A Different Kind of Summer Program

Summer here in Minnesota seems like a fleeting moment (especially after a winter like this one). Saint Thomas More embraces this notion and promotes it. The needs of children and families are different in the summer than in the school year. Children like to spend weeks at grandma's house and go to camp and have play dates and take vacation, seemingly all at the same time. But, they can also "get bored" and need a change of pace.

Saint Thomas More Preschool and Extended Day for School Age Children offers a flex-enrollment option for children and families. Children can attend STM Summer based on family scheduling, on specific trips or activities that are offered. Families are asked to preview a calendar a month at a time and select the dates that you want or need to spend the day. Are you a fan of arts-n-crafts and going on an excursion like Crystal Caves? No need to commit for the week, simply select those activities. Is grandma looking to spend a little time with her grandchildren? No need to fret over "vacation" weeks and excess tuition commitments. Simply do not commit to those dates that the children will be at grandmas, at camp or on a play-date. It's that simple. STM's Summer Program is open to all children in our community regardless of school choice.

OUR FAST FACTS:

We accept children 33 months and potty trained – children in 6th grade.

We offer 2 programs, Full Day Preschool and School Age Programming

All children in our community regardless of school choice.

We are located at the corner of Summit Avenue & Lexington Avenue

All staff have extensive backgrounds in Early and Elementary Education

Preschool Tuition ranges from \$50 - \$55 per day

School Age Tuition ranges from \$40 - \$45 per day

Trips are not included in the tuition rate and are billed only after they are completed.

2 playgrounds, both fenced in, Secured facility

Operates June 9^{th} - August 22^{nd} (closed July 4^{th}), 7 AM - 6 PM

A snap shot of planned trips and activities:

Central Park-Roseville

Kidscreate Studio- Onsite

Raptor Center- show & picnic

Crystal Cave- tour, gold panning & picnic

Tamarack Nature Center- class, play park & picnic

Base Camp at Fort Snelling & picnic

Chutes & Ladders-picnic & play

Walking trips for snacks, lunch & to parks

Farmer's Market & Cooking

More to come...

For more information, to preview the summer calendar offerings or to enroll, call STM at 651-224-9316 or email summer@morecommunity.org. Detailed summer information and applications will be available via our website www.morecommunity.org after spring break!