

Jump Start 2013

COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF MADISON COUNTY

Jump Start 2013: Information Sheet

WHAT: A One-day summer program designed to introduce incoming 6th grade students to Madison Middle School **BEFORE** the start of school. Students will take part in a variety of fun activities, learn about lockers (and how to open them), and the school's rules and procedures. The emphasis of the day will be on fun, learning, and best of all, **IT'S FREE!**

WHEN: We will be offering the same program on two different days. Students can register for only one of these sessions. To make this program available to the widest group of incoming sixth graders we have scheduled both sessions for the week just prior the first day of school. The sessions are limited to 40 students, and will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. The session dates are:

Session 1 ~ August 12, 2013 Monday

Session 2 ~ August 13, 2013 Tuesday

TIME: 8am – 5:00pm Students who need to come early or stay late will be allowed to play games or relax in the gym starting at 7am and ending at 6pm. The extended hours are to allow for working parents to be able to have their child participate. This program is designed for a full day (8am -5pm) and we ask participants to be present for the full day

WHERE: Madison Middle School. We will start and end each day in the gym. Please look for signs.

SNACKS AND FOOD: We will be providing lunch, snacks and drinks throughout the day, all at no cost. Your student may choose to bring their own lunch which is fine.

CLOTHES: We will be walking and in the gym all day so please wear tennis shoes and play clothes.

*****Helping parents get ready*****

This year Jump Start will coincide with the Middle School's **6th Grade Orientation** which will be held on the same days from **5pm to 7:30pm**. This will allow for a "one stop shopping" experience where students can come to Jump Start and Parent/Guardians can get the information they need and pay fees (etc), when they come to pick up Jump Start participants. We will also have 6th grade teachers present for parents and students to meet before the first day of school!

******All Participants must be preregistered *****

How do I sign-up to attend? You may reserve a space for your child by e-mailing or calling Communities In Schools of Madison County, C/O Tom Field at 649- 9276 ext 248 or E-mail: tfield@madisonk12.net Please include contact information (e-mail or phone), **your name, your student's name and the day you wish to participate (Monday 8/12 or Tuesday 8/13)**. You will be contacted to let you know that we have registered your child. Your child **MUST** have a signed release form on the day of the program. You may sign this when dropping off your student or print it from the web site and send it with your student on the day of the program. Printable registration forms are available at : <http://madison.communitiesinschools.org/>

Hard copies of this information sheet and the release form are also available at Hot Springs, Mar Hill or Marshall Public Libraries and at Madison Middle School.

If you have any question regarding registration PLEASE call or e-mail Tom Field.

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