

Pinellas County Schools

STEM Summer Camps (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics)

Camp Provided by: PCS K-12 STEM Department Hands-On Build

Inventions





Camp Dates/Locations

Session 1: June 5th –June 8th Location: East Lake Middle School (This site is filled.)

Session 2: June 12th – June 15th

Location: Meadowlawn Middle School

(Elm and MS spots still available. Enrollment closes on June 7th)

Session 3: June 19th - June 22nd Location: Pinellas Technical College (PTC), St.Pete (Elm and MS spots still available. Enrollment closes on June 14th.)

Session 4: June 26th – June 29th

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Who May Attend?

Students that attend schools operated by the Pinellas County School District that are entering 4th through 7th grades during the upcoming 17/18 school year.

Acceptance

First come first serve basis.

- 60 4th 5th graders each location
- 60 6th 7th graders each location

Cost \$150 per session

SIGN UP TODAY! To Apply: Download, print and mail in application www.pcsb.org/STEM

Location: Pinellas Technical College (PTC), Clwr. (Elm and MS spots still available. Enrollment closes on June

Hours 8:00am-3:30pm



National Inventors Hall of Fame

Registration Questions? Contact

Deborah Gerhardt, K-12 STEM Secretary

Program Questions? Contact

Laura Spence, PCS K-12 STEM Specialist

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PCS STEM Summer Camps

Cost \$150 per session

Session

Mon.-Thurs.

8:00am-3:30pm

There are only 60 elementary and 60 middle school seats at each site.

**Breakfast will <u>not</u> be provided. Lunch <u>will be</u> provided. Students will need to bring a snack (optional) and a water bottle each date

*Each camper will receive a camp t-shirt!

*Elementary and middle school classes will be held at the same site, but in separate classrooms. **Elementary Classes:** For students entering 4th and 5th grade during the 17/18 school year.

<u>Middle School Classes:</u> For students entering 6th and 7th grade during the 17/18 school year.



Elementary Classes

For students entering 4th and 5th grades during the 17/18 school year. Campers will explore the world of STEM by examining physics and motion while engineering an aerodynamic water rocket, become an entrepreneur who designs their own duct tape creation, and investigate how machines work through the process of reverse engineering while producing a new invention.

Middle School Classes

For students entering 6th and 7th grades during the 17/18 school year. Campers will explore the world of STEM by becoming inventors when taking apart machines to create a new invention, learn about prototyping through the creation of amusement park rides and learn about environmental engineering when creating a "green" city design.

HOW TO ENROL

Fill out the attached application (pages 3 – 5). Make checks payable in the amount of \$150 to: Pinellas County Schools STEM Department. Mail the completed application and check to the address below:

Pinellas County Schools K-12 STEM Department Attn: Deborah Gerhardt 301 4th Street SW, Largo FL 33779

If you wish to pay with cash or a money order, you will need to contact Deborah Gerhardt (contact information listed below) to arrange a time for you to come in to make a payment and receive a receipt.

Once your application is received, you will be notified if your application was accepted or placed on a wait list within 1 week of receipt of your application.

PCS STEM Summer Camp Application

Please print and mail with your check to the Office of Career and Technical Education (address listed on page 2).

- 1. Student Name:
- 2. Please circle one: Female Male Prefer Not to Say
- 3. Parent Name:
- 4. Home Address:
- 5. Parent phone during day: (
- 6. Parent email: _
- 7. Student's current school (where student is enrolled now):
- 8. Current age of student:
- 9. Grade student will be entering for the upcoming 17/18 school year: _
- 10. Is the student a current PCS STEM Academy Student (circle one): YES NO
- 11. Shirt Size (STEM Camp will do the best that they can to provide the size requested. Please circle one.)

 Youth Small
 Youth Medium

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 Youth Medium
- 12. STEM Summer Camp session chosen (circle one):
 - Session 1: June 5th June 8th ELMS (site filled)
 - Session 2: June 12th- June 15th Meadowlawn
 - Session 3: June 19th June 22nd PTC St. Pete
 - Session 4: June 26th June 29th PTC Clearwater
- 13. Please sign below acknowledging that you are aware of the PCS STEM Summer Camp hours (8:00am-3:30pm). Your signature also acknowledges that the STEM Summer Camps will not be able to provide transportation to families and students. Families of students attending a STEM Summer Camp must provide their own transportation to and from the site. As a condition of attending a STEM Summer Camp, and as consideration for such attendance, by signing below, the parent(s)/guardian(s) agrees to release, waive and hold the Pinellas County School Board and its agents and employees harmless from any and all claims, suits, liability, judgments, attorneys' fees, costs, and any expenses of any kind resulting from injuries or damages, grounded in tort or otherwise, that such parent(s)/guardian(s) and/or their student(s) attending a STEM Summer Camp sustain as a result of their transportation or other travels to and from the STEM Summer Camp site.

<u>Parent/Guardian Signature</u>- Please sign below acknowledging that you have read the legal statement.

Parent/Guardian Signature and Date

*We will notify you by email of your student's acceptance to the PCS STEM Summer Camp within 1 week of receipt of your application. If you have additional registration questions please contact the K-12 STEM Dept. Secretary, Deborah Gerhardt at <u>Gerhardtd@pcsb.org</u> / 727-588-6006. If you have additional program questions, please contact the PCS K – 12 STEM Specialist, Laura Spence at <u>Spencela@pcsb.org</u> /727-588-6337.



Pinellas County Schools STEM Summer Camp Emergency Contact Information



	Student ID
City	Zip Code
Relationship	Phone
Physician's Name	Physician's Phone
Allergies	
	Relationship Relationship Relationship Relationship Relationship Physician's Name

In case of accident or illness, the school will contact the parent/guardian. If the school is unable to contact the parent/guardian, the school will contact the emergency contact. If none of the above are available then the school will make necessary arrangements for immediate treatment. Signature of Parent/Guardian:

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PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS MEDIA RELEASE FORM

During the school year, Pinellas County Schools may produce, reproduce, broadcast or publish student names, likenesses and/or voices on multiple media formats, including but not limited to:

- WPDS-Ch. 14
- Written publications
- · District websites
- · School websites
- Teacher websites

All documents on district-sponsored websites are required to conform to school board policies, including Policy 7.33, Use of Electronic Resources.

In addition, news media, including representatives of television, radio, newspaper and magazines, are periodically permitted on school board property and may take notes, still photographs, sound recordings and/or video that may include your child. These items may appear or be used in news or feature stories by print, television or radio media.

Pursuant to Section 540.08 and Section 1002.22, Florida Statutes, the school board is required to obtain express written permission before using any student's name or likeness in the above described manner. If you do not object to the use of your child's name, picture or voice for any purpose mentioned above, please sign the form below granting your consent pursuant to Section 540.08(1) and Section 1002.22(3)(d). If you have any questions, please contact the principal of your child's school.

If the student or parent/guardian wishes to rescind this permission, he or she may do so at any time with written notice. Unless rescinded, this permission will remain in effect in subsequent years.

REGARDING:	
(name of student)	
NAME OF SCHOOL:	
I grant permission to use the above student's name, likeness and/or voice in the manners des	cribed above.
Date:	
Student's signature (if 18 or older)	
Parent or guardian's signature (if student is under 18)	
PCS Form 1-3067 (Rev. 1/15)	