




SPORTS CAMP
K-5th grade
 This action-packed camp is for athletes of all kinds. Through daily scrimmages and drills that emphasize sportsmanship and teamwork, kids fine-tune their sports skills and learn new games, techniques, and sports, so there's always something for every skill level. Each afternoon, they play an all-Sports Camp game, which brings all ages together to play traditional games like capture the flag and kickball.



X CAMP
5th-8th grade
 Get out and explore! X Camp combines extreme activities—like trampolining, indoor skydiving, and paintballing—with a love for the great outdoors. This camp is two parts outdoor Xploration and one part Xtreme sports! So get ready for a fun summer of paddle boarding, hiking, ultimate Frisbee, parkour, and so much more.



SPECIALTY CAMPS
2nd-8th grade
 These week-long specialty camps have something for everyone! Learn to fish in the great outdoors, design your own fashion line, bake and cook recipes from around the world, take amazing photographs, get laughs with your improv acting skills, and more.




SCIENCE CAMPS powered by Pacific Science Center
2nd-6th grade
 Science Camps are perfect for curious campers who want to explore how things work and why. With their innovative and interactive curriculum, teachers from the Pacific Science Center help young scientists discover chemistry, unlock the science of candy making and amusement parks, bust science myths, survive in the outdoors, and so much more. Get ready for hands-on experiments that will expand your world!



ART CAMPS
2nd-8th grade
 Get creative and discover your inner artist. Led by our outstanding specialists, Ellen Hochberg and Smart with Art, kids will use a variety of media to explore Minecraft, manga, and Pokemon; take a cross-country artistic road trip; create art that gives back and empowers; and cheer on Seattle sports teams. And that's just the beginning! Join us in the art studio and uncover a world of possibilities.

COUNSELOR IN TRAINING
9th-10th grade
 Our Counselor in Training (CIT) program facilitates the transition from camper to counselor. CITs plan programs, lead activities, and help supervise campers. A combination of classroom learning and time with campers helps teens develop valuable skills for working with kids, become role models in our community, and prepare to be future SJCC Summer Camp counselors.



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If you aren't yet members of the J, you can get a discount on your camp registration with our summer family membership. Join from Memorial Day to Labor Day for \$199—and no joining fee—and get access to the J's indoor pool, Fitness Center, and group exercise classes for no additional charge.

You also get swimming lessons and SJCC Cultural Arts events at reduced members-only rates.

To learn more, visit www.SJCC.org or drop by our Welcome Desk.





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CAMP GARINIM
Pre-Kindergarten (half-day camp 9:30am-1:30pm)
 Camp Garinim (seeds) is the perfect way for our youngest campers to get their first taste of the joy of summer camp. Children spend the morning cooking, exploring nature and art, conducting science experiments, and playing outside, while making new friends and having fun in the sun with their counselors. This camp may only be half the day, but it will be ALL fun!



CAMP KATAN
Kindergarten
 Katan (little) campers experience it all: art, science, sports, drama, cooking, storytelling, and outdoor exploration. A full-day camp for some of our youngest kids, Camp Katan has one of our lowest camper-to-counselor ratios and features programs specifically for



CAMP KEF
K-5th grade
 Our signature camp is the best way for campers to try everything SJCC Summer Camp has to offer. "Kef" means fun in Hebrew—and that's exactly the kind of summer you'll have with us! From active group games to energetic song circles to messy science experiments and creative art projects, Camp Kef does it all. Kids also get to pick elective activities (called chuggim), like Hebrew, cooking, or art, so they can focus on their



CAMP MAGNIV
K-5th grade
 Experience camp through the lens of Israel and Israeli culture. Not only do Magniv campers get to enjoy our traditional camp programs, their counselors—all native Hebrew speakers—lead them on explorations of the art, food, and atmosphere of Israel, all in Hebrew. Kids don't have to speak fluent Hebrew to participate, but the majority of camp will be conducted in Hebrew.

PERFORMING ARTS CAMP
1st-8th grade
 If you love to dance, sing, act, and perform, then this is the camp for you! PAC campers learn to express themselves, hone theater skills, and problem-solve as they work together to create their very own show. Each three-week session culminates in a performance for friends, family, and fellow campers. Offstage, these kids swim, enjoy boating and archery, take weekly field trips, and more. Turn this summer into your moment to shine!





SJCC Summer Camp is more than a day camp. It's a place where kids can **explore nature, discover interests and talents**, activate their imaginations, **challenge themselves**, create friendships, gain confidence, and **learn through play!** With our top-notch partners (like Pacific Science Center and Smart with Art) and our kid-tested programs, we create an **environment of self-exploration**, a **culture of compassion and inclusivity**, a **celebration of Jewish life and values**, and above all, **FUN!**

The first step to an amazing summer is finding the right camp for your kids. The chart to the right outlines all our camps; find your child's grade in fall 2017 and then select the options that work best for your family. You can join us all summer or whenever fits your schedule.



- All our campers get to enjoy things like:
- boating on Lake Washington in our kayaks, canoes, and paddleboards
 - singing, dancing, and showing off their *ruach* (spirit) at all-camp morning rallies
 - weekly field trips to places such as Family Fun Center, Elevated Sportz, Safeco Field, local beaches, and tons of other fun spots around Puget Sound
 - camper-to-counselor ratios of 7:1
 - swimming in our indoor pool at least three times a week
 - archery in our Keshet Community Garden
 - meeting campers and staff from Israel
 - watching amazing performers and celebrating together at Friday all-camp Shabbats

- New this summer:
- add-on outdoor adventure overnight trips for middle schoolers
 - fashion design, improv, fishing, and even more cooking camps
 - additional bus routes to/from Issaquah and Bellevue

With so many options to choose from, you may want help figuring out how to maximize your child's experience this summer—feel free to contact me and we'll work together to plan something great.

See you this summer!

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FIND THE RIGHT CAMP

FIND YOUR CHILD'S GRADE FOR FALL 2017

PICK ONE-WEEK AND THREE-WEEK CAMPS

REGISTER AT WWW.SJCC.ORG

OUR JAM-PACKED SUMMER INCLUDES SEVERAL OPTIONS FOR BUSY FAMILIES.

See if these would make summer easier for you (all options include additional fees):

- Morning and afternoon care
- Swim lessons from our award-winning Aquatics team, available mornings and afternoons
- Transportation from locations around Seattle (north Seattle, South Lake Union, Madrona, south Seattle/Seward Park, and West Seattle) and Redmond/Microsoft

SCHOLARSHIPS & DISCOUNTS

The Stroum Jewish Community Center is pleased to offer financial assistance for camp, both through scholarships and discounts for first-time campers. New campers are eligible for a \$150 per child discount for at least a three-week session. Funds are limited; register early. For more information, contact SJCC Registrar Beth Rosen at BethR@sjcc.org or 206-388-1995.

		Camp Garinim (half-day)		Camp Katan		Camp Kef		Camp Magniv		Performing Arts Camp	Sports Camp		X Camp		Specialty Camps		Art Camps		Science Camps		CIT	
Session I	Week 1 June 19-23 Islander Week	Pre-K		K		K-5					K-5		5-8		Junior Photography 2-4						9-10	
	Week 2 June 26-30 Carnival Week	Pre-K		K		K-5					K-5		5-8		Oodles of Noodles 5-9		Party in the USA 2-4		Robotic Rangers 2-4	ChemLab 4-6	9-10	
	Week 3 July 3-7 no camp July 4 Around the World	Pre-K	Pre-K	K	K	K-5	K-5	K-5	K-5	1-8	K-5	K-5	5-8	5-8	Let Them Eat Cake! 5-8		Minecraft 4-6	Art of Israel 2-4	Amusement Park Science 2-4		9-10	
	Week 4 July 10-14 Earth Week	Pre-K		K		K-5		K-5			K-5		5-8		Chefs Around the World 2-4	Fashion Design: Concept to Garment 5-8	Forecast is Art 2-4		Rhythms of Nature 2-4	Get Set to Be a Vet 4-6	9-10	
Session II	Week 5 July 17-21 Through the Ages	Pre-K		K		K-5		K-5			K-5		5-8		Breakfast Club 5-8	SJCC Fashion Week 5-8	Castles and Dragons 2-4		Wet and Wild 2-4	What's Up Doc 2-4	9-10	
	Week 6 July 24-28 Heroes	Pre-K	Pre-K	K	K	K-5	K-5	K-5	K-5	1-8	K-5	K-5	5-8	5-8	Bubbe's Baking 5-8	Costume Styling and Design 2-4	WA All Stars 2-4		Survival 2-4	Young Physicians 4-6	9-10	
	Week 7 July 31-Aug 4 Animals	Pre-K		K		K-5		K-5			K-5		5-8		Sephardic Cooking Camp 5-8	Beginner's Fishing 5-8	Mastering Manga 2-4		Candyology 2-4	Underwater Machines 6-8	9-10	
Session III	Week 8 August 7-11 Music Week			K		K-5					K-5		5-8		Improv 5-8		Empowering Art 2-4	The Art of Giving: Microloans 5-8	Laboratory Wizards 2-4	Nature's Notebook 6-8	9-10	
	Week 9 August 14-18 Beach Week			K	K	K-5	K-5			1-8	K-5	K-5	5-8	5-8	Junior Photography 2-4		Aloha Art 2-4		Science Myths Busted 2-4	Duct Tape Challenge 4-6	9-10	
	Week 10 August 21-25 Best of Camp!			K		K-5					K-5		5-8		Photography 5-8		Where the Wild Things Art 2-4		Get Set to Be a Vet Junior 2-4	Splash Science 4-6	9-10	
PRICES M = SJCC MEMBERS G = GUESTS prices for Week 3 will be discounted because of July 4																						
		ONE WEEK M \$145 G \$180	THREE WEEKS M \$355 G \$395	ONE WEEK M \$295 G \$335	THREE WEEKS M \$705 G \$810	ONE WEEK M \$295 G \$335	THREE WEEKS M \$705 G \$810	ONE WEEK M \$355 G \$395	THREE WEEKS M \$705 G \$810	THREE WEEKS M \$705 G \$810	ONE WEEK M \$295 G \$335	THREE WEEKS M \$705 G \$810	ONE WEEK M \$355 G \$395	THREE WEEKS M \$845 G \$950					ONE WEEK M \$355 G \$395			
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Save 10% when you register early - by April 6

Get the member price when you join the J for the summer for \$199 per family

Camp hours are 9:30 am until 4 pm. Morning care opens at 7 am. Afternoon care closes at 6 pm.