

# 2012 Summer Opportunities for High-Achieving and Academically Talented Students

Before enrolling your child in a summer learning opportunity, carefully check to make sure the program is a good fit for your child. Note the Olentangy Local School District does not endorse any of these offerings.

## Summer Camps

OAGC – *Ohio Association for Gifted Children* lists summer opportunities. Continue to check out its website as they update it for summer 2012.

<http://www.oagc.com/?q=summerops>

## Arts Castle, Delaware, Ohio

Offers a variety of multi-arts experiences such as classes, workshops, performances, exhibitions, and special events. Go to their website to check out current offerings.

<http://www.artscastle.org/>

## B-Wiser Science Camp: Buckeye Women in Science, Engineering and Research Institute

- Open to girls who have completed grade 7
- A weeklong residential experience to promote the interest of young women in science and engineering at The College of Wooster, June 10-15, 2012
- Cost: \$475 with scholarships available
- Application deadline: April 30, 2012

<http://www3.wooster.edu/BWISER/>

## Camp COSI

- Camps for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Topics include: Electronic Music Making, H2Ohio, Advanced Amusement Park Science, and Video Games
- To register, call 614.228.2674

<http://cosi.org/visitors/family/camp-cosi/12-16-camps/>

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## Case Western Reserve University

- Shipwreck Camp (Center for Science and Mathematics Education)
- Ages 12-15
- Weekdays, July 16 through July 27, 2012: 9:30a.m. – 3:30p.m.
- Campers participate in an expedition to find shipwrecks in Lake Erie. For more information, call 216-368-5075.
- Cost of this two week camp is \$475, includes \$25 application fee.
- Applications will be available in April, 2012.

<http://www.case.edu/artsci/csm/shipwreck.html>

## Columbus College of Art & Design, Creative Summer Workshops

- Open to grades 1-12
- A variety of programs which offer quality art instruction taught by CCAD faculty and arts professionals, multiple session dates throughout the summer
- Cost: Most classes are \$130
- Registration opens: March 1, 2012

<http://www.ccad.edu/programs-of-study/continuing-education/creative-summer-workshops/>

## Ohio Leadership Institute

- Open to students in grades 2- high school
- Camps are leadership-based camps packed with leadership-building activities, lively sessions and recreational activities, dates TBA
- Cost: \$225 with academic achievement scholarships available
- Application deadline: June 1, 2012

<http://ohioleader.com>

## Kent State University

- Includes a variety of academic enrichment camps

[http://www.supercamp.com/kent\\_state\\_summer\\_camps.aspx](http://www.supercamp.com/kent_state_summer_camps.aspx)

## OSU's Young Authors' Writing Project Camp

Students in grades 4-12 experience an intense two-week immersion into the life of a writer. Mrs. Jones is a participating teacher. More information about the *National Writing Project* and *The Columbus Area Writing Project* is available at <http://cawp.ehe.osu.edu/>. The camp is scheduled for June.

<http://cawp.ehe.osu.edu/summer-programs/young-authors-camp/>

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## Miami University

- Listings will be updated throughout the spring

<http://www.units.muohio.edu/lifelonglearning/kids/index.html>

## Northwestern University Center for Talent Development

- Many opportunities (in Illinois) for gifted and talented learners.

[summer@ctd.northwestern.edu](mailto:summer@ctd.northwestern.edu)

## The Ohio State University P-12 Project

- A variety of programs for all ages. Registration fills up early!

<http://p12.osu.edu/camps.php>

## Ohio Northern University

- For students entering 9<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grades
- \*Also check for ONU's Summer Honors Institute. 2012 information is not yet posted.

[http://www.onu.edu/academics/getty\\_college\\_of\\_arts\\_sciences/areas\\_of\\_study/art\\_design/prospective\\_students/summer\\_progr](http://www.onu.edu/academics/getty_college_of_arts_sciences/areas_of_study/art_design/prospective_students/summer_progr)

## Thurber Summer Camp

Who says creativity has to stop once school lets out for the summer? Not at the Thurber House! Week-long summer writing camps for those entering 2<sup>nd</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades who like to stretch their imagination, think outside the box, write and create new adventures are available. Different authors, artists, storytellers and teachers visit camp with ways for the campers to shape their stories, add pizzazz to their poetry, or perhaps create a few crazy characters. Add a few walking field trips, sunny weather and loads of laughs, and its a great week of camp!

All of the dates and times will be available this March, so visit the website or join the mailing list to make sure you don't miss anything. These camps fill fast! To be added to the email or mailing lists, contact Tricia Fairman at [tfairman@thurberhouse.org](mailto:tfairman@thurberhouse.org). Contact Meg Brown at [megbrown@thurberhouse.org](mailto:megbrown@thurberhouse.org) for questions about the camps.

<http://www.thurberhouse.org/summer-camp1.html>

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## Wellington School – Columbus, OH

- The Wellington Summer Program offers students from Wellington and the extended community a wide variety of summer opportunities. See website for more details.

<http://web.wellington.org/webdrop/communications/RegistrationFormSummerOptions2012.pdf>

## Wexner Center for the Arts

- Summer Youth Workshops
- Visit website for more details, or call 614-292-6493

<http://www.wexarts.org/learn/>

## WildeCamp

- Opens to ages 8-adult
- All programs are designed to be hands-on for kids to learn and enjoy wildlife including: Earth Keepers and Wildecamp Extreme, multiple session dates throughout the summer
- Cost: Dependent on specific program- \$490-\$550

[http://www.thewilds.org/education/summer\\_camps.asp](http://www.thewilds.org/education/summer_camps.asp)

## Wright State University Summer Programs

- Click on “Summer Programs” for more details!
- Deadline for resident camp applications is two weeks prior to camp start date.

<http://www.wright.edu/academics/precollege/>

## Other

Check out listings by doing a Google search. The following are examples.

WikiChild: <http://www.wikichild.com/Ohio/Powell/Camps/All/Summer/City.aspx>

Ohio Summer Camps and Programs: <http://www.studenteducationprograms.com/ohioprograms.htm/>