

# River Falls School District



## Meyer Middle School

# Summer School

# 2017

June 12 – July 20

Registration deadline – April 7, 2017

**This booklet contains a listing of the Middle School 2017 Summer School Enrichment course offerings.**

Classes will be held at Meyer Middle School this summer - unless otherwise indicated. Grade levels listed are the grade the student will enter in the Fall of 2017.

**Final registration deadline is Friday, April 7, 2017.**

For classes with limited enrollment, registrations will be taken on a first come—first served basis. If sufficient enrollment is received, additional sessions may be added.

### IMPORTANT TO NOTE:

In late April or by May 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Parents/Guardians of students who register for **“Intro to Plants, Animals, Pizza and More”** and/or **“Fractions in Photography”** will receive an e-mail notification to confirm or deny enrollment. For this purpose, PLEASE Include your e-mail address when you register.

**NOTE:** There will be no confirmation of enrollment for **“Middle School Band”** or **“Middle School Speed & Strength Training.”** You ensure your spot in either of these two classes by registering. (You register = You are enrolled!) **ALSO NOTE:** These two classes will not fall under the April 7<sup>th</sup> registration deadline. We will accept registrations for these two classes up to the date the individual's class starts.

If you have any questions, please contact Summer School Coordinator, Maureen Hermsen, at 715-425-1800 extension 1119 or [maureen.hermsen@rfsd.k12.wi.us](mailto:maureen.hermsen@rfsd.k12.wi.us)



## SIXTH GRADE BAND – GROUP LESSONS

**Instructor:** TBD

**Grades:** 6<sup>th</sup> graders

**Location:** Meyer Middle School Band Room

**Description:** Students will receive lessons in instrument groups for 60 minutes per day. During the group lessons, students will learn the basic fundamentals of playing a musical instrument. Topics such as instrument assembly and care, proper playing posture, and how to produce a proper sound will be covered. Students will learn to read and play music from the lesson book.

**Date:** July 10 through July 21 (10 days, M-T-W-Th-F)

**Time:**

**Percussion:** 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

**Trumpet / French Horn:** 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

**Trombone / Baritone / Tuba:** 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Flute:** 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**Clarinet / Saxophone:** 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**Fee:** Students will need to bring a currently owned instrument or rent an instrument from either a music store or from the school. MMS rents French horns, baritones, and tubas. Students should purchase and bring their own lesson book and supplies (i.e. reeds, valve oil, etc.).

**Prerequisite:** Must have registered and be assigned an instrument for MMS 6<sup>th</sup> grade band prior to admission to this summer school class.

**NOTE:** Registrations for this class will remain open until July 10<sup>th</sup>.



## SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE BAND

**Instructor:** TBD

**Grades:** 7-8<sup>th</sup> graders

**Location:** Meyer Middle School Band Room

**Description:** Summer band rehearsals give the students an opportunity to keep their skills fresh and continue their musical growth over the summer months.

**Date:** July 10 through July 21 (10 days, M-T-W-Th-F)

**Time:** 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

**Fee:** Students are responsible for bringing the instruments used during the school year along with any other materials needed, i.e. lesson book, reeds, etc.

**Prerequisite:** Students with one year playing experience will qualify for 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade band.

**NOTE:** Registrations for this class will remain open until July 10<sup>th</sup>.



Register for this course using the [2017 Agriculture Enrichment Registration Form](#) found on the district website. Registrations must be completed by May 10.



### INTRO TO PLANTS, ANIMALS, PIZZA AND MORE

**Instructor:** Ryan Pechacek

**Grades:** 7 - 12 graders

**Location:** Meyer Middle School

**Description:** Learn about modern agriculture by exploring career opportunities, large and small animals, natural resources, landscape design, plant production, gardening, agriculture mechanics, and precision agriculture (drones, GPS). Students who sign-up for this course are eligible to participate in FFA events.

**Date:** July 10 through July 20 (Eight days)

**Time:** 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (M-T-W-Th)

**Fee:** None

Register for this course using the [2017 Summer Elementary Enrichment Registration Form](#) found on the district website. Registrations must be completed by April 7.



### FRACTIONS IN PHOTOGRAPHY

**Instructor:** Dee Locke

**Grades:** 5-6<sup>th</sup> graders

**Location:** Westside Elementary **(NOTE LOCATION)**

**Description:** Do you like taking photos? This class looks at how to use fractions, and how they can help us and photographers take better pictures. We will take themed photo walks to practice photo techniques, and will choose some photos to create prints. Each student takes home some of their best examples!

**Date:** June 12 through June 22 (Eight days)

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. (M-T-W-Th)

**Fee:** none

**NOTE:** Students will need to bring a camera or camera phone with cord for uploading.



### MIDDLE SCHOOL SPEED & STRENGTH TRAINING

**Instructor:** Team

**Grades:** 7-8<sup>th</sup> graders

**Location:** River Falls Middle School Weight Room

**Description:** Students in the class will follow a fitness development program guided by the instructors, aligned to the district curriculum, state and national standards. The program will include weight training, speed development drills, agility drills, and stretching. Students will participate in all aspects of the program in a challenging, fun and safe environment.

**Date:** June 12 through July 20 (No classes July 3 - 6)

**Time:** • Session I: 9:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. (M-T-W-Th)  
• Session II: 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. (M-T-W-Th)

**Fee:** None

**NOTE:** Registrations for this class will remain open until June 12<sup>th</sup> unless enrollment numbers become prohibitive. Limit 50 students per session.

