



What are
YOU?
doing this
summer?

2017 summer
camp GUIDE

MERCY
Academy

FAQ ABOUT OUR SUMMER PROGRAM



Look Inside... With such a diverse range of camp programs available this summer, you can, and you will, find your place at Mercy Academy.

How can I register?

Mercy offers online registration for our summer programs. It is easy! Go to www.mercyacademy.com/summercamps to complete the online registration form and payment process. You can also register by completing the registration form in this camp guide. Mail the form along with your check to Mercy Academy. Please visit Mercy's website for registration deadlines.

Are your summer camps for girls and boys?

Most of our camps are for both girls and boys. Exceptions to this are the volleyball, field hockey, basketball (Grades 4-9) and softball camps, which are for girls only.

Can I participate in more than one camp?

Absolutely! You can participate in as many camps as you like as long as they don't fall on the same day and time.

I have two camps in one day. Can I stay at Mercy between camps?

Yes! If you are interested in one of our 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. camps and one of our 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. camps in the same week, you are welcome to bring a brown bag lunch and stay at Mercy until your afternoon camp begins. Please email Angie Laemmle at alaemmle@mercyjaguars.com to set up this arrangement at least one week prior to the start of your camps.

Where will camps take place?

All camps are at Mercy's beautiful campus located at 5801 Fegenbush Lane. If you need further information, please call us at (502) 671.2010.

Mercy Academy has one of the finest high school athletic facilities in Kentucky. All facilities are on our 24-acre campus, in which 12 of those acres are dedicated to our athletic facilities. Coaches and student-athletes, for the majority of our programs, are provided everything they need right in our own backyard!

Monica Bohn Gymnasium

The Monica Bohn Gymnasium is our main game gym. It is a state-of-the-art facility that seats 1,200 people. The gym is fully equipped and provides an excellent atmosphere for home sporting events.

Mercy Auxiliary Gymnasium

Mercy's auxiliary gym, complete with wood flooring, is utilized for practices by our cheer, basketball, volleyball and softball teams. The auxiliary gym is fully equipped and includes a built-in indoor batting cage for softball and a full-sized foam floor for our cheerleaders.



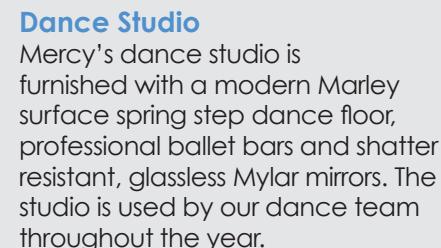
Tennis Courts

Mercy has six full-size tennis courts located directly on campus. Last summer, we repainted the hard surface courts in a bright, Mercy blue for our tennis team to use in the spring.



Fitness and Weight Room

Mercy's fitness facility is utilized by our Health and PE classes during the school day and by our sports teams after school. It is equipped with advanced exercise machines and weights for the development of our student-athletes.



Ed Howard Training Room

The Ed Howard Training Room is a sports medicine training space located just outside the Monica Bohn Gymnasium. The area is equipped with all necessary medical training supplies and a whirlpool bath.



Fall 2017 Upgrades

Evans Park will receive upgrades before the fall of 2017. Enhancements to the track and field, a press box and sound system, and additional stadium seating are just a few of the exciting new features.



academic camps

Choose your camp based on your grade
during the 2017-2018 school year.

Artistic Expression

Spend the week creating, designing and making various types of art. Draw, paint and design digitally illustrated creations. Focus on your skills while having a great time creating summer vacation inspired pieces.

Grades 5-9 \$100

July 24-27 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Steve Hammer

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Computer Game Design

Design and program computer games. This camp includes designing the game's logic and rules, refining it after you play it, and using computational thinking skills to solve any problems along the way.

Grades 4-9
June 19-22 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Eric Wong

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\$100

Cooking for Beginners

Discover how to cook healthy and delicious after-school snacks! Also, learn how to cook creative appetizers, salads, entrees and desserts. Don't worry; we won't make you taste anything you don't like.

Grades 5-9 \$110

July 10-13 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Melissa Schoenbachler

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Creative Cooking

Learn how to make healthy, quick-fix meals for your family. Plan a meal that saves money and time, and learn ways to "morph" leftovers into something mouth-watering. This camp is for those with some cooking experience.

Grades 5-9 \$110

July 10-13 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Melissa Schoenbachler

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FaceTime with François

French is a language of culture. It has rich art, music, dance, fashion and cuisine. This summer, spend some "FaceTime" discovering more about France and French people. Munch on croissants while ascending the Eiffel Tower, and sip Orangina soda while riding on the high-speed trains. Experience some of the coolest aspects of French culture with FaceTime!

Grades 5-9 \$75

July 17-20 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Donna Eichler

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Flash Fiction: 500 Word Short Stories

Learn to write flash fiction, a concise and fun story-writing format. You will complete a minimum of four stories. Sources of inspiration may include music, visual art, poetry, quotations, the news and more. Also, participate in a workshop where you share and give feedback to your peers.

Grades 4-9 \$75

July 24-27 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Laurel Wyatt

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From Drab to Fab: Fashion Design

Explore your creative side with fashion and accessories. Create outfits from old and new materials, and then participate in a fashion show that features your talent. Learn to pair your clothes, accessories, hair and make-up in order to create a specific look designed by you!

Grades 4-9 \$75

July 24-27 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Andrea Peavler

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Game Design

Design, refine and produce a board or card game. Learn computational thinking skills, design and engineering principles and business management practices.

Grades 4-9 \$100

June 19-22 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Eric Wong

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Girl Power Leadership

Gain the tools you need to live boldly at school and in the community. Define your own beauty and self-worth by navigating healthy boundaries with friends, social media and yourself. This camp includes a series of fun, engaging and interactive activities both on and off campus.

Grades 6-9 \$110

July 17-20 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Lisa Hague

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Good Old-Fashioned Field Day

Unplug for a day and enjoy good old-fashioned field day fun! Activities include kick ball, three-legged races, water balloon tosses and much more.

Grades K-4 \$25

July 14 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Leslie Hibdon

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Introduction to Aviation

Discover the aerodynamic principles that allow airplanes to fly, and learn how pilots master them. Plan and complete a flight using a flight simulator, take a behind-the-scenes look at airport operations, and learn about the many exciting careers in aviation. Cap off your week with a flight around the Louisville area with a FAA certified pilot.

Grades 7-9 \$100

July 10-13 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Karen Alpiger

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Let's Get Crafty

Embark on a new craft theme every day. Make headbands, pillows, bags, necklaces, sweet treats and more. Your craft dreams will become a reality!

Grades 5-8 \$100

June 20-22 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Melissa Schoenbachler

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academic camps

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The Living Body: An Adventure in Dissection and Medicine

Learn what it takes to be a doctor, all while exploring the world of laboratory dissection. Dive into blood and guts as you perform in-depth dissections of animal specimen. Learn about the medical school process and different options in the medical field, including general practice, surgery, radiology and more. Interact with medical professionals like practicing physicians, physical therapists, nurse practitioners and medical students. Plus, keep your own set of dissecting tools! Warning: this camp is not for the squeamish and is guaranteed to be a bit messy.

Grades 7-9 \$125
June 12-15 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
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Mock Trial

Learn about the American judicial system and the work of trial attorneys firsthand. Actively experience a legal case by playing the roles of attorneys and witnesses. Work in teams to study the case, examine legal issues, and prepare strategies and arguments for trial. On the final day, participate in a full mock trial. You will also learn about the law school process and various areas of legal practice. See you in court!

Grades 6-9 \$60
July 10-13 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Erin Glaser
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On the Stage

Join Mercy's Theatre Department as we recreate scenes, songs and dances from the popular musicals *The Wizard of Oz*, *The Wiz* and *Wicked*! Learn fun dance steps, sing in new styles, and develop your character through song and words. This eight-day camp is designed for you to take risks, be silly, learn new things, and grow as a performer.

Ages 7-10 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. / \$75
Ages 11-16 / 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. / \$150
June 1-9
Amanda Simmons
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Page to Stage: The Art of the 10-Minute Play

See your stories come to life on stage. Learn to create your own original 10-minute play and find out how to submit it to the 2017 New Voices Young Playwright's 10-Minute Play Contest.

Grades 4-9 \$75
July 17-20 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Laurel Wyatt
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The Power of Prayer: Making and Praying the Rosary

Make your relationship with God hands-on this summer. Receive the tools and supplies to make two chain rosaries, and learn about its history as well as how to pray it. We may even visit the Sisters of Mercy to pray the rosary with them at the convent.

Grades 4-9 \$100
June 12-14 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Laurel Wyatt
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Signing at Mercy

Come discover the basics of Signing Exact English (SEE). Learn the alphabet, numbers, colors and more! We will also cover some fun summer signs. Leave camp with a t-shirt that uses SEE.

Grades 5-9 \$40
June 12-14 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Heather Blazis
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Take the Cake

This camp is for beginning cupcake artists. Learn to make cupcakes and icing from scratch, as well as how to combine the two into beautiful and tasty works of art. On the final day of camp, create cupcakes that use a secret ingredient. Judges will determine the winner based on appearance and taste. You will leave camp with decorating tools and at least a dozen cupcakes to share with your family and friends.

Grades 4-9 \$110
July 17-20 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Laurel Wyatt
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Tinker, Explore, Create, Fly!

Come join us for a week of high-flying, experimental fun! Learn the physics of flight through various hands-on activities, from creating customized planes and helicopters to flying scratch-built, remote control airplanes and drones. At the end of the week, take home your custom built, hand launch glider that showcases your newfound flight knowledge. **(Maximum 12 per session)**

Grades 5-9 \$100
July 24-27 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Steve Hammer
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¡Vámonos!

Get your passports ready to take a tour of different Hispanic cultures. Learn interesting aspects of Latin culture, including how to dance the Argentine tango, play Mexican bingo, prepare and drink mate, the national drink of Uruguay, and play an Argentinian card game with Spanish cards. Watch and learn the culture of soccer, an obsession of the Hispanic world, and learn about interesting cultural activities in Spain such as La Tomatina, the world's largest tomato fight, and the running of the bulls in San Fermín. ¡Vámonos!

Grades 6-9 \$85
July 24-27 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Ernesto Laspiur
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HIGH SCHOOL CAMP

4th Annual Summer Dissection Series

The Summer Dissection Series allows you to learn more about the animal kingdom through the dissection of a number of specimens not generally offered in high school science courses. This year's series includes, but is not limited to, mammals, reptiles, amphibians, aquatic organisms, birds and large mammalian organs. Take home a personal set of dissecting tools at the end of the week!

Grades 10-12 and Class of 2017 \$150
June 12-15 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Pat Burton
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athletic camps

Register online at mercyacademy.com/summercamps.



Archery

Beginner and intermediate archers are welcome! As a beginner, learn the fundamentals of shooting the bow and how to maintain proper form and technique. As an intermediate archer, review the proper execution of the shot, and enjoy using our 3D targets. Scoring and tournament regulations are covered, along with additional shooting aids that are tournament legal.

Grades 5-9 \$50
June 5-8 / 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Basketball

Improve your individual basketball skills in all areas of the game from Mercy coaches and current players. Work on ball handling, shooting, dribbling, passing, rebounding and defense, as well as the importance of being a team player.

Grades K-3 \$50
June 1-2
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Grades 4-9 \$75
May 30 - June 2
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.



Cheerleading

Cheer, chant and learn stunts to lead the crowd and support your team! Our current Mercy cheerleaders and coaches teach you the basics of cheerleading. From motions, stunts, jumps and tumbling to sideline and age appropriate short dances, learn what it takes to lead your team to victory.

Age 4 - Grade 8 \$50
July 31 - August 2 / 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.



Field Hockey

Train, get better and have fun! Improve your individual skills in all major fundamental areas of the game. Mercy coaches and current players teach you hitting, passing, shooting, defending and ball control. You also learn good sportsmanship and how to play as a team.

Grades 2-8 \$50
June 13-14 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.



Lacrosse

Learn and improve your lacrosse skills with current Mercy players and coaches. Practice offense, defense, throwing, cradle passing, catching, shooting and more!

Grades 4-9 \$45
July 10-11 / 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Soccer

Enjoy a three-day camp with our current coaches and players, Region 6 champions. Your sessions start with training in techniques such as finishing, passing, dribbling and ball control. Then, progress to team drills that concentrate on tactical development.

Grades 5-9 \$75
June 6-8 / 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Softball

Learn softball skills from current Mercy players and coaches. Work on hitting, base running, fielding and positions. There is also a camp specifically for pitchers to learn proper technique.

Ages 7+ \$60
July 11-13 / 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Softball Pitching

Catchers are requested but not required.

Ages 7+ \$40
July 11-13 / 5:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Volleyball

Improve your volleyball skills with Mercy coaches and current players. Work on passing, setting, hitting, blocking, serving and defense. Then, mix into teams and play six-on-six games. Our younger campers are split by age and skill level.

Learn all the fundamentals, get a picture with the Mercy volleyball players, learn a cheer, and have fun!

Grades K-2	\$50
Grades 3-4	\$50
Grades 5-6	\$85
Grades 7-9	\$85
June 5-6 / 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	
June 5-6 / 12:00 - 2:00 p.m.	
June 7-9 / 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	
June 7-9 / 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	



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Camper Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parent Phone # _____ Parent Email _____

School you will attend this fall _____

Birth Date _____ Grade Entering _____ Age _____

Please check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/> Artistic Expression	July 24-27	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Cooking for Beginners	July 10-13	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$110
<input type="checkbox"/> Computer Game Design	June 19-22	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Creative Cooking	July 10-13	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$110
<input type="checkbox"/> FaceTime with Français	July 17-20	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Flash Fiction	July 24-27	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> From Drab to Fab	July 24-27	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Game Design	June 19-22	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Girl Power Leadership	July 17-20	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$110
<input type="checkbox"/> Good Old-Fashioned Field Day	July 14	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$25
<input type="checkbox"/> High School Dissection Series	June 12-15	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$150
<input type="checkbox"/> Introduction to Aviation	July 10-13	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Let's Get Crafty	June 20-22	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> The Living Body	June 12-15	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$125
<input type="checkbox"/> Mock Trial	July 10-13	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$60
<input type="checkbox"/> On the Stage (Ages 7-10)	June 1-9	9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> On the Stage (Ages 11-16)	June 1-9	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	\$150
<input type="checkbox"/> Page to Stage	July 17-20	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> The Power of Prayer	June 12-14	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Signing at Mercy	June 12-14	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$40
<input type="checkbox"/> Take the Cake	July 17-20	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$110
<input type="checkbox"/> Tinker, Explore, Create, Fly!	July 24-27	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> ¡Vámonos!	July 24-27	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$85

Total Amount Paid: _____

Parent/Guardian Consent: I give permission for my child to participate in a Mercy Academy summer camp. I do not hold the directors, coaches or Mercy Academy responsible for injuries incurred. I also give permission for my child to be treated in case of an emergency.

Signed _____ Date _____

If registering online, your completed form and payment will serve as your parent/guardian consent. Online payment is made with a credit card. If mailing a check, please make checks payable to:

Mercy Academy, 5801 Fegenbush Lane, Louisville, KY 40228

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Camper Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parent Phone # _____ Parent Email _____

School you will attend this fall _____

Birth Date _____ Grade Entering _____ Age _____

T-Shirt Size Adult Youth XL L M S

If registering within one week of camp, your t-shirt may be given at a later date.

Please check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/> Archery	June 5-9	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Basketball (Grades K-3)	June 1-2	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Basketball (Grades 4-9)	May 30 - June 2	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Cheerleading	July 31 - August 2	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Field Hockey	June 13-14	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Lacrosse	July 10-11	6:00 - 8:30 p.m.	\$45
<input type="checkbox"/> Soccer	June 6-8	6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	\$75
<input type="checkbox"/> Softball	July 11-13	6:00 - 9:00 p.m.	\$60
<input type="checkbox"/> Softball Pitching	July 11-13	5:00 - 6:00 p.m.	\$40
<input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball (Grades K-2)	June 5-6	9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball (Grades 3-4)	June 5-6	12:00 - 2:00 p.m.	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball (Grades 5-6)	June 7-9	9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	\$85
<input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball (Grades 7-9)	June 7-9	1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	\$85

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