

The
Study
Hall



Changing Minds...Changing Lives

April 2, 2010

Dear Parent,

It is with great enthusiasm that we kick off this year's Camp Exploration enrollment process. This year's theme will be "Diversity in Sports". Each week our scholars will have the opportunity to learn non-traditional sports such as hiking, hockey, ice skating, swimming, and more. We will also be partnering with the FITWIT Foundation to facilitate a daily boot camp style fitness class. If your scholar is in 3rd-5th grade they will have the opportunity to attend one week of sleep away camp at Camp Grace in Roberta, Georgia. Our Academic Coaches will also be working to ensure your child is ready for their next grade level by providing a host of academic enrichment activities and tutorial lessons.

If your child is currently enrolled in TSH, registration will begin on **Monday, May 3, 2010 and last through Friday, May 7, 2010**. You can register between the hours of 10:00am – 7:00pm. Families interested in enrolling their child in the program and are not currently enrolled in after-school, will have the opportunity to begin registering on Wednesday, May 5, 2010. As a reminder enrollment is on a first come first served basis and slots are not held for any reason.

Prior to the beginning of summer camp, you will be requested to attend a mandatory orientation session on Saturday, May 22, 2010 from 10:00am – 11:30am with your child/children. At orientation you will receive a packet that will include a summer calendar outlining our itinerary, curriculum, and any additional documentation your child may need to participate in special activities. Orientation will also be an opportunity for your scholar to meet their classmates and our summer team members.

As a reminder Camp Exploration will begin on Monday, June 7, 2010 and end on Friday, July 22, 2010. Our hours of operation will be 7:30am-3:30pm. Although we will not offer pick-up service, we will transport your child home promptly at 3:30pm, if you reside within our drop-off vicinity. TSH will also offer 22 slots in our after-care program 3:30pm-6:00pm. Participants that are signed up for after-care must be picked up. If you are interested in signing your scholar up for after-care, please make a note of this on your registration form.

Summer camp will cost \$200.00 for K-2nd graders and \$230.00 for 3rd – 5th graders. This fee includes all supplies, field trips (including one week of sleep away camp for our 3rd-5th graders), meals, and snacks. For each additional child enrolled per family there will be a \$5.00 discount per child. (i.e. 1st Child \$200, 2nd Child \$195) If you are interested in

registering your child for after-care there will be an additional fee of \$50.00 for the entire summer.

The first installment of \$100.00 is due at the time of registration for each child enrolled. The remaining portion of your families summer camp fees will be due on June 7, 2010. TSH will accept payment via cash or money order. No personal checks will be accepted. We must also inform all CE families that non-payment of summer camp fees without communication to the Program or Executive Director will require your scholar's slot to be forfeited. *If you are interested in applying for scholarship for summer camp, please see Mrs. Beatrice Copeland, Program Director.

Lastly, our summer attendance policy is as follows:

- All scholars will be allotted a one week vacation from camp, if the days absent are taken consecutively.
- All scholars will be allotted one sick day per month.
- Any scholar that is absent outside of the allotted week of vacation or sick days will forfeit their slot.
- Any extenuating circumstances can be examined on a case by case basis.

Again, thank you for your continued support of TSH, we are looking forward to a fun and exciting summer.

Sincerely,

Beatrice Copeland
Program Director