



Ohio State School for the Blind - 2019 Summer Camp Opportunities

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WhoDunnit?

Grades 7-12 June 9-14

Mysteries and motives abound this summer! Grab your magnifying glass and detective kit as you race to solve mysteries with fellow classmates! WhoDunnit? will focus on powers of observation and deduction by solving short mysteries independently, role playing to solve murder mysteries, and, ultimately, creating students' own mystery stories! Students will learn the different elements of the mystery genre and work to piece together the pieces of the puzzle. From fans of Nancy Drew to Sherlock Holmes, this summer will be a chance for students to discover WhoDunnit?

STEM Camp

Grades 7-12 June 16-21

This is a project-based learning camp where students will work to design their own zoo! We will focus on researching animal habitat, terrain, and food sources. Students will be visiting The Wilds and the Columbus Zoo, get ready for lots of fun!



ECC-ADL Camp

Grades 7-12 June 2-7

ECC Camp will focus on various areas of the Expanded Core Curriculum for students who are visually impaired. Campers will learn to prepare meals and sharpen independent living skills. Campers will learn about standard and accessible technology and complete educational and fun projects related to all things technology. They will also participate in activities related to vocational skill development, leisure, orientation & mobility, social skills and communication.

Sports Camp

Grades 7-12 July 7-12

This camp is designed to provide instructional and recreational opportunities to youth who are blind or visually impaired. Whether they are beginners or working on personal goals, athletes participate at their own level. We provide adaptive equipment to participate in specialized sports, such as goalball and other types of recreational activities. We instruct campers on the importance of active and healthy living while fostering a team motivational approach to encourage and support! Your child will have fun while staying fit!

Paleontology Detective

Grades 3-7 June 9-14

Paleontology Detective Camp is for students with a visual impairment, who currently use braille for written communication, and access. This camp is geared toward students who need to improve their braille skills and are participating in statewide testing. Students will work to enhance existing braille skills through fun and educational science activities based on Ohio's Learning Standards and focusing on paleontology. Activities will include instruction in braille usage, science, letter writing, storytelling, journal writing skills and creating a final project. Students will also be given assessments to identify and establish braille proficiency skills. Paleontology Detective Camp will align with Ohio's Learning Standards in the areas of English /Language Arts and Science.

Math & Movement

Grades 3-7 July 7-12

The program will focus on learning through movement and student involvement. The curriculum for the camp will be based on Ohio's Learning Standards for mathematics, language arts, and physical education. Students will participate in learning activities, which will be reinforced through the concept of total body movement and active participation in the learning process. Camp will include both individual and group activities, featuring aquatic and track and field events.

Happy, Healthy Me

Grades K-2 June 17-21

This **OSSB Day Camp** will focus on growing each students' self-esteem and retaining skills learned in the previous school year. Hands-on activities will include engaging movement activities, music, making snacks and lots of fun! Academic and expanded core areas for visually impaired will be addressed through socialization, games, and art while integrating reading, math and listening skills. This week will provide opportunities to make new friends and celebrate being happy and healthy!

40° North by 83° West

O&M Camp

Grades 7-12 July 14-19

Do you want to become a master way finder? Learn about navigation tools and apps like BlindSquare with your peers. We will work to build skills for public transportation, para-transit and ride share services. Students will learn hiking strategies with hiking poles with (or without) white canes that have rural cane tips. Students should plan to bring shoes for walking and be prepared to walk 3 miles on some days of camp. Using the skills and tools from the week, all students will participate in 'The Great Navigation Race.' Are you ready to race!?

All camps are Residential unless otherwise noted - Campers arrive Sunday before camp

Cost is \$25/week