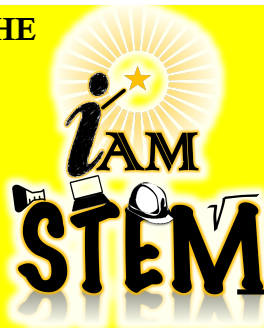


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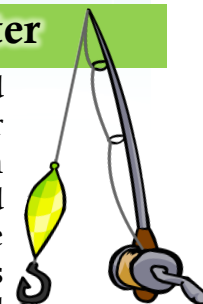








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This Week at a Glance

UF Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences Center

All K-5 students will be visiting the UF Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences (FAS) center on Thursday (K-3) or Friday (4-5). The FAS has more than 30 ponds and a fish hatchery that are used for research, teaching, and conducting demonstrations and workshops for the public. Please make sure that your child wears sneakers and sunscreen, and brings a water bottle. Students need to arrive by 8AM on their assigned day!



WEEK 3 6/26-6/30	26 You Be the Chemist (K-3) Science Encounter (4-Middle)  Swimming (ALL)	27 Tennis Lessons (ALL)  You Be the Chemist (4-Middle) UFCC (Middle) 	28 You Be the Chemist (K-3) Kids in the Kitchen (K-1) CPR in the Classroom (3-Middle) STEM GEMS Book Club (3-Middle)  Swimming (ALL)	29 UF Fisheries (K-3) Science Encounter (4-Middle) You Be the Chemist (4-Middle) UFCC (Middle) 	30 UF Fisheries (4-5) Financial Fridays with IBM (ALL) 
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***Red writing indicates off-campus activity.**

Make N' Take Night!



We are inviting ALL parents to come out next Thursday, July 6th at 6:00pm, at Caring and Sharing Learning School for our Make N' Take night. We will be demonstrating a number of science experiments, math techniques, and literacy activities, and sending you home with the resources you need to conduct these activities at home with your children. Whatever you create will go home with you. You don't want to miss this event!

Thank You!



We would like to offer a special thank you to all of the parents and students who came out to support the 1st Annual BLSSD Future Teach Me to Dance Fundraiser. It was a huge success! There were over 200 people in attendance

The cities that were represented were: Jacksonville, Pensacola, Macon, Atlanta, Warner, Robins, Houston, Dallas, Austin, Birmingham, Tampa Lakeland Orlando Charlotte North Carolina and good old Gainesville.

25 youth attended their workshops and had a BLAST! We raised roughly \$4,275 for I AM STEM camp! Also, a special thanks to Mrs. Lloyd and her team for putting the ENTIRE event together. We could have not done it without you!



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THIS WEEK'S BREAKFAST AND LUNCH MENU

MONDAY June 26th	TUESDAY June 27th	WEDNESDAY June 28th	THURSDAY June 29th	FRIDAY June 30th
BREAKFAST				
Mini Waffles or Assorted Cereal Assorted Juice Fresh Fruit Milk	Breafast Pizza Sausage or Assorted Cereal Assorted Juice Fresh Fruit Milk	Biscuit with Sausage or Assorted Cereal Assorted Juice Fresh Fruit Milk	Mini Pancakes or Assorted Cereal Assorted Juice Fresh Fruit Milk	French Toast Sticks or Assorted Cereal Assorted Juice Fresh Fruit Milk
LUNCH				
Grilled Chicken Sandwich Mixed Greens Assorted Juice	Corndog Colossal Fries Peach Cup	BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich Mixed Veggie Dunkers	Fresh-Baked Pizza Garden Side Salad Frozen Fruit Cup	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Cucumber Sticks Assorted Juice

Science Encounter

Grades 4-8 have been making models of different types of cells and their organelles. They discussed cells and played games to learn about their parts. Students also divided into groups to decide how to build their cell models. This week, the students will be learning about natural selection, ecosystems, and the food web. Be sure to ask your child to share these experiences with you!

STEM Snack Shack!



Our snack shack is still open. Students can bring in money to buy snacks after lunch or during parent pick-up.



Your child will be receiving their complimentary I AM STEM camp t-shirt THIS FRIDAY! If you would like to purchase an additional shirt, the price is \$10 per shirt.

~~Don't~~ Try This at Home

You will need:

- 1 pack of Skittles
- ¼ cup of warm water
- 1 white plate



1. Arrange the Skittles in a single row colored pattern around the edge of the plate.
2. Pour over enough warm water to cover all the Skittles and the plate itself.
3. Watch and wait as a rainbow appears on the plate, the colors will move towards the middle and create a whirl of color.

Why does this happen?!

*Email pictures of your family completing this science experiment to info@iamstemcamps.com