



Week 2: Red, White, & Camp Week
July 5 - July 8, 2016



Garden School Summer Camp!

Dear Camp Families,

The second week was wonderful as routines are established and friendships deepened. Registration forms can be [found online here](#) or picked up at our Main Office. Our camp dates are from June 27th- August 19th!



Please contact me at campdirector@gardenschool.org with any questions. Thank you for choosing Garden for your children's summer!

What's Going On?



Rockets Launch at Garden!

Last week, our campers in the 7, 8, 9 and 10-13 groups had a special assembly with three members of Civilian Air Patrol (C.A.P.).

Although you may not have heard of the organization, but you likely know what they do. The C.A.P. are an auxiliary unit of the U.S. Air Force. C.A.P. includes engineers, military personnel, and other professionals. They are first line of defense in a boating crisis (first to conduct search & rescues and/or recovery) and natural disasters, and they research and further Aerospace Education.

1st Lt. Burt Dicht, Capt. Barry Schwartz, and 2nd Lt. Kendall Ramkhalwan joined us last week to discuss diversity in the engineering field and to show campers specifically how rockets are made. Lieutenant Dicht is an expert having worked at NASA and as an engineer



Welcome to Summer!

Upcoming Events



Week 3

**Super Heroes,
 Super Fun!**

July 11

Back by popular demand!

Academics is back for weeks 3 & 4 with Mrs. Quinones! Sign up ASAP!

July 15

Magic Show at 10:00 am in the gym!

Our Cool Pool!

All campers from the Junior 3 & 4 through the 10-13 Group have access to our pool! *Please make sure Aquatic Consent forms are signed in order to cool off at our pool!



for Space Shuttles. Our guests showed our aspiring engineers how rockets operate and how a rocket's thrust capacity is created. Everyone had a chance to create a rocket and send it into "orbit"!

At Garden, science & technology learning are a vital part of the future. Our camp focus on S.T.E.A.M. reflects our Science/Math/Computer Science departments as we dedicate ourselves to serving our digital natives!



Loving to Read in the Junior 3 & 4 Group!

The Junior 3 & 4 group is having a great time at camp! For many of our young campers, camp is the first step into school life. Our counselors are not only responsible for the campers' summer fun, but also for getting them ready for school in the fall! Our Head Counselors are teachers in the Early Childhood Department at Garden School. Books really come alive as they read and often perform along with the book!

The Junior 3 and 4 group has done themed table work, read many books, and are learning school readiness skills! They are also enjoying the pool, the sprinklers, and arts & crafts!



F.A.S.T. News!

Next week in F.A.S.T...

Fine Arts

After their Shakespearian triumph, things get lighter as campers develop scenes based on favorite cartoon characters!

Academics

Campers will fine tune and advance their creative writing and math problem solving skills!

Sports

Sports now turns to BASKETBALL! All our campers are excited to improve their skills with drills and practice games

Technology

Ozobots continues as campers use their new skills to complete their coding. Learn more at <http://ozobot.com/>



About Garden School

Garden School is a fully-accredited independent school offering an excellent Nursery-Grade 12 education. We believe that an exceptional education is a right, not a privilege. We provide an excellent academic choice that offers a realistic option for families in the New York metropolitan area. Talk to us about our unique approach and the value we provide for both students and parents.

*** Small classes * Families as Partners
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Open Houses and tours are held every Wednesday at 9 AM, no RSVP is necessary and children welcome!

Email info@gardenschool.org for information or visit the Front Desk.