June 27–July 1 | 8 a.m.–12 p.m.

**Session 2:** July 11–July 15 | 8 a.m.–12 p.m.



# JAGUAR GENIUSES (CONTINUED)

## Musical Theater Camp

**Instructor:** Naomi Malutan

**Cost:** \$450

**Grade(s):** Grade 1–Grade 4

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 12



In this weeklong camp, students will be introduced to musical theatre by learning and performing songs from a musical. We will transform the classroom into a stage, practice acting and singing, and perform the songs at the end of the week!

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**Session 2:** June 27–July 1 | 9 a.m.–2 p.m.



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# JAGUAR GENIUSES (CONTINUED)

## Third and Fourth Grade Summer Camp

**Instructor:** Rafael Rinconeno

**Cost:** \$550

**Grade(s):** Grade 3 and Grade 4

**Location:** HNC (751 N. State St.)

**Minimum Number of Students:** 8 **Maximum Number of Students:** 12



This summer prepare and refresh your incoming third and fourth graders in reading, writing, math, chess, and athletics. In reading, we will work on applying fluency and comprehension strategies to strengthen your child's growth as a reader. In writing, we will explore the craft of writing. Students will use tools such as story starters, pictures, graphic organizers, literature, and their own experiences to create personal journals, narrative pieces, and descriptive stories. In math, we will focus on number sense development, as well as additional practice in the areas of time, money, fact fluency, problem solving, and explaining mathematical reasoning. In chess, we will work through an introduction of chess, strategies, and play. Think logically, solve problems, win graciously, and learn from defeat while having fun! No previous knowledge of chess is necessary as this class will introduce the basic rules of chess. In sports, we will focus on fundamentals of soccer, t-ball, basketball, and exercise.

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