

Summer Groups 2010

The following are descriptions of COTI's summer group offerings. We have expanded our offerings from COTI's traditional summer groups in an attempt to meet a wider range of needs for summer programming. All groups meet once each week for six sessions with the exception of Handwriting Enrichment which meets on four consecutive days. We hope that you find something just right for you.

All groups are staffed by licensed therapists and have specific therapeutic goals. The cost of each group is calculated based to a large extent on the ratio of therapists to children. Medical insurance typically does not pay for groups. Payment in full is required by the first group session.

Individual therapy is also available during the summer. For information on individual occupational therapy please call 791-5688.

Blue Ash groups are held at COTI's main office at *4440 Carver Woods Drive, 45242*

Anderson groups are held at COTI's clinic at *7249 Beechmont Avenue, 45230*

Fairfield groups are held at COTI's satellite at *Cincinnati Christian Schools 7350 Dixie Highway, 45014*

Group Options

Language Based OT Groups

(Ages 4-6 and 6-9) This group is COTI's traditional summer group facilitated by an occupational therapy and speech therapy team. The group incorporates interactive communication in a sensorimotor environment to focus on social, language and motor goals. Maximum group size: six. Cost: \$520.

Blue Ash

Ages 4-6 Thursdays, 9:00-11:00, July 1 - August 5.

Ages 6-9 Thursdays, 12:00-2:00, July 1 - August 5.

Anderson

Ages 4-6 Tuesdays, 9:00-11:00, June 29 - August 3.

Getting In Sync (Parent/Child Team)

(Ages 3-4) This group is designed for children that have difficulty staying at that "just right" speed for the situation. Focused attention is needed for best learning to occur and the goal of this group is to help you and your child experience that "just right" place using a variety of sensory motor experiences. A parent will be included in all activities in order to learn sensory strategies with your child. Children should have age appropriate language and cognitive skills to benefit from this group. Group size: four pairs. Cost: \$265

Blue Ash

Wednesdays, 9:00-10:30, June 30-August 4.

Anderson

Tuesdays, 12:30-2:00, June 29-August 3.

Game Night

(Ages 8–11) An opportunity to practice important social skills within the context of game play. The focus will be on skills such as turn taking, following directions, cooperative play, interpreting nonverbal cues, and winning and losing graciously. Games will be varied in type from board games to more active games. Maximum group size: eight. Cost: \$290.

Blue Ash Only

Wednesdays, 6:00–8:00, June 23 – July 28.

Dancing the Night Away

(Ages 5–7 and 8–10) Designed for children who have difficulty with body awareness and social skills, this group provides an opportunity to practice these skills. Personal space, following directions, cooperative play, enhancing self-esteem, and interpreting non-verbal cues will be addressed as well as body imitation, timing and sequencing of movement while developing creative dance ideas. Group size: six. Cost: \$290.

Blue Ash only

Ages 5–7 Tuesdays, 3:30–5:30, July 6–August 10.

Ages 8–10 Tuesdays, 6:00–8:00, July 6–August 10.

Play with Your Food!

(Ages 5–7) This sensory based group will encourage smelling, touching, licking and tasting of food through “ooey goey” sensory experiences, snack preparation and food related crafts. Social interaction and fine motor skills will be incorporated into the food theme. Fun required, eating optional. Group size: six. Cost: \$265.

Blue Ash Only Mondays, 11:30–1:00, June 21 – August 2 (excluding July 5).

Pirates Ahoy!

(Ages 5–6 and 7–8) A fun filled adventure on a pirate voyage designed to address social understanding, friendships, emotional expression, relaxation, social problem solving and responding to bullying. Activities include music, games, drama and movement. Group size: six. Cost: \$265.

Blue Ash Only

Ages 5–6 Wednesdays, 11:00–12:30, June 23–July 28.

Ages 7–8 Wednesdays, 1:30–3:00, June 23–July 28.

Squiggles and Giggles

(Ages 4 – entering K) This group is designed to address the foundational skills needed in prewriting. Using a multisensory approach, the group will emphasize grasp development, eye hand coordination, left/right discrimination, and basic strokes that are the building blocks for writing. Follow up home activities will be given weekly. Group size: six. Cost: \$265.

Blue Ash

Mondays, 9:00–10:30, June 21 – August 2 (excluding July 5).

Fairfield

Tuesdays, 9:00–10:30, June 29 – August 3.

Scribble to Script

(Entering 1st–5th grades) This group is designed to provide handwriting enrichment and support for children struggling with the mechanics of writing. Stations will include a variety of sensory motor and writing activities. Ideas for home activities will be provided at each session. Group size:six.Cost: \$290

Fairfield only

Tuesdays 11:00–1:00, June 29 – August 3.

Handwriting Week

(Entering 1st–5th grades) This group is designed to provide handwriting enrichment and support for children struggling with the mechanics of writing. Stations will include a variety of sensory motor and writing activities. Ideas for home activities will be provided. Sessions are held for four consecutive days for two hours each day. Group size: eight Cost: \$225.

Blue Ash Only

August 16 – August 19 each day from 9:00 –11:00

To Register

Complete the attached form and return to COTI with a \$100 deposit by May 10, 2009. You will be contacted about attending a short 15 minute screening to ensure that the group is well suited to your child. If the group is not appropriate, space is not available, or the group is cancelled your deposit will be refunded. If you have any questions please call COTI at (513) 791–5688. Registration received after May 10th will be charged a 10% late fee.

Application Form

(due by May 10, 2010)

Child's Name _____

Parent's Name _____

Address _____

_____ Email _____

Phone _____ DOB _____

My child receives: OT PT Speech

My child currently has an IEP: yes no

School attending _____

I would like to enroll my child in the following:

- OT/Lang Group Blue Ash (4-6yo)
- OT/Lang Group Blue Ash (6-9yo)
- Getting in Sync, Blue Ash (3-4 yo)
- Game Night, Blue Ash (8-11yo)
- Dancing the Night Away, Blue Ash (5-7yo)
- Dancing the Night Away, Blue Ash(8-10yo)
- Play with Your Food!, Blue Ash (4-6yo)
- Pirates Ahoy!, Blue Ash (5-6yo)
- Pirates Ahoy!, Blue Ash (7-8yo)
- Squiggles and Giggles Blue Ash (4yo-K)
- OT/Lang Group Anderson (4-6yo)
- Getting in Sync, Anderson (3-4 yo)
- Squiggles and Giggles Fairfield(4yo-K)
- Scribble to Script Fairfield (1st-5th)
- Handwriting Week Blue Ash (1st-5th)