



# Summer Programs Preview 2022

As Summer 2022 approaches, we continue to plan high-quality options for students. Find up-to-date information, including course listings and schedules, on the Summer Programs web page: [www.hcpss.org/summer-programs/](http://www.hcpss.org/summer-programs/)



## Program Descriptions

### BSAP Summer Institute (Grades K–9)

This program offers acceleration and enrichment opportunities for HCPSS students entering Grades K–9. Students participate in grade-level academic courses (reading/English, math, science, social studies) each morning, and in a wide range of enrichment opportunities in the afternoon.

Contact: [SummerInstitute@hcpss.org](mailto:SummerInstitute@hcpss.org) or 410-313-1598.

### Gifted and Talented (G/T) Summer Institutes for Talent Development (Grades 1–8)

This program offers additional advanced-level instruction and enrichment experiences not regularly available during the academic school year. Rigorous instruction focusing on talent development is offered in mathematics, science, social studies, language arts, technology and fine arts.

Contact: [GTSummer@hcpss.org](mailto:GTSummer@hcpss.org) or 410-313-6671.

### Innovative Pathways High School (Grades 9–12)

This program offers high school credit-bearing courses in a variety of content areas and levels to support academic achievement and acceleration for diploma-bound students. Traditional, face-to-face courses meet in the morning and virtual, synchronous courses are offered in the afternoon.

Contact: [IPSummer@hcpss.org](mailto:IPSummer@hcpss.org) or 410-313-6627.

### STARTALK Chinese Language Summer Camp (Grades 7–8)

This program offers Chinese language proficiency development with a focus on speaking for novice level learners and the addition of reading and writing for intermediate level learners for HCPSS students entering Grades 7-8. The language instruction program will be complemented with a wide range of Chinese culture-themed activities such as arts and crafts, martial arts, virtual field trips, and games. Contact: [STARTALK@hcpss.org](mailto:STARTALK@hcpss.org) or 410-313-5663

Information about Academic Intervention (Grades K–8) and Extended School Year Special Education (Ages 3–5, PreK–12) programs will be shared directly with parents/guardians of HCPSS students.

**Enrollment Requests** Enrollment requests for tuition-based programs can be made by a parent, guardian, school counselor or achievement liaison. Please carefully review the program descriptions, dates, times and locations before submitting an enrollment request. Parents/guardians will be notified via email of enrollment status (enrolled or wait listed) within two weeks after the close of registration.

**Current HCPSS students** Enrollment requests may be submitted online through the Synergy Parent Portal on the HCPSS Connect web page ([www.hcpss.org/connect/](http://www.hcpss.org/connect/)).

**Enrollment request dates** The Synergy Parent Portal will accept enrollment requests from February through June starting the 1st of each month at 6 p.m. and will remain open for two weeks each month. For programs and courses that are not full, enrollment requests may continue to be made each month through June.

- The first enrollment request window will open **February 1, 2022** and is limited to **current HCPSS students only**.
- February enrollment requests for **Innovative Pathways High School** are limited to **mathematics and science course requests only**. All courses will be open for enrollment on **March 1, 2022**.

**Enrollment lottery process** Enrollment requests **do not guarantee placement** in summer programs. When a BSAP, G/T or STARTALK program is filled during a registration window, all students within the same household **who requested enrollment in the same program within that window** will be randomly selected for placement in that program. Students not selected will be automatically added to the applicable course wait list. For Innovative Pathways High School, enrollment priority will be given to students **by their current grade level**. Remaining students will be randomly selected and enrolled in their selected course (or alternate course) until that course has been filled.

**Non-HCPSS Students** Parents/guardians of current non-HCPSS students who wish to submit an enrollment request should check the Summer Programs web page for more details on how to submit a request.

All enrollment requests are PENDING until HCPSS has completed program placement and full tuition is paid. Enrollment requests DO NOT guarantee placement in a program.



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## Payments

Payments for summer programs can **ONLY BE MADE ONCE ENROLLMENT HAS BEEN CONFIRMED BY EMAIL**. Parents/guardians will be emailed an invoice and payment instructions once the student has been enrolled in a program. Payments may be made by check, money order or credit card. Full payment is due prior to the program start date.

## Financial Assistance

Financial assistance is available for most programs. Students who currently receive Free and Reduced-price Meal services (FARMs) will have a **50 percent tuition reduction applied automatically upon verification**. Parents/guardians who do not qualify for FARMs but are experiencing a documented financial hardship, or who are unable to afford tuition after the automatic FARMs status-based discounts, may complete a Financial Assistance Application.

## Summer Programs Summary Information

	BSAP Summer Institute (Entering Grades K-9)	Innovative Pathways High School (Entering Grade 9, Current Grades 9-12)	Gifted and Talented (G/T) Summer Institutes for Talent Development (Entering Grades 1-8)	STARTALK Chinese Language Summer Camp (Entering Grades 7-8)
Dates/Times	June 27–July 22 (4 weeks) 8:15 a.m.–2:45 p.m.	June 21–July 29 (3 weeks; 0.5 credit Health or Lifetime Fitness) (6 weeks; 1.0 credit) Morning Classes: 7:30 a.m.–1 p.m. Afternoon Classes: 1:30–4 p.m. <b>Mandatory orientation</b> for all courses on the first class date: June 21 or July 11, 2022.	<b>Session I:</b> June 27–July 8 (2 weeks) 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. <b>Session II:</b> July 11–July 22 (2 weeks) 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	July 5–July 22 (3 weeks) 8:30 a.m.–3 p.m. <b>In</b>
<b>Dates and Times are subject to change. No programs meet on Tuesday, June 28 and Monday, July 4.</b>				
Locations	Phelps Luck ES (Grades K-4)  Howard HS (Grades 5-9)	<b>ARL</b> (CTE/ARL Academy courses) <b>Long Reach HS</b> (Credit Recovery, Food and Nutrition, Gear Up for 9th Grade, Health, Lifetime Fitness) <b>Wilde Lake HS</b> (Art, CRD, English, Math, Science, Social Studies, World Languages)	Burleigh Manor MS	Harper's Choice MS
<b>Locations are subject to change.</b>				
Cost	\$650	\$325 (0.5 credit course) \$550 (1.0 credit course) \$800 (2.0 credit course)	\$256 Session I \$320 Session II	\$50
<b>Financial Assistance is available for current HCPSS students. Please visit <a href="http://www.hcpss.org/food-services/farms/">www.hcpss.org/food-services/farms/</a> to submit a FARMs application.</b>				
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Email messages <b>will receive a faster response</b> than calling the program phone numbers. Phone messages will be returned after reviewing voicemail messages within 24 hours during the school week.				