



EAST GREENWICH COMMUNITY SERVICES



2026

Summer **CAMP**

Guide

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Important Registration Information

EG Residents:

- **Registration for Specialty Camps opens Wednesday, April 8th at 10:00am.**
- **Registration for Playground Camps opens Wednesday, April 15th at 10:00am.**

Non-Residents:

- **Registration for both Playground & Specialty Camps opens Friday, April 17th at 10:00am.**

Register online @ egrecreation.recdesk.com



For more information on any of our youth programs please contact our Recreation Supervisor

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Playground Camps 2026

EG Rec Playground Camps are day camps for children entering grades 1-6. New this Summer: we will have TWO Playground Camp locations (not three): **Eldredge and Cole Middle School.** Eldredge has full and half-day options, while Cole has only half-day options. All half-day campers attend for the full day on Friday.

Each day, campers participate in fun activities like arts & crafts, sports, and outdoor games. We have visitors/small trips every Wednesday and big field trips every Friday.



Dates	Days	Times	Weekly Fee Resident	Weekly Fee Non-resident
6/29-8/7 (no camp 7/3)	Mon-Fri	9:00a-4:30p (FD)	\$225 (FD)	\$235 (FD)
		11:30a-4:30p (HD)	\$170 (HD)	\$180 (HD)

Friday Field Trips!

	Eldredge	Cole
Week 1	United Skates	United Skates
Week 2	TBD	Battlegroundz
Week 3	RWP Zoo	RWP Zoo
Week 4	Mystic Aquarium	Mystic Aquarium
Week 5	Urban Air A.P.	Urban Air A.P.
Week 6	South County Cinema	Adventureland

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April Vacation Week

During school vacation weeks, EG Rec offers several 2-day morning camps followed by a daily afternoon field trip.

Camp times: 9:00am-12:00pm

Afternoon trips: 1:00pm-4:00pm

If staying all day, please bring a bagged lunch

Camp descriptions and fees are online @

egrecreation.recdesk.com

April 21 & 22 Camps

Circus Tumbling

Aquatic Animals

Soccer

Chess

Teen Chess

April 23 & 24 Camps

Kids Yoga

Carr's Mini Camp

Singing & Songwriting

Robotics & Circuitry

Library Coding Camp**

Ages

4-8

5-12

11-14

Ages 8-11

**9:30-11:30; transportation available if registered for afternoon EG Rec trip

Afternoon Trips

4/20: Mystic Seaport Museum

4/21: Topgolf

4/22: Art Studio

4/23: Roger Williams Zoo

4/24: Adventureland



Babysitter Training

Ages 11-15

4/20

9am-4pm

Specialty Camps 2026

All Specialty Camps except for our Off-Site Camps (see pg 8) take place at Cole Middle School from 9:00am-11:00am Monday-Thursday. Campers can combine a Specialty Camp with a half-day Playground Camp for a full-day of fun. Please note: unlike previous summers, there is no bus transportation from Cole Middle School to Eldredge Playground Camp.

June 29-July 2 Week 1	July 6-9 Week 2	July 13-16 Week 3
Tennis Basketball Chess Camp Kidzart Zoofari Kids Yoga	Dance Camp Tennis Mural Mania Interactive Coding Carr's Camp Kids Yoga Soccer Stitch & Sew: Mythical Creatures	Dino Design w/ LEGOs Tumbling Camp Jurassic Engineering w/ LEGOs Tennis Basketball Carr's Camp Chess Camp T. Swift Camp
July 20-23 Week 4	July 27-30 Week 5	Aug 3-6 Week 6
Circuit Makers Young Engineers Business & Bubbles Carr's Camp Cheer Skills Camp Comics & Crafts Theater Prod Camp (Wk 1 of 2) Soccer	Nocturnal Animals Tennis Business & Bubbles 2.0 Video Game Design Basketball Carr's Camp Theater Prod Camp (Wk 2 of 2) Stitch & Sew: Love	Kidzart Candyland Singing & Songwriting Space Camp Tennis Basketball Carr's Camp Dungeons & Dragons T. Swift Camp CSI Camp (gr 5-8)



Grades 1-3
Grades 3-6
Grades 1-6



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Science/Education Specialty Camps



Interactive Coding

Participants will craft stories and games using Scratch programming and Makey Makey boards. They will also complete various circuitry projects like musical instruments and video game controllers.

Instructor: Circuit Lab Staff
Cost: \$130 residents; \$135 NR
Grades 3-6: Week 2

Dino Design Using LEGOs

Travel back to the Jurassic era in this hands-on STEM adventure! Design habitats for gentle herbivores, and uncover the secrets of power predators. An adventure packed with building, problem-solving, and imagination!

Instructor: Play-Well TEKnologies
Cost: \$130 residents; \$135 NR
Grades 1-3: Week 3

Circuit Makers

Create your own electronics such as light-up greeting cards, electric games, and even musical instruments. Classes consist of a circuitry lesson followed by a hands-on project.

Instructor: Circuit Lab Staff
Cost: \$130 residents; \$135 NR
Grades 1-3: Week 4

Jurassic Engineering Using LEGOs

Dive into the world of dinosaurs through the lens of engineering and science in this LEGO-powered STEM camp! Build secure habitats, go on expeditions to discover elusive species, and so much more!

Instructor: Play-Well TEKnologies
Cost: \$130 residents; \$135 NR
Grades 3-6: Week 3

Young Engineers

Dive into the world of engineering! Topics include circuitry, robotics, coding, and renewable energy. Activities include programming robots to go through an obstacle course, designing wind turbines, and so much more!

Instructor: RI Computer Museum
Cost: \$170 residents; \$175 NR
Grades 3-6: Week 4

Business & Bubbles

Participants will explore key business concepts like entrepreneurship, public speaking, branding, and franchise development—all while creating their own bath and body products!

Instructor: Kim @ Home Party Solutions
Cost: \$160 residents; \$165 NR
Grades 1-6: Week 4

Business & Bubbles 2.0

Take your business skills to the next level! This camp builds on many of the business concepts covered in the Week 4 camp through fun challenges, team projects, etc. At the end of the camp, pitch your business “shark tank” style!

Instructor: Kim @ Home Party Solutions
Cost: \$160 residents; \$165 NR
Grades 3-6: Week 5

Nocturnal Animals

Explore the night world of owls, raccoons, fireflies, and bats! Learn how to see, hear, move, and more as we create crafts, play games, and go on outdoor adventures!

Instructor: 15-Minute Field Trips
Cost: \$70 residents; \$75 NR
Grades 1-3: Week 5

Chess Camp

World-class instructors will teach your child important chess skills like problem-solving, patience, and analytical thinking.

Instructor: Chess Master Connections
Cost: \$175 residents; \$185 NR
Grades 1-6: Week 1 & Week 3

Space Camp

Explore outer space, learning about constellations and the phases of the moon through art and STEM activities. Activities include the Alien Olympics and designing a recycled spaceship.

Instructor: 15-Minute Field Trips
Cost: \$70 residents, \$75 NR
Grades 1-3: Week 6

Video Game Design

Discover the magic behind your favorite video games with Scratch, MIT’s beginner-friendly coding platform! Learn to design scenes, add sound effects, and bring characters to life. Create your own video game sample to share with friends and family!

Instructor: RI Computer Museum
Cost: \$170 residents, \$175 NR
Grades 3-6: Week 5





Art & Theater Specialty Camps



Stitch & Sew

In this engaging class, you will learn the basics of hand-sewing to make stuffed animals! Week 2 projects include fairies, gnomes, elves, and unicorns. Week 5 projects include hearts, flowers, and X-O tic-tac-toe boards.

Instructor: Anna Dufresne

Cost: \$145 residents; \$150 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 2 Theme: Mythical Creatures; Week 5 Theme: All the Love

Mural Mania

Join Jamie from ArtsyJam for an art-filled week! Campers will work together to design, create, and paint a mural for the EG community to enjoy.

Instructor: Jamie Steinfeld

Cost: \$150 residents; \$155 NR

Grades 3-6: Week 2

T. Swift Fandom Camp

Calling all Swifties! Sing, dance, and craft your way through the week with songs from all eras. Build friendships, show your creativity, and have a blast in true Swiftie spirit!

Instructor: Anna Dufresne

Cost: \$145 residents; \$150 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 3 & 6

Singing & Songwriting Camp

Express your own unique voice and message through writing your own original songs! This camp is a combination of guided musical instruction with unstructured, creative song-writing time. Perform your songs at the end!

Instructor: Abby White

Cost: \$160 residents; \$170 NR

Grades 1-3: Week 6

Dungeons & Dragons Camp

Campers will make characters, roll the dice to make choices, and work together to tell exciting stories. Stretch your imagination with friends while searching vast dungeons and battling great dragons! All skill levels welcome!

Instructor: Aron Parisi

Cost: \$115 residents; \$120 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 6



Kidzart Camp

Come have a blast developing your creativity and learning new art techniques. If you can dream... you can draw!

Instructor: Julie from Kidzart

Cost: \$140 residents; \$145 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 1 Theme: Zoofari

Grades 1-3: Week 6 Theme: Candyland

Dance Camp: Night @ the Movies

Campers will play dance and movement games, and learn a dance routine to perform for parents on the last day. All set to music from their favorite movies!

Instructor: Lyn Muckerheide

Cost: \$105 residents; \$110 NR

Grades 1-3: Week 2

Theater Production Camp

Join us for a two-week theater program in which everyone gets a part in a one-act play that will be performed on the last day. The process includes props, line memorization, and acting instruction.

Instructor: Valerie, Exper. in Theater

Cost: \$190 residents; \$200 NR

Grades 1-6: Weeks 4 & 5

(2-week long camp)



Comics & Crafts

Explore the world of comics by learning how to develop characters and tell stories through pictures and words. Other activities include superhero crafts, games, and pop-art name displays.

Instructor: Anna Dufresne

Cost: \$145 residents; \$150 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 4

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Sports & Fitness Specialty Camps



Basketball Camp

Join Coach Bill & EG Rec for a fun week of basketball! Camp will focus on fundamentals such as dribbling, defense, and shooting, all while having fun!

Instructor: Bill Coughlin

Cost: \$110 residents; \$120 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 1, W3, W5, & W6

Cheer Skills Camp

Campers will learn cheers, dances, motions, jumps, beginner stunting, and tumbling in a positive, welcoming environment. Throughout the week, campers will prepare an end-of-camp showcase!

Instructor: CheerWorks

Cost: \$260 residents; \$265 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 4

Tennis Camp

Coach Kristen has been coaching tennis for EG Rec for over 15 years! Master important tennis skills like the backhand, forehand, and volleying.

Instructor: Kristen Coker

Cost: \$125 residents; \$135 NR

Grades 1-3: Week 2 & Week 5

Grades 3-6: Week 1, Week 3, & Week 6

Kids Yoga

Learn the basics of yoga in a fun and welcoming setting! In addition to yoga, participants will also play fun games and do daily crafts.

Instructor: Martha Russo

Cost: \$105 residents; \$110 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 1 & Week 2

Tumbling Camp

Get tumbling with Ms. Lyn! Each camp day will include warm-ups, tumble skill stations, games, and free play!

Instructor: Lyn Muckerheide

Cost: \$105 residents; \$110 NR

Grades 1-3: Week 3

Soccer Camp

Bring your soccer skills to the next level! Through increased touches, participants will improve their decision-making skills and comfort with the ball.

Instructor: Futsal Street Soccer Staff

Cost: \$125 residents; \$135 NR

Grades 1-6: Week 2 & Week 4

Off-Site Specialty Camps



Please note: There is no bus transportation option for Carr's Camp campers to Cole Playground Camp. Please plan accordingly.

Carr's Camp

Chris Carr has been a PE teacher at Frenchtown School for more than 25 years! Her "CARR" approach is emphasized: Cooperation, Attitude, Respect, and Really Fun!

Instructor: Chris Carr

Cost: \$105 residents; \$115 NR

Grades 1-6: Weeks 2-6

Location: ***Eldredge School***

CSI Camp

Do you have what it takes to solve crimes? As a group, participants use logic, evidence, & critical thinking to keep our town safe. Taught by EG's School Resource Officers!

Instructor: Sgt. Terilli & SRO Anderson

Cost: \$100 residents; \$110 NR

Grades 5-8: Week 6

Location: ***EG Police Station***

Farm Explorers Camp

This camp is focused on farm & nature experiences. Campers will enjoy animal interactions, learning about animal care, nature exploration, arts & crafts, and games.

Instructor: Faith Hill Farm Staff

Cost: \$385

Grades 1-6: Aug. 10-14; 9am-3pm

Location: ***Faith Hill Farm***

Other Camp Opportunities!

Leaders-in-Training Program

This exciting new program for 12 & 13-year olds is perfect for former campers who are interested in being counselors one day! Each week, teens will participate in hands-on trainings that develop important skills like teamwork, leadership, and responsibility. Additionally, each week, the group goes on a “challenge” trip (think Level99 or ropes course), and two days of on-site training at one of our Playground Camp locations where they get hands-on experience alongside our camp counselors. At the conclusion of the session, LITs receive a Certificate of completion and CPR/First Aid Certification.

Session 1: July 13-17

Session 2: July 20-24

Session 3: July 27-31

Time: 9:00am-4:30pm

Location: Hanaford School

Ages: 12-13

Fee: \$225



Sample Schedule:

Monday: On-site Leadership Trainings

Tuesday: “Challenge” Trip

Wednesday: On-site PG Camp Training

Thursday: On-site PG Camp Training

Friday: CPR/First Aid Training & Pizza Party

Counselor-in-Training Program

We’re excited for another summer of our Counselor-in-Training program! This summer, the program will be for ages 14-15 who are serious about developing the necessary skills and experience to be a camp counselor. Each week, teens will participate in hands-on trainings that develop important skills like teamwork, leadership, and responsibility. Additionally, each week, the group goes on a “challenge” trip (think Level99 or ropes course), and two days of on-site training at one of our Playground Camp locations where they get hands-on experience designing camp activities and supervising camper groups. At the conclusion of the session, CITs receive a Certificate of completion and CPR/First Aid Certification.

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Summer Buddies!

At Summer Buddies, your child will enjoy an unforgettable camp experience filled with fun, friendship, and valuable life lessons. Formerly known as Safety Town, this beloved program has expanded from one week to an exciting three-week camp.

Each week, a special guest will visit to talk with campers about recognizing potential dangers and making safe choices in everyday situations. On the other days, campers will dive into classic summer fun with arts & crafts, games, scavenger hunts, and so much more!

Week 1: July 27-31 **Week 1 Theme:** Safari Fun!
Week 2: Aug. 3-7 **Week 2 Theme:** Olympics
Week 3: Aug. 11-14 **Week 3 Theme:** Beach Day!
Time: 9:00-12:00
Location: Frenchtown School
Ages: 4-6
Fee (per week): \$100 residents; \$105 NR



Join our Team!

The East Greenwich Recreation Department is hiring for camp counselors and Summer Basketball League referees and scorekeepers. If you are interested in applying, please download an application from the town website or stop by the Rec Office to pick one up. Minimum age to apply is 15 years old.



Summer Camp FAQs

Why did Playground Camp locations change this Summer?

We decided to make these adjustments due to the ongoing construction at both the Frenchtown and Hanaford Schools. Due to the construction, playground use would be extremely limited at these sites. We felt the changes allow us to maximize our Playground Camp capacity while also allowing us to expand some of our other summer programs like our Counselor-in-Training and Summer Buddies programs.

What is your refund policy?

Playground Camps: The last day to cancel and receive a refund is June 1. After June 1st, if you need to cancel your child's registration, we can offer you a refund **IF** we are able to fill your child's spot in the camp with someone that is on the waitlist.

Specialty Camps: One week's notice is required for all cancellation requests. If it is within one week of the camp start date, we can only offer you a refund if we are able to fill your child's spot in the camp.

If my Playground Camp is sold out on a given week, can I register my child for one of the other Playground Camp sites if there are spots available in that site?

Yes; if your preferred campsite is sold out on a given week, you can sign your child up at a different campsite instead. We suggest that you also add your child's name to the waitlist at your preferred campsite in the event that a spot opens up.

Last Summer, I registered online for one of your camps, and when I went to pay, I received an error message saying that the camp was now full. How do I avoid that this Summer?

This was a common problem last Summer. In our software system (RecDesk), your spot in a given program or camp is not reserved until **AFTER** you've completed all the required documents and submitted payment.

There are several strategies you can employ to speed up the registration process so you don't lose your spot:

- Fill out the Youth Registration Form for your child(ren) in advance of April 8th. You only need to fill out this form once for each child. To fill out this form, go to our website, go to *Programs*, in the search bar, search [Youth Registration Form](#), select *Register*, and follow the prompts (for the LIT & CIT Program, fill out the *Teen Registration Form*). There is no cost to fill out the form early.
- Determine which camps you'd like to register for in advance of April 8th.
- Have your credit card with you when you begin the registration process or save your credit card information on your computer/phone.

Do you offer Scholarships?

Yes, scholarships are available for our Playground Camps for families that are signed up for the School Department's free or reduced lunch program. Please visit our website or stop by the Rec Office to pick up a [Scholarship Application](#). Please note: the maximum amount awarded is \$350 per child per year.

