



Deer Park Jr./Sr. High School

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Dear Deer Park Jr/Sr High School Family,

This Spring, we have had a good number of students participate in our A+ Program. This program is an afterschool program that is designed to help students recover academically from the "Covid Slide." Over the last year, we know that students have simply missed out on the full access to teachers that they normally would have. The learning that students have missed out on has caused some students to fall a little bit more behind, and this is what we are calling the "Covid Slide."

Based on the needs of our students, we are also exploring the possibility of offering this A+ Academic Recovery Program in the early weeks of the summer as well. To do this, we will need to gauge parent/student interest prior to committing to offering these sessions.

NOTE: These sessions ARE NOT credit recovery summer school classes. We will send more information about that opportunity as we get closer to the summer.

Here is a quick overview of the Jr/Sr High School A+ Summer Academy (Please know that details may be subject to student and staff availability):

- **Subjects:** Each session will either have a focus for either English or Math. Students may partake in multiple subjects
- **Days:** Two sessions per week, per subject
- **Times:** Each session would last for 90 minutes
- **Grade Levels:** Each session have a grade-band focus (For example, Grades 7-8 may be grouped together)
- **Dates:** 3 Weeks of Sessions, Starting the Week of May 31st, 2021 (no sessions on May 31st)

As an extra incentive, students who successfully participate in the program will receive different rewards based on their participation! This can include a Deer Park T-shirt, a pizza lunch, and even a pass to all extra curricular activities for the 2021-2022 school year!

If this is an opportunity that you're interested in for your student, please take just a couple of minutes to [complete this interest form](#) OR use your phone's camera to scan the URL shown to register.

Thank you, and please feel free to reach out with any questions.

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