



**COUNCIL ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMER ACADEMIC &
TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY
2015
Grades Pre-K - 8**

**MONDAY, JULY 6 through THURSDAY, JULY 30
HOLLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
597 Beverly Road
Holland, PA 18966**

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: *IN PERSON or BY MAIL*

A non-refundable deposit of **\$40.00** will reserve a place in the class of your choice and the programs will be first come, first served. The balance of your tuition payment must be received by July 1, 2015. Please note: Any outstanding school debts may prevent students from attending classes. Registrations will be accepted after July 1 ONLY for available classroom placements.

**In-Person →
Registration:**

**The Chancellor Administration Center
30 North Chancellor Street, Newtown, PA
(completed registrations may also be dropped
off at the reception desk - Mon-Fri, 8:30AM-4:00PM)**

**By Mail: →
Now through
July 1, 2015**

**MAIL registrations to:
CRSD Summer Academic & Technology Academy
Attn: Dr. Helen Gross, Director
The Chancellor Administration Center
30 North Chancellor St.
Newtown, PA 18940**

**Have question?
Need more
information?**

**Please contact: Dr. Helen Gross, Director of Elementary Summer Programs
215-944-1039 / hgross@crsd.org**

Course Costs and Cancellations*

Any course may be canceled due to insufficient registration. Course costs vary and additional materials fees may apply. The standard fee is:

- \$180.00 per one-week, 4-hour course
 - \$300.00 per four-week, 2-hour course
 - \$300.00 per two-week, 4 hour course
 - \$460.00 – three week pre-kindergarten program
 - \$565.00 per four-week, 4-hour course
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- \$170.00 / \$285.00 / \$440.00 / \$525.00 if **paid-in-full** & received by **Friday, May 29th**

Course Calendar – Courses run Monday through Thursday, 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM.

When registering, please note the tuition charges carefully. Tuitions shown are for students and/or residents of the Council Rock School District.

Students residing outside of the Council Rock School District are welcome to attend but must add \$40.00 to the cost of the total registration fee (regardless of the number of courses).

*** Please note that checks received MAY NOT be deposited immediately.**

Evaluation

No official grades will be given for grades pre-K - 8 academic/technology courses.

Transportation*

Parents must provide transportation for all students attending the 2015 Summer Programs. Please note the starting and ending times of all courses carefully. Parents are responsible for picking up youngster(s) at the end of class(es). If an emergency occurs please phone the summer program office for whatever aid may be necessary.

Telephone Hours

Call for further information:

Before July 6th 215-944-1039 / hgross@crsd.org

On/After July 6th 215-944-1500 Holland ES

E-MAIL *Dr. Helen Gross, Programs Director - hgross@crsd.org*

ACADEMIC & TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS

All summer classes blend skills maintenance and enrichment activities with core subject curriculum.

SUMMER BRIDGE TO KINDERGARTEN --- (3 weeks – 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM)

Age 5 by December, 2015

Students participating in this program will develop multiple social and academic skills that are expected to be mastered by the end of the kindergarten school year. Additionally, this active and engaging program will emphasize accelerated academics, creativity, and higher-level thinking skills. The students will enjoy listening to a wide variety of literature and interacting with others in a nurturing environment.

RISING SCHOLARS PROGRAM - FOUNDATIONS FOR LEARNING LITERACY, MATH, & SCIENCE --- (4 weeks – 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM)

Entering Grade 1 & Entering Grade 2

Students will explore the magic of children's literature while strengthening reading comprehension, writing, math and science skills. The focus of this program is building student success based on the Council Rock School District Standards. Small group instruction will provide reinforcement in the following areas: sight word vocabulary, letter-sound association, word families, math facts, problem solving skills, money, place value, symmetry, addition/subtraction, technology, and so much more! Additional math and science topics that will be covered include: patterns, graphing, measurement, time, and endangered animals. Come join the fun!

SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS IN THE AREAS OF MATHEMATICS, READING, WRITING, & RESEARCH --- (4 weeks – 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM)

Entering Grades 3-4, 5-7

Participants in this course will continue to review and develop various skills in math, reading, writing, and research by utilizing technology. This program is specifically designed for students who want to enhance their current skill levels and understand the format of the reading/writing portions of the State required PSSA Tests. In addition, this program is recommended for students who tend to lose important skills over the summer, and for students working below level. Small group instruction will help facilitate student success within engaging and meaningful activities. Purposeful lessons will help increase student levels of self-confidence by combining theme-centered and structured standards-based approaches within various learning styles.

JUNIOR WRITING ACADEMY / WRITING ACADEMY --- (2 weeks – 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM)

Entering Grades 3-4, 5-8

This class is for students who enjoy writing and want to refine their skills. Students will explore various types of writing such as fiction, poetry, and informational. The workshop will provide practice from the brainstorming stage to editing and publication and will focus on the six analytical traits of writing: ideas and content, organization, voice, word choice, sentence fluency, and conventions. Pre-writing, editing, and revision will be used to produce at least two final writing products in one of these three modes: expository, narrative, or persuasive. Topics will be student choice.

STEM ACADEMY I --- (2 weeks – 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM) Entering Grades 3-5

In this course, there will be based on science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education, each participant will be creating products/researching multimedia rich activities on a daily basis. Each student will be encouraged to use his/her creative side when working on projects/activities in this class as

well as critical thinking, digital citizenship, technology operations, and collaboration. Students will work to master essential applications of *SCRATCH* computer programming with the emphasis on STEM / *Makerspace*. Based on a student's current technology level, assignments and projects will be designed to enrich a student's love of learning with demonstrations, laboratory exercises, discussion groups, presentations, and hands-on learning. Based on student level of computer use, instruction will focus on engineering-type projects. Computer and network safety will be stressed throughout the course.

STEM ACADEMY II — (2 weeks – 8:30 AM – 12:30 PM) / Entering Grades 6-8

In this course, there will be based on science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education, each participant will be creating products/researching multimedia rich activities on a daily basis. Each student will be encouraged to use his/her creative side when working on projects/activities in this class as well as critical thinking, digital citizenship, technology operations, and collaboration. Students will work to master essential applications of *SCRATCH* computer programming with the emphasis on STEM / *Makerspace*. Based on a student's current technology level, assignments and projects will be designed to enrich a student's love of learning with demonstrations, laboratory exercises, discussion groups, presentations, and hands-on learning. Based on student level of computer use, instruction will focus on engineering-type projects. Computer and network safety will be stressed throughout the course.

ALGEBRA READINESS CAMP --- (1 week – 8:30 AM – 12:30 AM)

Entering Grades 7-8

Algebra Readiness Camp is a one week readiness institute for students entering middle school or who are presently in middle school. Students will participate in hands-on activities that address the “big ideas” of pre-Algebra / Algebra, thereby alleviating “mathematics anxiety” and promoting student success in middle school mathematics.

BRIDGE TO THE MIDDLE PROGRAM --- (Elementary to Middle School Transition Program) (1 week – 8:30 AM – 12:30 AM) Entering Grade 7 (new to district - Grade 8 students)

Bridge to the Middle Program will provide a positive and successful first impression of middle school by introducing students to routines, procedures, curricula, and expectations. The transition to a new school and the personal involvement of an individual student in the middle school learning process is key. Students will start middle school on the right foot with this course. They will explore Multiple Intelligences and discover their own learning style. Students will learn how to manage time and stay organized. Note-taking within each subject area will be explored as well as other study techniques such as mnemonic devices, singing and visualization. Students will also practice listening, goal setting and test-taking. Active positive involvement in the learning process and social aspects of middle school are essential for students to be successful in middle school. Staff will work with each student in answering the question.... *What will middle school be like?????*

Attendance

Students should attend the entire Summer Academy session in order to receive the maximum benefit from the instruction offered. If it is known ahead of time that students will not attend a portion of the Summer Academy session, please send a note to the teacher on the first day of class or prior to planned absence.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION (Please detach and/ or copy and send in with registration)

Name _____ Grade _____ School _____
Last First MI **for 15/16 school year**

Address _____ Date of Birth _____
Street/Number Town Zip

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____
Please note any special information (i.e. custody)

Mother's Place of Employment/Phone _____

Father's Place of Employment/Phone _____

Cell phone _____ E-mail address _____

Local persons to be contacted in case of illness or accident if you cannot be reached:

	Name	Address	Phone
1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____

Childcare arrangements: Name of caregiver _____ Phone _____

Please note any special information that program staff should be aware of:

Family Physician's Name _____ Phone _____

Hospital Preferred _____

Significant Health Problems _____

I authorize the officials of the Council Rock School District to contact the persons named on this form directly. In the event parents, physician, or other persons named cannot be contacted, the school officials are authorized to take whatever action is deemed necessary for the health of my child.

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Mail Registration Form and Emergency Information to:

**Council Rock Summer Programs
Attn: Dr. Helen Gross, Programs Director
Council Rock School District
The Chancellor Administrative Center
30 North Chancellor Street
Newtown, PA 18940**



REGISTRATION FORM (Please attach to emergency form)
2015 Summer Session

Student's Name _____
 Parent's/Guardian's Name _____
 Address _____
 Phone (home) _____ (work) _____
 Cell phone _____ e-mail _____
 Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____
 Grade Level September 2015/2016 _____ School _____

PROGRAM COURSES	DATES (NO FRIDAY CLASSES)	TIME	TUITION	SIGN- UP
Entering Kindergarten				
Summer Bridge To Kindergarten	7/6 – 7/23 or 7/13 – 7/30 <i>(parents may add a 4th week for the full \$565 tuition)</i>	8:30 AM –12:30 PM	\$460	
Elementary School Level				
Rising Scholars Program (Gr. 1)	7/6 – 7/30	8:30 AM –12:30 PM	\$565	
Rising Scholars Program (Gr. 2)	7/6 – 7/30	8:30 AM –12:30 PM	\$565	
Successful Students Program (Gr. 3/4)	7/6 – 7/30	8:30 AM –12:30 PM	\$565	
Successful Students Program (Gr. 5/6/7))	7/6 – 7/30	8:30 AM –12:30 PM	\$565	
Junior Writing Academy (Gr. 3-4)	7/6 – 7/16 OR 7/20 – 7/30 (circle one)	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	\$300	
Writing Academy (Gr. 5-8)	7/6 – 7/16 OR 7/20 – 7/30 (circle one)	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	\$300	



STEM Academy I (Gr. 3-5)	7/6 – 7/16 OR 7/20 – 7/30 (circle one)	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	\$300	
STEM Academy II (Gr. 6-8)	7/6 – 7/16 OR 7/20 – 7/30 (circle one)	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	\$300	
Middle School Level				
Algebra Readiness Camp (Gr. 7/8)	7/13 – 7/16 OR 7/20 – 7/23 (Circle one)	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	\$180	
Bridge to the Middle Program (Gr. 7 or Gr. 7/8 new to district)	7/6 – 7/09 OR 7/27 – 7/30	8:30 AM – 12:30 PM	\$180	

Enter Tuition Total Amount Here _____

Out-of-District Surcharge for Academic Summer Programs (Add \$40) _____

TOTAL FOR THIS STUDENT _____

Please Check: _____ Full payment enclosed _____ Deposit only (\$40.00 *per class*)

Note:

- If you cancel your registration, your deposit is not refundable.

All fees must be paid-in-full prior to the beginning of classes.

Make checks payable to: Council Rock School District

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEB SITE FOR COURSE INFORMATION AND UPDATES

www.crsd.org



As you may know, Council Rock School District's public relations activities frequently involve the photographing of student activities for inclusion in newsletters, newspaper articles, the school district web site and cable channel.

A wide representation of students is the key to the success of these projects. We do realize, however, that some parents may not want their children's photos used for public relations purposes.

Please complete this form only if you do not wish to have your child(ren) photographed or videotaped, kindly complete the attached form and return with your child's summer registration and emergency form.

PUBLICITY EXCLUSION FORM
(to be completed by parent/guardian)

I **do not** want my child(ren) photographed or videotaped for Council Rock School District's public relations activities:

PLEASE PRINT

Name of Parent/Guardian _____

Name of Student(s) _____

Grade(s) of Student(s) _____

School(s) _____

Parent/Guardian's Phone Number:

(day) _____ (evening) _____

If you do not want your child's picture taken and possibly posted on the district website, student booklets, or the newspaper as we showcase our students' accomplishments / activities in our summer program , PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHILD'S SUMMER PROGRAMS REGISTRATION & EMERGENCY FORMS.

Thank you.
Dr. Gross

