

**Place:**

*Eliot-Pearson  
Children's School,  
Tufts University  
105 College Avenue  
Medford, AM 02155*

*And Tufts University  
Hamilton Pool*

Cost

Half Day:

\$530 per 3 week  
session

\$960 for 6 weeks

Full Day:

\$1000 per 3 week  
session

\$1850 for 6 weeks

To enroll please fill  
out the enclosed form  
and return to the  
above address. We  
require a non-  
refundable deposit of  
\$200 made payable to  
"Trustees of Tufts"  
with each enrollment.

Balances will be  
billed and are due on  
May 6. Please see  
discount information

**Ages:**

3.6 - 8 years old  
(at least 9 months of  
group  
experience is required)  
All groups are mixed-age  
groups. A specific class  
placement cannot be  
guaranteed.

**Hours:**

Half-Day - 8:45 - 12:00  
(WITHOUT LUNCH)

Full Day- 8:45 - 3:00  
(WITH LUNCH FROM HOME)

**DATES:**

Session I  
June 20 - July 8

Session II  
July 11 - July 28

Special education  
services are available  
for currently enrolled  
children at EPCS. For  
special education  
information, please  
contact the school.

If you have any questions  
or would like more  
information about our  
summer program, please  
call the summer program

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**ELIOT-PEARSON  
CHILDREN'S  
SCHOOL  
SUMMER  
PROGRAM  
2011**

On the Campus of  
Tufts University  
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*Session I  
Camping: The  
Great Outdoors  
June 20-July 8*

*Session II  
Underwater/  
Underground  
July 11-July 28*

**ELIOT-PEARSON  
CHILDREN'S SCHOOL**  
Summer Program

The Eliot-Pearson Children's School Summer Program provides a safe, supportive environment in which children can enjoy the magic and special carefree quality of the summer. The program staff includes teachers and students affiliated with the Department of Child Development at Tufts University as well as from other settings.

The campus includes an air-conditioned building, indoor pool, and two large play yards with sand, mud, tricycles, scooters and water features. Our program focuses on activities that promote cooperative problem solving and self-confidence through individual and group challenges.

Throughout the summer, we use the Tufts University Hamilton Pool (located next to the Eliot-Pearson Children's School) three mornings and two afternoons each week.

In addition to the program staff, we have lifeguards at the pool at all times. Children wear flotation devices provided by their families for recreational

Literature exploration, numeric concepts, problem solving, scientific inquiry, music, drama, and art will be integrated into each study. Each three-week session has a

**June 20-July 8**  
(closed July 4<sup>th</sup>)

**Camping:  
The Great  
Outdoors**



Summer is the time when many families spend more time outdoors. Camping may include cooking and eating outdoors, sleeping in zippered sleeping bags, raising tents, hiking, singing and story telling around campfires, observing animals, and using flashlights to get around, read in the dark and communicate. Learning about camping and being outdoors is one way of getting in touch with the natural world. The children will expand their vocabulary, work cooperatively, and get dirty. Their research may include observing and recording plants and trees, insects and spiders, using maps and a compass and

**JULY 11-28**  
(ENDS ON THURSDAY)  
**UNDERWATER/  
UNDERGROUND**



In greater Boston, we are lucky to be near rivers, ponds, lakes, wetlands and the ocean. Children are curious about fish, shellfish, aquatic plants, and the food chain. With our school gardens and mud pit, "what is under ground" is regularly a topic of conversation including roots, worms, snails, and rocks. In addition, how seeds grow into plants provides limitless opportunities for speculation, observation, formulating hypotheses and interpreting and recording observations. This scientific study is intended to build on children's prior experiences and knowledge of what is out of sight and beneath the surface. We will foster their questions