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## Locations

Central Catholic High School

2401 SE Stark Street, Portland, OR

Trinity Academy

7424 N Mississippi Ave, Portland, OR 97217

PSU

1951 SW 4th Ave, Portland, Oregon 97201

## Camp Highlights

- Full-Day, full-week from June 22 - August 14, 2026
- Programming day runs 9am - 4pm
- Tuition starts at \$380
- Robust cost assistance is available

### LEGO Explorers | K-2

Each day, creators will visit a new destination: climb a sunny mountain, trek through a shady forest, splash across a sparkling lake, discover treasures in a sandy desert, and build a campsite under a starlit sky. With STEAM as our guide, science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math will be our vehicle for exploration! Through building and imaginative play, students will create, explore, and bring each adventure to life!

**Date:** June 22 - 26

### Ocean Explorers | K-2

Each day, explorers will travel to a new ocean destination, from colorful coral reefs and swaying kelp forests to the depths of the deep sea. With STEAM as our guide, science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math will be our vehicle for exploration! In this camp that celebrates marine science, students will learn what makes ocean life so diverse and awe-inspiring and why protecting our seas matters.

**Date:** June 22 - 26

### Time Traveling Explorers | K-2

Jet back in time to unique and important moments in history and imagine a world yet to be known. Learn about the discoveries that set our STEAM-fueled world in motion from the wheel to modern cinema and beyond.

**Date:** June 29 - July 2

### Creature Explorers | K-2

Build, create, and inhabit animal habitats while boning up on your creature facts. From the PNW forest floor to the Amazonian canopy, the Great Barrier Reef to the Serengeti plains, discover what makes your favorite critters unique while exploring animal science all week long!

**Date:** July 6 - 10

### Mystery Lab Explorers | K-2

Observe, prove (or disprove!), hypothesize. Each day presents new science and engineering mysteries to explore. Using scientific and engineering processes, discover how the world works around you! With STEAM as our guide, science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math will be our vehicle for exploration!

**Date:** July 13 - 17

### Story Explorers | K-2

Explore story structure, character, conflict, and design worlds through story. Explorers gear up for epic drama adventure in this celebration of the arts! With STEAM as our guide, science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math will be our vehicle for exploration!

**Date:** July 20 - 24

### Magical Kingdom Explorers | K-2

Let the imagination be your guide on this journey from fantasy to real world magic. From myths and legends, to medieval times, a wizard academy, and more! With STEAM as our guide, science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math will be our vehicle for exploration!

**Date:** July 27 - 31

## LEGO Space Explorers | K-2

Explorers will travel to distant planets, build rockets, design space stations, and meet friendly aliens along the way. Each day brings a new cosmic challenge, inspiring imagination, problem-solving, and teamwork. Get ready to reach for the stars in this unique approach to space science and engineering fundamentals!

**Date:** August 3 - 7

## Experimentation Explorers | K-2

Embark on a STEAM-fueled journey where Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Math collide! The result is unique and vibrant learning experiences featuring new challenges, projects, and creations each day. This ultimate camp for the kiddo who asks "What happens when...?"

**Date:** August 10 - 14

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## Engineering Makers | 3-5

Makers embrace the engineering mindset! Expand your mind and explore gravity, force, predictability, motion, and more. The perfect camp for the builder and burgeoning designer in your house! Explore various fields of engineering, from mechanical to civil. BONUS: meet a real world engineer who gets up everyday to create solutions for the world around us!

**Date:** June 22 - 26

## Gaming Makers | 3-5

This is the ultimate celebration of games! From game theory and strategy, to characters and world building, each day makers will focus on tabletop, card, or outdoor games. Students will take the fundamentals and translate them into new games, designing and creating original elements to gamify and share. BONUS: meet a real-world professional who makes their living in Virtual Reality.

**Date:** June 29 - July 2

## Robotics Makers | 3-5

Campers use LEGOs to examine and apply the fundamentals of physics, then unpack how physics are applied to robotics! Expand your mind and explore gravity, force, predictability, motion, and more. The perfect camp for the builder and burgeoning engineer in your house!

**Date:** July 6 - 10

## Art Makers | 3-5

This artistic sampler invites students into a different world of visual art each day, exploring tactile and optical creation of both the two- and three-dimensional kind! Makers refine the skills utilized by artists of all disciplines, and embrace sharing thoughts or perspectives through various visual representations, including photography, painting, clay-work, drawing, and more! BONUS: meet a professional visual artist who makes their living creating everyday!

**Date:** July 13 - 17

## Science Makers | 3-5

In this scientific sampler, Makers exercise their curiosity! Each day features new questions. Design and conduct experiments, observe critically, and synthesize your findings to communicate your discoveries. Each week will feature fun challenges in science, technology, engineering, the arts, and math- as they are interconnected. BONUS: Makers get the chance to meet a real-world scientist and then step into their shoes to learn more.

**Date:** July 20 - 24

## Bookworm Makers | 3-5

This is the camp for those who love all things story! Every day will feature unique literary challenges alongside a progressive project as students work individually, in pairs, and in small groups to form their own book club as unique as the campers who attend. BONUS: Makers will meet an author and illustrator who writes and makes zines for a living!

**Date:** June 27 - 31

## Play Makers | 3-5

Assemble the ensemble and devise your own original story to be shared with an audience! Makers explore each component of theatrical storytelling, from playwriting to directing, designing to performing.

**Date:** August 3 - 7

## Animation Makers | 3-5

Students delve into the world of animation! Researching, writing, character development, storyboarding, and coding fundamentals will make for a special camp experience.

**Date:** August 10 - 14

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## Entrepreneurial Creators: | 6-8 Commerce Lab

Step into your confident self in this innovative learning experience! Creators will design their own product concepts while exploring graphic design, branding, public speaking, and budgeting. Each day will feature unique challenges facing entrepreneurs today, alongside progressive work that culminates in a final sharing of their work for family and friends. This deeper dive focuses on skills and process, while ensuring collaboration and practical real world advice.

**Date:** June 29 - July 2

## Entrepreneurial Creators: | 6-8 Social Impact Lab

What do you care about? How can you create a business that supports your passions? Energize your summer by combining community-centered business modeling alongside fun and dynamic digital marketing tools. Receive feedback and support from an emerging group of caring professional entrepreneurs in a pitch session and fine-tune your own approach.

**Date:** July 6 - 10

## Future Creators: | 6-8 Machine Learning Lab

Join this unique one-to-two week camp experience designed to future-proof critical thinkers! Blending hands-on project based learning, creators will learn how AI systems actually work to better understand how machines learn. With a focus on pattern recognition, data analysis, and utilizing kid-friendly tools for understanding fundamental programming concepts, these creators will be ready to approach the world in a more informed way. BONUS: they'll have a blast doing it! The outcome this first week will be to train a variety of models to share with family and friends.

**Date:** July 13 - 17

## Future Creators: | 6-8 Robotics Learning Lab

Join this unique one-to-two week camp experience designed to future-proof critical thinkers! With a focus on turning AI into action, creators will explore a range of robotics applications and designs. Building, coding, and creating machines that can move, identifying why AI can still make mistakes, and leveraging the invention mindset to apply robotics solutions to real world problems.

**Date:** July 20 - 24

## Athletic Creators | 6-8

Go behind the scenes of the sports industry to explore the diversity of professions and skills necessary off-the-field! From sports medicine to journalism, sports broadcasting to coaching/managing, we are redefining the concept of "team" in this exciting exploration of who it takes to play the games we love. Students will build leadership and communication skills while discovering how a love of sports can turn into a future career.

**Date:** July 27 - 31

## Animation Creators | 6-8

Give life to your ideas and stories! This camp invites students to enliven their imaginings by creating moving images. Start by tackling the process of translating an idea to the story, then get to know the software needed to craft dynamic animations. Campers apply their learnings to a final project to be shared with an audience!

**Date:** August 3 - 7

## Engineering Creators | 6-8

Dive into possible solutions to real-world problems, leveraging a range of engineering skills and disciplines. Digging into different types of Engineering, explore state-of-the-art research labs and engage first-hand in the power of engineering design, to imagine a more inclusive future for STEAM.

**Date:** August 17 - 21

## Sustainability Creators | 6-8

Spend a week identifying key challenges our climate is facing! Build your knowledge and creative brainstorm with like-minded planet-oriented friends experimenting with the unique ways our ecosystems are connected. From building water filtration systems to harnessing energy for good, this is a week powered by the imagination.

**Date:** August 10 - 14

*Follow your curiosity.*

