

SUMMER SCHOOL 2024 GUIDE



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Letter from our Superintendent

The School District of Beloit is committed to providing enriching educational experiences year-round. Our district is proud to offer a comprehensive summer school program designed to support the academic growth of students while reinforcing key concepts and skills in reading, writing, and math. Whether your child needs to catch up, get ahead, or explore new interests, our summer school program has something for everyone.



Along with our high-quality curriculum, our free summer school program includes a healthy breakfast, snacks, lunch, and many interactive activities with outdoor time. Research supports that a strong summer school program can positively affect student academic achievement and provide a jump-start for the start of the school year. With our small class sizes, supports aligned to student needs, and exceptional instruction, your child(ren) will have a fun summer with successful growth and learning.

I encourage you to take advantage of this valuable opportunity for your child(ren) to continue their educational journey and make the most of their summer break. Registration information, including dates, times, and registration instructions, are included in this guide. If you have any questions or need assistance, please don't hesitate to contact our district office or your child(ren)'s school. We are here to support you every step of the way. Thank you for your continued partnership in education. Together, we can make this summer a learning growth and discovery time.

In service,

Dr. Willie E. Garrison II

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School District of Beloit Superintendent

Information at a Glance

Dates

Summer school will begin on June 25 and conclude on August 1.

- June 25 First Day of Session 1
- July 4-5 No School
- July 12
 Last Day of Session 1

- July 15 First Day of Session 2
- July 19 No School
- August 1
 Last Day of Session 2

Times

Elementary School (4K - 5): 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Middle School (6-8): 7:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

High School (9-12): 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Locations

4K - 5th grade students will attend summer school at Converse Elementary if they attend Converse, Gaston, or Hackett. Students who attend Merrill, Robinson, or Todd, will attend summer school at Todd Elementary.

6th - 12th grade students will attend summer school at the Cunningham Building.







Summer School Principals



Leah Malott Converse Elementary (608) 361-2100



Stephanie Ford Todd Elementary (608) 361-4200



Michelle Hendrix-Nora Middle School (608) 361-2200



Kristy Champion High School (608) 361-2200

Registration

Online Registration

Students and families can register for Summer School using Skyward Family Access. Families can log in to Skyward Family Access by accessing the homepage of our district or any school website.

Registration is a one-step process, with families selecting their students' classes. Register your students at the grade level they will enter during the fall of the 2024-2025 school year.

If you need assistance registering your student, visit our Central Enrollment office at the Kolak Education Center (1500 Fourth Street).

Steps to Register

- 1. Login to Skyward Family Access.
- 2. Click on Summer School Registration.
- 3. Select your child's name (this process needs to be completed for each child).
- 4. Follow the steps that take you through the registration.

Register early, space is limited. Please note that your child will be placed on a waiting list if registration is full.

If your child is eligible for transportation, you must register them by May 16 to have busing for the first day of school.



Registration

You must have a Skyward account to register for summer school online. Login and password account information is available by contacting your student's current school.



Converse (608) 361-2100



Gaston (608) 361-2300



Hackett (608) 361-2400



Merrill (608) 361-2600



Robinson (608) 361-2800



Todd (608) 361-4200



Aldrich (608) 361-3600



Fruzen (608) 361-2000



BLA (608) 361-2200



BMHS (608) 361-3000

Elementary School (4K-5th)



Sessions

Families can choose to sign up for one or two sessions. Sessions and periods will be selected during registration.

Session 1: June 25 to July 12 (no school July 4 and 5)

Session 2: July 15 to August 1 (no school on July 19)



School Hours

Elementary school students will attend summer school from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.



School Site

Students who attend Converse, Gaston, and Hackett will attend Converse Elementary for summer school.



Students who attend Merrill, Robinson, and Todd will attend Todd Elementary for summer school.



Paths and Periods



DAILY "A" Path - Summer Learning Academic Camp The "A" Path focuses on academics in literacy and math. Students will engage in standards-aligned learning that is both fun and academically focused. In addition, students, per recommendation in grades 1-3, will participate in the "I am a reader" opportunity bridge as a part of this session.



DAILY "WE" Path - Summer Learning Wellness & **Enrichment**

The "WE" Path focuses on wellness and enrichment. Students will engage in opportunities to explore hands-on. project-based learning with embedded arts educational experiences along with activities that promote physical movement and games.

Middle School (6th-8th)

Sessions

Families can choose to sign up for one or two sessions. Sessions and periods will be selected during registration.

Session 1: June 25 to July 12 (no school July 4 and 5)

Session 2: July 15 to August 1 (no school on July 19)



School Hours

Middle school students will attend summer school from 7:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.



School Site

All middle school students will attend summer school in the Cunningham Building.



Paths and Periods

The "A" Path courses are focused on academics in literacy and math. Students must register for Book Club/Book Quest (ELA) or Math is Cool (Math) as one of the course requirements.

The "WE" Path courses focus on wellness & enrichment. These courses will range from physical activities to areas of interest. Course selection will follow after registration; students/families will receive additional information.





High School (9th-12th)

Sessions

Summer School for our 9th through 12th grade students will consist of a six-week session from June 25 through August 1 (No school on July 4, 5, and 19).



School Hours

High school students will attend summer school from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

School Site

All high school students will attend summer school in the Cunningham Building.

Course Offerings

Students can register for Summer School starting April 29. Access the High School Summer Learning Course Catalog to view course offerings.

Available courses will have blended learning (in-person and hybrid) opportunities that vary depending on the course. Incoming Freshmen have the opportunity to earn Physical Education or Health credits.

Grades will be provided in certain classes when appropriate.

A summer 2024 graduation ceremony is an opportunity bridge for seniors who complete all graduation requirements identified during the 2023-24 school year.

Frequently Asked Questions

Where can I find my Skyward login and password?

Please contact your student's school.

I need help registering my student through Skyward.

Please contact our Central Enrollment Office at (608) 361-4171 or (608) 361-4023 or by email at enrollment@beloitschools.net. After Summer School starts, please contact your student's assigned Summer School site to receive support registering.

My child attends another school district, can they attend summer school in the School District of Beloit?

Please contact our Central Enrollment Office at (608) 361-4171 or (608) 361-4023 or by email at enrollment@beloitschools.net.

My student is new to the district; who should I contact?

Please contact our Central Enrollment Office at (608) 361-4171 or (608) 361-4023 or by email at enrollment@beloitschools.net.

Is there a limit to the number of students who can register for Summer School?

Yes, there is a limit. Your student will be placed on a waiting list if registration is full. We encourage you to register your student as soon as possible.

Will transportation be provided

For eligible elementary and middle school families, transportation is available at the beginning and end of each school day (corner stops). Families must be registered for Summer School by **May 16** to have busing for the first day of summer school.

If you have general transportation questions, please contact Jenny Miller at (608) 361-4007.

Please contact Durham directly at (608) 362-2628 for specific transportation questions.

Expectations

Attendance

Attendance will be taken daily. For the best possible experience for our students, we ask for consistency in their attendance. We do understand that some level of flexibility is necessary during the summer. Students participating in credit recovery courses must to have consistent attendance to meet credit/graduation requirements.

Behavior

During Summer School, school behavior protocols apply as outlined in the Family Handbook. Students are subject to disciplinary action and removal from our Summer School program for inappropriate behavior.

Programming

Our 4K-8 summer program intends to provide opportunities for students to grow in their academics and participate in enrichment activities.

Students in high school concentrate on credit recovery and academic support.

Courses will run based on staffing ability, and final schedules may change due to staffing.



Community Collaborations



Our Even Start Family Literacy Program is made possible with the collaboration between the School District of Beloit and Blackhawk Technical College. The program is located in our Cunningham Building and will provide ESL and GED classes during summer school. Contact our Program Coordinator Cindy Laube at (608) 361-2219 for more information or to register.



There are opportunities at Merrill Community Center for after-school care. Please reach out to Angelina Reyes at (608) 314-4825. Busing to the Merrill Community Center will be available for students.



There are opportunities at the Boys & Girls Club for before and after-school care. Please contact the Boys & Girls Club at (608) 365-8874. Busing to the Boys and Girls Club will be available for students.



We will partner with Welty Environmental Center to provide our students with on-site, hands-on learning experiences during the WE-Path. We will also have field trips to their center.