

Beaver Dam Unified School District
Elementary Summer School 2024

June 10 - July 25, 2024
Monday - Thursday
****No Summer School July 1 - 4, 2024****



Prairie View Elementary
8:30 am - 12:35 pm Students may arrive at 8:25 am

Breakfast & Lunch will be served to all summer school students free of charge.



Prairie View Elementary School
510 N. Crystal Lake Rd. 920-885-7380

Registration forms are due to your school office by April 12, 2024.





Elementary Summer School 2024

The Beaver Dam Unified School District offers a comprehensive Summer School program to students in the Beaver Dam area. Our summer program is available to children regardless of whether they attend public, parochial, or homeschool during the regular school year.

The BDUSD summer program continues to offer a variety of skill building and enrichment courses. Skill building courses are remedial in nature and are designed to support student growth in academics. Our enrichment courses provide students with learning activities that broaden their skills, enrich their interests, and extend their current academic level. Courses that do not have a sufficient number of students enrolled may be cancelled.

Teachers will often recommend that a student enroll in Summer School to further develop the skills and abilities needed to carry on the work to the next grade level. Parents are urged to give serious thought to such recommendations.

Please review the information in this course book and consider enrolling your child(ren) in the Beaver Dam Unified School District's Elementary Summer School Program to take advantage of these worthwhile educational opportunities.

Courses are not guaranteed. If a course reaches capacity, students will be placed on a waiting list and/or in an alternate course.

Courses must be selected based on the grade level your child is in for the 2023-24 school year. Most courses are 45 minutes long. Reading classes are 90 minutes long. Students may take up to 4 summer school classes to equal a full summer school day (8:30 am – 12:35 pm). Students taking a reading class may take up to 3 summer school classes.

Student registration forms are due to your child's school office by April 12, 2024. Students attending parochial schools or homeschooling during the regular school year should turn their forms in to the BDUSD Educational Service Center at 400 E. Burnett St.

There are no fees for any summer school class.

Information about summer band & orchestra will be sent separately to eligible students.

Student schedules will be mailed approximately two weeks before Summer School starts.

If you have any questions about Elementary Summer School, please contact:



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Summer School Registrar
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Summer School Supplies

Students attending summer school will leave the supplies they used during the school year at their school on the last day of the 2023-24 school year. These supplies will be labeled with their name and sent to Prairie View for the student to use during summer school. At the end of summer school, these supplies will be sent home with the student.

Transportation



Shuttle Bus

There will be shuttle buses that run before and after summer school. Each shuttle bus will be supervised by summer school staff. **Students should have their summer school schedules with them when they get on the bus.** During morning pick-up times, students will receive identification to show which shuttle bus they are riding that day. Shuttle bus stops & schedules will be included with your child's schedule. Any student may ride the shuttle bus and there is no need to sign your child up to ride the shuttle.

Bus from Home

Students taking skill building classes may also qualify for transportation to/from summer school **only if their teacher recommended they take the summer school course.** Please make a note in the Special Requests area of the registration form if your child requires transportation to/from summer school. Students who live near a shuttle stop will ride the shuttle bus to summer school.

Summer Food Service Program

The Beaver Dam Unified School District is proud to once again join the USDA and DPI in offering a breakfast & lunch program for our summer school program. FREE breakfast & lunch for all students will be served every day of summer school. All students are eligible to receive free meals under this program, which is funded by the USDA. We hope you plan for your child(ren) to join us for a nutritious breakfast & lunch every day.



SKILL BUILDING COURSES



Priority enrollment will be given to students who have been recommended by their teacher.

ON OUR WAY TO KINDERGARTEN

Students Entering Kindergarten Fall of 2024

Class Time: 8:30 am - 12:35 pm

This class is open for students who are entering kindergarten in the fall. The purpose of this class is to provide an opportunity for children to further develop school readiness skills and help prepare them for kindergarten.

GETTING READY FOR FIRST GRADE

Grade Level: KG

Class Time: 8:30 am - 10:55 am

Getting Ready for First Grade is intended for children who need additional readiness work in multiple areas to prepare them for first grade. Children must have completed one year of kindergarten. Students enrolled in this course may register for an additional enrichment course to end their summer school day.

MATH MAGIC

Grade Level: 1

Class Length: 45 minutes

Math Magic is designed for students completing 1st grade who need additional instruction and practice with kindergarten math concepts.

READING EXPRESS

Grade Level: 1

Class Length: 90 minutes

Reading Express is for students completing 1st grade who need additional reading instruction and practice during the summer to be on track for 2nd grade. Instruction will be directed toward reinforcement and re-teaching the reading strategies introduced during the school year.

MASTERING MATH

Grade Level: 2

Class Length: 45 minutes

Mastering Math is designed for students completing 2nd grade who need additional instruction and practice with 2nd grade math concepts.

SAY YES TO READING

Grade Level: 2

Class Length: 90 minutes

Say Yes to Reading is designed for students completing 2nd grade who need additional reading instruction to refine and maintain reading skills learned during the school year.

GO FIGURE

Grade Level: 3

Class Length: 45 minutes

Go Figure is designed for students completing 3rd grade who need additional instruction and practice with 3rd grade math concepts.

GUIDING READERS

Grade Level: 3

Class Length: 90 minutes

Guiding Readers is designed for students completing 3rd grade who need additional reading instruction to refine and maintain reading skills learned during the school year

MATH CONNECTION

Grade Level: 4 & 5

Class Length: 45 minutes

Math Connection is designed for students completing 4th or 5th grade who need additional instruction and practice with 4th and 5th grade math concepts.

READING CONNECTION

Grade Level: 4 & 5

Class Length: 90 minutes

Reading Connection is designed for students completing 4th or 5th grade who need improvement in their reading development. This class will provide extra practice in both reading and writing. It emphasizes strategies to enhance reading fluency, comprehension, and writing skills.



ENRICHMENT COURSES – GRADES KG & 1

PAWS & CLAWS

Grade Level: KG & 1

This class is designed to learn all about different animals. Students will learn how to care for them, their adaptations, and their genetic traits! Students will even see some creatures up close!

ARTS, CRAFTS & GAMES

Grade Level: KG & 1

Join us for a fun filled class playing games, and exploring all different ways to be creative!

GAMES GALORE

Grade Level: KG & 1

Do you love games? This is an interactive class for students that love all games, including creative tasks, indoor play, and outdoor play. Students will enjoy game play while learning important prosocial skills like taking turns, being a good sport, following rules, and encouraging others.

CROCHET CREATIONS

Grade Level: KG & 1

Have you ever wanted to make an art project out of yarn? Maybe a washcloth, coaster, scarf, or even a small critter? Join us for this course where you will learn the basics of how to crochet. You will learn how to make a basic chain, single crochet, double crochet, and other stitches based on different patterns. You will also learn how to read a pattern and make your very own crochet creation!

POLICE WORK

Grade Level: KG & 1

Police Work will offer insight into the daily work as a police officer. Students will get to interact and partake in activities designed to show some basic job tasks officers do, such as fingerprinting, interviewing, and other activities. Presentations will include K9 Officers, Drone Operators, and other specialized units within the police department.

GAME, SET, MATCH TENNIS

Grade Level: KG & 1

Location: BDHS Tennis Courts

Class Time: 8:30 am – 9:15 am

Come join us for a ton of fun in the Summer sun! Learn new tennis skills, work hard, and make new friends. Suited for beginners and those who have some experience with tennis. Activities include tennis drills, team building activities, and games. Please come with tennis shoes, athletic wear, a water bottle, and a tennis racket. Students will be transported between Prairie View and BDHS tennis courts.





EXPLORE & CREATE ART

Grade Level: 2 – 5

In this course, students will explore nature and the world around them while creating art! Students will go on nature walks and collect natural objects and inspiration. Natural objects from other locations will also be brought into the classroom for children to explore. Students will use the objects and inspiration found in nature to create art in a variety of media.

LET THE GAMES BEGIN

Grade Level: 2 – 5

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FOREIGN LANGUAGE

Grade Level: 2 – 3

What's a foreign language? Take this class and find out! Listen and learn how to say things in Spanish and German. Letters, colors, and numbers may look the same, but saying their names is what you will learn when you take this class. You will also learn about how other people live in other countries and their cultures.

HOLA & GUTEN TAG

Grade Level: 4 – 5

Listen and learn how to say things in Spanish and German! The emphasis will be on conversation and familiarization with pronunciation, greetings, numbers, names, colors, and days of the week. You will also learn about customs, culture, and traditions of each language and the countries where it is spoken.

LET'S GET CODING

Grade Level: 4 – 5

In this engaging introductory coding class for kids, learning software fundamentals becomes an exciting adventure through the realms of games, art, puzzles, and logic. Students explore the fascinating applications of coding, unraveling the mysteries of programming in a fun and approachable manner that sparks creativity and curiosity.

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Kids in the Kitchen



Students completing grades 3 – 5 in the 2023-24 school year may enroll.

July 29 – August 2

Monday - Friday

Beaver Dam High School

SESSION TIMES	
Beginning Kids in the Kitchen – Session 1	7:45 am – 9:15 am
Beginning Kids in the Kitchen – Session 2	9:45 am – 11:15 am
Advanced Kids in the Kitchen	11:45 am – 1:15 pm

Kids in the Kitchen will spice up summer vacation for 3rd – 5th graders who aspire to be the next celebrity chef or simply want to explore new tastes by learning how to prepare real food. The class will cater to budding chefs' enthusiasm by mixing, measuring, chopping, baking, touching, smelling, and tasting old and new favorites one bite at a time.

Enrollment is not guaranteed. There are a limited number of seats available in each session. Registrations will be processed in the order they are received.

Beginning Kids in the Kitchen is for students who have never taken Summer School Kids in the Kitchen (this is not the same as the class offered during the regular school year). Students who have previously taken Summer School Kids in the Kitchen must register for Advanced Kids in the Kitchen. Priority for Advanced Kids in the Kitchen will be given to students who have not previously taken Advanced Kids in the Kitchen.



Itchin' to Stitch

Would you like to learn how to do some hand sewing or maybe sewing on a sewing machine? This is the class for you! Come and learn how to create your very own adorable monster and sew a pillowcase to put on your pillow.

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CAMP PRAIRIE VIEW

Camp Prairie View is not sponsored by or part of the BDUSD Summer School program.

Looking for something extra before/after your kiddo is at Summer School? Sign up for Camp Prairie View for a full day of fun! The program runs before and after summer school hours at the summer school site. Our staff will meet your child there and provide fun outdoor activities, crafts, snacks, and more! Please register through the YMCA of Dodge County.

Registration information can be found at theydc.org or call 920-887-8811!

SUMMER SCHOOL CAMP

DATES: JUNE 10 – July 26. NO CAMP JULY 1 – 4.



SAMPLE SCHEDULE	
Monday – Thursday:	6:30 am – 8:30 am & 12:30 pm – 5:45 pm
Friday at the YMCA:	6:30 am – 5:45 pm

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY (at YMCA)
6:30 – 8:30 am	Morning Camp & Breakfast	Morning Camp & Breakfast	Morning Camp & Breakfast	Morning Camp & Breakfast	Morning Camp & Breakfast
8:30 am	Release to Summer School & Lunch	Release to Summer School & Lunch	Release to Summer School & Lunch	Release to Summer School & Lunch	Field Trip Activity
9:00 am					
9:30 am					
10:00 am					
10:30 am					
11:00 am					
11:30 am					
12:00 pm					
12:30 pm	Specialty Breakout	Specialty Breakout	Specialty Breakout	Specialty Breakout	
1:00 pm					
1:30 pm					
2:00 pm	Counselor Activity (Theme Based)	Counselor Activity (Theme Based)	Counselor Activity (Theme Based)	Counselor Activity (Theme Based)	Active Play (Theme)
2:30 pm					
3:00 pm					
3:30 pm	Snack & Closing Ceremony	Snack & Closing Ceremony	Snack & Closing Ceremony	Snack & Closing Ceremony	Snack & Closing Ceremony
4:00 – 5:45 pm					

SCHOOL SITE: PRAIRIE VIEW ELEMENTARY	
RATE (WEEKLY)	Members: AM: \$40 PM: \$55 Both: \$80 Non-Members: AM: \$50 PM: \$70 Both: \$95
GRADE/AGE (BASED ON 2023-24 ACADEMIC YEAR)	Kindergarten – 5 th Grade
DAYS AVAILABLE	Monday – Thursday*
DATES	June 10 – July 26. No Camp July 1 – 4.
TIMES	AM: 6:30 - 8:30 am PM: 12:30 – 5:45 pm
LOCATION	Prairie View Elementary School
*OPTIONAL FIELD TRIP FRIDAYS	Full day care available Fridays at the YMCA of Dodge County is available for an additional \$40/week for members and non-members. Care available 6:30 am – 5:45 pm

Camp Prairie View is a licensed care programs through the State of Wisconsin and employs high-quality staff. This program accepts state and county funding for care. Each location needs a minimum number of children to operate.

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Date of Birth	Race	Gender	Current Grade	Current School Attending

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Cell Phone	Work Phone		Email Address	
Address (street address, city, state, zip)				

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COURSE REQUESTS – REGULAR SESSION				JUNE 10 – JULY 25	
Course 1:		Course 3:			
Course 2:		Course 4:			
Alternate:					

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