



**BKPlay Academy Summer Camp for Highly Capable Students 2012 Registration Form (July - August)**  
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**OPEN TO HIGHLY CAPABLE STUDENTS! NO TESTING REQUIRED FOR THE SUMMER**

**"Many people are unaware of how much FUN students have because they are blinded by the word "gifted" and think the school is purely academic."** – from a parent survey

Does your little one remember something months ago that you don't even remember? Does your little one surprise everyone with his/her large vocabulary? Summer is the perfect time to explore if your child is gifted and if gifted programs will fit his/her needs. BKPlay Academy will keep the higher expectations but will remember it is summer time for fun. **MOST OF THE DAILY SCHEDULE AND LESSONS INCLUDING THE READING GROUP AND RESEARCH WILL BE SIMILAR TO THOSE DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR and taught by our regular lead teachers, Ms. Dana and Mr. Isaac .** Plus, summer camp students will have a chance to interact with some of our current students.

Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_/Female \_\_\_\_\_  
 Camp Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Camp Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ cell \_\_\_\_\_  
 Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact (other than parent) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Concerns (Medical/Food Allergy, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment:** Please send this form along with a check made payable to BKPlay Academy, 6236 122nd Ave. SE Bellevue WA 98006. There is a \$42 NSF charge for any returned checks.  
**Participant release of liability/Policy:** I, for myself or as a parent or guardian, on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives, and next of kin, hereby assume the entire risks and hazards incidental to the conduct of the activities. I release, absolve, and indemnify the BKPlay Academy for Gifted Children, a 501(c)3 organization, volunteers, contractors, and employees from all risk and hazards associated with the activities and in the event of injury, do expressly waive all claims and against them. I further give permission for proper emergency care to be rendered to myself or child should I not be available or able to give such permission. I understand that I am responsible to have accident and medical insurance coverage for my child. I hereby give permission for my child to participate in BKPlay activities. Class confirmation will be emailed after May 25th. Classes that do not reach the minimum enrollment by May 25th may be cancelled. Students in these classes will be emailed right after May 25th for transfer or refund. In the event that BKPlay has to cancel a class, a full refund will be made. If you need to withdraw your child, you can request for a tuition refund (minus \$50) only until June 1st. After June 1st, you can only transfer to another class if space is available. If a student is requested to withdraw due to behavior problems after a warning, no tuition refund will be made.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Camp hours 8:30 am – 2:30 pm Monday-Friday (School Age) or 8:30 am to 12:30 pm or 1 to 5 pm (Preschool)	Age level	Tuition
	Topics		
Week 1 (July 9-13)	I Love Birds and Gardening	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 2 (July 16-20)	Around the World in Five Days (Cooking and Gardening)	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 3 (July 23-27)	Scientific Treats and Mushrooms	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 4 (July 30-August 3)	Intergalactic Travel	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 5 (August 6-10)	What do you know about Food Science?	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 6 (August 13-17)	Life in Medieval Times	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 7 (August 20-24)	Ants Everywhere!	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00
Week 8 (August 27-31)	Best of Summer	Age 3-5 or 1 <sup>st</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$355.00

**I Love Birds and Gardening!** Bird feeders are a great way to attract avian friends. Students will make these feeders with pine cones filled with peanut butter and bird seed. Students will also make humming bird feeders out of plastic bottles and plastic trays and make bird baths, which are great ways to attract birds to our yards and see them having a great time. In Gardening, students will be able to measure the progress of the plants that grow at the school and be eating many of the early garden foods such as lettuce and Asian greens.

**Life in Medieval Times-** Journey with us back to the Middle Ages! Students will learn to write with medieval ink and quills to write the stories of their adventures. We will also build a castle (with or without personal dragon guard), create some costumes of old, and attend a joust. We will end our tour with a royal feast, fit for the king and queen!

**Intergalactic Travel-** Blast off into a summer space adventure! Join us as we design space exploration crafts and habitats, and learn about other planets. What is it like on the moon? You might just find out! During this camp, we will also make star viewers, learn about constellations, and make realistic models of planets.

**Around the World in Five Days (International Cooking):** Explorers unite! In this session, we will embark on a culinary adventure, circling the globe to discover delicious dishes. Every class is enveloped in scrumptious delights, some sweet, and some savory. From English tea, to sushi, to French crepes, by the end of the journey, your child will be crazy about cooking! Students will also study the plant family of legumes, fabacea, and learn how legumes are important to the world in making proteins.

**Scientific Treats and Mushrooms:** Taste buds will explode with the wild world of science! Your child will discover the wonders of cooking, while filling their tummies with amazing treats and feats of chemistry. We will explore the science behind the flavors and qualities of the food we eat daily. This session will investigate chemical reactions, create edible compounds, and see nature in action! This week is also an excellent time to learn about mushrooms and collect them for a mushroom collection.

**What do you know about Food Science?:** Students will do some chemistry experiments on foods to see what ingredients they have in them, such as starches, fats, and sugars. This week's focus is on nutrition in the class. Spanish classes will focus on words that concern nutrition, such as diets, calories, and fresh. In the garden students will be picking beans and peppers and study how to cook the beans and peppers and popular dishes from around the world that use them.

**Ants Everywhere!** Ant farms are easy to make and show children the hidden aspects of an ant colony. Students will construct ant farms and watch how the ants make their own little cities. In Spanish Students will learn the vocabulary for the different parts of cities and colonies, such as trails, roads, kings and queens.

In the garden students will spend time planting our seeds for the fall garden in pots to take home and plant in flower beds for food in fall. We will discuss what foods we can grow in fall and what it takes to grow when the weather gets colder later in the year.

**Best of Summer:** This week we will review our science activities for the summer and revisit all of our learning experiences for the season. We will pull together our science journals from the summer and make a nice book to take home. **(8 week students)** In Spanish class we will also review our new Spanish vocabulary for the year and practice writing these words and sentences in a Spanish book. In the garden we will also be reviewing the garden calendar and looking into how much work it has taken to plan our garden. With our new garden experience kids can work on planning their own gardens for the home next year! We will also be finalizing our garden journals for the year with a nice decorative cover. We will also mix and match the favorite activities of students in the summer!