



Grandparents, Grandkids, Grand Valley (G3) Camp

June 23-25, 2015

Guidelines for Planning a Session and Tentative Schedule

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- Gear the session for children 8–12 years old. Grandparents will be happy to do what children enjoy.
- Sessions should be hands-on, exploratory, and active. Please limit any lecture activity to 10 minutes at a time.
- All sessions will be 90 minutes. You may choose to expand your session by offering a “part one” and “part two”. You must then be able to fill a time span of 180 minutes. It is best to plan for more activities than you think are needed. Participants appreciate sessions that fill the full 90 minutes and experience little down time. We will plan on you arriving to your session at least 15 minutes ahead of the scheduled start time for your session. The session could consist of:
 - Academic exploration of a topic
 - Campus enrichment experience
 - Real world application
 - Technology component
- Example from Geology - Study of erosion with computer simulations and hands on activities with a stream table. Campus field trip to the ravines to see the real world impact of running water followed by a look at the abatement measures GVSU is taking to preserve the land.

The staff members at the Regional Math and Science Center are happy to discuss and explore ideas with faculty who wish to participate. Contact Margo Dill dillm@gvsu.edu (x12272) or Kathy Agee ageek@gvsu.edu (x13031).

Tentative Schedule

| Time | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday |
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| 7:30 – 9:00 a.m. | | Breakfast | Breakfast |
| Sessions 9:00 a.m – Noon | Registration 10:00 a.m. – Noon | Class Sessions Participants choose two 90 minute sessions. | Class Sessions Participants choose one 90 minute sessions. |
| Lunch Noon – 1:30 p.m. | Welcoming Lunch | Lunch | Graduation Lunch |
| Sessions 1:30–3:00 p.m. and 3:30-5 p.m. | Class Sessions Participants choose two 90 minute sessions | Class Sessions Participants choose two 90 minute sessions. | Dismissal |
| Dinner 5:00–6:30 p.m. | Dinner | Dinner | |
| Evening Activities 7:00–9:00 p.m. | Swimming Climbing Wall Games Ping-Pong Volleyball | Swimming Climbing Wall Games Ping-Pong Volleyball | |