

**W**elcome to our Discover Camp program.

Here you will find a program filled with games, activities, and crafts to keep children motivated to learn all summer long.

Your child can

“**discover**” the wonders of our world through natural sciences, chemistry, or physics,

“**discover**” their imagination through make believe or acting, singing, and dancing in a production, and

“**discover**” America by visiting our country while never leaving home, all the time engaged in creative, active play certain to spark their imagination.

“**discover**” the world of food by planning and preparing nutritional, delicious food for snacks and meals.

“**discover**” their creative side by exploring different mediums to produce original works of art.

**Discover Camp** is held daily from 8:30am-11:30am and 1:00pm-4:00pm from June 20 – August 13 (no class July 4) for children, ages 3-7. Snack is included. The cost is \$30.00/day, \$150.00/week.

- All children require prior registration. A complete physical (not more than one year old) and a current immunization record is required. **The registration packet is required no later than the Friday BEFORE the first day of the camp.**
- \$50.00 down payment (non refundable) is due with reservation for “summer only” students. The down payment will be applied to tuition.
- “**Fun with Food**” and “**Fun with Crafts**” classes require a \$25.00 lab fee. (Due no later than the Monday the class begins)
- “Summer only” students are not required to pay a Registration fee.

# Early Childhood Learning Center of Natomas 2011

## Discover Camp Ages 3-7



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# Discover Camp

**June 20-June 24 – AM and PM**

## **Discover Science “Our World”**

Children will have fun learning about our world through the study of animals, insects, the oceans, the Earth’s crust, and space. Insight will be gained as to how precious our world is and how each of us needs to take responsibility for protecting it.

One week: \$150.00 AM and PM

**June 27 – July 15 – AM and PM (3 weeks)**

## **Discover America**

Children will discover the different regions of the 50 United States without leaving home. Each day will be filled with activities, games, cooking, and crafts that are related to a different region of America. From sea (Boston) to shining sea (Los Angeles), we will explore the sights that make our country great. The culminating activity will be a cook out with hot dogs and strawberry shortcake. No school 7/4. \$150.00 each week.

**July 18-22 -- AM and PM**

## **Discover Science “A HA!” Principle**

This one is for the curious child who has a long attention span and doesn’t mind getting their hands dirty. Children will use the scientific method while performing simple, teacher-directed experiments. Each activity will begin with asking a question, summarizing what we already know, forming a prediction, performing an experiment (or two), gathering data, and forming a conclusion. No harsh or poisonous chemicals will be used but we may create a volcano or two. “Mr. Science” will be sharing his science “magic” with us.

**July 25-August 5 - AM only (2 weeks)**

## **Discover Your Imagination “Drama/ Storytelling”**

Children will learn dramatic arts through two weeks dedicated to storytelling, singing, dancing, and acting. They will help create scenery and simple costumes for a short production held on August 4 and 5. Two weeks: \$300.00

**Aug 8-Aug 12 - AM and PM**

## **Discover Science “Power of the Earth”**

Children will learn about the Earth’s power through magnets, gears, gravity, wind/water, and the sun. Experiments will form the basis for this week as children discover the forces that drive the planet. “Mr. Science” will be returning to demonstrate these forces in nature.

**July 25 – July 29 PM only**

## **Fun with Food**

Children will learn the basics of food preparation, including measurements, following directions, nutrition, and meal planning. Each day a recipe will be followed in the areas of breakfast, lunch, snacks, baking, and frozen specialties.

\$175.00 (includes \$25.00 lab fee)

**August 1-August 5 PM only**

## **Kids Crafting**

Each day will be dedicated to a different medium. Materials found in nature, sand, beads, clay, and paint, will be used to create a variety of arts and crafts to stimulate your child’s creativity.

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