

# Middleburgh Jr. Sr. High School 2022 Summer Enrichment Catalog



Middleburgh Jr. Sr. High School is happy to provide several summer enrichment activities throughout the months of summer vacation. These activities are intended to provide educational opportunities and fun experiences for our students. A sign up form will be sent out shortly to enroll in the activities. Please note space is limited for some of the offerings so please complete the form as soon as it is available.

*All activities are free of charge, but might require self transport.*

-The Faculty and Staff of Middleburgh Jr. Sr. High School

We hope everyone has a fun and safe summer!

# Summer Catalog

## **Schoharie River Center (SRC) Summer Program**

Location: Schoharie River Center, Inc, 2025 Burtonville Rd, Esperance NY, 12066  
(District Provided Transportation)

Open to: entering 7th - 9th graders.

The SRC and the school is offering the program to interested Middleburgh Jr/Sr High School students who want to get outdoors, have fun, make a difference and improve their local environment, and learn new skills, in environmental science, traditional arts (blacksmithing, timber frame construction) , Archeology, and filmmaking /digital media.

20 Middleburgh students will be transported to and from the Jr. Senior High School to the Schoharie River Center daily. In the morning, students may utilize district summer school regional transportation, however parents will need to pick up students at the high school between 3:30 and 4:00pm.

The program runs four sessions (weeks).

Week1: July 11-15

Week 2: July 18-22

Week 3: July 25-29

Week 4: Aug 1-5

Parents can sign up for multiple weeks (up to 4).

We cannot split weeks or offer drop-in services.

## **Mountains & Museums (Students grades 9-12)**

June 27, 2022 - June 30, 2022

Limited to 12 students per day. Students need to register for each day separately. Times vary (District Provided Transportation to the activities, pick up and drop off by parents / guardians at the Jr. Sr. High School)

- **Monday June 27 - Hike the Catskill Mountains with experienced hikers.**  
Enjoy all the mountains have to offer. Learn about the living environment and have fun.
  - Diamond Notch Falls via Diamond notch road
  - 4.0 miles out and back (2.5hr plus 45min for lunch)
  - Hiking level: Moderate / Hard
  - Equipment needed: Proper hiking clothing, backpack, hiking boots or sturdy sneakers, water, snacks and lunch
  
- **Tuesday June 28 - Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York City**  
Students will leave at 8am from the Jr. Sr. High School and return at 6pm. Students will experience one of the world's greatest art museums, participate in a scavenger hunt and learn about the history of the museum and its collections.
  
- **Wednesday June 29 - Hike the Catskill Mountains**
  - Slide Mountain
  - 5.3 miles out and back (3hrs plus 45 min for lunch)
  - Hiking Level: Moderate / Hard
  - Equipment needed: Proper hiking clothing, backpack, hiking boots or sturdy sneakers, water, snacks and lunch
  
- **Thursday June 30 - MASS MoCA (Massachusetts Museum of Contemporary Art)** MASS MoCA is one of the world's liveliest centers for making and enjoying today's most evocative art. With vast galleries and a stunning collection of indoor and outdoor venues, MASS MoCA is able to embrace all forms of art. Students will be transformed and experience an emotional journey.

## **Farm to Fork - An Agricultural and Culinary Exploration**

Tuesdays and Thursdays 9am to 12pm

Weeks of June 27th, July 4th, July 19th, and August 1th

8:30 - 11:30am (District Provided Transportation)

The public has shown a growing concern for food system issues. Recognizing these connections can empower young people to become not only informed consumers, but also food citizens who can engage in many facets of the food system, from growing their own food to advocating for policies.

Students will explore relationships among food, health, society and the environment, identify the roles of farmers, conservationists and the roles of workers at every level. Students will explore the role climate change has on the environment. Discover core principles of sustainable agriculture and looking at ways to identify food processing techniques.

In addition, students will be gathering, preparing, cooking and eating food throughout the program.

Detailed Description: [Farm to Fork Curriculum](#)

## **Summer Fitness Program**

July 6 - August 11 Monday - Thursday 9am - 1pm. (District Provided Transportation)

The program will be for students entering grades 7-12 in the Fall of 2022. We will focus on functional strength, cardiovascular fitness, and overall personal fitness. Coach Johns and Coach Akin will work with students to develop an individualized program to meet individual needs and goals.

### **Summer Modern Band**

Tuesday July 19th - Friday July 22nd

Students in grades 7 -12 who are interested in joining a summer band experience are welcome to join Mr. April and Mrs. Tomic in learning modern music and performing Friday July 22nd for the community in front of the school. All levels of musicians are welcome to join.

*Prior experience singing or playing an instrument is encouraged*

### **Sports and Gaming**

July 18 - July 22nd

8:30am - 2:00pm

(Transportation will be provided to the school, however student need to be picked up at 2pm - lunch will be provided by the Joshua Project)

Mr. Peirce and Mr. Kellish will be running a basketball and gaming camp. Students will have an opportunity to build on their individual team work, social and emotional and problem solving skills.

Students will be utilizing the gaming room from 8:30 - 11:00, Lunch from 11:00 - 12:00 and then have the opportunity to play basketball and other activities from 12:00 - 2:00pm.

### **Creative Writing Summer Exploration**

Every Tuesday and Thursday from June 28 - July 26

8:30 - 11am ( District Provided Transportation)

Learn the process and practice of genuine creative writing. Students will explore techniques and skills to enhance their writing, create story lines and develop characters. This exploration will be taught by Ms. Akin's who in addition to being a health teacher, P.E. teacher and coach, she is an accomplished writer who wants to share her knowledge and experience with students over the summer.

**Incoming 7th Grade Summer Enrichment for Students with Special Needs**  
August 22 - 24 8:00am - 11:00am (Parent transportation)

This three day enrichment program will prepare students for the start of the 2022-2023 school year. Students will work with Mrs. Narzyski and Mrs. Hunter to get ready for the start of school. This will include, setting up a locker, walking through the schedule, building tours, what to expect on the first day and organizing materials for a successful start.