

MYIS Summer Programs Overview

The Summer Programs at MYIS offer students a joyful continuation of learning through international-minded experiences that support their interests, development, and sense of belonging. They also provide a wonderful opportunity for families new to Bangkok—and students new to MYIS—to meet peers, build relationships, and become familiar with our school culture and routines before the new academic year begins.

<u>SUMMER DATES</u>	<u>SCHEDULE</u>	<u>PROGRAMS</u>
Session 1 June 15-26 (2 weeks)	Half Day - 8:30 - 12:30pm Extended Day - 8:30 - 2:00pm	Early Years Summer Program Primary Years Summer Program
Session 2 June 29-July 10 (2 weeks)		
Session 3 July 13-24 (2 weeks)		

Program Descriptions

Early Years Program

At MYIS, our Summer School is intentionally designed as a **mixed-age learning environment**, where children benefit from learning with and alongside peers at different stages of development. Mixed-age groupings allow younger children to learn through observation, older children to strengthen leadership and communication skills, and all children to experience a supportive, community-centered classroom.

Across all phases, we ensure a **safe and caring adult-child ratio** so every child receives close attention, emotional support, and individualized guidance throughout the day.


Each group is organized into **developmental phases**, ensuring children engage with materials, routines, and experiences that match their readiness and interests.

Phase 1 (1-3 years old) | current T&C and J&C

Our youngest learners join a safe, nurturing, and sensory-rich environment that supports the earliest stages of exploration and independence. Through hands-on, play-based activities, children develop foundational thinking, communication, and self-management skills. Daily experiences include water and

sand play, early art, movement, music, outdoor discovery, and connections with warm, responsive teachers.

Mixed-age learning supports natural peer modeling, encourages gentle leadership, and helps children build secure relationships within a small, caring community.

 **Phase 2 (3–5 years old) | current P&U and C&S**

For children turning 4 by September 1, 2026

Phase 2 offers an inquiry-based, mixed-age learning community where children explore ideas, interests, and materials at their own developmental pace. Classrooms are organized into dynamic learning centers—with materials intentionally rotated to introduce novelty, challenge, and joyful discovery. Children participate in meeting times, small-group provocations, outdoor play, and expressive arts. Mixed-age interactions promote empathy, collaboration, and flexible thinking as children learn to take on different roles within the classroom community.

 **Lower Primary Phase 3 (5–7 years old) | current Excellence & Grade 1**

For children turning 6 by September 1, 2026

Phase 3 provides a playful yet developmentally advanced environment for early primary learners. Students engage in inquiry projects, skill-building games, expressive arts, outdoor challenges, and early literacy and numeracy experiences—all while enjoying the benefits of mixed-age collaboration. Older students strengthen leadership and communication as they support younger peers; younger children take risks, ask questions, and build confidence in a community that celebrates shared learning and exploration.

SAMPLE EARLY YEARS PROGRAM SCHEDULE					
TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
08:30 - 09:00	Playground				
09:00 - 09:30	SNACK				
09:30 - 10:10	Gym	Music	Art	Water Play	Gym
10:15 - 11:00	Integrated Homeroom				
11:00 - 11:40	Playground				
11:40 - 12:20	LUNCH				
12:30	Dismissal for Half Day Students				
12:30 - 1:10	Art	Gym	Music	Gym	Water Play
1:10 - 1:45	Integrated Homeroom				
1:45 - 2:00	Reflection & Goodbye Meeting				

**This is a tentative program schedule and may be subject to change.*

**Grouping of ages is tentative and may be subject to change.*

PRIMARY YEARS SUMMER PROGRAM

Our Primary Years Summer Program is open to students from Grade 2 through Grade 5 and is designed as a full, engaging school day where learning, creativity, and exploration come together.

Students will be grouped into two classes based on age:

- **Lower Primary (Grades 2–3)**
- **Upper Primary (Grades 4–5)**

Students will participate in a rotating schedule of Discovery experiences integrated throughout the school day. This approach gives each student the opportunity to explore a wide range of interests while learning alongside peers of similar age and developmental readiness.

Throughout the program, students will engage in a variety of hands-on experiences including **cooking, Thai culture and language, athletics, theater, and visual arts**. These activities are designed to foster creativity, collaboration, confidence, and curiosity while providing a balanced and joyful summer learning environment.

Performing & Visual Arts

Students explore both visual and performing arts through hands-on creative projects and collaborative performance work. Students experiment with painting, drawing, clay, design, and mixed media while also developing skills in storytelling, expressive reading, speaking, and stage performance. The program encourages creativity, confidence, and teamwork, culminating in opportunities for students to share their artistic creations and short performances.

Cooking with Mathematics

Cooking becomes a joyful learning adventure as students explore recipes, flavors, and the science behind food. Through hands-on cooking activities, students strengthen important skills such as measurement, fractions, planning, teamwork, and creativity. From mystery ingredient challenges to designing simple dishes inspired by world cuisines, students develop confidence in the kitchen while discovering the connections between food, culture, and learning.

Thai Language and Culture

In this cultural exploration program, students discover the traditions, creativity, and everyday life of Thailand. Through hands-on projects and inquiry-based activities, students explore Thai food, festivals, folktales, nature, crafts, and basic Thai language. Activities may include creating shadow puppets, making Thai-inspired art, learning traditional greetings, and preparing simple Thai snacks, helping both local and international students deepen their appreciation for Thailand as their host country.

Athletics Clubs

Afternoons offer opportunities for students to stay active and develop their athletic skills through a variety of sports and movement activities such as basketball, football, badminton, swimming, and gymnastics. Led by experienced coaches, sessions focus on building coordination, teamwork, confidence, and a lifelong enjoyment of physical activity through games, drills, and friendly challenges.

SAMPLE PRIMARY PROGRAM SCHEDULE	
TIME	DAY
08:30 - 09:00	Morning Meeting & Inclusion
09:00 - 10:00	Cooking with Mathematics
10:00 - 10:40	SNACK & Playground
10:40 - 11:40	STEM Discovery
11:40 - 12:20	LUNCH & Playground
12:30	Dismissal for Half-Day Students
12:35 - 1:35	Fun with Basketball
1:40 - 2:00	Final Reflection & Goodbye

To register, please [complete the form here](#).

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