



Rochester Summer Scholars

## 2012 SUMMER PROGRAMS

OFFICE OF EXTENDED LEARNING & ACADEMIC INTERVENTION

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### Portfolio of Summer Program Offerings for Rochester's Youth

The Office of Extended Learning & Intervention is committed to offering quality Expanded Learning Opportunities and Partnerships for Rochester's children. With an intentional focus on accelerating learning and a commitment to youth development, Rochester City School District has developed a varied portfolio of after-school and summer learning options for students. Strategic partnerships with community-based organizations, local colleges, and universities are the focus of RCSD's vision for increased programming options with a plan for sustainability and cost effectiveness.

#### Summer Academic Intervention Programs Grades K-8

##### Elementary Academic Intervention Summer School

Dates: 7/9–8/3/12

Ages: entering gr 1– gr 7

# of students: 2500

An intensive intervention program utilizing a leveled integrated content approach, designed to increase reading and math achievement, as well as prevent summer learning loss. ELA instruction will incorporate learning activities from National Geographic for Grades K-3 and Millmark Publishing for grades 4-6. V Math will be used for mathematics intervention grades K-6. Registration will take place through the student's home school.

##### Grade 7 Academic Intervention Summer School

Dates: 7/9–8/3/12

Ages: completing 7th grade

# of students: 600

An intensive intervention program in the areas of literacy and mathematics for current 7th graders who are in need of Academic Intervention Services and/or have earned grades of "C" or below in core subjects. Reading materials will focus on scaffolding of Common Core State Standards; VMath will be used for mathematics intervention. Registration will take place through the student's home school guidance counselor.

##### Commencement Ramp Up Academy

Dates: 7/5–8/15/12

Ages: completing 8th grade

# of students: 600

The program focus is to provide Academic Intervention Services for grade 8 students who have not met NYS Learning Standards. The four period day will include intensive Content Literacy Instruction to prepare students for success in credit-bearing coursework, as well as intensive Math Review and Intervention. Registration will take place through the student's home school guidance counselor.

#### Partnership Programs:

- CAMP GOOD DAYS & SPECIAL TIMES
- ENCOMPASS RESOURCES FOR LEARNING
- HONEOYE FALLS-LIMA CENTRAL SCHOOLS SEEK PROGRAM/ CAMP INVENTION
- HORIZONS @ HARLEY SCHOOL
- HORIZONS @ UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER
- HORIZONS @ MONROE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
- HORIZONS @ NAZARETH COLLEGE
- MERCIER LITERACY FOR CHILDREN
- NORMAN HOWARD SCHOOL
- QUAD A FOR KIDS
- ROCHESTER YOUNG SCHOLARS @ SUNY GENESEO
- ST. JOHN FISHER LITERACY CLINIC
- ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS EXPERIENCE
- STRONG NATIONAL MUSEUM OF PLAY
- TEMPLE B'RITH KODESH
- WALLACE FOUNDATION SUPPORTED GRADE 3 SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

#### Office of Extended Learning & Academic Intervention

**Vision:** To increase student engagement and learning, in school and beyond.

**Mission:** To promote school achievement and long-term success through varied high quality learning opportunities that:

- Create more time for learning
- Incorporate experiential education and cooperative learning activities
- Promote positive adult/student relationships
- Foster connectedness to the larger community
- Strengthen diversity through enrichment
- Coordinate community resources to support youth development and academic success

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## Rochester Summer Scholars Grade 3 Summer Enrichment Program

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Dates: 7/9–8/10/12

Ages: entering grade 4

# of students: 600

The focus of this full-day summer program is to provide instructional support to students who are below grade level in English Language Arts and Mathematics. Additionally, students will be provided opportunities for enrichment in physical education, health, art, music and science through partnerships with community-based organizations. Fieldtrips, scientific inquiry activities, and hands-on projects will extend students' learning in preparation for 4th grade.

### Enrichment Opportunities include:

- African Drumming & Dance
- Movement
- Creative Writing
- Multi-Media Production
- Culinary Arts
- Gardening
- Rock Climbing
- Volleyball
- Visual Arts

Programming made possible



### Community Based Enrichment Providers Include:



The Wallace Foundation has partnered with RCSD in its efforts to engage children in more hours of learning. Together, with assistance from the RAND Corporation, we will study the effects of summer programming on student achievement, and make the findings public. The partnership is helping RCSD introduce and test more -learning-time programs on a wide scale. Rochester is one of six sites nation-wide to in this four-year summer learning "research and demonstration" project in which low-performing students about to enter the fourth grade will receive reading, writing and math instruction as well as enrichment activities like music and sports. The project is designed to combine high-quality learning for children with a much-needed rigorous test of what works and what doesn't in these summer programs.

"Children lose more than

academic knowledge over

the summer. Most

children—particularly

children at high risk of

obesity—gain weight

more rapidly when they

are out of school during

summer break." (Von Hippel

et al, 2007).



Our summer learning programs are designed with opportunities for academic intervention, enrichment, youth development, and recreation.

## K-8 Enrichment: Community-Based Partnership Programs

By maximizing opportunities for funding through Title I, local and community funding sources, and private donations, Rochester has increased options for students to participate in fun, experiential learning programs which reinforce NYS learning standards through hands-on learning, build supportive relationships and maximize community resources for student success.



### Pre-Engineering & Science Academy

Dates: 7/9-8/3/12

Ages: entering gr 7-9

This Iglesia program is designed to enhance students' overall academic performance by relevant, interactive learning experiences connected to chemical, mechanical, civil, biomedical and electrical engineering with real world application. Students focus on hands-on engineering projects and interact with college students and engineers from the community.

<http://iglesiaeducation.com/>



### EnCompass Resources for Learning at School #15

Dates: 7/9–8/3/12

Ages: Grades 2-6

EnCompass Resources for Learning is donating their service for the summer to continue an extended learning experience at Schools 15 for students who participated in their 2012 after-school program. Designed in accordance with recommendations put forth by the Greater Rochester After School Association Task Force, the program combines learning, recreation, and community experiences with a focus on the whole child.

[www.encompassresources.org](http://www.encompassresources.org)



### Honeoye Falls–Lima Summer Enrichment

#### Experience for Kids (SEEK)

Dates: 7/30–8/10/12

Twenty Grades 3-5 from School 12 will have an opportunity to participate in a language, culture, and learning exchange program with families in Honeoye Falls-Lima (HF-L) Central School District. Host families will sponsor RCSD students in their homes for 12 days and nights. RCSD students be teaching HF-L students Spanish language and learning about each other. While in HF-L, RCSD and HF-L students will also participate in a 5-day science learning program called Camp Invention. Students will participate in hands-on science fun, problem-solving and brainstorming — skills that will help them both in school and beyond.

For additional information, call the Rochester Summer Scholars Hotline at 585-262-8323.

Visit our website at [www.rcsdk12.org/RochesterSummerScholars](http://www.rcsdk12.org/RochesterSummerScholars) or contact us by email at

[RochesterSummerScholars@rcsdk12.org](mailto:RochesterSummerScholars@rcsdk12.org)

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## K-8 Enrichment: Public-Private Partnership Programs



### Horizons at Harley

Dates: 6/26-8/3/12

Ages: Grades 1-8

The Horizons at Harley program provides a blend of academic, cultural, and recreational activities that are designed to be fun and enriching with the purpose of developing and enhancing self-esteem and promoting the value of learning. The program is designed by Horizons and focused on the development of the whole child through experiences that , foster awareness of community responsibility, build problem-solving skills and encourage life long interest in learning.

<http://www.horizonsnational.org/harley.php>



### Horizons at UR

Dates: 6/26-8/3/12

Ages: Grades K-3, 6-8

The Horizons at U of R is in its first year as an expansion of the Horizons National Program. Horizons at U of R is expanding the academic, cultural, and recreational activities for RCSD students. It is modeled after the Horizons at Harley program and is being held at the Warner School this summer.

<http://it.warner.rochester.edu/content/projects/index.php?p=Horizon>



### Horizons at MCC

Dates: 6/26-8/3/12

Ages: Grades K-1

The Horizons at MCC provides a blend of academic, cultural, and recreational activities that are designed to be fun and enriching with the purpose of developing and enhancing self-esteem and promoting the value of learning. The program is designed by Horizons and focused on the development of the whole child through experiences that , foster awareness of community responsibility, build problem-solving skills and encourage life long interest in learning.

<http://www.monroecc.edu/depts/acaderv/horizon.htm?a-zindex>



### Horizons at Nazareth

Dates: 6/26-8/3/12

Ages: Grades K-1

The Horizons at Nazareth provides a blend of academic, cultural, and recreational activities that are designed to be fun and enriching with the purpose of developing and enhancing self-esteem and promoting the value of learning. The program is designed by Horizons and focused on the development of the whole child through experiences that , foster awareness of community responsibility, build problem-solving skills and encourage life long interest in learning.

<http://www.naz.edu/news/june-2011/nazareth-college-welcomes-horizons-summer-program>



### EnCompass Resources for Learning 3D Summer Enrichment Programming (w. MC DHS)

Dates: 7/9-8/15/12

Grades: 3-7

EnCompass Resources for Learning will be providing services for RCSD children in Monroe County Foster Care. The program will be held at Norman Howard School and will focus on improving academic performance, school engagement, attitudes and behaviors.

[www.encompassresources.org](http://www.encompassresources.org)



### Mercier Literacy for Children

#### Mercier Literacy Project @ #9 & #46

Dates: 7/9-8/17/12

Ages: K-6

The Mercier Literacy Project builds foundational literacy skills using a project based approach.

[www.mercierliteracyprogram.org/](http://www.mercierliteracyprogram.org/)



### Strong National Museum of Play

Dates: 7/9-8/3/12

Ages: K-6

The Strong National Museum of Play has donated the use of their facilities for students from School #58 to participate in a unique summer experience. Teachers from School #58 will work with museum educators to develop a curriculum which utilizes the museum resources to create academic learning experience focused on ELA and math for struggling learners.

<http://www.thestrong.org/>



### Camp Good Days & Special Times

Dates: 8/20 -8/23/12

Ages: entering 7th grade

Camp Good Days and Special Times will be donating the use of their Branchport, NY facility on Keuka Lake to RCSD student leaders. Camp Good Days staff and RCSD teachers will work with students entering seventh grade in a seminar designed to promote development of student leadership skills via physical activities and study skills to prepare students for secondary school success.

**School Specific Programming is planned at the following locations:** School 9/ Mercier Literacy

School 12 School 15 School 17 School 3/ St. John Fisher Literacy Center)

School 34/Quad A for Kids School 4 School 46/Mercier Literacy

School 52/Temple B'Rith Kodesh Integrated Arts & Tech HS Leadership Academy for Young Men

*Please contact your child's school for additional information.*

**Extended School Year** will also be provided as outlined on each child's Individualized Education Plan.

*Please contact the Office of Specialized Services for additional information, 262-8481.*

**"MORE THAN HALF OF THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP BETWEEN LOWER- AND HIGHER-INCOME YOUTH CAN BE EXPLAINED BY UNEQUAL ACCESS TO SUMMER LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES."**

(ALEXANDER ET AL, 2007)



## OFFICE OF EXTENDED LEARNING & ACADEMIC INTERVENTION

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## Commencement Summer School

**Commencement Summer School @ Monroe, Douglas and Marshall** Dates: 7/5/11-8/15/12 , Exams: 8/16-8/17/12

City of Rochester residents who are currently enrolled in any school can register for up to 3 periods of credit recovery. Courses cover 30 days of instruction. Attendance to class is critical in order to take the Regents exams in August. Students will be registered to the site closest to their residential address.

### For Students in Grades 9-12 Central Registration by Zone June 26-28, 2012 8 a.m. – 12 noon

Counselors from your home school will be available at the central registration site to assist you in enrolling in the correct courses. Please bring a copy of your report card with you. If your address has changed, please bring proof of address (ex. utility bill, lease) with you to registration.

#### If you attend school at the following sites:

#### Report to this school

#### for summer school registration:

Franklin, Freddie Thomas, Integrated Arts & Technology, NE/NW College Prep, Vanguard

Douglas Campus  
940 Fernwood Park, 14609

Charlotte, Edison, Jefferson, Leadership Academy for Young Men, Marshall, Robert Brown, STEM, Young Adult Evening Academy, Young Mothers, NorthSTAR, RIA

Marshall Campus  
180 Ridgeway Avenue, 14615

East, Monroe, Rochester Early College, SOTA, SWW, Wilson Commencement, Youth & Justice

Monroe Campus  
164 Alexander St, 14607

Private, Parochial, Charter, and Home School Students (June 29, 2012 ONLY)

Marshall Campus  
180 Ridgeway Avenue, 14615

## College & Career Readiness Community Programs



### Pre-AP Summer Science & Mathematics Camp

Dates: 7/9–7/16/12

Ages: entering 7th, 8th and 9th grade

A camp designed to increase student achievement in Science and Math. Designed for students who enjoy Science or Math who are considering taking a higher level course later in high school.

Contact Karen Sangmeister, 262-8462



### Rochester Area Young Scholars @

#### SUNY Geneseo

Dates: 7/18-7/29/12

Ages: entering gr 6-11

This residential, pre-collegiate program is run as a licensed residential camp. Students live in dorms, meet with faculty, college students and college administrators. They have the opportunity to use the library, science lab, and experience college life. Students will learn about the STEM fields and careers created by National Homeland Security in this year's peace camp.

<http://rysag.geneseo.edu/>



### Future Business Leaders Experience

Dates: Saturdays June-August

Ages: 11th & 12th graders

FBLE is a unique program that develops the business, problem-solving, and leadership skills of our youth through real-world learning. The program creates a visionary pipeline enabling minority youth to see how the skills they learn in school prepare them for their role as our next generation of business leaders in the Rochester area. Stipend for successful completion.

<http://www.rit.edu/news/story.php?id=46913>



### Sylvan Summer College Preparation Program

Dates: July 9– 8/17/12

Ages: Grades 9-12

The Sylvan Summer College Preparation Program will provide students with a positive opportunity to improve their SAT Reasoning Test scores, navigate the college admission process, develop critical thinking skills applicable in collegiate education, and build the confidence and motivation to learn necessary for success in college and beyond.

<http://www.sylvanlearning.com>



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