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Each summer, the district hosts a tuition-based Summer Academy. The Academy offers supportive ELA and Math classes and academic-based enrichment courses. The enrichment courses aim to encourage participation and provide additional academic time for our students. In addition, the District partners with the Pleasant Dale Park District. This partnership allows parents to send their children to day camp in the afternoons. This configuration provides parents with a full day of child care. Summer Academy this year was held at the Middle School.

Mr. Emso served as this year's Summer Academy administrator. The program hosted 172 students enrolled in 38 courses. The district once again offered Achievers Math and ELA courses this summer. The ELA program again used the Lit Camp curriculum, combining innovative lessons with an engaging and interactive summer camp approach. Teachers in K-3 also integrated foundational skills instruction from programs such as From Phonics to Reading, Wilson, and Foundations. For our Math classes, teachers utilized the Bridges Intervention program.

In addition, the district offered enrichment courses which were a major draw for our students (see offerings below).

- Around the World Cooking
- Messy Mornings
- P.E Around the World
- Sports of All Sorts
- Creativity Lab
- A Craft a Day
- Silly Science
- Exploring Our Amazing Earth
- It's A Party!
- Kickstart Kindergarten
- Games Galore
- Storyboards: Fun with Animation
- Mathemagicians
- Game and Puzzle Mania

The goal of the Summer Academy program is to provide high-quality programs at a fair cost. Likewise, the administration's goal is for the program to break even.

Year	2019	2021	2022	2023	2024
Enrollment	140	190	181	175	172
District Financial Output	\$3,941.25	-\$17.244	\$3937.10	\$92	\$476.35