

LEICESTER MONTESSORI GRAMMAR SCHOOL



Summer School Programme
2008

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Leicester Montessori Grammar School has run a successful summer school for many years. It offers a unique experience for children from 4-14 and International Students 11-16.

The summer school comprises of eight individually themed weeks. Each morning from 9-12pm English, Mathematics and Science activities are taught. These activities are linked to the main theme for the week.

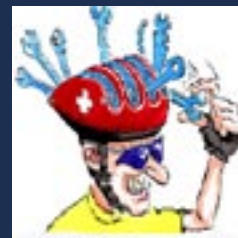
They are designed to enrich students love for learning and are introduced in a stimulating and fun way!

Although the children are in a learning environment the main aim is for them to enjoy their day, have fun and meet new friends. The afternoon activities are non-academic and run from 1-4pm. These tasks are designed to get them thinking, as individuals and as groups.

Programme

Week 1: 30th June - 4th July Creative

In this week children will be encouraged to express their creative abilities through art activities, creative writing and expressive play. They will be given the opportunity to go and enjoy a cultural experience first hand.



Week 2: 7th - 11th July Great Outdoors



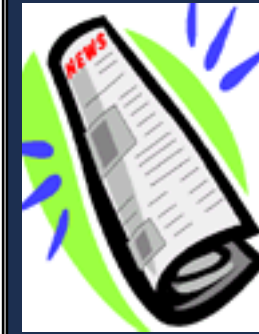
Step into the Great Outdoors! An exciting opportunity has arisen for us to investigate the living world around us. We'll start by exploring a traditional English seaside resort and end the week by spending a couple of nights away from home at a local campsite. Certainly a week to remember!

Week 3: 14th - 18th July The Stage

Let's pretend! We all do this at times, so why not spend five days dressing up, acting the clown, singing, dancing and generally having a great time, like visiting the theatre in London to see 'Spamalot' or 'Grease' or having a visit here at the Grammar School from a group of thespians....why not!?



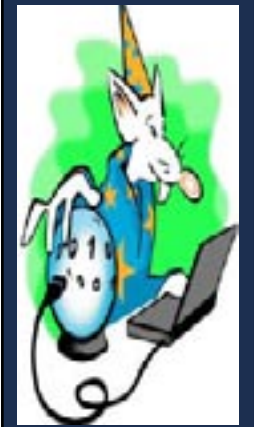
Week 4: 21st - 25th July The Journalist



Stop the press! Bring the news to life by becoming a journalist! A visit to a local newspaper, followed by a printers will kick off this week in style! The children will then be able to use these news found skills by interviewing the local community about real issues and record the events using many different types of media.

Week 5: 28th July - 1st August Into the Future

The future's bright, the future's.... at Leicester Montessori Grammar School, for this week at least! Children will look forwards in time to design and invent solutions to a variety of challenges including looking into energy resources for the future and sending messages ten years into the future in a time capsule. A trip to Think Tank in Birmingham will serve to finish off the week. Look out future, here comes Montessori!



**Week 6: 4th - 8th August
Play Sports!**

This is a week for the young sports person who enjoys the challenge of new and interesting sports as well as the traditional. With the schools Physical Education department committed to the value of TGFU (teaching games for understanding) we see the value of cross over sports. The Children will be exposed to a variety of new games which will stretch them technically, physically and socially.

The children themselves will be encouraged to lead the learning and work together to see a benefit in their own development. The emphasis of the week is FUN with hard work and the venue is the superb Leicester University grounds at Stoughton Rd.



**Week 7: 11th - 15th August
Into the Past!**

Walk the ramparts as Henry VIII did, follow in the steps of William 1st and other great personages from the past when we explore Rockingham Castle. Our second trip will show us how our forefathers worked in the mines at the Peak Mining Museum, Matlock Bath, the site of the famous Heights of Abraham, then we shall travel a few more miles on and visit Cromfords Arkwright Mills.



**Week 8: 18th - 22nd August
Go Biking!**

This is one week not to be missed, if you are a capable cyclist or just starting out with your stabilizers there is something for you. It is a week of doing with trips and cycle rides everyday of the week with visits to Graftham Water, Rutland Water, Pitsford Water, Sherwood Pines and the excellent Cannock Chase. Mums and Dads can rest assured all these venues are off road and traffic free. Children will be taught the benefits from cycling and safety is always on the top of the list, to begin the week we will be having a safety talk from the local Police road safety officer and we ask that all the children who wish to take part bring a British Standard Cycle Helmet.



**LEICESTER MONTESSORI GRAMMAR SCHOOL
Summer School Booking Form**

To ensure your child can attend the weeks of their choice, please complete and return as soon as possible

Parents Name: _____

Child's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Post Code: _____ Contact Tel. No: _____

WEEK NUMBER	DATE	NAME	(PLEASE TICK)	
			Half day	Full day
Week 1:	30th June - 4th July	Creative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 2:	7th - 11th July	Great Outdoors	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 3:	14th - 18th July	The Stage	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 4:	21st - 25th July	The Journalist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 5:	28th July - 1st August	Into the Future	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 6:	4th - 8th August	Play Sports!	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 7:	11th - 15th August	Into the Past	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 8:	18th - 22nd August	Go Biking!	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

THE COST IS £150 PER FULL WEEK, £75 PER HALF WEEK
£30 PER DAY or £15 HALF DAY
£50 DEPOSIT REQUIRED

PLEASE NOTE THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR CURRENT LMGs STUDENTS
Please return, with deposit (cheques made payable to LMS) to:
Leicester Montessori School, 58 Stonegate Road, Leicester LE2 2BN