

**St. Johns County School District's**  
**MARINE SCIENCE PROGRAM**  
**2026 PARENT PRE-APPLICATION INFORMATION SHEET**

**TWO SESSIONS OFFERED:**

First Session – June 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10,

Second Session – June 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25

(Please check each date carefully)

**LOCATION:**

Gamble Rogers Middle School

6250 US 1 South

St. Augustine, FL 32086

All sessions are from 8:15 A.M. to 2:15 P.M. Students are assigned to small classes (12-15 students) by grade level.

**PRE-APPLICATIONS REQUIRE TWO PARTS TO BE COMPLETED:**

The program is available to students currently in grades five through seven.

Pre-applications for the summer 2026 program are available from science teachers in February. They may also be downloaded from the website after that date but must be returned to the science teacher for a teacher recommendation.

- **PART ONE:** Parents complete the online registration at  
<http://www-grms.stjohns.k12.fl.us/marinescience/>  
*Our full curriculum is located at this site. Please review the exciting activities and lessons your child will encounter during our time together.*
- **PART TWO:** Students will complete their entrance essay and return to their teacher for recommendation. Teachers will forward all essays to our program for the selection process.

**FINAL APPLICATIONS:**

Final applications for selected students will be emailed to parents by the end of March. Notarized forms and final payment/minimum deposit are due to be returned by April 17<sup>th</sup> to Gamble Rogers Middle School.

**PROGRAM COST:**

The early registration cost of the two-week program is \$450 if paid by 5/15/26; paid after \$475. When your final application is received it must be notarized and returned with a minimum non-refundable deposit of \$200.

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St. Augustine, FL 32086  
Attention: Marine Science Program

**CONTACT PERSON and WEBSITE:**

If you have any questions regarding the program, please contact Kristina Bransford by e-mail at [marinescienceprogram@stjohns.k12.fl.us](mailto:marinescienceprogram@stjohns.k12.fl.us). Website: <http://www-grms.stjohns.k12.fl.us/>