

Summer Calendar 2026

WEEK	THEME	Activities, Descriptions, and Materials for all Summer STEAM Activities!
June 1-5	Water World!	<p>Activity: Dry Erase water tattoos</p> <p>Description: Making shapes on a spoon and floating them in water. Then put them on paper to make temporary tattoos</p> <p>Materials: Expo, Dry Erase markers, metal spoons, dish with water, paper</p>
June 8-12	Little Chef!	<p>Activity: Drying herbs and growing vegetables from scraps!</p> <p>Description: Students will cut or pick some herbs from the herb garden they planted and learn how to set them out to dry. Also learn to grow vegetables from scraps</p> <p>Materials: scissors, herb garden, trays, vegetable scraps</p>
June 15-19	Things That Go!	<p>Activity: Marble roller coaster</p> <p>Description: Teachers will make a roller coaster track using pool noodles. Students will let their marble or small ball (younger side) roll down the coaster tracks!</p> <p>Materials: Pool noodles cut in half, marbles or small balls</p>
June 22-26	Superheroes!	<p>Activity: Flying superheroes</p> <p>Description: Students will thread a smooth string through the straw that is glued to the action figures. Two students will hold either end and alternate holding one side up and one side lower so the figuring flies.</p> <p>Materials: Smooth string, straws, action figures</p>
June 29 - July 3	STEAM!	<p>Activity: Color changing flowers</p> <p>Description: students will mix food coloring into water. Teachers will cut the stem of white flowers at an angle and place into pre-colored water. This will take place over a couple of days.</p> <p>Materials: white flowers, food coloring (gel preferred), water, cups</p>
July 6-10	Bugs!	<p>Activity: Fizzy butterfly cocoons!</p> <p>Description: Students will pour, scoop, or use a dropper to place vinegar onto a butterfly cocoons to see the butterfly "Hatch"</p> <p>Materials: baking soda, butterflies, vinegar, droppers</p>
July 13-17	Beach Days!	<p>Activity: Sunscreen Art (younger and older variations)</p> <p>Description: younger-paint a picture on black construction then set in the sun. older-testing different types of sunscreen on black paper and set it in the sun to see if different brands work better!</p> <p>Materials: black construction paper, different types of sunscreens, paint brushes, objects to create shading</p>
July 20-24	Space!	<p>Activity: Coke and Mentos Rockets</p> <p>Description: This has a YouTube video that will be sent to you!</p> <p>Materials: Coke, mentos, gallon size bottle, rocket pieces</p>
July 27-31	Construction Zone!	<p>Activity: Building with Food Related Materials</p> <p>Description: Students will use cups, plates, spoons, forks, bowls and popsicle sticks to build something! (RF and P will be challenged to build a bridge)</p> <p>Materials: Cups, plates, spoons, forks, bowls and popsicle sticks</p>
August 3-7	Barnyard!	<p>Activity: Muddy animal clean up!</p> <p>Description: Students will play with their animals in mud and get them dirty, then they will have a station to wash the animals. This should be a two-bin system.</p> <p>Materials: 2 bins, farm animals, mud, soap and water</p>
August 10-14	Backyard Fun!	<p>Activity: Flashlight Bug Jars!</p> <p>Description: Picture of a jar glued to a picture of a bug, laminated. When you shine the light the flashlight through the jar, you see the bug!</p> <p>Materials: Jar picture, bug picture, flashlight</p>
August 17-24	Dinos!	<p>Activity: Color Mixing Dinos</p> <p>Descriptions students will get 2 different colored dino ice cubes and paint with both on a picture of a dinosaur to what color they mix!</p> <p>Materials: Dino shaped silicone molds, food coloring, water, picture of dinos, trays</p>