

# EXPLORE MORE

BROUGHT TO YOU BY COVINGTON LATIN SCHOOL AND THOMAS MORE COLLEGE

For students who love to learn!

**Fall 2017 November 4, 11, & 18**

ExploreMore! has been serving the tri-state area for over 20 years. Our program was created to meet the needs of students who love to learn and wish to go beyond what is taught in the classroom. ExploreMore! courses are for students from K-12th grade. We offer courses that are of high interest to our students in the areas of science, mathematics, writing, visual and performing arts, and technology that offer a learning culture where like-minded students come together to share their passion.

## When and Where

- Fall 2017 classes are held November 4, 11, 18.
- Session runs from 9-11:30
- All classes are held on the beautiful campus of **Covington Latin School**.

## What Sets Us Apart?

- We are **student focused** and bring classes that are based on input from our families to best meet their needs.
- We emphasize **critical thinking and independent learning**.
- Our environment values **creativity, diversity, and experimentation**.
- All of our classes are **hands-on and challenge students to think outside of the box**.
- All of our **teachers are passionate** about their subjects.
- We offer a **whole-child approach** where families can learn as much as the students.
- We host **free learning opportunities** for families with our **Parent Lecture Series**.

## Cost

- The cost of our three week session is \$135. **This cost includes all material fees.**

## ExploreMore! Policies and Information

### Registration

- **Registrations can be made online at [exploremore.rocks](http://exploremore.rocks) OR**
- **Mail registration form and payment to:**  
ExploreMore!  
Covington Latin School  
21 East Eleventh Street  
Covington, Kentucky 41011
- Enclose a check or money order payable to ***Covington Latin School***.
- Refunds will be sent to those students not accepted due to full enrollment.
- Students accepted for the program will receive an e-mailed confirmation once registered.
- The ExploreMore! Program reserve the right to close or cancel prior to the first class meeting or make any necessary schedule changes.
- **Registrations are not complete until payment has been received.**

### Registration Deadline

- **Postmarked by October 27, 2017**  
There will be an additional \$25 processing fee for late applications. Students are placed in classes on a first-come, first-served basis, and many of our popular classes will fill before the application deadline. For the best choice of classes apply today! **Class schedules will be sent out on or before October 29th.**

### Refunds

- Full refunds, minus a \$25 processing fee, may be given prior to the first day of classes.
- No refunds will be made after classes have begun.
- Any child whose behavior disrupts the learning of others will be discontinued as a participant in the program. There will be no refund of fees under these conditions.

### Emergency Closings

- In case of inclement weather or any unforeseen emergency, the ExploreMore! Program reserves the right to cancel a class without make-up class or refund. Any cancellations will be posted online at <http://exploremore.rocks> and sent via email to the account provided at registration.

## ExploreMore! Courses At A Glance

### Grades K-3

#### All the World's a Stage

##### Grades K-3

This class will get the creative juices flowing. Students in this class will be given an introduction to the fine arts. Students will create a character, plot, dialogue, and setting. They will then perform their pieces before their class.

**Focus: Performing Arts**

#### Superhero Science

##### Grades K-3

Did you ever wish you were a Superhero and had super powers? Did you know that most Superhero powers are based on real scientific phenomenon? Come discover the real science behind some of your favorite comic book heroes. Become a true believer as we attempt to violate the laws of physics with the speed of The Flash. Suspend our imagination with Spiderman, by examining spider webs and their unbelievable strength. Attract our attention by Iron Man's magnetism by making magnetic slime. Learn about the properties of water as we unfreeze Captain America from his frozen state. Let's explore the science behind what makes Superhero powers so super. Their powers will amaze you.

**Focus: Physics, Ecology, and Biology**

#### Oh, the Places You'll Go

##### Grades K-3

"The more you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." Get lost in the world of Dr. Seuss! Come join The Cat in the Hat, Horton, The Grinch and many other fun characters for an exciting week filled with everything that is Dr. Seuss. We will explore math, reading, writing, storytelling, science, and art through the inspiration of one of America's favorite authors.

**Focus: Literature, Math, Writing, and Environmental Science**

#### Intro to Robotics

##### Grades K-3

Who doesn't love robots? This class will introduce students to the exciting world of coding using Ozobots. Students will be solving fun problems and challenges using Ozobots. Activities and products will be documented through a blog that will be accessible by students and parents that will remain open for students to view in the future. This is an excellent introduction into the STEM field. ***Students must bring their own device (tablet, Kindle, Ipad, etc.) with Ozoblocky installed.***

**Focus: Coding and Technology**

## Backyard Adventurers

### Grades K-3

Do you love looking at the small and not so small creatures that live in your backyard? Ever wonder what they eat and where they sleep? This class will take you on an adventure to discover all the critters that live in your own backyard. There will be several special visitors to this class. You never know what you might discover in this class.

## Grades 4-6

### Harry Potter Potions

#### Grades 4-6

Have you been waiting for your letter to Hogwart's? The owl has arrived! First years will be sorted into houses and take your first Potions class. You will be a Potion Master after just one week! No worries, Professor Snape will not be your teacher for this class.

**Focus: Chemistry and Literature**

### Broadway Baby

#### Grades 4-6

Curtain Up! Light the lights! You've got nothing to hit but the heights! This is your ticket to Broadway! Students will be instructed to dance, sing, and act in the major theatrical disciplinary settings. Students will get the opportunity to learn blocking, stage direction, costuming, and makeup as well as learn about some of the most well known Broadway musicals of all time.

**Focus: Performing Arts**

### Teach Me How to Draw

#### Grades 4-6

Want to be the next DaVinci? This class is for you! By studying the Masters and learning innovative and contemporary techniques, students will learn how to draw in a variety themes such as still life, self-portraiture, and perspective with landscape and architecture.

**Focus: Visual Arts**

### The Hero's Journey

#### Grades 4-6

Join us on an adventure as we learn all about heroes from Hercules to Luke Skywalker! Discover what all heroes have in common; learn about the hero's journey; and work collaboratively with other students to create your own modern-day myth and hero. You will be an author by the end of the class! All students will create a hero costume, a diorama of their hero's journey, and a story they write in class.

**Focus: Literature, Writing, and Visual Arts**

### **Cool Chem**

#### **Grades 4-6**

Experimenting with dry ice, performing bubbling, colorful chemical reactions, turning a penny into gold.... Do these activities sound fun to you? If so, join us for Cool Chem! This class will engage in exciting hands-on activities that will challenge your thinking and expand your knowledge.

**Focus: Chemistry and Scientific Method**

### **First Aid Training**

#### **Grades 4-6**

Calling all future paramedics and doctors. Want to learn what to do in an emergency? Want to be cool and collected in case one of your friends or family have a medical emergency? This class will teach you the basics of first aid that will help you in case an emergency arises. This is a great class for future babysitters!

**Focus: Health Sciences and Biology**

### **Epic Ecology**

#### **Grades 4-6**

Our area has some of the most amazing ecological features around! From algae to critters, explore what lives in our area. You will get an up close look at your ecosystem with help from our friends at the Thomas More College Field Station. Learn about their habitats and what you can do in your own backyard to preserve their homes.

**Focus: Ecology, Scientific Method, and Environmental Studies**

### **Sphero Robotics**

#### **Grades 4-6**

Do you love BB-8 from Star Wars? Would you like to program your own robot based on the technology Disney used in the Star Wars franchise. Not only will you learn robotics, but BASIC programming as well. ***A Kindle Fire or Ipad (3rd generation +) is required for this class.***

**Focus: Programming and Robotics**

### **Forensic Detectives**

#### **Grades 4-6**

Ever want be Sherlock Holmes? A detective on CSI? This class is for you. Use your observation skills and deduction to solve mysteries. This class will use scientific method to figure out the ultimate *WHO DONE IT*. It's elementary my dear, Watson!

**Focus: Chemistry, Biology, and Literature**

## Grades 7-8

### Web Page Design

#### Grades 7-12

Web Page Design is an opportunity for students to begin learning how to code and create webpages. Students will use HTML and CSS to learn the backside to websites and create a multimedia site of their choice with streaming videos, slideshows, and persuasive marketing. We will also discover the origins of the internet, how and why it was developed and the early pioneers that paved the way to the world's largest communication highway. **(Students are encouraged to bring a laptop to class)**

**Focus: Technology and Coding**

### Advanced Art

#### Grades 7-8

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**Focus: Visual Arts**

### Advanced First Aid Training

#### Grades 7-8

Calling all future paramedics and doctors. Want to learn what to do in an emergency? Want to be cool and collected in case one of your friends or family have a medical emergency? This class will teach you the basics of first aid and beyond that will help you in case an emergency arises. This class will go beyond the basic class and focus on more specialized first aid procedures.

**Focus: Health Sciences and Biology**

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**Focus: Technology and Coding**

### ACT Prep

#### Grades 9-12

This class will be offered through ExploreMore! through our partnership with College and Beyond. There will be a separate registration for this class. Please contact [Amy.darpel@covingtonlatin.org](mailto:Amy.darpel@covingtonlatin.org) for more information.

## ExploreMore Registration

- Only one child per registration form. This form may be photocopied. Please print clearly.
- **OR** Register online at [exploremore.rocks](http://exploremore.rocks)
- Mail registration and tuition fee, and late fee if applicable, to Covington Latin School, 21 East Eleventh Street, Covington, KY 41011
- Late registrations (postmarked after **October 27, 2017**) will be assessed a late fee of \$25.

### Student Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender (optional):  Male  Female Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in School (2017-18): \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Who should we thank for recommending us? \_\_\_\_\_

This will be my child's first ExploreMore session:  Yes  No

Emergency Contact (in the event that the parent/guardian cannot be reached):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

My child requires auxiliary aids and services due to a disability.

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**Medical Information**

List any information regarding your child’s health, allergies, physical, and/or emotional status in order for us to best serve your child’s needs. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

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**Course Selection**

**Class Selections:**

*Please indicate a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice for class selections.*

<u>Choice #1</u>	<u>Choice #2</u>	<u>Choice #3</u>

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**Publicity and Media Waiver**

All students enrolled in the ExploreMore! Program and their parents grant permission for use of any record of the student activities (i.e., photos, audio, videotaping, and slides). The material so obtained may be employed for dissemination for educational and promotional purposes by the ExploreMore! and Covington Latin School.

**Consent**

As the parent/guardian of this student, I give permission for participation in the ExploreMore Program. I have read, understand and agree to the ExploreMore Program policies. In the event of an emergency and reasonable attempts to contact me are unsuccessful, I give my consent for medical treatment and or admittance to the nearest hospital or emergency facility.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

**Financial Aid**

A limited number of PARTIAL financial aid grants are available on a first-come, first-served basis for students who would not be able to attend the program without financial assistance. If you wish to be considered for financial assistance, please contact us at 859-291-7044.

**WAIVER OF LIABILITY, INDEMNIFICATION, MEDICAL RELEASE AND MARKETING  
CONSENT FORM**

To be signed by the parent or other legal guardian of each participant in ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad at Covington Latin School. READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING.

I have agreed to register my child

\_\_\_\_\_ for ExploreMore or Leaders LaunchPad conducted by Covington Latin School. My child's participation in the program is wholly voluntary.

ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad at Covington Latin School consist of enrichment activities for children who are in grades K-8. Students will learn through hands-on, interactive sessions. I am aware that there may be risks to my child while participating in course activities, including but not limited to, physical injury or property damage. I understand and accept all course-related risks.

In consideration of the Covington Latin School's agreement to permit my child to participate in this program, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I agree as follows:

1) My child agrees to abide by the safety and other rules set by the course instructor. Failure to do so will disqualify my child from further participation.

2) I, individually, and on behalf of my heirs, successors, assigns and personal representatives, hereby release and forever discharge Covington Latin School, ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad, and its employees, agents, officers, trustees and representatives (in their official and individual capacities) ("Releasees") from any and all liability whatsoever for any and all damages, losses or injuries (including death) I or my child sustain to person or property or both, including but not limited to any claims, demands, actions, causes of action, judgments, damages, expenses and costs, including attorney fees, which arise out of, result from, occur during, or are connected in any manner with my child's participation in ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise; except that which is the result of gross negligence and/or wanton misconduct by the Releasees.

3) I, individually, and on behalf of my heirs, successors, assigns and personal representatives, hereby agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Covington Latin School, ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad, and its employees, agents, officers, trustees and representatives (in their official and individual capacities) from any and all liability, loss, damage or expense, including

attorney fees, that they or any of them incur or sustain as a result of any claims, demands, actions, causes of action, damages, judgments, costs or expenses, including attorneys fees, which arise out of, occur during, or are in any way connected with my child's participation in ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad.

4) I hereby consent to allow my child to receive medical treatment that may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident or illness during ExploreMore and Leaders LaunchPad. I hereby acknowledge my obligation to pay for any such reasonably necessary medical treatment that may be provided to my child by licensed healthcare professionals and facilities. I agree that this Agreement is to be construed under the laws of the State of Kentucky, U.S.A.; and that if any portion hereof is held invalid, the balance hereof shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. I agree that this Agreement is to be construed broadly to provide a release, indemnification and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law. In signing this document I hereby acknowledge that I have read this entire document, that I understand its terms, that I am at least eighteen (18) years of age, and that I am the parent or other legal guardian of the Participant named above. I understand that by signing this agreement, I am giving up substantial legal rights that I or my child might otherwise have, and that I have signed this Waiver, Release and Indemnification Agreement knowingly and voluntarily.

This agreement, once signed, is the parties' final and entire Agreement and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous oral or written communications between the parties, their agents and representatives. There are no representations, promises, terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein. In the event that any signature is delivered by e-mail delivery of a ".pdf" format data file, such signature shall create a valid and binding obligation of the party executing (or on whose behalf such signature is executed) with the same force and effect as if such ".pdf" signature page were an original thereof.

Liability Waiver Approval:

Printed Parent/Legal Guardian

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/ Legal Guardian of  
Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Without printing, signing and returning this agreement, your child cannot be allowed to participate in ExploreMore or Leaders LaunchPad.

Diocese of Covington  
Department of Catholic Schools

Photo, Video, Website Release Form

PLEASE PRINT

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, parent or guardian of  
\_\_\_\_\_, do hereby give and grant to  
Covington Latin School permission to use my child's name, photograph, and/or videotaped  
image in publications, video productions, and/or school Internet website. I do further certify that  
I am of full legal capacity to execute the foregoing authorization and release.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_