

Summer School FAQs

Elementary & Middle School Level Program FAQs:

Q: When does registration open for summer school? **A:** February 27, 2023.

Q: What is the annual registration deadline to enroll my student? **A:** April 7, 2023 at 5pm.

Q: What happens if I register my student after the enrollment deadline?
A: Students who register after the enrollment deadline are placed on a waiting list.
Eureka City Schools aims to place all students who register for summer school into the program, however capacity is based on the availability of staff and teachers to support the program.

Q: What is the earliest age that a student can register for summer school at Eureka City Schools?

A: In 2023, a student born between **September 2, 2018- April 2, 2019** is eligible for summer school. This is the same eligibility as the earliest age to enter the district in the upcoming fall 23-24 SY.

Q: If I request transportation for my student to and from summer school, who may I check in with on the status of that request?

A: At Eureka City Schools our Transportation Department handles the placement of students on transportation routes and the mapping of those routes directly.

Transportation may be reached at 707-441-2801. In 2023 transportation will be provided as Eureka City School district is able to facilitate and staff it. Students will be expected to be both picked up and dropped off at a 'bus stop' central location. Parents/guardians should plan accordingly which may mean chapparone/walking or driving their student to the bus stop for pick up and drop off.

Q: How will I know which class and with which teacher my student has been placed?

A: Each year, summer school Principals coordinate with teachers to identify appropriate classroom placements for each student. The timeline for release of class schedules can vary from year to year. Annually you can expect to be able to obtain this by the end of the regular school year as long as your student was enrolled by April 7, 2023. *In 2023, the last day of the school year is June 15th.*

Q: Will meals and snacks be provided as part of the summer school program? **A:** Eureka City Schools Food Services aims to provide well balanced and healthy meals that fit into the USDA's guide to plan, purchase, prepare, and serve nourishing meals for the Child Nutrition Programs through the State of California. Breakfast is generally served in the 8am hour and lunch in the 12pm hour. Late afternoon snacks are offered for students who will remain at the program until closing.

Q: My student has an IEP, 504 plan or other independent learning plan. Will their learning needs be accommodated in the summer school program?
A: IEPs will be reviewed by the assigned Education Specialist to determine how to implement accommodations for students attending summer school. The site principals will review 504s to ensure accommodations are followed.

Q: What grade levels are served in the Elementary and Middle School, summer school program?

A: The Elementary level program serves incoming TK/K- 5th grade. The Middle School level program serves students 6th-8th grade. Students will be placed in classes that match the grade they will be in the following year. For example: students who are currently in 5th grade will be served as 6th grade students in the summer school program, therefore they will attend the Middle School level program. Students who are currently in 8th grade will be served on the High School campus.

Q: Does the Eureka City Schools system follow the same guidelines, policies and procedures during the summer as they do during the regular school year? **For students:**

A: All students are expected to abide by the ECS *(or specific school)* student behavior code. As summer school is an optional program, students can be dismissed from summer school for behavioral reasons. The student behavior code is on file in the office and a copy will be provided upon request. Students are also expected to abide by the ECS *(or specific school)* electronics policy and school dress code.

For parents/guardians:

A: Generally speaking Eureka City School's aims to host a linear experience during summer school as the typical school year in terms of oversight of guidelines, policy and procedures. There are some differences surrounding State law and requirements for

various educational and disciplinary norms that should be considered while enrolling students. These include:

• Summer School is an at-will program. There are no required State-led dates for attendance which means if a student does not, or is unwilling to attend the program as it is set forth, Eureka City Schools reserves the right to unenroll students on a case by case basis.

High School Level Program FAQs:

Q: What is the annual registration deadline to enroll my student?
A: The High School level Summer School program is fundamentally a credit recovery program. This means that students are enrolled by invitation-only from their site counselors. Counselors may be contacted at the sites below to discuss these options: Winship Middle School (incoming Freshman*) 707-441-2488
Zane Middle School (incoming Freshman*) 707-441-2469
Eureka High School (Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors) 707-441-2840

*In some years a special introductory course is offered for incoming Freshmen to help them matriculate seamlessly onto their new school. Please visit our website at www.eurekacityschools.org > **For Parents** > **Summer School** for annual updates.

Q: What are the dates of programs in 2023? **A:**

Elementary & Middle School level programs:

A six week program. First day of summer school is Monday June 26, 2023. The program will be off on the 3rd and 4th of July, then back to full time July 5, 2023 The last day of summer school is August 8, 2023.

High School level program:

A four week program. First day of summer school: Monday June 26, 2023 Week 1: 26th -30th Week 2: 3rd-7th 2 days off for 4th of July (July 3rd & 4th) Week 3: 10th-14th Week 4: 17th-21st Last day of summer school: Tuesday July 25, 2023 The 9th grade class, if offered, will also be invite-only. The site Principal, Paul Claussen will work with middle school information to locate students who will be offered placement in the program. It will not be a part of general registration in 2023.