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**AT CHICO STATE** 



**Summer 2022** | Camp Schedule | rce.csuchico.edu/wildcat-discovery-camp



Welcome! Wildcat Discovery Camp, a brand-new youth camp at Chico State, is for kids 8-14 years old and is all about discovering and exploring. We offer an exciting opportunity to tailor your child's camp experience around FUN learning and their camp schedule around your schedule.

### How are we different from other summer programs?

Wildcat Discovery Camp allows you to pick from a schedule of awesome Monday–Thursday classes across five, oneand two-week sessions during the summer. Kids can discover and explore new topics for a few hours a day, half days, full days, or any combo that works for you. Classes are designed for fun and discovery, with no tests or grades. Before- and after-care are available to take the pressure off busy adults' schedules.

### Who will be teaching the classes?

We are putting together an awesome team of people who love kids and have a passion for teaching and learning. Many of our instructors will be from Chico State liberal studies credential and graduate programs and are preparing for a career in education. In addition, our camp aides will be the friendly, familiar faces your kids will connect with every day. All camp staff will be vetted, pass background checks, and be fully qualified to work with minors. We are planning for a 9:1 child-to-adult ratio during camp sessions, with a maximum of 18 campers per class.

#### What COVID safety protocols will be in place?

We are still working through what our, and the University's, COVID protocols and requirements will be during the summer. The University follows Butte County Public Health Guidelines and is working diligently to keep all campus students, employees, and visitors healthy. We do not anticipate that vaccines will be required but will keep our website updated with the most current information and policies as we get closer to summer.

#### Are there discounts or financial assistance available?

There are no sibling discounts or scholarships available for the 2022 camp season.

#### Are special accommodations available for campers?

We are happy to work with you on accommodations, from medications to accessibility to special needs. During the registration process you will be able to provide information about your camper's needs and staff will follow up with you to discuss and coordinate. You can also email us at <a href="mailto:rce@csuchico.edu">rce@csuchico.edu</a> with questions or information about your situation before you submit a registration.

# Summer 2022 Schedule: Ages 8-11

| <b>Session 1: M-Th, June 13–16</b> 7:30–8:45AM Before Care \$39                         |                                                      |                |   |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---|--|
| 7:30-8:45 <sub>AM</sub>                                                                 |                                                      | \$39           | 0 |  |
| 9:00am-Noon                                                                             | Crazy Cool Chemistry<br>Spanish Basics               | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| Noon-12:45PM                                                                            | Lunch                                                | \$5            | 0 |  |
| 1:00-4:00рм                                                                             | Girls in STEAM (combined 8-14)<br>Wonders of Weather | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                                                                             | After Care                                           | \$39           | 0 |  |
| Session 2: M-                                                                           | Th, June 20-23 & 27-30                               |                |   |  |
| 7:30-8:45AM                                                                             | Before Care                                          | \$69           | 0 |  |
| 9:00-10:25AM                                                                            | Forensics<br>Video Game Design                       | \$179<br>\$189 | 0 |  |
| 10:35ам-Noon                                                                            | Creative Writing<br>Video Game Design                | \$179<br>\$189 | 0 |  |
| Noon-12:45pm                                                                            | Lunch                                                | \$10           | 0 |  |
| 1:00-2:25рм                                                                             | The MD is Me<br>Dance Introduction                   | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| 2:35-4:00рм                                                                             | Coding Basics                                        | \$189          | 0 |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                                                                             | After Care                                           | \$69           | 0 |  |
| Session 3: M-                                                                           | Th. July 11_1/                                       |                |   |  |
| 7:30-8:45AM                                                                             | Before Care                                          | \$39           | 0 |  |
| 9:00am-Noon                                                                             | Cartooning & Anime<br>Rockets                        | \$189<br>\$189 | 0 |  |
| Noon-12:45pm                                                                            | Lunch                                                | \$5            | 0 |  |
| 1:00-4:00рм                                                                             | Coding Advanced                                      | \$189          | 0 |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                                                                             | After Care                                           | \$39           | 0 |  |
|                                                                                         |                                                      |                |   |  |
| <b>Session 4: M-Th, July 18–21 &amp; 25–28</b> 7:30–8:45 <sub>AM</sub> Before Care \$69 |                                                      |                |   |  |
| 9-10:25AM                                                                               | Wonders of Weather<br>Acting: Improv                 | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| 10:35 <sub>АМ</sub> -Noon                                                               | Checkmate Chess<br>Girls in STEAM                    | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| Noon-12:45pm                                                                            | Lunch                                                | \$10           | 0 |  |
| 110011 12.43111                                                                         | American Sign Language                               | \$179          |   |  |
| 1:00-2:25рм                                                                             | Graphic Design                                       | \$189          | 0 |  |
| 2:35-4:00рм                                                                             | Sewing, Knitting, & Crochet<br>Entrepreneurship      | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                                                                             | After Care                                           | \$69           | 0 |  |
| Session 5: M-Th, August 1-4                                                             |                                                      |                |   |  |
| 7:30-8:45am                                                                             | Before Care                                          | \$39           | 0 |  |
| 9:00am-Noon                                                                             | Coding Basics<br>Forensics                           | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| Noon-12:45pm                                                                            | Lunch                                                | \$5            | 0 |  |
| 1:00-4:00рм                                                                             | The Art of Art<br>Inventor's Prototype               | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |
| 4:00-5:30pm                                                                             | After Care                                           | \$39           | 0 |  |
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# Camp Registration is Open

- Please complete a separate registration form for each child.
  - Choose one class option per time slot.
- You can register for one class, a full day of classes, or anything in between. It's à la carte!
  - There's a max of 18 seats per class.
  - Sorry, but we can't hold space to guarantee kids get the same classes as their friends.
  - Classes with low enrollments may be cancelled 10 days before the class begins so we encourage you to register early.
  - Registration forms submitted without payment will not be saved.
  - Adds, drops, and swaps must be requested using the instructions provided in your emailed registration confirmation.
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# Summer 2022 Schedule: Ages 11-14

| Session 1: M-T                      | h, June 13-16                                    |                |   |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|----------------|---|--|--|
| 0.00                                |                                                  |                |   |  |  |
| 9:00am-Noon                         | No Classes                                       |                |   |  |  |
| Noon-12:45 <sub>PM</sub>            | Lunch                                            | \$5            | 0 |  |  |
| 1:00-4:00рм                         | Spanish Basics<br>Girls in STEAM (combined 8-14) | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                         | After Care                                       | \$39           | 0 |  |  |
| Session 2: M-Th, June 20-23 & 27-30 |                                                  |                |   |  |  |
| 7:30-8:45ам                         | Before Care                                      | \$69           | 0 |  |  |
| 9:00-10:25AM                        | Checkmate Chess<br>Creative Writing              | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| 10:35ам-Noon                        | Photography: Camera or Phone Dance Introduction  | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| Noon-12:45рм                        | Lunch                                            | \$10           | 0 |  |  |
| 1:00-2:25рм                         | Acting: Improv<br>Video Game Design              | \$179<br>\$189 | 0 |  |  |
| 2:35-4:00рм                         | Screenwriting                                    | \$179          | 0 |  |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                         | After Care                                       | \$69           | 0 |  |  |
| Session 3: M-Th, July 11–14         |                                                  |                |   |  |  |
| 7:30-8:45ам                         | Before Care                                      | \$39           | 0 |  |  |
| 9:00am-Noon                         | Forensics<br>Graphic Design                      | \$179<br>\$189 | 0 |  |  |
| Noon-12:45 <sub>PM</sub>            | Lunch                                            | \$5            | 0 |  |  |
| 1:00-4:00рм                         | Cartooning & Anime<br>Rockets                    | \$189<br>\$189 | 0 |  |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                         | After Care                                       | \$39           | 0 |  |  |
| Session 4: M-Th, July 18-21 & 25-28 |                                                  |                |   |  |  |
| 7:30-8:45ам                         | Before Care                                      | \$69           | 0 |  |  |
| 9:00-10:25ам                        | Photoshop<br>Inventor's Prototype                | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| 10:35ам-Noon                        | Graphic Design<br>The MD is Me                   | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| Noon-12:45рм                        | Lunch                                            | \$10           | 0 |  |  |
| 1:00-2:25рм                         | Entrepreneurship<br>Wonders of Weather           | \$179<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| 2:35-4:00рм                         | Coding Basics<br>American Sign Language          | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                         | After Care                                       | \$69           | 0 |  |  |
| Session 5: M-1                      | Γh, August 1-4                                   |                |   |  |  |
| 7:30-8:45ам                         | Before Care                                      | \$39           | 0 |  |  |
| 9:00am-Noon                         | The Art of Art Financial Literacy & Investing    | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| Noon-12:45рм                        | Lunch                                            | \$5            | 0 |  |  |
| 1:00-4:00рм                         | Coding Advanced<br>Girls in STEAM                | \$189<br>\$179 | 0 |  |  |
| 4:00-5:30рм                         | After Care                                       | \$39           | 0 |  |  |



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# **Summer 2022 Classes by Category**

| BUSINESS SUCCESS               | Graphic Design               | Forensics                |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Entrepreneurship               | Photo Magic                  | The MD is Me             |
| Financial Literacy & Investing | Photography: Camera or Phone | Rockets                  |
| Inventor's Prototype           | Screenwriting                | Wonders of Weather       |
| CREATIVE ENDEAVORS             | Sewing, Knitting & Crochet   | STRATEGY & GAMES         |
| Acting: Improv                 | LANGUAGE LEARNERS            | Checkmate Chess          |
| The Art of Art                 | American Sign Language       | TECHNOLOGY EXPLORATIONS  |
| Cartooning & Anime             | Spanish Basics               | Coding Basics & Advanced |
| Creative Writing               | SCIENCE DISCOVERIES          | Girls in STEAM           |
| Dance Introduction             | Crazy Cool Chemistry         | Video Game Design        |

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# **Class Details & Descriptions**

# **Acting: Improv**

Calling all actors! Immerse yourself in the fun and exciting world of improvisational acting. This camp offers activities and games designed to help your budding star improve their active listening skills, think quicker on their feet, and unlock their creative voice. \$179

Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 9:00-10:25AM Ages 11-14: June 20-30 • 1:00-2:25PM

# **American Sign Language**

One of the most communicated languages in the world, American Sign Language (ASL), will be explored and taught during this two-week long camp. Campers will learn the basics of communicating in ASL and how to use hands and facial expressions. Come learn all about the culture, the alphabet, and hundreds of signs that will begin your journey in talking through sign. \$179

> Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 1:00-2:35PM Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 2:35-4:00PM

#### The Art of Art

There are so many fun and creative ways of being an artist, so let's try as many as we can. From watercolor to sketch to caricature, we are going to find which form of art is your favorite and get you feeling like an artist! \$189

Ages 8-11: August 1-4 • 1:00-4:00PM Ages 11-14: August 1-4 • 9:00AM-Noon

## **Cartooning & Anime**

Once just a newspaper and comic visual art, cartooning and anime have come a long way in terms of artwork and storylines. Come learn how to draw cartoons and anime and create a story that makes an amazing comic or clip. \$189

Ages 8-11: July 11-14 • 9:00-Noon Ages 11-14: July 11-14 • 1:00-4:00pm

#### **Checkmate Chess**

From beginner to advanced, our Checkmate Chess camp is the perfect way to introduce the game of chess to new students and offers extensive instruction for aspiring chess masters. Kids will learn lessons and drills that emphasize different strategies like opening moves, zugzwang, pins and skewers. Come learn with us this summer! \$179

Ages 8–11: July 18–28 • 10:35AM–Noon Ages 11–14: June 20–30 • 9:00–10:25AM

#### **Coding Advanced**

Got the basics of coding down? Let us help your junior coder take their learning to a new level in this advanced coding camp. With expert instruction, campers will create a project using what they have learned. Whether you want to develop an app, build a video game, or program a robot, this is the place to learn. \$189

Ages 8-11: July 11-14 • 1:00-4:00PM Ages 11-14: August 1-4 • 1:00-4:00PM

# **Coding Basics**

Algorithms, bugs, char...learn the basics of coding! Junior coders will be taught the basics of computer programming and coding. In a world driven by technology, coding is the foundation to all software, games, robotics, and apps we use. In this beginner class, kids will get introduced to the various languages and begin the process of putting code together to begin creating their own app or game. \$189

Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 2:35-4:00PM Ages 8-11: August 1-4 • 9:00AM-Noon Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 2:35PM-4:00PM

# **Crazy Cool Chemistry**

Junior chemists will have fun exploring at-home chemistry through hands-on experiments, projects, and discussions. Campers will also be taught lab safety while communicating fundamental science concepts and developing reasoning skills. Perfect for the curious minded! \$179

Ages 8-11: June 13-16 • 9:00am-Noon

# **Creative Writing**

Everyone has a writer within. Through fun-filled activities, our creative writing class will help your child build confidence, express themselves through writing, and learn literacy skills. \$179

Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 10:35AM-Noon Ages 11-14: June 20-30 • 9:00-10:25AM

#### **Dance Introduction**

Has your child always wanted to take a dance class? This is a perfect chance for beginner dancers to explore their dancing skills and learn about the many types of dance through activities and performance. \$179

> Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 1:00-2:25pm Ages 11-14: June 20-30 • 10:35am-Noon

# **Entrepreneurship**

Is your child interested in creating a business and becoming part of the next generation of entrepreneurs? This class will teach them how to form a business idea, and the basics of branding, marketing, and business operations. Group and individual activities teach creativity and problem solving that can help them in any career path they choose. \$179

Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 2:35-4:00PM Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 1:00-2:25PM

# **Financial Literacy & Investing**

It's never too early to learn principles of money, how to save, how to invest, credit, budgeting, and the difference between wants and needs. Your child will learn good money habits and skills that will follow them throughout their life. \$179

Ages 11-14: August 1-4 • 9:00AM-Noon

#### **Forensics**

Does your child want to learn about real life CSI? We'll introduce kids to crime scene investigation and provide hands-on experience with a variety of forensic techniques. From DNA analysis to fingerprint processing, kids will love learning the art of crime scene investigation. \$179

Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 9:00-10:25AM Ages 8-11: August 1-4 • 9:00AM-Noon Ages 11-14: July 11-14 • 9:00AM-Noon

#### **Girls in STEAM**

Hey girls! Do you have an interest in science, technology, engineering, art, and math? Join Girls in STEAM to explore careers in the science, art, and technology fields. Our class is designed to inspire young girls while building confidence and leadership skills. \$179

Ages 8-11 & 11-14 Combined: June 13-16 • 1:00-4:00PM Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 10:35AM-Noon Ages 11-14: August 1-4 • 1:00-4:00PM

## **Graphic Design**

Explore the world of graphic design, from the design process to color theory and typography. Your child will learn the basics of graphic design and work on a variety of portfolio-worthy projects to help build skills and confidence. \$189

Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 1:00-2:25pm Ages 11-14: July 11-14 • 9:00AM-Noon Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 10:35AM-Noon

## **Inventor's Prototype**

Young inventors wanted! Take your idea and turn it into a real-life possibility. During this exciting camp, kids will learn how to brainstorm, design, and create a product prototype. Young visionaries will also learn the importance of business, economics, and advertising. Fun & engaging activities will help build confidence and creativity. \$179

Ages 8-11: August 1-4 • 1:00-4:00pm Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 9:00-10:25AM

## The MD is Me

Calling Dr. Wildcat! Come explore the world of medicine through interactive activities including patient care, emergency first aid, taking vital signs, and much more! Campers will take on the role of doctor and test their skills while learning how to make a simple diagnosis. \$179

Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 1:00-2:25pm Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 10:35am-Noon

# **Photo Magic**

Point, click...photo edit! We are looking for campers who have an interest in photography and want to learn the essentials of photo editing, including brightness/contrast, color balance, applying effects, removing backgrounds, and more. Elevate everyday snapshots to share-worthy photography. \$189

Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 9:00-10:25AM

# **Photography: Camera or Phone**

Let us help your child discover how to make pictures, not just take them. This artistic journey of hands-on projects will teach the fundamentals of digital photography including composition, exposure, depth of field, and light & shadow while learning about different genres of photography. Bring your own device to learn and practice. \$179

Ages 11-14: June 20-30 • 10:35AM-Noon

# **Rockets**

3...2...1...Lift off! Come explore the world of space with us this summer! From what it is like to be an astronaut, traveling in space, and the basics of rocketry, this camp covers it all. Junior astronauts will study rocket design and build a model to launch while learning teamwork,

leadership, and what it takes to successfully engineer spacecraft into space. \$189

Ages 8-11: July 11-14 • 9:00AM-Noon Ages 11-14: July 11-14 • 1:00-4:00PM

# **Screenwriting**

Discover the craft of screenwriting! Does your child like to write stories? Join us and learn how to take those stories and turn them into a screenplay. Kids will learn the basics of screenwriting that include story and character development along with the tools necessary for dramatic writing. \$179

Ages 11-14: June 20-30 • 2:35-4:00PM

# Sewing, Knitting, & Crochet

Knit One, Purl Two. This is the perfect camp for kids who want to learn the basics of sewing, knitting, and crochet. From hands-on projects to fun group activities, this camp promises to teach skills that each camper can take home and practice. \$189

Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 2:35-4:00PM

# **Spanish Basics**

Hola! Want to learn the basics of Spanish this summer? Our camp is designed to help kids immerse themselves in the language while having fun with many different activities such as games, singing, arts & crafts, and much more! Come have fun with us while learning a language. \$179

Ages 8-11: June 13-16 • 9:00AM-Noon Ages 11-14: June 13-16 • 1:00-4:00PM

#### **Video Game Design**

Go from gamer to game developer! Learn the basics of game design like character development, environment design, and gameplay, while making friends and having fun. This interactive class will teach STEAM skills, build confidence, and expand creative thinking. At the end, kids will take home the game they created to share with others. \$189

Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 9:00-10:25AM Ages 8-11: June 20-30 • 10:35AM-Noon Ages 11-14: June 20-30 • 1:00-2:25PM

# **Wonders of Weather**

Let us take your junior meteorologist on a quest to learn the science of weather. From forecasting to how geography affects weather, campers will explore scientific themes through activities, discussions, and experiments. \$179

> Ages 8-11: June 13-16 • 1:00-4:00PM Ages 8-11: July 18-28 • 9:00-10:25AM Ages 11-14: July 18-28 • 1:00-2:25PM

# **SOMETHING EXTRA FOR THE PARENTS**

#### **Before & After Care**

We know coordinating work, life, and camp schedules can be tricky, so we are offering Before and After Care options to buffer the beginning and end of the day. Staff will be on hand throughout and to guide your child(ren) to and/or from class. Offered weekly (M-Th) for all ages. \$39 each for one-week session; \$69 each for two-week sessions.

- **Before Care:** Drop off any time between 7:30–8:45AM
- After Care: Pick up any time between 4:00–5:30PM

#### Lunch

If your child will be on campus between Noon-1:00PM, they are required to eat lunch in our staffed area. Campers are required to bring their own lunch. Offered weekly (M-Th) for all ages. \$5/week.



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