

**Applications
due
May 1, 2022**

Grant AME Church
Community Outreach Programs
Families in the Watts Community
Summer 2022

Kirkland Academy For Excellence

STEM Mania 4!



Session 1 - June 13-17, 2022

Session 2 - June 20-24, 2022

7:30 am – 4:00 pm

7th – 11th Grades

(As of September 2022)

Register Now! Space is Limited!

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Turn in applications to the church office. See address below.

Program Will Take Place At

Grant African Methodist Episcopal Church

10435 South Central Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90002

323 564-1151

Kirkland Academy For Excellence STEM Mania 4!

General Information

Overview

The Kirkland Academy For Excellence will have two distinctive programs during the Summer 2022.

- **The first program is STEM Mania 4! is designed for students who will be in 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th grade in September 2022. This program requires a separate and different application.**
- **The second program is the exciting Labor of Love Day Camp for students who will be in Kindergarten through 6th grade in September 2022.**

STEM Mania 4 ! will operate Monday through Friday, in two sessions. Session I June 13-17, 2022 and Session II June 20-24, 2022 from 7:30 am until 4:00 pm. This program is designed around science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Students will have instruction in English Language Arts and mathematics in the morning. They will have art instruction, anatomy of sharks, and physic exploration in the afternoon and take a field trip on Friday afternoon. **This program requires a different and separate application.**

Goals

There are four goals for the Kirkland Academy For Excellence STEM MANIA 4! and Summer Labor of Love Day Camp.

- To provide academically enriching activities and experiences designed to close the opportunity gap between the communities of Southern California.
- To provide nutritious meals and snacks for children during the summer months when schools are out of session.
- To provide a safe and supervised environment for children when schools are out of session.
- To increase the cultural capital of children by exposing them to enriching experiences and activities.

STEM Mania 4!

1. The morning program will consist of Mathematics and English Language Arts Instruction.
2. The Lunch Time Challenge will be a featured part of the mid-day program.
3. The afternoon will focus on anatomy and role of sharks in the ocean and exploration around the Laws of Motion.
4. Then, each week will have an afternoon field trip.



Just For Parents

Mandatory Parent Meeting

Because of the unique structure of our curriculum, we feel it is important to communicate with our families on the content, structure and expectations of these special programs.

We are holding a mandatory parent meeting on **Saturday, June 11, 2022 from 10:00 am – 11:30 am**. The meeting will be held at Grant AME Church, located at 10435 South Central Avenue, Los Angeles, 90002. Each child in our program **MUST** have an adult present at this critical meeting. **We will also discuss the field trips and have parent/guardians sign off on the permission slip.**

We look forward to working with your children this summer and exploring new horizons and exciting projects! Each week is a program of five days. Most projects are multiple day activities and require daily attendance. We need students to commit to the full five days each week. *We need your support in this matter. Thank you!*

Pick Up and Drop Off

Drop Off: Students are to be signed in by an adult each morning in the basement of the church.. Students are to be signed in no earlier than **7:30 am**. Breakfast is served from 7:30 am – 8:00 am. Camp activities begin at 8:00 am.

Pick Up: Students are to be signed out by an adult each evening no later than **4:00 pm**. Students will end the day in the lower level of the church and should be signed out downstairs.

Rules and Guidelines

We want all students to memorize the **Student Pledge** and be guided by each part. We also want students to abide by the **Agreements**. Students and parents must sign the Rules and Guidelines before STEM Mania 3! begins.

Student Pledge

I will arrive on time and come prepared to LEARN.
 I will love and respect myself as a special person that God has created.
 I will respect the rights and property of others at all times.
 I will seek EXCELLENCE in all that I do or say.

Agreements

I will follow the directions of all adults the first time they are given.
 I will keep my hands, feet, and all objects to myself.

Volunteers

Volunteer Opportunities: We need assistance with the following activities and would welcome parent volunteers. Please let the coordinators Lessie Thompson or Jacqueline Cochran know where you can support the program.

- Breakfast Supervision (7:15 am – 8:15 am)
- Lunch Supervision (11:45 am – 12:30 pm)

Field Trips

There is a field trip scheduled for each week. Students must have a signed permission slip on file in order to participate in the field trip. Students are to wear the “official” day camp tee shirt on the day of the field trip. Sometimes parent volunteers are needed for the field trips but under-age children cannot be accommodated since some field trip sites have an age requirement.

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STEM Mania 4! 2022

Kirkland Academy For Excellence

2022 Kirkland Academy for Excellence ~ STEM Mania 4!

(Grades 7th – 10th in September 2022)

Student Application

General Information				
Student's Last Name	First Name	Birth Date	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
School	Church Home	Grade (Sept.2022)	IEP <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Parent/Legal Guardian's Last Name	First Name	Email		
Address	City	State	Zip Code	
Daytime Phone	Evening Phone	Cell Phone		
3 Emergency Contacts –List on back.	Phone	Alternate Phone		

Health Information and History <i>(Use the back as necessary.)</i>
<i>Does the student have any of the following conditions?</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<i>Please list all allergies (including food)</i>
<i>Please list all medications the child is taking.</i>
<i>The student is under a physician's care for the following condition:</i>

<i>I hereby waive all claims against Grant AME Church and its employees or volunteer workers for injury, accident or illness occurring by reason of participation in The Kirkland Academy For Excellence STEM Mania 4! Science Day Camp. In case of an emergency, I authorize any licensed physician, nurse or hospital to render such medical aid as may be deemed necessary and/or desirable.</i>	
Parent's /Guardian's Signature	Date



Kirkland Academy for Excellence
STEM Mania 4! 2022
(Grades 7-10 in September 2022)

Weekly Session Registration Form

Student Name:			Siblings:		
Address:			Telephone:		
Tee Shirt Size					
<input type="checkbox"/> Child Small	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Medium	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Large	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Extra Large		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Small	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Medium	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Large	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult XL	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult XXL	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult XXXL

Please complete the information below. Each student will need a separate application.				
Session/Dates	Grade (September 2022)	Male	Female	Registration* \$15 Per Week
<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Mania 4! Session I June 13-17, 2022				
<input type="checkbox"/> STEM Mania 4! Session II June 20-24, 2022				

*Registration is \$15 per week.