

2019 Summer in the Arts Information

Summer in the Arts Contact (SIA) Information:

Heritage High School
520 Evergreen Mill Road, SE
Leesburg, VA 20175

Phone:

Email: SIA@lcps.org

SIA office: Room 509

SIA Days/Hours for Instruction

6/17/2019 – 6/26/2019 → 9am-2pm

6/27/2019 → **9am-12:00pm** Arts Explosion (Displays and performances by various groups students)

Admin Office Hours

6/14/2019 – 6/27/2019 → 8:45am-2:45pm

Cost for the program:

\$425 for 1 child and \$800 for 2 children

Payment must be received by May 17th. Payment may be made on-line through the LCPS website.

Request for withdrawal from the program must be received by May 31st, 2019. A \$25 processing fee will be charged.

Student Expectations:

Students are expected to follow the rules outlined in the Loudoun County Public Schools Student Rights and Responsibilities booklet. You can find this booklet on the LCPS website under the student tab.

Dress Code:

In accordance with policy §8270, students must wear clothing that is appropriate to a K-12 educational environment and that does not or is not likely to cause a substantial disruption. Students are responsible for complying with the division dress code during school hours and school sponsored activities.

(Refer to page 12 in the Student Rights and Responsibilities Handbook).

The 411 About SIA

- ✚ Students will report to the auditorium daily.
- ✚ SIA will have a school nurse (please drop off all medicine in the school's health office).
- ✚ Students will attend the same four classes every day.
- ✚ Each block is 63 minutes long.
- ✚ There are two thirty-minute snack times for students.
- ✚ Students can pack a snack/lunch or they purchase food at the concession stand.
- ✚ Due to our large enrollment, classes are at their maximum capacity. Therefore, we will not be changing any schedules.
- ✚ Students should bring their schedule with them on the first day; however, we will have copies of your child's schedule on hand just in case he/she forgets to bring a copy. The schedule was within your email confirmation for the SIA program.

- ✚ Maps will be available on the first day. In addition, we will have many interns and staff members in the halls to help your child transition between classes.

First Day of Summer in the Arts – Monday, June 17, 2019

Students will report to the auditorium upon arrival on the first day. We will have the Block A course titles arranged alphabetically on signs in seating sections throughout the auditorium. Your child's Block A teacher will meet your child at this spot and then escort them to the classroom. During all class changes staff and interns will be in the hallways to assist students with locating their classes, so please feel free to ask us for help.

Morning Arrival and Afternoon Dismissal

Please do not use the bus loop as a drop off or pick up area. Staff will be in the parking lot with signs to help facilitate drop off and pick up. We greatly appreciate your cooperation.

Absences, Tardies and Early Dismissals:

If students are **tardy** to Summer in the Arts, they should report to **509** to check in with the administrative team. **Early dismissals** require a note or email from the parent/guardian. Emails should be sent to SIA@lcps.org and notes can be delivered to room **509**. Parents are to meet their child at the desk in the main lobby of Heritage at the time of the early dismissal and sign their child out. One of our SIA staff members will be there to assist you.

Absences should be reported to SIA@lcps.org by 9:30 AM.

Medication:

If a student needs to take medication during the school day, it should be dropped off the morning of the first day of Summer in the Arts to the clinic. The nurse will distribute the medication to the student at the time noted during the day. Please remember to pick up any medications on the last day of Summer in the Arts (June 27, 2019). Any medications not picked up will be properly disposed.

Transportation:

Your child can be transported to Heritage High School by you or use our regional bus service. The bus pick up schedule will be posted on the website in early June. We do not publish return times for safety reasons. You can assume the students will leave Heritage between 2:05 – 2:10 PM to begin their journey home.

*** Please note, buses will NOT be running on Thursday, June 27th, 2019, so students will need to arrive to the program and go home with their parents.**

! Arts Explosion ! –Thursday, June 27, 2019, from 9am-12:00pm

The Arts Explosion is the culmination of the students' hard work and during this event, students show off their talents! Family and friends are invited to come and see the fruits of their students' labor. We will have a Gallery Walk, which displays students' work and you will have an opportunity to visit several classrooms, as well as see performances by some of our students and teachers in the auditorium. The approximate schedule for the day of the Arts Explosion is as follows:

9am – 11:00am → Visit the Gallery Walk and classrooms

11:10am – 12:00pm → Performances in Auditorium

