



CHILDREN'S DEFENSE FUND

OSSEO AREA SCHOOLS
**Freedom
Schools**

Summer 2017 K - 7th grade

JUNE 19 - JULY 27

Monday - Friday

8 am - 3 pm

**Fair Oaks Elementary School
5600 - 65th Ave. N, Brooklyn Park, MN**

Registration Is ONLINE only

<https://www.district279.org/>

- ~ Must have completed grades Kindergarten through 7th grade
- ~ Must be currently enrolled in Osseo Area Schools

**REGISTER NOW !
DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MARCH 24**

FREEDOM SCHOOLS PROGRAM DETAILS

The Children's Defense Fund - Freedom Schools program provides summer enrichment that helps children fall in love with reading, increases their self-esteem, and generates more positive attitudes towards learning. Children are taught using a model pedagogy that supports children and families around five essential components: high-quality academic enrichment; parent and family involvement; civic engagement and social action; intergenerational leadership development; and nutrition, health and mental health.

COST: Mandatory weekly time commitment of 1 hour per week.

HOURS: Monday - Friday from 8 am - 3 pm

DATES: June 19 - July 27, 2017 (no session on July 4th)

GRADES: K - 7th grade. Must have completed grades Kindergarten through 7th grade. Must be currently enrolled in Osseo Area Schools.

LOCATION: Fair Oaks Elementary School, 5600-65th Avenue North, Brooklyn Park, MN 55429

TRANSPORTATION: Parents are responsible for transportation to and from the program.
No buses are provided.

Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds

Scholars in this program will receive a healthy breakfast, lunch and snack to sustain them through a day filled with research- based Integrated Reading pedagogy, enrichment activities, including Harambee, art, recreation, and weekly field trips.

Scholars are provided with numerous group leadership activities to challenge their thinking and expand their perspectives on the world. Freedom Schools scholars are taught that they can make a difference in this world.

Parent Engagement

Parents or adult representatives are required to attend a Parent Orientation before the program start date. Parents must be actively involved by attending a Parent Empowerment workshop one time per week in the evening or volunteering for 1 hour per week.

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**For program questions and/or registration assistance, contact a
Program Site Coordinator.**

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