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Grades 4-6



Enrollment Information

SLICE is offering 3 sessions of classes for summer 2011; June 20th–July 1st, July 5th–July 15th, and July 17–July 29th, unless otherwise noted. Grade level is determined by the student's grade in September. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. Courses will be offered subject to enrollment, and may be cancelled due to insufficient enrollment. All courses will be offered at Vista Del Valle Elementary School, 550 Vista Drive, Claremont, CA 91711 unless otherwise noted.

Registration for the 2011 CEF SLICE of Summer Program can be completed on the SLICE website, www.claremonteducationalfoundation.org. Check the website for additional information including added courses and complete course descriptions.

Academic Skills Classes for 4 - 6

Early Morning Programs

Mid Morning Programs

Afternoon Programs

Creative Writing for 4th - 6th Grade

Teacher: Momi Garcia

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

This creative writing class will take students through various genres including how-to, informational, essays, persuasive writing, personal and fictional narratives. The class is designed to help students meet the challenge of more advanced writing and get a head start on the next year's language arts standards. The 5 step writing process will be used beginning with graphic organizers and concluding with published work.

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

Math Skill Building for 4th - 6th Grade

Teacher: Kelly Quesada-Diaz

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 10 AM to 12:00 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

Math Skill Building will present basic mathematics concepts and skills. Students will learn and practice number, operations, geometry, problem solving and graphing skills. This class meets the needs of all learners by strengthening understanding for some and introducing concepts for others. All skills will be taught using traditional methods, games, and a few tricks too! New games will be introduced each session.

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

Reading & Comprehension Skill Practice

Teacher: Julie Ulrich-Riley

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

This class for incoming 4th through 6th graders, is designed to improve both the struggling and advanced student's reading and comprehension skills as well as test scores. Under the expert attention of a reading specialist, students will focus on the seven areas of reading comprehension through the use of authentic literature and structured activities.

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

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Early Morning Programs

Digital Photography

Teacher: Cindy Harder

Dates: Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

This class will introduce students to basic digital camera functions, proper photographic techniques and how to capture creative images. Students' individual talents will be encouraged and developed through fun and exciting projects. Students will produce printed and digital portfolios to take home at the end of the course.

**Bringing your own digital camera is highly recommended as only a few are available to borrow.

*Students can take one or both sessions.

Speech and Debate

Teacher: David Chamberlain

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 15th**

Times: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Early Registration Fee: \$300

There is no talent more important than the ability to express yourself with poise and personality. Build your confidence and skill at public speaking. Join the Junior Speech and Debate Institute presented by David Chamberlain and varsity students from the award winning Claremont H.S. Speech and Debate Team.

**This class is for 4 weeks. There will be no second session enrollment.

Mid Morning Programs

Stop Animation Movies on iMovie

Teacher: Lenora Hester

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th

Times: 10:00AM to 12:00 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

Students will create movie sets using art materials, clay, Lego, etc. They will use digital photography to create stop motion animation shorts with iMovie. Students will learn to use digital cameras, upload photos, import photos to iMovie, then add title pages, sound effects, music, audio effects, and edit their work. Ms. Hester is a long time CUSD teacher and technology educator.

**This class will be held in the computer lab.

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

Beginning Ukulele and Songwriting

Teacher: Lisa Pettygrove

Dates: Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

Learn the basic chords of the Ukulele and practice writing song lyrics to sing along with your new instrument. We'll also learn some old favorites and newer songs from the radio. Will include elements of basic poetry (as song lyrics) and lots of singing and strumming.

*Students can take one or both sessions.

Beginning Spanish

Teacher: Danielle Centeno

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 10:00AM to 12:00 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

Students will explore Spanish through music, movement, art and games. They will learn practical vocabulary, basic conversational phrases and create a personal Spanish journal to take home at the end of the course. The instructor has a Spanish authorized, bilingual teaching credential.

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

Afternoon Programs

Adventures in Fine Art

Teacher: Noelle Bush

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

In this class, student artists will be exposed to a variety of art media, such as oil/chalk pastels, polymer clay, watercolor, and acrylic paints. They will also learn the technique of scratch and tear art, as well as how to create 3 - dimensional pieces. At the end of each session, students will hold an art show to showcase favorite pieces for their classmates, friends, and family! Each artist will go home with an art portfolio at the end of each session. Excited and open minded kids are encouraged to join us this summer for an Adventure in Fine Art!

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

Learn to Perform

Teacher: Lisa Pettygrove

Dates: Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150

We'll learn to sing together and alone, with some fun choreography and then we'll show off a bit at a short performance on the last day of our session. Lisa teaches music at two CUSD schools.

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Track & Field & Fitness

Teacher: JP Duplessis

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Early Registration Fee: \$150

Come and join your friends this summer in an exciting SLICE track and field class taught by the Claremont High School pole-vault coach. Students will participate in a daily fitness routine designed to develop strength, endurance and track&field skills. Class will start off with warm-ups and drills and end with strengthening exercises. Each day students will participate in a different track event and learn the skills necessary for the event. The 100 meter dash, long jump and softball throw, are some of the events students will experience.

*Students can take one or multiple session.

Culture, Cooking, Garden & Crafts

Teacher: Diedra Little

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

In this class, students will learn about a variety of native cultures through traditional foods, crafts, and gardening practices. The class will have access and use of the Vista garden and orchards. Diedra Little has taught this class for SLICE many times in the past and we are thrilled to offer it again.

*Students can take one or multiple sessions.

Roots of Rhythm

Teacher: Homero Chavez

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Times: 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Early Registration Fee: \$150

In this class taught by professional drummer and teacher Homero Chavez, students will learn rhythms and how to make instruments from countries such as Mexico, Cuba, Africa, Japan and Brasil. The class will develop the students' rhythmic skills and dexterity by participating in daily drum circles and activities and teach the history of the instruments, language and arts of the countries the instruments are from. Instruments will be made from recycled materials that can be found around your house. A list of materials to bring will be provided on the first day of class. Students will keep the drums they make.

Learn to Play the Drumset

Teacher: Homero Chavez

Dates: Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Times: 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 **

Learn the ins and outs on how to play a drum set. How to hold the sticks, how to set up a kit, tune drums, and all the tips you need to know when buying a kit, most importantly, how to play your favorite music on the drums. Before the end of each class we will watch a video and or play drums with back up music to practice all the rhythms we learned.

**A \$30 materials fee will be collected on the first day of classes for a pair of sticks and drum pad. The fee will be waved if a student brings her/his own drum pad and sticks.

Podcasting: Historical & Current Events

Teacher: Momi Garcia

Dates: Session 1: June 20th - July 1st
Session 2: July 5th - July 15th
Session 3: July 18th - July 29th

Times: 12:30 PM to 2:30 PM

Early Registration Fee: \$150 Per Session

In this class, students will learn to build and record news-oriented, podcasts using Photostory 3 in our PC lab. They will research historical and current events on the internet, write scripts based on their research and record their news stories. If reporting on local, SLICE events, they will conduct interviews as their research. Participants will gather, create, or photograph supporting images to include with their podcasts. Students will learn to select quality websites, safely search for images, use digital cameras as necessary, and export their podcasts for posting on Moodle. Mrs. Garcia is a long time CUSD teacher and technology educator.

**This class will be held in the computer lab.

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