

Ozark Junior High Summer School

at Ozark Junior High
for Incoming 7th and 8th graders
7:15 AM – 2:45 PM | June 1st-June 22nd

Summer School Information and Options

- Summer school at OJH is divided into two sessions: June 1-10 and June 13-22.
 - Students have the opportunity to participate in two classes per session- a morning class and an afternoon class
 - Students do not have to take two classes a day.
 - Students who only participate in a morning class must be picked up by 11:10.
 - Students who only participate in an afternoon class cannot be dropped off until 10:50.
 - If a student participates in both sessions, all day, they will take a total of 4 classes this summer
- All incoming 8th graders must have **DTAP** and **Meningitis** immunization before attending summer school.
 - Please provide a copy of your child's up-to-date shot record to the Junior High Office.
 - For questions on immunizations contact 582-5902.
- A school breakfast and lunch are available for free.
 - Breakfast begins at 7:10
 - Lunch begins at 10:50
 - Students may bring their lunch instead of getting lunch from the cafeteria.

7th Grade Summer School classes offered

- **All Classes Offered Both Sessions**
 - *OJH 101*
 - The goal of this course is to familiarize students with Ozark Junior High's building, handbook, athletics, activities, and expectations. Classes will cover all things OJH so that students can come to school on the first day knowing exactly where to go, what's expected, and how to get involved.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
 - *Superheroes of Science*
 - If you like books, comic books, movies made from books/comic books, wondering how those Superhero powers work and snacks, then the Superhero Science summer school class is the one for you. Superhero Science can make us think, wonder and most importantly ask what if and why. Students will discuss science principles found in books, comic books and movies that are based on books. They will get to write and perform their own short science "in" fiction story. Topics of discussion and exploration will be superhero powers and the science behind them, how to survive a natural disaster and tackle the age old debate of which is better: The book or the movie?
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
 - *Fantastic Minibeasts*
 - Insects are an integral part of our survival and it's important to learn more about them. Students will experience the development of butterflies in all stages as they hatch in two weeks. We will grow our own milkweed plants students can take home.

Guest speakers will include real world scientists — a local entomologist, bee keeper and a survivalist. We will also study insects in other cultures. Students will have the opportunity to eat insects as is the custom of many in other countries. Students will learn what insects are safe to eat in a survivalist situation. Students will also explore the arts with their insects, writing a short sci-fi thriller using stop animation with iPads and creating other art pieces.

- 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
- 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45

○ *Lights, Camera, Action!*

- Lights, Camera, Action! Do you love being in the spotlight? Do you want to improve your public speaking skills? This class will allow students to take the stage while completing a variety of skits, speeches and presentations.

- 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
- 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45

○ *Mystery Solved*

- Are you a problem solver? Do you enjoy applying strategies to fix a problem? This class will put your skills to the test. Students will complete daily challenges that require thinking outside the box.

- 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
- 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45

○ *Podcasts*

- Digital media is here to stay! Have you noticed how often you are asked to listen for information more than ever before? Podcasts are a new genre of literacy that you will learn to navigate and create. We will listen and notice what techniques are effectively used to entertain, evoke emotion, inform, and persuade. This class will take you through the process of exploring a variety of topics which will lead to writing scripts and recording original podcasts. We will focus on communicating effectively using written and spoken language. You will have the opportunity to prepare and publish a variety of podcasts including informational, personal stories, and opinion pieces.

- 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
- 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45

8th Grade Summer School classes offered

- **Session 1: June 1-10**

- *OJH 101*

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- 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
- 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45

- *Wonders of the Ozarks*

- The goal of this course is to prepare upcoming students for the content that will be covered throughout the year in their Science and History classes. Classes will cover content reviews to promote mastery.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
- *Power Up!*
 - The goal of this class is to get students moving! Classes will preview the knowledge and skills that the 8th grade PE/Health curriculum will cover during the school year.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
- Fiction Addiction
 - The goal of this course is to prepare upcoming students for the content that will be covered throughout the year in their English class. Classes will cover content reviews to promote mastery.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
- **Session 2: June 13-22**
 - *OJH 101*
 - The goal of this course is to familiarize students with Ozark Junior High's building, handbook, athletics, activities, and expectations. Classes will cover all things OJH so that students can come to school on the first day knowing exactly where to go, what's expected, and how to get involved.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
 - Taking this class during the 2nd session? Please don't sign up twice so that all students have the chance to learn about OJH!
 - *Lessons that Count*
 - The goal of this course is to prepare upcoming students for the content that will be covered throughout the year in their pre algebra class. Classes will cover content reviews to promote mastery.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
 - *Power Up!*
 - The goal of this class is to get students moving! Classes will preview the knowledge and skills that the 8th grade PE/Health curriculum will cover during the school year.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45
 - Fiction Addiction
 - The goal of this course is to prepare upcoming students for the content that will be covered throughout the year in their English class. Classes will cover content reviews to promote mastery.
 - 1st Block class 7:15-10:50
 - 2nd Block class 11:10-2:45