About Ramalynn Academy

Private Montessori for PreK-8th Grade

Rooted in the Montessori philosophy, Ramalynn Academy is a private Montessori school located in Bloomington, Minnesota, where children from preschool to eighth grade can develop the habits and life skills they'll need to thrive.

Founded in 1985 by Montessori teacher Lynn Ramalingam, Ramalynn Academy strives to enable our students to live lives with personal satisfaction, and become responsible citizens of the world.

Join Our School Community

For the 2021-2022 School Year

Applying to Ramalynn Academy is an easy, 4-step process.

Schedule A Tour

Visit the school to learn more about how Ramalynn Academy can benefit your child! When you schedule a tour, you'll get the opportunity to meet faculty, observe our classrooms in session, experience the day to day environment of our school community, talk in-depth about our curriculum and education style, and ask any questions you may have.

Submit An Application

Once you've completed a tour of our school, the next step will be to complete and submit the Application for Admission Form and \$50 application fee.

Complete An Orientation

The orientation allows your child to spend time in the class-room, interact with our teachers and students, and experience our calm, nurturing environment for themselves. This also gives our teachers time to get to know your child and where they're at in their developmental journey, so we can prepare a unique, individualized plan to help them grow.

Enrollment

After the orientation is complete, our Head of Admissions, Cassy Ramalingam, will discuss with you the final steps for enrollment. The Enrollment Form and \$150 enrollment fee will be due to secure your child's placement.

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BEST SUMMER EVER









Fun Filled Programs
for Grades 1-8 Students

Watercolor Wonder
Astronomy & Greek Mythology
The World of Tabletop Games
Engineering Camp
Bob Ross Week
Rocket Camp

and more!



DAILY SCHEDULE

7:30 - 9:00 AM Extended Day Activities

9:00 – 12:00 PM Summer Enrichment Program

12:00 – 5:00 PM Pro Sports Fantasy Camp & Rec Activities

June 14th - 18th: Bob Ross Week

Ms. Diana Harder

This week we will be delving into the wonderful world of Bob Ross! Each day we will follow along with his most famous paintings and learn the ins and outs of brushwork and palette knife techniques. We'll have a great time learning more about Bob through games and BINGO and each child will love making their own masterpieces!

June 21st - 25th: Nature Camp

Mr. Jordan Hill

In Nature Camp, we will spend time appreciating the natural world around us. We will take walks to nearby natural spaces, and students will observe and learn how to identify native trees, plants, and wildlife. We will study our local ecosystems, learn how to conserve and preserve natural resources, and finally, weather permitting, we will take a trip out to the farm for a fun and educational camping experience!

June 28th – July 2nd: Launch Into Space Camp

Mr. Krishna Ramalingam

The Ramalynn Space Camp week is your child's opportunity to immerse themselves in all things related to the NASA space program. Your child will design and build rockets to launch, visit and tour the Minneapolis/St Paul International Airport, and build life-size cardboard spaceships to dream big in!

July 5th: School Closed: Midsummer Break

July 6th - 9th: Creative Writing

Mr. Jordan Hill

This week, students will have the opportunity to bring their creative ideas to life. We will use developmental writing exercises and practice composition and revision. We will explore different genres, styles, and movements, and students will be able to write to their passions, and even learn how to make zines and bind their own books!

July 12th- 16th: Watercolor Wonder!

Ms. Diana Harder

Color Mixing, Brush Techniques, and Painting, Oh My! This week kids will experiment with watercolors by painting a new focus each day. Animals, botanicals, and portraits are a few of the subjects you'll see in their handmade watercolor booklets!

July 19th- 23rd: Let's Visit India

Ms. Leena Kashiwar

Familiarize yourself with a basic knowledge of Hindu culture! Hindi at Ramalynn is a unique experience. Explore the vivid culture of India, practice yoga, learn about Ancient India, celebrate Indian festivals, cook authentic Indian food, play games, watch Bollywood films, learn about Indian music, and more! Our Hindi program will provide a refreshing break from traditional language educational environments.

July 26th - 30th: Astronomy & Greek Mythology

Mr. Krishna Ramalingam

Summer nights in MN are long and magical. We often gaze at the heavens and the constellations they present to us. But what do those constellations mean to us and other cultures? How do they tie into Greek mythology?

We will answer these questions and also create our own planetarium, act out Greek mythology using Marvel Comics and learn what constellations to search for during each of the seasons in the Northern Hemisphere.

August $2^{nd} - 6^{th}$: Engineering Camp

Mr. Jordan Hill

In Engineering Camp, we will undertake fun and educational hands-on projects that challenge students to think creatively and exercise their problemsolving. From building structures out of household materials to constructing mechanical devices, students will be able to explore their natural creativity. They will also practice teamwork and collaboration, and even learn how to use hand tools!

August 9th- 13th: Installation Art Fun!

Ms. Diana Harder

This week, kids get to work together to create temporary installations within Ramalynn! Kids will learn what it means to create art for a specific space and will have a great time drawing inspiration from famous installation art around the MSP area! Each child will be excited to make their temporary mark and create some awesome art with their friends!

August 16th – 19th: The World of Tabletop Games

Mr. Jordan Hill

The world of tabletop games is experiencing a renaissance! During this week, we will play a wide variety of games with diverse styles and themes. Students will have fun while practicing teamwork, strategic thinking, and healthy competition, all while learning new and exciting games!

August 20th, 23rd-24th: School Closed: Teacher Workshops

Pro Sports Fantasy Camp

Mr. Krishna Ramalingam

12:00 – 5:00 p.m.

- Soccer, Golf, Tennis, Flag Football, and Swimming will be highlighted in our fun summer sports program. Great for boys and girls of all ability levels. Positive coaching fosters positive self-esteem, improves coordination and sportsmanlike conduct.
- ⇒ Golf the four PGA Major Tournaments

 Ramalynn Soccer will feature the 2021 Euro Cup between the top soccer playing countries of Europe.
- \Rightarrow Trip to **Vikings Training Camp** at their new facility in Eagan, MN
- ⇒ **Pool Parties** when the temperature exceeds 80 degrees