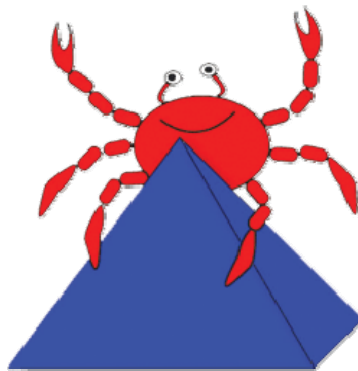


# YOUNG SCIENTISTS' CAMP 2009



For students entering 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade

**August 11 – August 22**

**Monday – Friday, 8:30AM – 12:00 PM**

If you're looking for something fun and interesting for your child to do this summer, Young Scientists' Camp is the place to be! Young Scientists' Camp is an exciting program for **children entering grades 3-8**. It allows children to explore science concepts that go beyond the regular school year curriculum. Children have fun while learning about their natural environment.

Your child will participate in two weeks of investigation and discovery. He/she will complete hands-on science investigations, meet scientists, and work in the college's science laboratories. Class-size is limited to ensure a student-teacher ratio less than 10:1. Activities from nationally acclaimed science curricula linked with California science standards will help your children make the connections between science and the real world.

**2009 Science Theme - Physical Sciences**

**3rd grade – Is it magic? No, it's science!** Figure out the science behind intriguing phenomena. Learn science that will confuse and amaze those around you.

**4th grade – Toying around with Science** Take a closer look at some popular and classic toys and games using chemical and physical sciences.

**5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade – Cool Chemistry** Pop, fizz bam! Experiment and learn the science behind different products like cosmetics, stink bombs and polymers. You'll do lots of chemical reactions including those involved in cooking.

**7th & 8th grade – Crime Solvers** Each year our middle school scientists become detectives to solve mysteries and bust crimes. Join us again this year to learn new techniques and solve new crimes. Study blood types, examine foot, lip and finger prints, analyze fiber and hair samples, do chromatography, DNA extraction and so much more.

Our friendly and knowledgeable teaching staff will create a safe and enjoyable learning environment for your child. We make science fun! Young Scientists' Camp is a memorable experience that your child will never forget! Read about last year's camp and responses from campers in the [Science Education Department Newsletter](#).

Join us for an exciting half-day program that brings students, experienced teachers, future teachers and science specialists together for 2 weeks of hands-on exploration, discovery, and fun!

### YSC Summer 2009 Important Dates & Information

**When:** August 10 – 21, 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM (Monday – Friday)

- There will be an optional Parent Orientation Night Thursday evening, August 6, 2009.
- Early drop-off (7:30 AM) is available for an additional cost.
- 49er Camp and Art Camp are available in the afternoon. **Separate registration is required.** (Other CSULB camps <http://www.csulb.edu/programs/summer-camps/>)

**Where:** Science laboratories on the campus of California State University, Long Beach

**Cost:** \$275 per student (\$25 sibling discount)

- Tuition includes a camp t-shirt & lab book and science materials
  - \$50 cancellation fee - No refunds after July 31<sup>st</sup>
- **July 31<sup>st</sup>** Last day to withdraw from camp and get a partial refund.
  - **August 6<sup>th</sup>** Parent Orientation Night. 7:15-8:15 PM in room PH1- 140 (*optional*)
  - **August 10-21** Camp. Drop off at 8:15-8:30 AM. Pick up at noon.
  - **August 21<sup>st</sup>** Camp Open House. 10:45-12:00noon. Visit your child in the lab and then join us for a snack on the lawn outside our labs.

**Registration Confirmation** Registration confirmations will be sent via e-mail

#### Drop-off/Pick-up Procedure

If you are late for drop off please walk your child to his/her classroom.

If you are late for pick-up you will find your child in PH2-133.

**Parking Information & Campus Map** - Parking details, parent orientation information and a map of campus will be mailed to registered students after June 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Updates** - Updated information about drop-off/pick-up and parent orientation will be added to the website as it becomes finalized.

**Camp Phone Number:** (562) 985-4801 *Science Education Dept.*

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