



**THE  
BEACON  
SCHOOL**

# Extended School Year Program

July 2 - August 13, 2010

The Beacon School's Extended School Year Program, or ESY Program, is a summer school designed for students who have shown difficulty in retention and maintenance of behaviors or learning skills after extended breaks in their education.

**A program for children who need instruction  
beyond the regular school year**

The ESY program provides a creative and cooperative approach to extending the school year and Individual Education Plan (IEP) goals. Using a high-interest curriculum, a low-frustration environment has been created that is both casual and fun. Classes are small with much active learning.

**30 Day Program  
Monday through Friday  
July 2 - August 13, 2010**

A variety of highly structured academic and social learning activities are combined within a thematic approach. The theme for ESY 2010 is:

**“A Greener America”**

Educational activities will focus on the United States of America. Topics will include energy and natural resources; ecology and environmental protection; conservation and preservation; U.S. geography including national forests and parks; and career opportunities. Art projects, thematic games, musical expression and many outdoor physical activities will follow the theme of “A Greener America.”

Every class is taught by a Pennsylvania Certified teacher with trained support staff. Basic academic skills are reinforced daily in an environment featuring encouragement, support and success. The four domains of respect, responsibility, cooperation and pride are emphasized.

**8:15am to 8:30am Arrival**

**Breakfast Snacks**

**8:30am to 12:05pm Integrated Theme Based Learning**

**12:05pm to 12:30pm lunch**

**12:30pm Departure**

Placement in the Beacon School's ESY Program is through the student's home school district, which also provides transportation to and from the Beacon School. All supplies, snacks and lunches are included in the program.

For more information, please contact The Beacon School at:

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