



CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS
2015 Summer Programming
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Summer Programming Overview

- **Teaching and Learning Offerings**
 - Extended opportunity for students to meet promotion criteria, recover or attain credit
 - Opportunity for students with diverse needs to get extended school year support
- **Office of College & Career Success Offerings**
 - Supplements the instructional year by providing additional academic, career and supplemental enrichment opportunities
- **Office of Diverse Learner Supports & Services**
 - Extended School Year (ESY) services are provided to our diverse learners that qualify due to the loss of skills during the summer months
- **Office of Language & Culture Education**
 - Enrichment courses for English Learners to support English language acquisition



Office of Teaching and Learning (T&L) – Summer Programs

- **Summer Bridge (including EL Summer Bridge)**
 - 3rd, 6th and 8th grade students reach promotion criteria by receiving intensive web-based instruction in Reading and Mathematics differentiated for their needs
 - Student Participation: 10,000 students
- **Summer Acceleration**
 - Age Cycle 15 elementary students not meeting 8th grade promotion criteria prepare for high school by receiving motivating instruction in executive functioning skills, reading and math.
 - Student Participation: 1,000 students
- **Credit Recovery**
 - High school students earn credits required to graduate by taking previously failed core academic courses
 - Student Participation: 8,000 students



Office of Teaching and Learning (T&L) – Summer Programs (cont.)

- **Summer Cool**
 - Students in grades 2-8 are provided project-based learning opportunities to prevent summer learning loss
 - Student Participation: ~4,500 students
- **Virtual Learning**
 - 7th-12th grade students participate in credit recovery, credit attainment, acceleration and enrichment via various online courses
 - Student Participation: ~1,000 students
- **Kick Off To Kindergarten**
 - Students prepare for kindergarten at the school they will attend in the fall regardless of whether they have attended pre-school
 - Student Participation: ~1,000 students



Office of Language & Culture Education – Summer Programs

- **English Learners (EL) Summer Support**
 - Develop English language proficiency by providing instruction that targets academic language
- **EL Refugee Summer Support**
 - Accelerate learning in Literacy and Math with targeted ESL coursework
- **HS EL Summer Credit Attainment**
 - Earn credits that were not awarded due to late enrollment in a US high school



Office of Diverse Learner Supports & Services– Summer Programs

- **Extended School Year (ESY)**

- Preschool through 12th grade students who are found eligible for ESY services, per their IEP are allowed to participate in order to ameliorate academic or behavioral skill loss
- Eligible students may participate in either a four or six week program, based on the decision of their IEP team
- Student Participation: Approximately 9,000 students have been found eligible to receive ESY services



Office of College and Career Success (OCCS) – Summer Jobs

- **Career & Technical Education (CTE) Internships through Mayor Emanuel’s One Summer Chicago**
 - Connects CTE classroom experience with real work experiences
 - Student Participation: 1500 students for 6 weeks
- **Academic Competitions Summer Workshops**
 - Provides Debate, Science Fair and Chess students with the opportunity to obtain and enhance valuable skills needed for professional growth
 - Student Participation: 100 students, June – August
- **Peer Health Ambassadors**
 - Increase students knowledge regarding adolescent health (nutrition, social/emotional, physical and sexual) and develop leadership skills
 - Student Participation: Approx. 400 students, June - August



Office of College and Career Success – STEM & IB Programming

- **Middle School Career & Technical Education (CTE) Camps**
 - Engage 5th – 7th graders in pre-engineering and information technology learning opportunities, CTE programs and high school options
 - Student Participation: Approx. 100 students, June – July
- **Early College STEM Schools(ECSS) STEM Workshops**
 - Engage incoming 9th and returning 10th graders of ECSS additional exposure to STEM focused-learning, receive opportunities to remediate or accelerate towards college readiness (math, writing, reading) and build increased interest in STEM fields
 - Student Participation: Approx. 75% of incoming 9th graders and 75% of returning 10th graders of ECSS, 4 – 6 week program



Office of College and Career Success – STEM & IB Programming

- **JROTC Summer Camp & Summer STEM Launch 2015**
 - Provide students with college, career and military exposure while building on student’s foundational STEM knowledge with hands-on projects, activities and trips
 - Student participation: 100 students across both programs during August
- **IB Summer College Academy**
 - Intensive 3-day program that teaches students all the requisite skills for the college application process, including conducting a college search, participating in a campus tour, writing a college essay, interviewing, applying for financial aid, etc.
 - Student Participation: 280+ students during June



Office of College and Career Success – Transition Supports

- **Freshmen Orientation**

- Accommodates a successful transition from grades 8 to 9 through an enhanced school-based 9th grade Orientation program
- All CPS managed high schools are eligible for incentive match funding
- Student Participation: All incoming 9th graders, June – August

- **Summer Transition Counseling**

- Support specific high school students by addressing their individual needs for developing transition and/or summer credit recovery plans, transitioning to high school or college, etc.
- All CPS managed high schools are eligible for incentive match funding
- Student Participation: 9th and 12th graders, June - August

