

**St. Stephen Academy
Summer School
Application**

Week 1 (Physics): June 11 - 15

A general overview of Creation will be discussed through activities that engage multiple content areas: science, language, math, art, and technology. By understanding how creationism correlates with science, a better understanding of their symbiotic nature becomes apparent. Separation of light and dark is the first day of creation and students will be able to see this in the hands-on activities. Students will engage in experiments that cover main properties of light such as speed, reflection and color.

Week 2 (Meteorology): June 17 - 21

Sky and water is our second stop on the exciting scientific journey. There is so much to observe and experience with the weather as we look to the sky and become meteorologists ourselves. The Water Cycle and how it relates to clouds will be demonstrated by your child. Water movement and barometric pressure is focused on through recreation of natural anomalies such as storms and tornadoes. Be ready to get your hands wet.

Week 3 (Ornamental Horticulture): 24 - 28

It's time to bring out your "green thumb" because your child is about to get messy. Land, sea, and vegetation are the focus for our little scientists. Everyone knows it is the perfect time to head outdoors and splendor in the power of God's creation. Experiments with soil and seeds are at the heart of our journey but we don't stop there. Plate tectonics, land formations, sea density and plant classifications are some of the areas we will discover together.

JULY - Leadership and Confidence Military Program (LCMP)

Our Leadership and Confidence Military Program will be conducted during the entire month of July, as part of our summer camp. Active duty and retired military personnel will guide our campers through five weeks of instruction and activities that promote life skills. The purpose of our military camp is to expose our students to the discipline, structure, comradery, and traditions of the United States Military services. Students will receive instruction in Customs and Courtesies, Drill and Ceremonies, and Military Procedures. Emphasis will be placed on character development, community service, citizenship, integrity, and self-discipline. The students will have an opportunity to visit a military base.

Week 4 (Astronomy): July 1 - 5

Shoot for the stars with this outer space themed week. The Earth's rotation, sun, moon, stars and planets qualifies the fourth day of creation. The vastness of God's capabilities is like looking into the expanse of space. Creating replicas and understanding facts is our segway into STEAM experiments where we test space theories in the classroom. Students are recreating edible constellations is one of many activities that engage multiple modalities of learning.

Week 5 (VBS and LCMP): July 8 - 12 (No International Groups for Elementary)

Are you ready to take a vacation with the Lord? This week we are partnering with St Stephen Baptist Church to praise his name and spread the word of salvation. We will also have our military program in the afternoon. Students learn basic drills and will learn to regulate behavior through their own self-discipline.

Week 6 (Marine Biology and Zoology): July 15 -19

Gaining knowledge through action is the best way to make lasting learning. From the trial and error process of recreating sea animals to gathering information and recording it, students will become more knowledgeable about ocean and bird species for taxonomy classification. Animals develop in their natural environment and change based on the adjustment to the environment. Let's dive into understanding how and why this happens on the sixth day of creation.

Week 7 (Ecology and Anatomy): July 22- 26

Life science comes alive as we transform classrooms from an arctic tundra to a jungle deep in the heart of Africa. Every day, students will learn about a new animal environment and the inhabitants of that population. We will also learn more about ourselves and how God's creation functions. Systems of the human body will be recreated by small groups using scientific exploration with engaging projects.

Week 8 (Project Design and Management): July 28-August 2

The students will use this week in preparation for Open House/ LCMP Closing Ceremonies. They will design and map out the floor plan for each project display. The students will show you what engaging activities the past seven weeks contained. We open our doors and hearts to you and your family on August 15th. So, get ready to see God's creation in all its splendor. Students will review the scientific topics discussed thus far.

Week 9 (Electrical Engineering/Circuitry): August 5 - 9

It is time to flip the switch to electricity/circuits while your child becomes an electrical engineer in our STEAM labs. Each of the classrooms will be covering related topics such as capacitors, resistors, conductivity, current and voltage. It's amazing how much fun learning can be!

Week 10 (Solar Energy): August 12 - 16

The power of the sun is one of our world's few renewable resources. There isn't a better time to understand heat energy than in the month of August. We will analyze acquired knowledge through exploration, engineering and construction. Lessons focus on understanding the absorption of energy into solar cells and how energy is processed into electricity.

Field Trip

- Irwindale Park-Swimming \$3.00 X 4 (June 12th, 19th, 26th & July 3rd)
- Griffith Observatory- \$10.00 - Week 2
- Arboretum- \$5.00 - Week 3
- 146th Airlift Wing Channel Islands (Military Base) - Week 4
- In-House Field Trip?
- Natural History Museum Los Angeles - Week 6 - \$15.00
- Covina H.S. or Cal Poly Agricultural Dept. \$5.00- Week 7
- Universal Studios - \$129.00- Week 9

Student's Name:

Last _____ **First** _____

**ST. STEPHEN ACADEMY
(NEW STUDENT)
SUMMER ELEMENTARY CHECKLIST**

Please complete all forms fully, sign them all and return them to the office along with cover sheet.

FORMS INCLUDED: To be checked off as they are returned.

1. Registration Agreement
2. Photo Permission
3. Consent for Medical Treatment
4. Field Trip Permission Slip
5. Personal Rights
6. Parent Rights
7. Child's Preadmission Health History
8. Identification and Emergency Information
9. Media Permission Slip
10. Registration Fee Attached

Student's Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

**St. Stephen Academy
1718 N. Walnut Ave.
La Puente, CA 91744
(626) 918-0796**

Office Use Only: Enrollment Date: _____ **Family Code:** _____

SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP Admission Agreement

Upon acceptance of the **non-refundable registration fee in amount of \$50.00 per student**. Pay \$500.00 for ten-week program in full by May 10, 2019, and registration fee waived. If not paid in advance 1st payment in amount of \$250.00 is due no later than start of program June 11, and second payment in amount of \$250.00 is due no later than July 3rd. Field trips are not included in this fee. The undersigned agrees to pay required fees as indicated on pages 1-2 of this agreement. The registration fee is for the summer program only. The registration fee and reservation agreement must be completed and accepted by administration upon enrollment. The undersigned will abide and agree to all terms and conditions on this and the reverse side of this agreement. Reservation agreement will not be accepted without registration fee. Families receiving government subsidy funding must pay registration fee, you are also responsible for any unpaid balance not paid by agency for failure to properly complete forms.

Student's behavior

Student's behavior and conduct, both at school and at school sponsored events, is expected to meet the standards the school established for maintaining a good atmosphere for learning. Students whose behavior and conduct consistently make it difficult to maintain a good atmosphere for learning will be subject to dismissal or denial of re-enrollment. The administration will make such decisions after careful consideration, which may include conferences with parents, teacher and student.

Late pick up:

Our program is available from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. In the event you are late, a late fee of \$15.00 per fifteen minutes, or portion thereof, will apply. Late fee is payable to the staff member(s) on duty. This rate is reviewed regularly, and we reserve the right to adjust it during the school year if the administration feels it is necessary.

Tuition:

I understand that tuition must be paid in advance. The method of tuition payment is FACTS Tuition Management Program. Continuing students will maintain the FACT tuition payment method. New students will pay by check or money order. There is a \$25 fee for returned checks. In this event, your tuition account must be brought current immediately and be paid by cashier's check or money order. Formal withdrawal must include a two-week advance written notice to end this agreement.

Summer 2019 Rates

Registration: \$50.00

Tuition Rate: \$50.00 weekly for 10-week program (\$500.00)

1st payment in amount of \$250.00 due: June 11th
2nd payment in amount of \$250.00 due no later than July 3rd.

___ Enclosed is the registration payment of \$50.00 **OR** ___ Withdraw \$50.00 from FACTS

Office use only: Registration Amount Paid _____ Date Paid _____ Ck # _____ Tuition through FACTS _____ Balance _____

Student's Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Birth date) (Grade)

Parent/Guardian: (Father) _____
(Mother)

Home Address: (Street) _____
(City, Zip Code)

Phone: _____
(Father's daytime) (Father's cell) (Father's Email)

(Mother's daytime) (Mother's cell) (Mother's Email)

I understand that in signing this reservation agreement for the coming year, I am agreeing to accept the rules and regulations of St. Stephen Academy as referred to in this agreement.

Father/Guardian: _____
(Signature) (Date)

Mother/Guardian: _____
(Signature) (Date)

Welcome to St. Stephen Academy!

Thank you for joining us for our Summer Adventure Camp!

In House Field Trips

Waterslide Bouncer Traveling Tidepools

Summer Field Trips Available at an additional Cost

**Please check field trips you are interested in your child attending:
(If your child(ren) will not be attending a field trip, you will need to provide childcare)**

- Uniform (**mandatory for July Military Program**) \$40.00
- 146th Airlift Wing Channel Islands (Military Base/week 4) Price to be determined

Circle your child's t-shirt size

Youth S Youth M Youth L Youth XL Adult Small Adult Medium Adult Large

Pant Size: _____

- Irwindale Park-Swimming (June 12th, 19th, 26th, July 3rd) \$3.00 x 4
- Griffith Observatory - \$10.00 (week 2)
- Arboretum - \$5.00 (week 3)
- Natural History Museum, Los Angeles \$15.00 (week 6)
- Covina H.S. OR Cal Poly Agriculture Dept. \$5.00 (Week 7)
- Universal Studios \$129.00 (Thursday, August 1, 2019)

Field trip dates subject to change

Total Field Trips _____

Registration: _____

Tuition: _____

Grand Total: _____

Amount Paid: _____

Balance: _____

SSA Summer 2018 (Elementary): FIELD TRIP PERMISSION SLIP

Irwindale Park & Recreation Center/Swimming Pool -6/12, 6/19, 6/26 & 7/3)

Griffith Observatory (week 2)

Arboretum (week 3)

146th Airlift Wing Channel Islands (Military Base week 4)

Natural History Museum, Los Angeles (week 6)

Covina H.S. OR Cal Poly Agriculture Dept. (week 7)

Universal Studios (Thursday, August 1st)

Field Trip- Dates and Locations are subject to change

As the parent/legal guardian of _____ permission is hereby given for my child to go on the above-named field trips. I understand that some dates and locations are subject to change and will be notified of any change of date and or location. I give permission for my child to be transported by St. Stephen Academy van(s) to all above locations. I understand that if my child is not present at the time of field trip departure, my child will not be able to stay for the school day.

The school desires to provide a safe and enjoyable time for all students. Despite the exercise of care and supervision, however, injuries may occur. By the signing of this form, I acknowledge that injuries may occur with participation in off-campus trips and their associated activities. In consideration of my child being allowed to participate in these above events, I agree to assume responsibility for those ordinary and reasonable risks associated with travel and activities. I agree to hold harmless St. Stephen Academy, its affiliated organizations, employees, agents, and representatives, including volunteers and other drivers, from any and all claims arising from my child's participation. This release agreement does not apply to claims of intentional criminal misconduct or gross negligence by the school, its employees, or volunteers. If intentional or negligent conduct is proven in a court of law, I acknowledge and agree that I will hold harmless St. Stephen Academy, and all its affiliated organizations, for any judgment or financial liability beyond the actual amount of liability insurance in force at the time of the occurrence.

I give permission for school staff to call paramedics or any other health care provider. If a life- threatening emergency exists, I give permission for school staff to call paramedics immediately and then contact the person above as soon as possible thereafter. By the signing of this form, I authorize and consent to any X-ray examination, anesthetic, medical, dental, or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care which in the best judgment of the healthcare provider is deemed advisable. I agree to assume the financial responsibility for expenses incurred as a result of those services being provided. I also agree to be financially responsible for emergency medical transportation and all other costs related or associated with medical treatment.

