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ECSD Innovation Centers' Summer Plans

Pensacola, FL: Summer is a great time to read or be creative. For families looking for ways to get started with their summer reading plans, many of the Escambia County School District Innovation Centers are planning special summer hours and activities. Here are a few:

Ensley's Summer Innovation Center

Dates: June 7th – July 14th

Days: Tuesday & Thursdays

Hours: 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

K -2nd: may attend with a parent for a team experience 3rd - 5th: may attend independently with a learning goal Challenges include: crafting in MinecraftEDU, creating Paper Roller Coasters, designing Dream Catchers, achieving goals in Accelerated Reader, tinkering with circuitry, and building structures.

Global Learning Academy's Math Camp

Days: Tuesdays

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Global Learning Math Camp will be conducted by Mrs. Sexton and Mr. de Varona for 3rd grade students getting ready for 4th grade, however 4th and 5th grade students are welcome as well..

Global Learning Academy's Innovation Center/Library – Open for Check-out

Days: Tuesdays

Time: 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The media center will open for all Global students and their families to check reading material.

Lipscomb Elementary School's Innovation Center Family Nights

Dates: June 13, 20, 27 and July 11, 18, 25

Time: 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Lipscomb's goal is for children and parents to check out books for summer reading and explore Makerspace stations. They may experiment with our Osmo Tanagram system, Snap electric circuitry, marble runs, or building structures.

C.A. Weis Elementary CommUNITY School

Dates: June 6 through July 28 (except July 18 – 21)

Days: Tuesdays – Makerspace

Wednesdays: Storytime

Thursdays: Coding

Time: 8:20 to 10:30 a.m.

Parents must come in each Monday to sign up their student for that week. There is a limit to how many students can participate. The classes are timed to fit in between breakfast and lunch. (There is not a limit for participating in the meals and they are open to those 18 and younger.)

C.A. Weis Special Maker Event

Day: Saturday, June 18

Time 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Students can come with a parent or guardian to make a shelf, so students will have a shelf at home for displaying Makerspace projects.

Media queries about any event listed on this release should be directed to Kim Stefansson, at 850-469-6219 or kstefansson@escambia.k12.fl.us.

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