

After School Opportunity for 5th-8th Grade Students Learn to Create Mobile Game Apps! Begins October 1, 2018

MOBILE
GAMEAPP
CREATION
CLASS

an  **appjam+** program



When:	Mondays & Wednesdays: 3:00 - 5:00pm
Where:	Mariners Christian School
First Class:	Monday, October 1st
Showcase Date:	Wednesday, December 5th, at UC Irvine
Cost:	\$490

In this exciting 10-week program (held on Monday and Wednesday beginning October 1st), 5th-8th grade students will work in a team to develop and design a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) related mobile game app that will ultimately be presented at a showcase finale event at UC Irvine. At the showcase event, students will present their apps on stage in front of hundreds of attendees while competing against other middle school students from schools all over Orange County for prizes. This is a unique opportunity for your child to grow and learn about technology and careers while receiving mentorship from college undergraduates specializing in STEM areas. Sign your child up today to expose them to STEM and be a part of a network that has educated and raised awareness about Computer Science and technology to hundreds of students.

Sign up today at: tinyurl.com/MCSAppJam2018

\$490 Fee Covers:

- Small Mentor-Student ratio- One Mentor for every 5 students. (Mentors are college students majoring in engineering or computer science.)
- Nutrition and club T-Shirts
- Transportation for showcase event

Additionally:

- MCS Staff will be onsite for each meeting
- 20 2-hour sessions cost less than \$13 per hour!

Learn more about AppJam+ from students and mentors <https://youtu.be/uMtcx4mUyfY> or view the 2018 Spring Showcase at <https://youtu.be/xbo6vZloubE>

Questions? Please contact our Educational Technology/Maker Education Strategic Planning Director Terri Rodriguez at trodriguez@marinerscs.org.



Mariners Christian School students swept 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place and also the overall poster design competition at the AppJam+ Fall 2017 Showcase Finale held at UCI. MCS students presented their mobile apps at the Finale, the culmination of an after-school Mobile GameApp Creation class offered to 5th-8th students. During the 10-week class held at MCS, our students were mentored by UC Irvine and Cal State Fullerton computer science and engineering students and supported by MCS Director of Technology and Maker Education Mrs. Rodriguez.

We are so very proud of our students. For the continuation of the story, please visit our website blog at:

<http://www.marinerschristianschool.com/blog/mcs-takes-1st-2nd-3rd-appjam-finale/>