

SUMMER



Willamette Kids Summer Session Weekly Themes June 15th to September 3rd 2026



JUNE

Week 1: June 15 – June 19

Boats, Fishing, and why we love DAD - The kids will build a boat out of boxes to row, row, row their way to lots of fun! They'll also practice their fishing skills with games and activities in the classroom. They will make a fun craft as a gift for Father's Day.

Week 2: June 22 – June 26

Ocean Life - Jelly fish, sharks, and octopi, oh my! Your kids will dive into a fun week of exploring sea creatures, shells, and the mysteries of the deep. They'll try some unique deep sea themed snacks and watch a fascinating presentation from marine biologists.

JULY

Week 3: June 29 – July 3

Let's Celebrate Independence Day! Bring on the Red, White and Blue! Fireworks, picnics, and a celebration of freedom. This week kids will learn about the history of our country and what makes this such a great place to live! God bless the USA!

Week 4: July 6 – July 10

Beach Party Animals! There's so much to explore about the vast oceans! But there is also a lot of animal activity on the beaches and in tide pools. The kids will discover creeping and crawling beach life along with birds and other creatures they might see at the beach this summer!

Week 5: July 13 – July 17

We All Scream for Ice Cream! The kids will make their own popsicles and frozen treats this week. Watermelon and berry parfaits and lots of water play outside. What about a giant chalk mural on the covered walkway? But don't drop your ice cream cone!

Week 6: July 20 – July 24

Super Hero Week! Kids will discover what makes them super and design their own superhero capes, masks, and emblems. They'll discover that their greatest super power is Kindness and they will learn all about the Kindness of Jesus and how He gives us the supernatural strength to Love!

Week 7: July 27 – July 31

Once Upon a Time - Fairytales, dragons, princesses, and knights! Each classroom will have fun telling stories about chivalry in fantastical lands of their imagination. The kids will design and create props for a fairytale puppet theater and tell stories to one another.

AUGUST

Week 8: August 3 – August 7

Campout Week - Tents in the classroom? You bet! Complete with s'mores and a make-believe campfire, we will go on a bear hunt many times and explore nature and different types of trees and plants. After the picnics we will spend a whole day just for practicing camping safety!

Week 9: August 10 – August 14

Woodland Creatures Discovery - Where can we find bears, wolves, moose, and owls? In and amongst trees and in the mountains and woodlands. We will discover many of God's amazing creatures and even make a burrow like a bunny rabbit.

Week 10: August 17 – August 21

Bubbles, Balls, and Balloons! - How many fun round shapes can you think of? How big can a bubble get? Have you ever painted with balloons? We'll find out the answers to these questions and so much more with lots of kicking, throwing, and making goals!

Week 11: August 24 – August 28

Space Exploration Week - Do you want to be an astronaut when you grow up? Why wait! This week we will look at God's amazing universe. Crafts, songs, and activities will all be space-themed. We will also make space helmets for an imaginary trip to the moon!

Week 12: August 31 – September 3

Let's Play School! - Kids will pretend they are teachers and students in a Kindergarten class and have a visit by a real school bus. We will learn bus stop safety and hear from a school bus driver all about the rules of the road. For all the kids going on to