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100% Student Success

Mission:  
"Educate and prepare each student for college, career and life."

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To the Parent of \_\_\_\_\_

Summer will soon be here, and Pinellas County Schools is thrilled to share information about our **Summer Bridge** program. Summer Bridge is an extended learning opportunity designed for all students. The purpose of this exciting program is to provide students with continuous learning throughout the summer to ensure they will be ready to begin the next school year with confidence and success.

Summer Bridge is designed to counteract what some education researchers refer to as the "summer slide." Many children lose an average of two months of skills over the summer. The 4-week program includes acceleration and enhancement of skills in reading, mathematics and science. Additionally, students will receive individualized instruction in the three core subjects using a blended cross-curricular model integrating the arts, technology, small group instruction, hands-on labs and project-based learning.

Students are recommended to one of the elementary sites based on their assigned school for the 2020-21 school year. Transportation will be available for students beyond 2 miles of their assigned summer bridge site. **Summer Bridge is Monday through Thursday, June 21, 2021 through July 15, 2021. The program hours are 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. or 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at Transformation Zone schools.**

**BEFORE AND AFTER CHILDCARE:** Pinellas County Schools is partnering with the Juvenile Welfare Board (JWB), which will fund before and aftercare for a limited number of students who participate in the Elementary Summer Bridge program and are eligible for free or reduced lunch. You are strongly encouraged to register immediately to take advantage of this valuable summer learning opportunity. Families interested in this service who are not eligible for free or reduced lunch may participate in before and aftercare for a weekly fee. This will give your child access to before and after childcare at the school site. Childcare is available from 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and all day on Friday. Parents wishing to take advantage of this service through the YMCA or R'Club programs must complete the registration packet for this service. Packets can be requested from the YMCA or R'Club.

R'Club Phone: (727)578-5437		YMCA-St. Petersburg Phone: (727) 895-9622		YMCA-Suncoast Phone: (727) 467-9622	
Bardmoor	New Heights	Azalea	Sawgrass	Anona	Ozona
Blanton	Pinellas Park	Bay Point	Sexton	Belcher	Safety Harbor
Cross Bayou	Ponce de Leon	Bear Creek	Westgate	Belleair	Skycrest
Eisenhower	Rawlings	Campbell Park	Woodlawn	Brooker Creek	Starkey
Fairmount Park	Ridgecrest	Jamerson		Curlew Creek	Sunset Hills
Gulfport	Sanderlin	Lynch		Dunedin	Tarpon Springs
High Point	Sandy Lane	Maximo		Frontier	
Lakewood	Seminole	Melrose		Fuguitt	
Lealman Ave.	74 <sup>th</sup> Street	Mount Vernon		Garrison Jones	
McMullen-Booth	Skyview	North Shore		Lake St. George	
Midtown	Southern Oak	Northwest		Oakhurst	
Mildred Helms	Sutherland	Pinellas Central		Oldsmar	

**FOOD SERVICE:** Breakfast will be available at Summer Bridge at no charge and will be served between 8:00 and 8:30 a.m. Lunch will be served before the end of the day. Students may bring a bottle of water to school each day.

**REGISTRATION:** Please visit the Student Reservation System at <https://reservation.pcsb.org/> and register your child. Log on with your Parent ID and Password. If you have forgotten your ID or password, or experience other problems, visit any PCS school to have your password reset. **Registration begins on March 23, 2021.** If you do not have access to Internet service, you may register at your child's school. Please contact your child's school for assistance even if Summer Bridge is hosted at a different school.