Summer Vacation Science Camp

Join us for action-packed days of scientific investigations, Museum exploration, amazing planetarium shows, and up-close encounters with live animals.

June 29–July 3
Critter Camp
Hands-on animal encounters with opportunities to get up close, feed and hold many different animals including a hedgehog, turtle, ferret, and guinea pigs.

July 6-10
Summer Slime
Campers will create different types of slime, and experiment with their creations. We will learn about animals that use slime such as frogs, slugs, salamanders and hagfish.

July 13-17
Excellent Engineers
Bridges, towers, ramps, inventions! Campers will spend the week using their imagination and engineering skills to solve engineering challenges. We will also create amazing mazes for our animals.

July 20-24
Summer Science
Liquid nitrogen ice cream is back! This is a week filled with interactive experiments. Join us for astonishing experiments exploring chemistry, engineering, biology and more.

July 27-31
Reptile Encounters
This week will offer exciting reptile experiences including bathing lizards, racing turtles, and learning how to hold snakes.

August 3-7
Animal Keepers
Go behind the scenes and help us care for animals. Activities will include preparing food, feeding and exercising animals.

August 10-14
Marvelous Mammals
Have a blast meeting different furry animals for the week. Campers will have a chance to interact with many of our mammals including our chinchilla, guinea pigs, rabbits and ferrets. A veterinarian will be here to teach us about keeping animals healthy and how to care for injured animals.

August 17-21
Mythical Creatures
From dragons to unicorns, become a magizoologist and join us for a mythical week including making your own fairy garden, doing magical experiments, and learning about mythical creatures.

August 24-28
To the Extreme
Join us for a high energy, action packed week of end-of-the-summer fun! We will have obstacle courses, relay races, and scavenger hunts throughout the museum. *Please note obstacle courses will be made of safe materials including hula hoops, cones and pool noodles.

WHO: Children entering grades 1-6, must be at least 6 yrs old (for older students, ask about our NEW Jr. Counselor program)

WHEN: 9am to 4pm, drop-off at 8:45am, Half-day pick-up 12:30

WHAT TO BRING: Simple peanut free snack and ready-to-eat lunch in paper bag (no insulated bags), shopping money (optional)

COST: Full Day $300/wk members, $330/wk non-members
Half Day $195/wk members, $210/wk non-members

TO REGISTER:
Return form below with full payment (and health form):
The Children’s Museum Attn: Registration Department
950 Trout Brook Drive, West Hartford, CT 06119

Vacation Science Registration Form

Child’s Name ___________________________ School ___________________________ Grade Entering in Sept 2020 _____ D.O.B. ________
Home Address ___________________________ City ___________________________ Zip Code ______
All Parents & Legal Guardians
Home Phone ___________________________ E-mail ___________________________
Emergency Phone #1 ___________________________ Contact Name ___________________________
Emergency Phone #2 ___________________________ Contact Name ___________________________
Authorized for Pickup
Member □ Member # __________ Non-Member □ Amount enclosed ___________________________
Cash □ Check □ Check# __________
VISA □ MC □ Exp. Date ___________________________ CCV# ___________________________

Program fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.

Call or go online to sign up, too! 860.726.4008 or www.TheChildrensMuseumCT.org

Camp Health Requirements

- Record of physical examination from within the last 3 years, with immunization history, MUST be submitted to us BEFORE the child attends the program.
- Documents must be signed by a doctor and feature an exam date from within the last 3 years.
- A Medication Authorization Form is necessary for any child requiring medication administered while at camp.
- If your child requires an Epi Pen there is an additional form that must be filled out and have a physician’s signature. While at camp, the Epi Pen (or other medication) must be in its original packaging with prescription label attached.