

# REC & ED 2019

## SUMMER CAMP

# PREVIEW

Presentation to the AAPS Board of Education  
May 15, 2019

Exceptional<sup>!</sup>  
ANN ARBOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
*Lead. Care. Inspire.*



# TONIGHT'S PRESENTATION

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- Camp program overview
- Purpose & highlights
  - Enhance well-being
  - Engage for growth
  - Build community
- Register!



# 2019 CAMP OVERVIEW

## By the numbers

**237** Camp sessions

**4** Weeks of Safety Town

**24** Typical camp size

**4089** Registrations as  
of 5/15/19



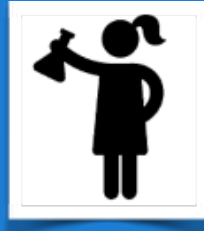
# SUMMER CAMP PURPOSE

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## Enhance Well-Being

Keep kids physically active and practicing social-emotional skills



## Engage for Growth

Provide hands-on STEAM and other experiences that complement the AAPS K-12 curriculum



## Build Community

Provide welcoming environments for youth to make friends and be themselves



# ENHANCE WELL-BEING

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- Inclusive multi-sport camps encourage physical activity with focus on sportsmanship
- Morning Meetings and positive language based on *Responsive Classroom* SEL framework
- Camp layout, furniture and supplies provide comfort and safety
- Custom-built curricula for teamwork, initiative, problem solving, and fun



# ENHANCE WELL-BEING

## Safety Town Program

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- Over 700 rising Young 5s, Kinders and first graders
- Experiential safety lessons, including bike, road, fire, gun, and dog safety
- Partnership with police, fire, ambulance, and DTE
- Alumni remember lessons!





# ENGAGE FOR GROWTH

## Academic and Enrichment Camps

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**Art, Dance  
Drama**



**Culinary**



**Reading and  
Writing**



**Environment  
Nature**



# ENGAGE FOR GROWTH

## Science and STEAM Camps



**Little Vet School  
Little Medical School**



**Vex Battle Bots**



**Nutty STEAM  
Exploration**





# BUILD COMMUNITY

## In Rec & Ed Camps

- Daily framework for connecting and reflecting
- Camp Kindness Day and other special events
- Scholarship program - over 400 full and half day scholarships, or about 1 in 10 campers



2018 Camp Kindness Day



# BUILD COMMUNITY

## High School Volunteer Program

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- 8th year!
- 130 volunteers for 2019
- Volunteers get to know and support campers, serve as positive role models
- Training includes child safety and social-emotional support

# NEW CAMPS

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**Biz Kids**

Chinese Culture Camp

**Space Art**

**Brain Games**

**Camp Invention: Supercharged**

**Launch into Literacy**

**Avengers**

**Global Cooking** Natural Wonder Art

**Adventure Camp**

**Dancing through Disney**

My Little Pony

**Nutty Science, Space, and Star Wars**

Fairies and Wizards Art

**Baking Around the World**

# REGISTER NOW!

## ONLINE

[aarecedcamps.com](http://aarecedcamps.com)

## IN PERSON

1515 S. 7th Street  
Behind Pioneer HS

HOME ABOUT CAMPS BY WEEK CAMP PROGRAMS INFO

**WELCOME CAMPERS**

**SUMMER CAMP**

At Rec & Ed camps, young people form friendships, explore, and learn together

June 17 - August 30, 2019

34 16 43 22  
Days Hours Mins Secs

Get all your information and register directly from Rec & Ed's summer camp website: [aarecedcamps.com](http://aarecedcamps.com)