

The Meridian School Summer Quest: Group 4, Week 1

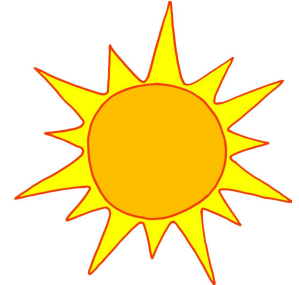
“Taste Of Summer”

July 11th - 15th

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7am-9am	Extended Day Drop Off	Extended Day Drop Off	Extended Day Drop Off	Extended Day Drop Off	Extended Day Drop Off
9am-10am	Snack/ Check-In & Introduction	Snack/ Check-In & Field Trip Prep	Snack/ Check-In & Field Trip Prep	Snack/ Check-In Free art/ Reading time	Snack/ Check-In & Field Trip Prep
10am-11am	Campus Tour DIY Fruit-Yogurt Popsicles	Field Trip! Cross-roads Farmers Market and Water spray play area.	Field Trip! Tutta Bella Tour and Wallingford Park	Coloring Bread!	Field Trip! Full Tilt Ice Cream down the Street!
11am-12pm	Lunch			Lunch	
12pm-1pm	Recess			Recess	
1pm-2pm	Pancake Art			Paper Plate Donuts	
2pm-3pm	Watermelon Seed spitting competition				
3PM-4pm	Snack Journals Free Choice	Snack Journals Free Choice	Snack Journals Free Choice	Snack Journals Free Choice	Snack Journals Free Choice

4pm-6p m	Extended Day Pick Up	Extended Day Pick Up	Extended Day Pick Up	Extended Day Pick Up	Extended Day Pick Up
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Please let us know if you have any questions!
Thank You,
Maika and Jo



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Dear Parents,

. On Monday and Thursday we will be in Room 3 in the south annex of the Good Shepard Center, our home base and week-long cooking station. We will be beginning our week of “Taste of Summer” inside our room with some projects We will be making homemade popsicles and making pancake art and end with a watermelon spitting contest. **Tuesday**, we will traveling all the way to Eastside to the Crossroads Farmers Market. During our stay there we will be having a fun scavenger hunt and we will be playing in the Crossroads Spray Park next door. On **Wednesday** we will be visiting a neighborhood restaurant, Tutta Bella. As we visit we will get a tour of a real kitchen where the staff will show us around and explain to us the workings of a restaurant. On **Thursday** is another in day where we will be discovering the magic of dough and coloring. To go along with that, we will also be making paper plate donuts! On **Friday**, our last field trip day, we will be visiting another local eatery, Full Tilt Ice Cream near the Ave. We will be indulging our sweet tooth and then we will head over to our local park where we will play!

Meet the Group 4 Team...

My name is **Maika Ortiz**, and I am excited to be a part of group 4! Last year I worked for the YMCA as a Swim Instructor/Lifeguard, and for the past six months I worked at the Seattle Country Day School as an Extended Day Program Advisor. I am originally from Kailua Hawai’i, which is on the island of Oahu. I have lived in Washington State since I was in 6th grade. Currently I am enrolled at SPU in their History Program which there after I am planning on receiving my Masters in teaching. I enjoy swimming, hiking, volleyball, water polo, surfing, and I am looking at getting back into canoe paddling.

Greetings! My name is **Joanna Johnson** and I am very happy to be returning to Meridian for a third summer! I just finished my Masters from the University of Washington in Social and Cultural Foundations of Education. I’m originally from Seattle, and though I’ve lived and worked in Spain and Peru, I keep coming back to the Emerald City. During the school year, I worked in the Extended Day program at Meridian and coached the Cross

Country Team. When I'm not studying or working with kids, you'll find me playing soccer, backpacking, running, or writing poetry. I can't wait to adventure all over Seattle this summer with Group 4!

Important Reminders!!!

- Note the parent key code for entrance into our building posted in the hallways.
- **Please apply sunscreen** to your child each morning prior to arriving at camp. If you would like them to use a certain brand, send it to camp in their backpack.
- **Comfortable clothing and sensible shoes** are required. We do lots of walking on field trip days. Please NO FLIP FLOPS!
- **Backpacks with a water bottle and sack lunch.** We provide a morning snack at 9am, and afternoons at 3pm.
- **Swimsuit, towel, and water shoes (recommended)** for are needed for days including water activities. This will be noted with stars*** on our schedule.
- Extended day care is included for Groups 1, 2, and 3 at 7am, and until 6pm.