

Costs+Schedule:

Camp is run in weekly sessions, all summer long. The first session begins on June 23rd and the last session ends on August 22nd. The camp day begins at 9:00am and ends at 3:00pm.

The cost per weekly session is \$250. Financial assistance is available: we strive to work with all families interested in attending, regardless of their ability to pay. We also accept childcare vouchers.

Extended care is available in the morning, beginning at 8:00am for \$30 per session



This camp must comply with regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and be licensed by the Somerville Board of Health.

Location:

Camp Kaleidoscope meets every weekday from 9am to 3pm, with extended care available from 8 - 5:30, at the Kennedy School in Porter Square. It's address is 5 Cherry St., Somerville, MA.

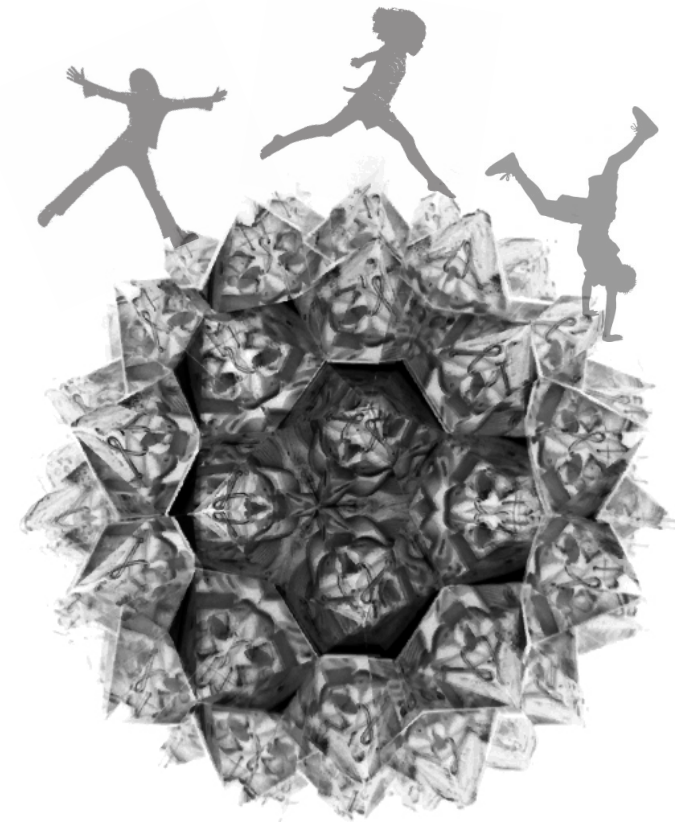
The school is a 5 minute walk from the Porter Square T stop on the Red Line.

Contact Information:

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summer 2008
june 23-august 22
ages 6-12

About:

Camp Kaleidoscope will be running for its third year this summer! Camp is for ages 6 - 12.

At camp, all projects are hands-on, and kids are free to choose what activity they want to work on. Every day, we hold a morning meeting where the counselors announce what activities they're doing, and children are invited to add their own activities to the schedule.

Children are free to do our activities, play on their own, or work with available materials, like art supplies, LEGOS, machines for taking apart, computers for making animations and games, or electronics.

We have a counselor:child ratio of 6:1, and will be accepting counselors-in-training 14 years and older this summer.



Activities:

We provide 8 - 10 activities per day for kids to do. These are ways for kids to learn the basics of making things, and for us to inspire campers to start making their own creations!

Science:

electronics
taking things apart
robotics
making computer games
photography
liquid nitrogen ice cream
lasers!

Art:

drawing and painting
music-making
t-shirt making: tie-dye and screen-printing
computer animation

plus as much time as kids want for outdoor play and games, and weekly swimming and field trips!

Camp Staff:

Mike Nagle graduated from MIT in 2005 with a degree in pure mathematics. He's taught hands-on math and science to children for the past three years, and is opening a learning center which will be an alternative to elementary school in September '08.

Will Macfarlane works at the Graduate School of Design at Harvard writing software. He has worked with children in a variety of alternative learning environments, teaching science, creative writing, and other topics.

Natasha Hawke has worked at Waldorf schools and homeschooled her own children. She has taught at the Earn-a-Bike program at Bikes not Bombs and ran her own independent bike camps. She is currently a student at Harvard getting a degree in education.

Many staff are returning from last year, such as Terry the Inventor Mentor, Dinae, Ananda, and Halley!