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OU's summer camps offer many activities

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Oakland University's **summer camps** offer a variety of educational and recreational opportunities for pre-school through high-school age boys and girls.

This year's schedule includes camps for arts, mathematics, science, sports and writing. Some are overnight camps, where participants stay and take meals in OU's residence halls. Other camps are for full and half days.

Those creatively inclined can participate in one of two arts camps sponsored by Oakland Schools and OU's **Department of Music, Theatre and Dance**.

OU's **Department of Mathematics and Statistics** produces the Summer Mathematics Institute, which allows bright and gifted pre-college students the opportunity to work with faculty in challenging math courses for college credit.

The **School of Education and Human Services** and the **Lowry Center for Early Childhood Education** offer five Enviro-Explorer Camps to engage children in experiences drawn from physical science, engineering, life science, mathematics, chemistry, biology and environmental science topics.

OU's **Department of Reading and Language Arts** has teamed with West Bloomfield Schools to produce a Writing Workshop designed for young, aspiring authors.

OU's **Athletics Department** offers sports camps for basketball, soccer and swimming. A new camp added this year is the Boys and Girls Parent/Youth Soccer Camp where parents can enjoy an instructional soccer experience with their children. OU's **Department of Campus Recreation** also is offering a Fun, Sports and Fitness Multisport Camp.

Other sports camps with activities planned at OU's Recreation Center include the Christian Athlete Hockey Camp, Coach Shoe and Company Boys and Girls Basketball Camp, and the NCA/NDA Cheer and Dance Camp.

For more information on each camp, including dates, ages, fees and contact/registration information, visit the **Summer Camps** Web page.

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