The 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Summer Bridge is a **free** summer enrichment program designed to help incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students make connections with future teachers and classmates while preparing them academically for the transition to high school.

Date:	Time:	Location:
June 19 <sup>th</sup> – June 29 <sup>th</sup> Monday – Thursday	8:00am-1:30pm Breakfast and lunch will be provided.	Westside High School

## What is the purpose of the program?

The program will....

- introduce students to the Digital Media & Design career pathway offered by WHS
- introduce students to Project-Based Learning and Linked Learning.
- ensure students' familiarity with the high school campus.
- build leadership and collaboration.
- enhance student confidence, self-esteem, and motivation.
- ease the transition from middle school to high school.

All sessions focus on high interest topics and activities, so that the day feels more like a summer camp than school. In addition to attending sessions, students will participate in a field trip during the last week.

## Who can enroll?

All incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade students who are interested in spending 2 weeks packed full of fun educational experiences are encouraged to register at NO cost.

## What will the day look like?

Students will attend 3 Project-Based Learning sessions integrated with Animation, Graphic Design, Video Game Design, & more.

8:00am – 8:30am: Drop off and breakfast

8:30am – 12:00pm: Sessions 1 & 2

12:00pm – 12:30pm: Lunch 12:30pm-1:30pm: Session 3

To register, go to: <a href="https://goo.gl/forms/m0IF9g1CZ0DEW3cf1">https://goo.gl/forms/m0IF9g1CZ0DEW3cf1</a>

## Questions?

Please contact Delorean Hogan by phone (713-556-5239) or email (<u>DHOGAN2@houstonisd.org</u>) for questions.

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