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Open new worlds of creativity and inspiration—
visit our website to see our unique blend of fun new classes and many of your old favorites!

JUNE 8 – JULY 2, 2010

REGISTER BY FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 2010

Use form on page 10.

Summer Camp 2010

Turning Point School offers a variety of exciting, engaging experiences for campers in our Summer Camp Program. There is something for everyone!

Specialist Camp offers four, week-long sessions June 8-11, June 14-18, June 21-25, June 28-July 2. Classes include sculpture, graphic novels, dance, rock band, robotics, drama, and science based classes; from technology to the culinary arts, from sports to theater arts, there is a class your child will love! **Click here** for a full list of class descriptions. Registration is open to Primary - Level 8 students. **Please submit this application form for Specialist Camp.**

Traditional Summer Camp dates are July 6-July 30. Our camp encourages children to laugh, play, and learn in a fun and familiar environment. Everybody loves the Game Room, Super Water Slide, Luau Day, Pine Car Derby, and sno-cones! **Click here** to learn more about Traditional Camp. Registration is open to new and returning Primary students as well as students entering Levels K1 through 5 in the fall. **Please submit this application form for Traditional Camp.**

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Week 1 (June 8-11)

INTRO-DUCK-TION

New Primary
Mrs. Beals
Weeks 1-4
Materials Fee: \$20

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SPANISH LAUGHTER IMMERSION

Week 1: Returning Primary
Week 2: K1 - 3
Maria Escobedo
Materials Fee: \$25

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BEGINNING SPORTS

Returning Primary - K1
Coach Snyder & Coaching Staff
Weeks 1-4
Materials Fee: \$10

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IT'S A JUNGLE OUT THERE

Returning Primary & K1
Katie Ramos
Week 1
Materials Fee: \$25

We're off on a worldwide expedition to learn about all different kinds of animals. Creepy crawly insects, mighty mammals, and rebellious reptiles are the centers of attention. We learn about what these animals eat, where they live, and how they live. Each day ensures a new experience and lots of fun. We will travel to different countries and learn about many amazing animals on our planet. Come join us, but be careful – it's a jungle out there!

JUNIOR BAKERS' DELIGHT

K1 - 3
Mrs. Garcia
Week 1
Materials Fee: \$30

Pastry lovers unite! Join in to create delicious desserts for family and friends. While mixing ingredients for cookies, cupcakes, pies, and cakes, bakers learn measurements, proportions, and dimensions of taste (sweet, salty, nutty, spicy, dull). Each chef departs with a unique recipe book and a set of utensils for baking at home.

K1 STEPPING STONES SUMMER SCHOOL

New K1
Mrs. Lotts & Miss Thomas
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YOUNG THEATRE

K1 - 3
Ms. Meise
Week 1
Materials Fee: \$35

Calling all actors! Calling all actors! Do you like to perform in front of others and enjoy expressing yourself? Then this is the class for you! Through the process of playing multiple roles you learn to distinguish different characters and their attributes. You discover how to exaggerate movements, use your voice and expression to portray an idea, and experiment with thoughts and feelings. Have fun making a script come to life! As a culminating piece you perform a script for fellow campers. *Campers must be able to read.*

THE POWER OF PLAY – IMAGINATION, INNOVATION, AND FANTASY

Week 1: K1 - 2
Week 2: 2 - 3
Mr. Kline
Materials Fee: \$20

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TURNING POINT SUMMER OLYMPICS

2 - 5
Mrs. Wagner
Week 1
Materials Fee: \$20

You watched the Winter Olympics in Vancouver, now come and be a part of the Summer Olympics at Turning Point! We divide into teams and compete in a variety of games, including obstacle courses, soccer drills, Push the Pig, and so many more. Each team has to come up with a name, mascot, and motivational chant. During the Closing Ceremonies everyone gets a medal. Do you think your team can take the gold?

JUNIOR DETECTIVES

3 - 6
Ms. D'Amato
Week 1
Materials Fee: \$25

For all the young sleuths out there, the scene is set for Junior Detectives excitement. If you love solving mysteries, cracking codes, running about on scavenger hunts, and analyzing clues, then this is the group for you. Join us as we uncover invisible ink messages, learn fingerprinting techniques and hypothesize "who done it?" Just don't be surprised when a mysterious "crime" unfolds!

Week 1 (continued)

GRAPHIC NOVELISTS, INC.

3 - 6

Mrs. Akana

Week 1

Materials Fee: \$20

It's time to delve into a uniquely inspiring genre of reading and writing! Aspiring graphic novelists combine their artistic and writing talents in an exciting world where comic books meet literature. Campers explore samples of excellent graphic novels, including classics like *Bone and Maus*, *Spirited Away* from the Manga series, and more. Campers who love to draw and read will go through the steps of the creative process – brainstorming ideas to combining essential story elements. Author/illustrators craft their own masterpiece of pictorial fiction.

ROBOTICS: DEEP SPACE EXPEDITION

4 - 6

Mr. Reynolds

Weeks 1 & 2

Materials Fee: \$45

Be prepared to go where no robot has gone before in this exciting new class! Join your friends on a galactic mission and explore a far-away planet. Using LEGO Mindstorms, students recreate a space station that serves as a base for planetary exercises and scientific investigations. Our space robots will help us make new discoveries and expand the field of science!

PAINTING

4 - 8

Rory Sloan

Week 1

Materials Fee: \$30

Paint, daub, tap, tap, tap brussshhh. Let your inner painter come forward. Throughout the week we will explore many facets of painting. Looking closely at the painterly application of line to paper, we will examine color relationships, abstract construction, and still life moments rich with a variety of content.

SUMMER ROCK BAND

2 - 5

Mr. Goldman

Weeks 1 & 2

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VOLLEYBALL CAMP

Week 1: 6 - 8

Week 2: 5 - 8

Coach Bueno

Material Fee: \$10

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FOOTBALL CAMP

6 - 8

Coach Colley

Week 1

Materials Fee: \$35

Middle school football camp focuses on the principles and fundamentals of flag-football. Campers work daily on improving their running, passing, receiving, and blocking skills. In addition, coaches work closely with campers in order to help them learn the playbook for the fall season. Football Camp sets our Tornado players up for success!!



Week 2 (June 14-18)

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UNDER THE SEA

Returning Primary & K1
Nancy Windham
Week 2
Materials Fee: \$40

Come and join us Under the Sea where campers explore the sea creatures and plants of the great world below! Creativity is our submarine, and imagination our map, as we depart each day to explore the deep blue sea. Our classroom will be transformed into an underwater scene, complete with various marine ecosystems. Together we will become future environmental protectors of our oceans. Dive in!

KEEN GREEN CRAFTS

K1 - 3
Mrs. Akana
Week 2
Materials Fee: \$20

Are you especially creative AND really passionate about saving the planet? This class will be filled with environmentally friendly arts and crafts. Campers have a chance to express their artistic vision and conserve resources at the same time! Each day focuses on a different material. By the end of the week, campers have made projects from recycled paper, plastic, metal, natural materials, and fabric. What a wonderful way to be green and imaginative!

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OUT OF THIS WORLD

Returning Primary & K1
Ms. Ramos
Week 2
Materials Fee: \$25

Join us as we explore planet Earth and our solar system. Planets, galaxies, comets, constellations, and more! What kind of crater does an asteroid make when it impacts a planet? Who is the “Man on the Moon”? Blasting off into outer space, we discover answers for ourselves! Campers investigate stars and space through film, books, hands-on projects, and astronaut activities. Earth explorers and space voyagers alike will love the discovery. It’s out of this world!

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MAMMALIAN MYSTERIES

K1 - 3
Mrs. Garcia
Week 2
Materials Fee: \$25

Calling all animal lovers! Come and meet the wide variety of mammals living in the seven continents and four oceans. Bring your passport and investigate our mammal friends through film, art projects, stories, songs, and games. Clues along your travels lead you to discover animal habitats and astounding survival techniques.

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SPORTS CAMP

2 - 6
Mr. Segar
Weeks 2 & 4
Materials Fee: \$25

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Week 2 (continued)

RADIO DRAMA

2 - 6

Ms. Meise

Week 2

Materials Fee: \$15

Bam! Crash! Thud! What was that? You too can bring a script to life through radio drama! Learn about the history of audio storytelling broadcast on the radio and listen to some famous examples. Since the listener cannot see what is performed, you can be imaginative in the use of dialogue, music, and sound effects. Compel the listener to imagine the story you create! Watch your script come to life as we record it and burn it onto a CD that is yours to share with friends and family!

FUN IN FRENCH

2 - 6

Ms. Wagner

Week 2

Materials Fee: \$15

Have you ever thought about learning to speak French? Do you like hot chocolate and crêpes? Have you ever heard the song Frère Jacques and wanted to know what the words mean? If your answer is oui, then Turning Point's French Camp is for you! Come and enjoy a week of fun with French. We learn interesting vocabulary and helpful phrases as we explore various French cultures and become familiar with some fabulous French foods.

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CO-ED BASKETBALL CAMP

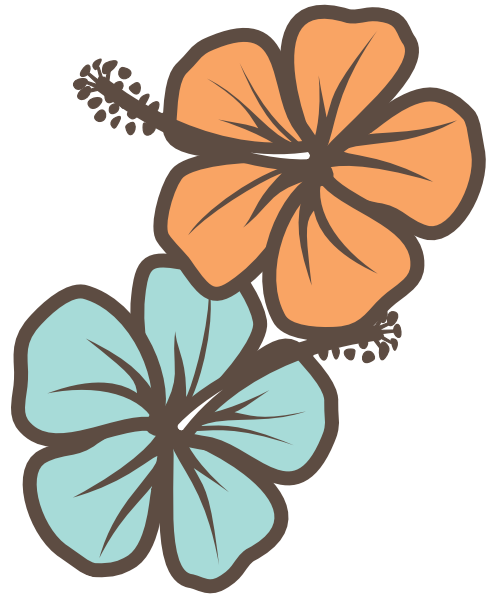
6 - 8

Coach Colley & Coach Spies

Week 2

Materials Fee: \$20

Boys and girls of various levels play, learn, and reinforce the basic fundamentals of basketball. Basketball Camp gives each player an opportunity to play for an extended period each day. Drills and lead-up games focusing on dribbling, shooting, passing, free throw, and defense, help develop the skills that are necessary for the complete basketball player. The experience, growth, and practice puts our Tornado players in position for success next season!! Open games mark the end of each day.



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PLANES, TRAINS, AND AUTOMOBILES

Returning Primary & K1
Katie Ramos
Week 3
Materials Fee: \$25

Ladies and gentlemen, start your engines! Fun with planes, trains, cars, monster trucks, boats, helicopters, and more await campers. Learn what makes these machines go and use your imaginations to create your own vehicles. Fasten your seat belts; it's gonna be a great ride!

LOVELY BUGS

4 year olds - Level 2
Mrs. Akana
Week 3
Materials Fee: \$25

Join us for a bug-loving adventure! Each day focuses on a different "bug" as campers get a glimpse into the amazing world of insects and arachnids. Literature-based activities lead to the discovery of interesting facts about ants, ladybugs, bees, roly polies, and spiders. Through "Daily Discovery" mini-lessons, campers explore fascinating creatures such as praying mantises, walking sticks, and fireflies. Nature walks, art projects, and creative snacks encourage campers to see "creepy crawlies" in a whole new light.

K1 STEPPING STONES SUMMER SCHOOL

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FABULOUSLY FUN FAIRYTALES AND FABLES

K1 - 3
Mrs. Wagner
Week 3
Materials Fee: \$25

Puppets, playwriting, computer creations, performances, and a party...what more could anyone want? Spend a week celebrating the wonder of fairy tales and fables through an amazing assortment of activities. The class is a creative integration of arts and crafts, reading, writing, computer skills, and theatre. Fun and imagination abounds here for all ages, so don't be shy.

CARTOON DRAWING

K1 - 6
Ms. Greco
Week 3
Materials Fee: \$35

Let's get "looney!" Embark on an exciting journey where fantasy meets reality in the exciting world of cartoon drawing. Create your own cartoon characters and then join with others to create a collaborative group story. Learn how to draw different animals and people, and explore how these creatures come to life on paper. Changing the shape of an eyebrow even slightly can show anger, fear, or happiness! Cartoon creations are enhanced using colored pencils, paint, markers, and core board.

YOUNG DIRECTORS

2 - 6
Mr. Segar
Week 3
Materials Fee: \$15

Do you have creative ideas? Do you love cool technology? Can you hear yourself saying "Lights, Camera, Action!" as you direct your own movie shoot? Students design, direct, and publish digitalized storyboards for the production of a short film by using amazing computer software. Our Young Directors learn how to turn their original ideas into an impressive product. No prior experience is necessary.

CHEFS' TRAINING ACADEMY

3 - 6
Coach Spies and Ms. Gose
Week 3
Materials Fee: \$45

Do you enjoy cooking? Would you like to learn how to make fun and tasty meals? Each chef-in-training learns how to make a wide variety of snacks, entrees, and desserts, featuring quesadillas, salsa, cinnamon French toast, alphabet soup, grilled cheese sandwiches, mini-cakes, homemade ice cream and much more! Chefs-in-training also learn essential culinary skills such as reading recipes, methods of measurement, selecting fresh produce, nutrition content, and chopping, slicing, and dicing. By week's end, each chef-in-training has a recipe book filled with tried and true recipes and new skills for further culinary adventures! All experience levels are welcome.

Week 3 (continued)

LEGO ROBOTICS: MAYAN ADVENTURE

3 - 6

Ms. D'Amato

Weeks 3 & 4

Materials Fee: \$45

Design, build, and program five exploratory robots to be used in exploring the newly discovered tomb of an ancient Mayan king. You are along for the ride with Evan and his archaeologist uncle as they explore a Mayan pyramid, complete with traps and treasures. Using a variety of NXT robots, the archaeology team is able to move deeper into the tomb towards the secrets of King Ixtua. But beware of the traps! The pyramid's design has successfully deterred unwanted visitors through the centuries, and your team needs to be careful and alert. Go through a tunnel to activate a pressure plate, climb across a string to drop pebbles in a vase, retrieve the key from the library, rescue lost scrolls from crumbling tunnels, and move statues up ramps and onto pressure plates. Evan and the team of explorers need your help!!

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

3 - 6

Rory Sloan

Week 3

Materials Fee: \$30

Let's look to the inspiration of Disneyland, LEGO Land, and The San Diego Zoo! Landscape designers have carved and sculpted quite a bit of the land around us in Southern California. Let's learn why and how! By looking at innovative garden and landscape design, students explore 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional vocabulary and processes to design and build models of their own gardens and theme parks.



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LAND OF FAIRYTALES

Primary - K1
Mrs. Garcia
Week 4
Materials Fee: \$25

Do you believe you were meant to be a prince or princess? Are you fascinated with goblins or trolls? Land of Fairytales takes children to a magical place where the imagination makes anything possible. Experience the fairytale life while decorating royal crowns, creating fairy wings, magic wands, and miniature castles. We will star in plays of our fairytales.

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DINOS AND DIRT, VOLCANOES AND LAVA!

Returning Primary & K1
Ms. Ramos
Week 4
Materials Fee: \$25

Let's go millions of years back in time and learn about different kinds of dinosaurs, where they lived, and what they ate, and why they sometimes got into fights. We fix dino themed snacks, play prehistoric games, and create dinosaur worlds. Campers get down and dirty as they dig for fossils! Then we will get even messier as we learn about volcanoes and oozing lava. Join us to explore a time when dinosaurs ruled the earth!

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FOOD, GLORIOUS FOOD!

K1 - 3
Mrs. Akana
Week 4
Materials Fee: \$30

Give your taste buds a treat this week: Travel the world sampling food from different cultures! Each day campers learn about a new country and its culinary treasures as we explore culture through stories and art. Campers work together to make a selected dish from the culture, and enjoy a feast while listening to music from that part of the world. An engaging traditional art project is the culmination of each cultural excursion. At the end of the week, campers take home a recipe book to try at home with their families.

SCULPTURE

K1 - 6
Ms. Greco
Week 4
Materials Fee: \$35

Come join Ms. Greco in a unique experience working with clay, wood, core board and stones. Learn how to use different sculpting tools in order to join pieces together and texturalize the surface of clay for magical effects. Campers choose their favorite animal to sculpt from clay and use a variety of techniques to enhance their creations. Special paints and finishes are used to complete the pieces. Campers use creativity and self-expression to explore a different medium each day.

READERS THEATRE

K1 - 3
Mrs. Murphy
Week 4
Materials Fee: \$15

Love to read? Love to act? Love to create something from practically nothing? If any of these questions speak to you, you will enjoy Readers Theatre! Each day, we read a popular story together and act out the characters. Students work cooperatively to see familiar stories come to life through the use of props, costumes and stage backdrops. Prior to our final performance, students offer helpful critiques for each other. Students have time to allow their imaginations to run wild and to let their inner actor shine through! We conclude each day with a presentation for parents. ***In order to get the most out of this class, students should be at a comfortable reading level.*

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Summer Mini Camp

Daycare Staff

All Ages

\$35 per day | \$155 per week

Mini-Camp is where culture, recreation, and community come together in a fantastic program that focuses on the whole child. Turning Point's Mini-Camp is an integrated afternoon enrichment program available for campers enrolled in Specialist Camp.

Having Turning Point After-Care Staff and Teachers involved in our Mini-Camp program ensures a safe and familiar environment for campers. Mini-Camp supervisors build a foundation of teamwork, learning, and conflict resolution, while providing creative and stimulating camp experiences.

Mini-Camp focuses on a thematic approach through which students travel through time to discover the richness that different time periods have to offer. Art, literature, music, science, cooking, and athletics fill mini-camp days with fun ways to explore, learn, grow. Activities are divided into four groups: Primary, K1, Levels 2-3, and Levels 4 and above. Read on for a glimpse into the amazing adventures that await Mini-Campers:

Mini-Camp Daily Schedule:

12:00 -12:30	<i>Lunch</i>
12:30 - 1:00	<i>Outside Play</i>
1:00 – 2:00	<i>Age Appropriate Activity/Primary Nap</i>
2:00 – 3:00	<i>Age Appropriate Activity/Primary Activity</i>

WEEK 1: ANCIENT VOYAGES

Attention Pharaohs, Gods and Goddesses...come travel with us back in time to explore Ancient Egypt, Ancient China, and the Roman and Mayan Empires. Our fun-filled journey of ancient wonders brings amazement, discovery, and maybe a mummy or two. So put your archaeology caps on and get ready to explore the globe. Campers investigate ruins and revelations through hands-on art, science, literature, music, and cooking projects from as far back as the BCE. At the end of the week, we have guest performers for a spectacular show of cultural music and dance.

WEEK 2: RENAISSANCE FAIRE

Hear ye! Hear ye! There is much merriment afoot. Come join in the fun and games as Mini Campers travel back in time to delve into the age of the Renaissance. Literature-based folklore takes campers on a magical tour through time and legend. From fine art to juggling, and interactive theater, there are many classically creative crafts and activities to enjoy. This week culminates with our own Renaissance Festival featuring theater acts, handicrafts, and fun-filled games.

WEEK 3: 20TH CENTURY KIDS

Have you ever worn bellbottoms or danced the jitterbug? Music and art icons give campers a window into the cultural changes and influential people of modern America. From dress-up days in different styles to groovy dance crazes and cool fads of the past, you have the chance to explore what makes us who we are today. If you've never been to a Sock Hop, now will be your chance. We'll end the week with a 50's Dance, complete with throw-back fashions. Did your grandmother save her poodle skirt? What a blast!

WEEK 4: BACK TO THE FUTURE

Welcome to the world of discovery and exploration. Campers discover new concepts in technology and explore advanced methods of sustainability. We travel into the future to build our own robots, navigate our way through Smart Boards, and have fun with digital photography. We find out about giving back to the planet for future generations. It's a fun-filled week full of spaceships, robots, gadgets, and so much more. We finish Mini-Camp off with a delicious potluck picnic for all families to enjoy.

Specialist Camp Policies and Procedures

1. Enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis. Classes close when they reach maximum enrollment, so you are encouraged to sign up early.
2. Specialist Camp is open to new and returning Primary through Level 8 Turning Point students. Levels listed refer to the grade students will be entering in the 2010-2011 academic year.
3. Registration for Specialist Camp begins on Monday, February 1, 2010 and ends on Friday, April 16, 2010 .
4. The cost of a five-day class is \$255.00 per week. The cost of a four-day class is \$205.00 per week. Volleyball camp (extended hours) is \$265.00 per week, and Mini-Camp is \$155.00 per week. Classes that require extra supplies have additional materials fees. Snack is included.
5. Campers can sign up for any combination of weeks 1 - 4. There will be no camp on Monday, June 7 or Monday, July 5.
6. All classes meet from 9am - 12pm, after which Mini-Camp is available. Week 1 Volleyball camp will meet from 9am - 2pm. Week 2 Volleyball camp will meet from 12pm - 3pm.
7. Early morning care will be provided free of charge beginning at 8:30 am for the duration of Specialist Camp.
8. New primary families: You will note that all of our veteran Turning Point families use Carpool drop-off in the morning. We understand that for your child, there might just be too much "new," so we ask that you walk your child into camp on the first day of each new Specialist Camp week. However, we also encourage you to use Carpool drop-off as soon as your child is ready. If you walk-in on Monday and/or Tuesday, and you think that on Wednesday your child might be ready for Carpool, please give it a try. Transitioning to Carpool drop-off as soon as the child is ready is consistent with what will happen this September, and so it is important for our younger students to be accustomed to this transition.
9. Please remember that the Grassy Area and the Primary Playground are reserved for campers and teachers only. It is much easier for all of our campers to separate if the play areas are reserved for children and teachers only.
10. To enroll your child, complete the attached registration form. Return the form with a check for the entire 4-week amount by Monday, April 16, 2010. Payments should be marked Attention: Specialist Camp.
11. Checks should be made payable to Turning Point School and be exclusively for Specialist Camp. Do not combine payments with traditional summer camp, daycare, or tuition.
12. If you are registering more than one child, you may combine the Specialist Camp payments. Please submit a separate form for each child. (Additional forms are available online or at the front desk.)
13. On May 14, 2010, a confirmation letter will be mailed to notify you of your child(ren)'s enrollment. If you do not receive a confirmation letter, please contact Ms. Corano at the Front Desk.
14. You will be notified if any of the classes you have chosen are full. There will be waiting lists in case of cancellations.
15. You will also be notified if any classes have been terminated due to insufficient enrollment. At this time, you may choose another class (depending on availability).
16. There will be no refunds, except for classes that are terminated by the school due to insufficient enrollment. Payment shall be considered binding.
17. Dismissal from Specialist Camp is promptly at 12pm. There will be a 10-minute grace period strictly enforced. Mini Camp fees and policies will apply starting promptly at 12:10pm.
18. Mini Camp ends at 3pm. There will be a 10-minute grace period strictly enforced. Daycare fees and policies will apply starting promptly at 3:10pm.
19. Daycare ends promptly at 6pm. There will be a \$35 late fee assessed for every half hour, or fraction thereof, after 6pm.
20. Contact Zach Hinkle, Specialist Camp Director, if you have any questions at 310.841.2505 , Ext. 108.

SPECIALIST SUMMER CAMP 2010 REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Level in '10-'11: _____

Please fill out a separate form for each child. Visit www.turningpointsschool.org and refer to the program/summer camp section for a full description of policies and procedures.

✓	CLASS	INSTRUCTOR	LEVEL IN 2010-2011	TIME	COST	MATERIALS FEE
	WEEK 1 (June 8-11)					
	Intro-DUCK-tion	Mrs. Beals	New Primary	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$20
	Spanish Laughter Immersion	Miss Escobedo	Returning Primary	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$25
	Beginning Sports	Coach Spies and Coach Snyder	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$10
	It's a Jungle Out There	Ms. Ramos	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$25
	Junior Bakers' Delight	Mrs. Garcia	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$30
	K1 Stepping Stones Summer School	Miss Thomas and Mrs. Lotts	New K1	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$25
	Young Theatre	Ms. Meise	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$35
	The Power of Play	Mr. Kline	K1-2	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$20
	Olympics	Mrs. Wagner	2-6	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$20
	Junior Detectives	Ms. D'Amato	3-6	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$25
	Graphic Novelists, Inc.	Mrs. Akana	3-6	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$20
	Robotics: Deep Space Expedition	Mr. Reynolds	4-6	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$45
	Painting	Ms. Sloan	4-8	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$30
	Summer Rock Band	Mr. Goldman	6-8	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$10
	Volleyball Camp	Coach Bueno	6-8	9am - 2pm	\$265	\$10
	Football Camp	Coach Colley	6-8	9am - 12pm	\$205	\$35
	Mini-Camp	Ms. Perico and staff	All	12pm - 3pm	\$125	
	WEEK 2 (June 14-18)					
	Intro-DUCK-tion	Mrs. Beals	New Primary	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Under the Sea	Ms. Windham	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$40
	Keen Green Crafts	Mrs. Akana	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Beginning Sports	Coach Snyder and Coach Bueno	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$10
	Out of this World	Ms. Ramos	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	K1 Stepping Stones Summer School	Miss Thomas and Mrs. Lotts	New K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Mammalian Mysteries	Mrs. Garcia	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Spanish Laughter Immersion	Miss Escobedo	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	The Power of Play	Mr. Kline	2-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Sports Camp	Mr. Segar	2-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Radio Drama	Ms. Meise	2-4	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$15
	Fun in French	Mrs. Wagner	3-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$15
	Robotics: Deep Space Expedition	Mr. Reynolds	4-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$45
	Volleyball Camp	Coach Bueno	5-8	12pm - 3pm	\$255	\$10
	Summer Rock Band	Mr. Goldman	6-8	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$10
	Basketball Camp	Coach Colley and Coach Spies	6-8	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Mini-Camp	Ms. Perico and staff	All	12pm - 3pm	\$155	
	WEEK 3 (June 21-25)					
	Intro-DUCK-tion	Mrs. Beals	New Primary	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Beginning Sports	Coach Snyder	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$10
	Planes, Trains & Automobiles	Ms. Ramos	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Lovely Bugs	Mrs. Akana	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	K1 Stepping Stones Summer School	Miss Thomas and Mrs. Lotts	New K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Fabulously Fun Fairy Tales & Fables	Mrs. Wagner	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Cartoon Drawing	Ms. Greco	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$35
	Young Directors	Mr. Segar	2-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$15
	Chefs' Training Academy	Coach Spies and Ms. Gose	3-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$45
	Robotics: Mayan Adventure	Ms. D'Amato	2-5	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$45
	Landscape Architecture	Ms. Sloan	3-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$30
	Mini-Camp	Ms. Perico and staff	All	12pm - 3pm	\$155	
	WEEK 4 (June 28-July 2)					
	Intro-DUCK-tion	Mrs. Beals	New Primary	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$20
	Land of Fairytales	Ms. Garcia	Returning Primary	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Beginning Sports	Coach Snyder	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$10
	Dinos & Dirt, Volcanoes & Lava	Ms. Ramos	Returning Primary-K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	K1 Stepping Stones Summer School	Miss Thomas and Mrs. Lotts	New K1	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Food, Glorious Food!	Mrs. Akana	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$30
	Sculpture	Ms. Greco	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$35
	Readers' Theatre	Mrs. Murphy	K1-3	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$15
	Sports Camp	Mr. Segar	2-6	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$25
	Robotics: Mayan Adventure	Ms. D'Amato	2-5	9am - 12pm	\$255	\$45
	Mini-Camp	Ms. Perico and staff	All	12pm - 3pm	\$155	

PLEASE COMPLETE, DETACH AND RETURN WITH FULL PAYMENT

