



SOME FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT SUMMERFEST 2010

What is SummerFest 2010? SummerFest 2010 is a fee-based summer enrichment program open to all community students who will be entering grades 4 - 10 in the 2010-2011 school year. Classes will be taught by experienced elementary, middle, and high school district employees, as well as some guest teachers from the surrounding community colleges and universities.

When is SummerFest 2010? SummerFest 2010 will be offered in three 2-week sessions of morning and afternoon classes from June 28 - August 6. Each session will consist of a morning block (9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.) and an afternoon block (1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.) Each block, whether morning or afternoon, will consist of two classes, although there may be some variation for certain kinds of classes.

Session 1	June 28 - July 9
Session 2	July 12 - July 23
Session 3	July 26 - August 6

Where will SummerFest 2010 classes take place? SummerFest 2010 classes will be located at each of our six comprehensive school sites:

Edison HS	21400 Magnolia, Huntington Beach
Fountain Valley HS	17816 Bushard, Fountain Valley
Huntington Beach HS	1905 Main St., Huntington Beach
Marina HS	15871 Springdale, Huntington Beach
Ocean View HS	17071 Gothard, Huntington Beach
Westminster HS	14325 Goldenwest, Westminster

What is the cost? The fee for participating in SummerFest 2010 is \$200 per student per two-week session, for either a morning or afternoon block. Parents are welcome to register their student(s) in all or selected sessions for either a morning or afternoon block, or both. The SummerFest fee structure has been developed to both take into consideration parents who are registering more than one student and/or parents who register for either multiple sessions or for more than one morning or afternoon block per session. There is a \$50 discount for every two blocks registered. In other words, the more blocks for which you register a student or students, the greater the discount!

What if I need to drop my student off before 9:00 a.m.? An extended morning hour option from 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. will be available for an additional fee of \$40 per 2-week session.

Will SummerFest 2010 provide a breakfast or lunch program? There will be a lunch break from 12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. for students who have registered for both morning and afternoon classes within a two-week session. Students are encouraged to bring their own lunch, but there will be some items available for purchase at each site. In addition, students are permitted to bring a snack since there will be a 10-minute break between classes in each of the morning or afternoon blocks.

What kind of classes will be offered during SummerFest? We are excited to offer a wide variety of fun, hands-on, and creative experiences in both academic and non-academic areas, including activities in reading, writing, and math skill reinforcement, visual and performing arts, culinary arts, science, technology, multi-media and digital arts, arts and crafts, as well as movement and physical fitness.

Will any of the SummerFest 2010 classes meet high school graduation requirements?

SummerFest 2010 classes are intended to be enrichment classes only and students will not be able to earn credits through the SummerFest program. Classes are non-graded and will not meet Health graduation requirements or serve as prerequisites for classes that are normally offered during the school year.

Will the schedule be the same for all students, no matter what grade level? Great effort has been made to ensure that we have a teaching staff that reflects experience across all grade levels. Staff will work with their site administrators to provide course offerings that are age and grade-level appropriate. There will be distinctions and differences in the program offered to younger students (i.e. grades 4-5), taking into consideration not only the location of classes on campus, but also the need for more self-contained classroom experiences, greater supervision, and fewer unstructured breaks.

How do you register for SummerFest 2010? Registration begins April 26, 2010 and is first-come, first-served for the first 500 students per SummerFest school site. Parents may register students and pay for classes online, by mail, or through walk-in registration. There will be a late fee for registration that occurs after May 14th. More information regarding the registration process will be available through the HBUHSD web site as we get closer to the registration date.

How do I know what classes are available? When you register your student(s) for SummerFest 2010 online, you will be able to view available classes at each of the SummerFest school sites using a drop-down menu for each site, choosing the sessions and classes in which you are interested as you go. While they won't be available until April 26th, you will also be able to view and/or download a SummerFest 2010 brochure from the HBUHSD SummerFest 2010 web site, and brochures will also be available beginning April 26th at each of the SummerFest school sites, your students' current school sites, and the Huntington Beach Union High School District Office.

Will there be a refund of registration fees if my student does not attend SummerFest after signing up to do so? Students will not be registered for SummerFest and cannot attend classes until their fees have been paid. It is very important that you are sure about registering your student(s) for SummerFest, since registration fees will **NOT** be refunded if students end up not attending the SummerFest program after having registered, or if students end up attending only part of a session.