Summer Enrichment Camp (SECamp)

University of Southern Indiana

Tuesday May 27 2014—Friday, August 1 2014
7:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

“Where kids play to learn and learn to play.”

Summer Enrichment Camp

at a glance…

- Located at USI’s Rice Library, right along the boulevard
- Open Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
- Full-time (Monday—Friday) and part-time care available (Monday/Wednesday/Friday or Tuesday/Thursday) if space is available.
- Field trips each week to area sites of interest
- Swimming at USI’s Physical Activities Center
- Snacks provided. Children bring their own lunch
- Staff certified in first-aid and CPR
- Low camper/staff ratio
- Over 35 years of combined summer camp experience among senior staff
- Enrichment activities designed to promote educational, physical and social/emotional growth

* We cannot accommodate individual, private lessons—such as on-campus swimming—which are not affiliated with camp activities.

Children have the opportunity to form lasting friendships.

Location

The University of Southern Indiana Summer Enrichment Camp will be housed in the lower level of the Rice Library. See map below.

Outreach and Engagement

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**About the Summer Enrichment Camp**

USI’s Summer Enrichment Camp (SEC) began in 1986 to meet the summer child-care needs of University staff, faculty, and students. For almost three decades, SEC has grown to include community families who recognize the importance of high-quality summer care for their school-aged children.

**Typical Activities**
- Swimming!
- Enrichment experiences (ex. cooking, art, science, fitness, etc.)
- Field trips to a variety of local sites.
  Some past summer trips included visits to the Harmonie & Audubon State Park, Pump It Up, Wessleman Park, Franklin Lanes, Skate World, Auntie Anne’s, MEGA Gymnastics, Mesker Zoo, an Otters baseball game, Walther’s Golf & Fun, Willard Library, and the French Lick Splash Park
- Fun, educational activities for all campers!

**Our Program Philosophy**

Our objective is to offer an environment that encourages children to develop their capabilities and interests at their own pace and according to their individual needs. We offer a program which recognizes the uniqueness of each child and provides positive encouragement for the child’s continued growth.

**Our Goals for Children**

- to experience a sense of self-esteem
- to exhibit a positive attitude toward life
- to demonstrate cooperative, pro-social behavior
- to acquire problem-solving skills
- to expand logical thinking skills
- to acquire concepts and information leading to fuller understanding of the immediate world
- to develop creativity
- to expand verbal and written communication skills
- to enhance and refine motor skills

**SEC Dates & Hours**

The USI Summer Enrichment Camp begins Tuesday, May 27 and ends Friday, August 1 2014. Camp is open Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

**Enrollment & Attendance**

Children entering kindergarten—6th grade (up to age of 12) in the fall of 2014 are welcome to enroll in SEC. Priority is given to families requiring full-time, full-summer care, but part-time spaces are available (Mon/Wed/Fri or Tues/Thurs). All children are grouped according to appropriate age/grade levels. During the summer, families receive the same number of no-fee sick/vacation days as the child is enrolled each week. Details about weekly tuition fees are available by contacting Outreach and Engagement at:

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**What parents are saying...**

“A big thanks to all teachers – we wouldn’t have made it through the summer without you! It was great and you know you are doing a great job when the children can’t wait to come to camp.”

“Summer camp was awesome for all of us. [Our child] had a blast. [We] felt secure in bringing him there. Thanks for making it good for [him] – he hasn’t been to daycare or camp before, but he loved it.”

“Made his summer one big adventure.”

**What kids are saying...**

“It’s fun and we go on great FIELD TRIPS!!”

“...there is always fun activities and keeps me busy.”