



# HUMANITIES VIRTUAL SUMMER ACADEMY THE YONKERS HISTORY PROJECT

Yonkers Public Schools Virtual Learning  
July 7-July 30, 2020 • 8:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE ENTERING GRADES 5 THROUGH 8

School Contact: Montessori School 31

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Our students are living during a remarkable time of change in a city that has a remarkable history. The Humanities Virtual Summer Academy is designed to engage students as they investigate their city and how it has changed through **The Yonkers History Project**, a study of Yonkers and their own lives. The academy's teachers and students will take a project-based learning approach; including investigating what life was like during Yonkers' past and what it is like living in the city today. Students will use their creativity and develop their own voices through developing digital projects using computers and different technologies under the guidance of their teachers in this collaborative and interactive academy for students entering grades 5 through 8.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Conducting investigations
- Collaborating with other students
- Weekly virtual field trips
- Small group discussions and problem solving
- Strengthening literacy skills (speaking, presenting, researching, writing, reading)
- Using computer technology
- Creating virtual projects for a community showcase

To register, fill out the online form  
[www.yonkerspublicschools.org/SummerPrograms](http://www.yonkerspublicschools.org/SummerPrograms)  
or call (914)-376-8275

Applications are due by June 26, 2020. Registration is first come, first served.

ATTENTION!