

Catalog: 2018 Summer Program

St. Paul's School

Preschool – 8th Grade

8:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

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Week #2	June 18 - 22
Week #3	June 25 - 29
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Week #5	July 16 - 20

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For registration information, please contact Cathy Guadagni at 559-739-1619.

Tuition:

*Attending **any one week:** \$100.00 (\$50.00 deposit required, cancellation refund: \$25.00)

*Attending **any two weeks:** \$90.00 per week (\$50.00 deposit per week required, cancellation refund: \$22.00 per cancelled week)

*Attending **any three weeks:** \$80.00 per week (\$50.00 deposit per week required, cancellation refund: \$20.00 per cancelled week)

*Attending **any four or five weeks:** \$75.00 per week (\$50.00 deposit required, cancellation refund: \$15.00 per cancelled week)

***Full tuition must be received one week prior to the week of your student's attendance.

Snack Bar Available: Kindergarten - Eighth grade students will have a recess/break at 9:30 - 9:50. A snack bar will be open with items ranging in price from 25 cents to \$1.00. Students are welcome to bring snacks from home.

Before and after school care is available from 7:00 a.m. until 8:15 a.m. when classes begin, and from 12:15 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. for students who are 4 years, 9 months and older who are attending summer school. Day care for younger students, 12:15 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. may be arranged through the Preschool. Day care fees are \$15.00 per child, per day.

Cost for daycare on weeks no summer school is held is \$20.00 per child, per day.

To register for the summer program, please return the registration form, the emergency form and the deposit to St. Paul's School. You may also **email** or **mail** registration back to cguadagni@spsvisalia.com or St. Paul's School - 6101 W Goshen Ave, Visalia, CA 93291. Please make payments to St. Paul's School, and thank you for not including summer school payments with regular school tuition or payments.

Class Descriptions

PreSchool/PreKindergarten

Week 1: Caring and Sharing - Teachers Tiffany Connors & Tiffany Sena

Roses are red, violets are blue, there's nothing sweeter than a friend like you. Each day we will learn something new and exciting about ourselves. Join us as we learn to share, take turns and make new friends.

Week 2: Gardening - Teachers Tiffany Connors & Tiffany Sena

Please join us for a week of seeds, sunshine, flowers and more! We will explore colors and textures found in a garden and plant our own seeds. By the end of the week, you will have a green thumb!

Week 3: God Bless America - Teacher Tiffany Connors & Tiffany Sena

America is beautiful! Please come and be patriotic with us as we celebrate America! We will enjoy a picnic, eat fun snacks and enjoy some apple pie!

Week 4: Animals! Animals! Circus! Circus! - Teachers Tiffany Sena & Caitlyn Greer

Step right up and welcome to the big world of animals! We will explore the many types of animals that exist inside the circus, and all around the world. Join us under the big tent for crafts, games and more! It's a circus out there!

Week 5: Under The Sea - Teachers Tiffany Sena & Caitlyn Greer

We will have a whale of a good time! This week will be full of underwater adventures and sand-sational experiences. Join us in making learning as fun as a day at the beach!

****Students do not need to bring school supplies to PreSchool or PreKindergarten!****

Kindergarten

Week 1: Journey to Outer Space! - Miss Deborah Petty

Do you think you want to be an astronaut? See what it's like to train to be an astronaut, and build your own rocket. We will explore planets and constellations in the universe. We will play with moon rocks and moon dust. We can't wait to blast into outer space with you!

Week 2: Farm to Table - Miss Deborah Petty

It is time to put on your overalls and wear your straw hat! Let's find out how what grows gets from the farm to your table! We will be learning all about agriculture, farm animals, seeds, vegetables that grow above the ground and underground, the life cycle of a chicken, organic fruits, and the five food groups. Come ready to sample and learn all about how items from the farm and garden come to your home!

Week 3: Science Camp - Miss Deborah Petty

Grab your white coats and safety goggles and become a scientist for a week! We will make geysers erupt and make our own slime. Let's mix, bubble, pour and test to see which experiments will come out the best!

Week 4: Paper Plate Extravaganza - Mrs. Tiffany Connors

Join us for a week long adventure as we explore the endless possibilities of paper plate crafts. Everything we will do this week will be made from a paper plate! We will incorporate reading, games, crafts and more with a paper plate!

Week 5: Dinosaurs Are Dynamic - Mrs. Tiffany Connors

Take a journey back in time as we dig up fascinating facts about dinosaurs. We will make play dough fossils, go on a fossil hunt, and "hatch" a baby dinosaur. Set your time machines back and join us!

First - Third Grade

****Students in First - Third Grade will be assigned to a group that will participate in three different classes each day. Each class will be approximately one hour, and will offer various activities such as cooking, crafts, games and drama all centered around a weekly theme. Students will participate in a large variety of activities, and will enjoy moving around to different classrooms and working with different teachers. They will stay in their “group” throughout the week.

Week 1: Outer Space Mrs. Bjarke, Mrs. Langley, Mrs. Moreno

Join us on a trip to outer Space and study the planets in our solar system. As you learn to identify each planet, you will make a model to take home. You will have plenty of opportunity to launch your own space shuttle, play games and cook! You won't want to miss this out of this world experience!

Week 2: Farm to Table - Mrs. Langley, Mrs. Moreno, Mrs. Power

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Week 4: Calling All Super Sleuths - Miss Baffo, Miss Martin, Mrs. Power

Hello detectives and super sleuths! Help solve mysteries and crack codes. Your expertise is needed to find clues and discover who committed the crime. Are you up for the challenge? Only one way to find out; spend the week with us!

Week 5: Let's Go Camping! - Miss Baffo, Miss Genova, Mrs. Saenz

Do you know how to pitch a tent, cast a fishing line and make a s'more? We will have fun playing games, making crafts, hearing stories, and singing songs as we experience a great camping adventure without ever leaving town!

*****Each student will need to bring a supply box with crayons, scissors, glue, pencils and markers. Please include the student's name on the supply box!

Class Descriptions 4 - 8 Grade

3D Printing Design - Mr. Kenneth DeJonge

Welcome to the world of 3D printing! Be introduced to and learn how to use design software for 3D printing. 3D printing design lets you become your own manufacturing. If you know how to use a computer you can print anything you can imagine!

Acrylic/Tempera painting - Miss Hayley Nelson

Using acrylic or tempera paint, you will recreate a famous painting, and then move on to creating your own original masterpiece.

Arts and Crafts With Paper - Miss Hayley Nelson

Paper! Paper! Paper! It is pretty amazing how many creations can be made with just paper. We will make pinatas, collages, 3D objects.....and many more!

Bake Sale – Miss Allison Genova

Help prepare and package a variety of baked goodies that will be sold in the student store...cookies, brownies, muffins....there will be enough for you to snack on too!

Basketball – Mr. Spenser Chakarian

If you want to learn fundamentals or compete with others as passionate for the game as you are, this class is for you! Learn the rules of the game and have fun playing as a team.

Board Games - Mr. Glenn Power

Discover the fun of playing games! We will play board games as well as group games like Gestures, Apples to Apples, Monopoly, Connect Four and many more!

Breakout EDU, A Game of Strategy: Mr. Richard Samaniego

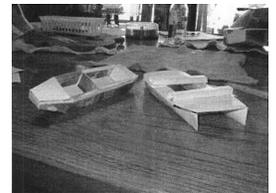
Breakout is a game where participants worked together to unlock clues that help “breakout” of a locked box. There are several types of locks and lots of different game types to play. Challenge your friends and classmates to breakout of the box.

Card Game Champions - Mrs. Ana Barba

Tired of the same old card games? Want to learn some new ones that require strategy and great skill? In this class, we will play a different game each day and learn games to share and impress your friends and family.

Catamarans - Mr. Antony Kappes

Build a catamaran that is powered by a propeller using rubber bands, cardboard, plastic propellers, paper clips and glue. We will set up a waterway, and watch the boats race to the finish. (Please bring cardboard from a cereal box, or something similar.)



Chess - Mr. Richard Garoogian

Learn the fundamentals of chess. Acquire new strategies and improve the ones you already have.

Chinese Culture Celebration - Miss Hayley Nelson

Let's celebrate the year of the Dog by learning about the Chinese culture. We will make Chinese food, throw a Chinese New Year party, and learn to speak a few words in Chinese. From Dragons, to the Great Wall, to Mooncakes, China has an exciting culture we can learn about and celebrate!

Cinema Through The Ages - Mr. Glenn Power

Incredible movies have been written and filmed over a century, but most of us only know about the last 20 years or so. Have you ever heard of “It’s a Wonderful Life”? “Back to the Future”? We will discuss trivia around the fantastic flicks, and of course, watch clips of them!

Computer Coding - Mr. Richard Samaniego

Learn to draw and animate with Javascript. By following step by step instructions, you will see your results immediately! No prior coding skills required to use this fun and interactive software.

Cork Launcher - Mr. Antony Kappes

Design and build a launcher that will shoot corks across the room! Perfect and tweak your design to make your cork go the furthest.



Cribbage/Chess - Mr. Kyle Womack

Learn how to play two classic games! Cribbage is a card game where the object is to score 121 points. It is a fun and fast-paced game that, once learned, can be highly competitive. Come check it out, just try not to get skunked! Chess is a classic strategy game. Whether you are new to the game or a seasoned pro, see how you compare to other students!

Detective Work - Mr. Mark Alberstein

Do you have what it takes to solve a mystery? Can you spot clues and figure out “whodunit”? You will develop patience and persistence, observational skills and powers of logic as you investigate the crime scene, interview witnesses and suspects, and bring the guilty to justice!

Dinners! - Miss Allison Genova

Learn to prepare simple and healthy foods for the meal that ends your day. Salads, pasta, rice, veggies and more! You will have some delicious answers when asked, “Hey, what’s for dinner tonight?”

Disc Golf - Mr. Richard Samaniego

Learn the basics and proper etiquette of Disc Golfing. Bring your own special disc or use the ones we will have here. We will make a different nine hole course everyday. It’s great fun, competitive, yet relaxing. Practice makes perfect.....

Drawing – Mrs. Puri DeJonge

Drawing is the basis for all other art. We will practice shading, design layout and create a unique personal style. You may focus on your favorite subjects along with famous works of art to take your drawing skill to a higher level.

Dream Catchers - Mrs. Toni Best

Using traditions of Native Americans, create a dream catcher that snares bad dreams and only lets good thoughts go through. Utilizing ribbon, metal rings and artificial sinew, the addition of beads and feathers completes this lovely piece.

Drum Set - Mr. Mark Alberstein

Is drumming for you? Here’s your chance to find out. When you finish this class, you will understand how drums fit into your favorite music, and you will know some simple exercises that will unlock your potential to become a working drummer. Basic beats and simple fills for Rock, Pop, Funk and Country will be presented.

Duct Tape Craft - Mr. Richard Samaniego

Construct various items such as pencil pouches, purses, bags and wallets. Look for amazing patterns at any craft store (Walmart and Amazon for least expensive tapes) or pick from the selection of tapes available in class. Learn checkered and cross patterns. What else can you create?

Egg Drop: Design, Build and Compete! - Mr. Mark Alberstein

Can you design and build a HIEPV (High Impact Egg Protection Vehicle) that protects the egg from breaking when you drop it from 10 to 20 feet high? Lots of Science teachers have their kids do the Egg Drop project as a part of their grade. Here’s your chance to get a head-start on your knowledge and creativity! Find out what works and what does not work in this summer workshop. Awards will be given for Design, Construction Quality and Protection Rating.

Ferris Wheels - Mr. Antony Kappes

Riding around and around high above the treetops on a ferris wheel is an exhilarating experience! Become an engineer and create your own ferris wheel using popsicle sticks and glue.



Flag Football – Mr. Spenser Chakarian

It's never too early for football, and if you enjoy the rush of dodging your opponent, and the thrill of the catch, then strap on some flags and come on out!!

Fly to the Moon and Beyond - Mr. Antony Kappes

Test your abilities to build and launch a rocket. We will create rockets from construction paper, and using a NASA approved launch pad, launch them to the moon and beyond.

Game A Day – Mr. Spenser Chakarian

Here's a chance to play all sorts of fun field games...Capture the Flag, Prisoner, Laundry Basket Basketball, Dodgeball, Bocce Ball, Badminton, Horseshoes, Croquet, Corn Hole, Ladder Ball...help choose the game of the day.

Guitar - Mr. Glenn Power

Whether you're a beginner or an experienced player, come and learn new tips and tricks for playing guitar. Practice strengthening your fingers. Learn a new song. Perfect some chords. Acoustic or electric, it doesn't matter. With enough practice and effort, anyone can learn to play the guitar.

Instrument Making – Mr. Richard Garoogian

Invent sounds that no one has ever heard before on the instrument YOU design.

Jewelry Making - Mrs. Ana Barba

There is nothing more fun than making jewelry for yourself or to give as a special gift. We will make a variety of jewelry: necklaces, bracelets, earrings, and additional accessories.

Mental Challenge - Mr. Kyle Womack

Are you quick witted? Can you come up with creative and unique responses quickly? We will be challenging your mental acuity with critical thinking games, puzzles and riddles. This will be a fun, fast-paced class that will keep you on your toes.

Monsters, Dinosaurs, Animals, Necklaces andGourds - Mrs. Toni Best

Create whatever you can imagine with gourds and gourd pieces. Make an elephant, or a T-Rex, or an alien from outer space. Try making a gourd bowl or a necklace or a wall hanging. This is a time to let your imagination SOAR!!!!

Photography - Mrs. Puri DeJonge

Learn basic photography skills using digital and film cameras. Take creative pictures of your friends and learn how to frame landscape to capture the beautiful surroundings. Have fun setting up photo shoots and bring your favorite items to capture on film. Document your life with pictures! Please bring a digital camera.

Photoshop - Mr. Richard Samaniego

Learn basic skills and start creating projects! Layers, Quick Selection, Cloning Tool, and more. Any completed project will be printed.

Ping Pong - Mr. Glenn Power

Warm up your wrists and get ready for fierce ping pong competitions or some friendly back and forth with our new ping pong table.

Pizza Making - Mr. Kyle Womack

We'll toss 'em and they'll be awesome! Let's spend a week learning how to make pizza. We will make our own dough and sauces. Top them and bake them, and best of all.....end the day with some delicious homemade pizza.

Robotics - Mr. Rich Samaniego

Design, build and program a robot using Lego Mindstorm NXT and EV3 kits. Use your imagination and building skills, or follow step by step instructions to create your robot. Software provided to program instructions and commands into your robot.

Rocketry - Mr. Kenneth DeJonge

Do you enjoy learning about Science? Do you like building things and watching model rockets take flight? Take Rocketry! Enjoy watching your work soar into the sky! (Please bring a model rocket kit.)

Shark Tank - Mr. Richard Garoogian

Let's bring your new ideas to market! Study the history of innovation, then make your own.

Sketch Comedy - Mr. Mark Alberstein

Here's your chance to do some really funny stuff! You will learn about the art of comedy: what makes things really funny. You will rehearse and present some already written short comedy routines, and you will get to work in small groups, or on your own, to create and present your own comedy sketches. Think you're so funny? You're about to get even funnier!

Snacks - Miss Allison Genova

Hungry?! Let's make some easy, delicious, and even sometimes nutritious snacks; some that don't even require cooking!

Soap Making - Mr. Spenser Chakarian

Learn to make soap using different shapes, colors and scents. Your soap will make a great gift!

Soccer - Mr. Spenser Chakarian

Attention soccer fans! Want to polish your skills? Interested in the game? If you are new to soccer or a veteran of the game, you will have a great time. Students will learn about the history of the game, some of the greats who have played and master some basic strategies. Come see why soccer is the most popular game on the planet! .

Sweets and Things - Miss Allison Genova

Do you have a sweet tooth? You will love preparing the recipes in this class. SWEET!

Tabletop Strategy Games - Mr. Kenneth DeJonge

Axis and Allies: Play this engaging WWII board game in which the USA, United Kingdom and Russia battle Germany and Japan for control of the world.

Dungeons and Dragons: Come and play the first role playing game ever! Be a ranger, paladin, rogue, cleric or wizard. Hunt for treasure, solve riddles and defeat evil monsters. Solve conundrums, riddles and other interesting questions!

Star Wars Armada: Star Wars Armada is a miniatures strategy game involving the large ships of the Star Wars Universe. Take command of an Imperial Star Destroyer, a Rebel Blockade Runner, or one of the many other famous vehicles from the Star Wars films and TV shows. Plan your moves carefully and work as a team to outsmart your adversaries.

Star Wars X-Wing: Control the most advanced starfighters and outstanding pilots in the galaxy! In X-Wing Miniatures Game, you take the role of squad leader and command a group of merciless Imperial or daring Rebel pilots in furious ship-to-ship space combat.

Warhammer 40k: This is a popular tabletop strategy game in which superhuman heroes battle aliens for control of the universe.

Theater Games - Mr. Mark Alberstein

Theater games are an extremely fun way to develop acting skills and overcome stage fright. In our theater games class, we will play with costumes, props and language. We will learn how to develop a character quickly, and work on developing the kind of language and listening skills that actors need.

Tie Dye - Mrs. Ana Barba

Along with a sixties revival, tie dye is making a come back! Tie dye is not just a fashion statement, but a science experiment, art project and summer activity rolled into one! Be ready to get wet and full of color, all while having fun.

Track - Mr. Spenser Chakarian

Practice and sharpen your running, jumping and throwing skills. Short and long distance running, hurdles, high jump, long jump, triple jump, discus and shot put will be on our agenda. Traditional track events will be practiced, and there will be a mini-track meet on Friday.

Ukulele - Mr. Kyle Womack

The ukulele is a four-stringed, guitar-like instrument which is often associated with Hawaiian music. It's fun and easy to learn to play. Be the entertainment at your next party!

Veterinary Science - Miss Allison Genova

Be introduced to basic anatomy, physiological systems and principles of diseases of animals. Learn about the various careers that deal with animals.

Video Game Design - Mr. Antony Kappes

Have you ever wondered how your favorite video games are made? Spend a week learning the basics of what goes into making a video game.

Vincent Van Gogh - Mrs. Puri DeJonge

Learn to paint like Van Gogh! Using thick texture on a canvas and painting with bright, bold paints, you can create a wonderful Van Gogh style piece of art. Just bring your **blank canvas** and in one week, see the beautiful art style of Van Gogh appear!

Watercolor Painting - Miss Hayley Nelson

Paint beautiful pictures using water colors. We will consider paintings by famous artists who used watercolors, and then you can create your own original masterpieces. (Please bring a water color palette to class.)

Weaving on Rectangular or Round Looms - Mrs. Toni Best

Create small mats or wall hangings using fingers or plastic needles on a loom. Choose your favorite color and texture of yarn so that the design you imagine takes shape. Add beads, pieces of fabric or driftwood as you weave or create columns or holes to create a really unique piece of art.

Wetland Creation - Mr. Antony Kappes

Have you ever wondered what Tulare County looked like before the settlers arrived in the mid 1800's? We will re-create the wetland prairie habitat that once covered Tulare County using a soda bottle, sand, vegetation, rocks and water. (Please bring a two liter soda bottle.)

YouTube, Create Your Own Videos - Miss Hayley Nelson

Learn how to create videos like your favorite YouTubers. As a class, we will work together to create one awesome video that will be uploaded onto YouTube at the end of the week. You can work behind the scenes with camera or lights, or be a star in front of the camera.

