



# SUMMER PROGRAM

July 9 - August 17, 2018

## OUR PROGRAM

The Parkside School's summer camp provides fun-filled days exploring New York City. The balance of recreational and educational activities are designed to provide enriched language and social experiences in addition to maintaining the skills children have acquired during the academic year. Cooking, arts, crafts, drama, music, movement, physical fitness, yoga, and frequent field trips are all part of your child's Parkside summer experience.

- **East Side, West Side, All Around Town**  
Children participate in the exciting exploration of New York. Trips focus on New York's people, places and cultures.
- **Art**  
Using a wide variety of materials and techniques, children create two, and three dimensional pieces inspired by the pulse of the city, and multicultural explorations.
- **Music and Creative Movement**  
Children sing, dance, and move together exploring New York City and the world around them through music and motion.
- **Physical Educational and Yoga**  
In Physical Education, individual and group instruction focuses on sportsmanship, group games, ball skills, physical fitness, and playground skills. In Yoga, children work on techniques to strengthen and calm their bodies. Classes are taught in the gym and Central Park.
- **Skills Development and Academic Reinforcement**  
Educational plans centered on each child's needs are the basis for academic instruction. They lay the groundwork for each child's meaningful participation in Parkside's summer program.

## OUR THERAPY

One aspect that sets Parkside apart is the on-site presence of an extensive team of highly-skilled specialists in critical areas:

- **speech and language therapy**
- **occupational therapy**
- **counseling**

These specialists work with children one-on-one and in small groups, in and out of the classroom. Importantly, Parkside's therapists also collaborate intensively with one another and with classroom teachers. This collaboration is the backbone of Parkside's educational approach. Each teacher and therapist use a particular lens to understand our students. When they come together, a complex and complete picture of the whole child is formed, and that understanding becomes the basis for Parkside's program.



**For more information and an application,  
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## OUR MISSION

Finding a way to teach every child is our mission at The Parkside School. Our summer program is open to currently enrolled Parkside students and children from other schools. The goal of our six-week program is to provide children with a culturally rich curriculum while maintaining and enhancing academic skills and personal growth. The program offers a range of therapies for each student's development. Children are placed in groups of eight or nine students based on their language, and social skills. Two teachers, often in conjunction with graduate interns, insure that each child benefits from individualized attention in a nurturing and stimulating environment. The program balances educational, and recreational experiences while addressing each child's unique strengths, and challenges. Children are offered a wide range of activities including art, physical education, yoga, music, and creative movement.

## ADMISSION

Children between the ages of 5 and 11 in need of a small, language enriched program are eligible for admission. Parent and child interviews are requested in addition to any relevant educational reports regarding the child's current levels. Enrollment is non-discriminatory. All campers must have a physical exam within three months of the start of camp.

Dates: **July 9 - August 17, 2018**  
Time: **8:30am-2:30pm**  
Cost: **\$9,500 plus additional trip fees**

A \$4,000 deposit will be due upon acceptance into the summer program, with the balance due by June 1, 2018.

After school extended day activities are available at an additional cost. Activities vary by student, and teacher interest. After school program details are available upon request.

Children are required to bring a snack and lunch.

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