

Kindergarten & School-Age Program

Summer 2023

We're looking forward to a fun-filled summer at the Center!

UWM Children's Learning Center provides exceptional child-centered, developmentally appropriate programming in a nurturing and intentional environment. Children enjoy a nice blend of structured and unstructured time, with teachers planning a variety of engaging and fun experiences. Children can relax while curling up with a good book, express themselves through arts and crafts, challenge themselves with hands-on science and math activities and get plenty of exercise in our indoor gyms and outdoor play spaces. Extended play times allow children plenty of time to create lasting relationships with new and familiar friends.

Children will be placed in classrooms by the grade they are completing in school. Classroom and teacher assignments for the summer may be different than those during the academic year. Below is a general outline of programming available for each age group.

SUMMER SESSIONS:

- Session A:** May 30—June 9 (current Fox & Owl Room kindergartners only)
Session B: Week 1: June 12-16 (current Fox & Owl Room kindergartners only)
Week 2: June 19-23 (start of full Summer program)
Session C: June 26-July 7
Session D: July 10-21
Session E: July 24-August 4
Session F: August 7-18

Please note that summer ends on August 18. The Center will be closed August 21-25. Our fall semester begins on August 28, and care that week will only be available to children enrolled in the Center's fall kindergarten or after-school program.

Splish, Splish, Splash!

Lots of opportunities to cool off in the water this summer! Children will enjoy weekly indoor swimming at UWM Klotsche Center, field trips to pools, water parks and/or beaches, and water activities on our play yards.

Fox & Owl (Kindergarten): Swimming on Monday afternoons at Klotsche Center on campus. Children's Learning Center staff swim with the children, and certified lifeguards are always on duty in addition to our staff. No additional cost.

River & Lynx (1st-6th grade): Swimming on Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons at Klotsche Center on campus. Children's Learning Center staff swim with the children, and certified lifeguards are always on duty in addition to our staff. No additional cost.



Here We Go!

Weekly field trip adventures for every age child at no additional cost.

Kindergarten: Field trip every Thursday from June 26-August 17.

Examples include Retzer Nature Center, Milwaukee County Zoo, Grant Park, Wiberg Aquatic Center, Bounce Milwaukee, Glacier Rock Farm, Betty Brinn Children's Museum, Lake Park, Discovery World, Klode Park and Fox Brook Beach.

1st- 6th grades: Field trip every Thursday from June 19-August 17.

Examples include Urban Air, Brewer's Game, Little Amerricka, Milwaukee County Zoo, Wiberg Aquatic Center, Bounce Milwaukee, Discovery World, Upper Lake Park and Pirates Hollow, Great Wolf Lodge, Veteran's Park on Milwaukee's lakefront and Fox Brook Beach.



Special Programming and Classes

Programming:

- **Mural Making with Michaela Harrington** (June 19-23, Monday/Wednesday/Friday)
- **Improv with Beth Lewinski**, "Creating a Shared Story" (July 24-August 4, Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday)
- **Taekwondo with Girton's ATA** (August 7-18)

Classes: More details and sign-up provided in Summer packets

- **Yoga with Haley Fuhr** (June 19 – August 18, Tuesday afternoons, \$5 per class)
- **Art Therapy with Amber Thomas** (July 17 – August 18 Tuesday afternoons. Age group and cost TBA.)
- **Science of Cooking with College for Kids on-site!** July 10-21
K5-2nd grade: Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/ Friday 9:00-11:00 a.m.
3rd-6th grade: Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday 11:30 a.m. -1:30 p.m.
Sign-up is required; link will be sent to those enrolled during the session (additional cost).