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DID YOU KNOW?
Each year, our Camp Invention® program hosts National Inventors Hall of Fame® Inductees.

Here are a few big names:

Eric R. Fossum
Inventor of the CMOS Image Sensor

Frances Ligler
Inventor of Portable Optical Biosensors

Edmund O. Schweitzer III
Inventor of the Digital Protective Relay

James E. West
Inventor of the Electret Microphone

“CURiosity AND EXPLORATION ARE THE ESSENTIAL STARTING POINTS OF INNOVATION. WE HAVE TO CULTIVATE THAT IN OURSELVES, AND IN YOUNG CHILDREN, BECAUSE THAT’S WHERE IT STARTS.”
– Sumita Mitra, National Inventors Hall of Fame Inductee and inventor of nanocomposite dental materials

CAMP INVENTION OVERVIEW
The Camp Invention program is the only nationally recognized, nonprofit summer enrichment program for rising K-6 students that is inspired by the brightest thinkers around — the Inductees of the National Inventors Hall of Fame. Children are empowered to have big ideas while they take on challenges that inspire them to question, brainstorm, collaborate with teammates and build amazing invention prototypes!

Wonder, Camp Invention’s 2023 program, sparks excitement and inspiration as children engage in hands-on challenges, discover world-changing Inductees, and build their confidence as creators and innovators.

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· Over 197,000 underserved children were impacted in 2022
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ANNUAL IMPACT 2022

286,000 CHILDREN

3.0 MILLION CHILDREN, EDUCATORS, COLLEGE STUDENTS & INVENTORS IMPACTED

197,000+ UNDERSERVED CHILDREN

33 YEARS LEADERS IN STEM EDUCATION

2,500 SCHOOL & DISTRICT PARTNERSHIPS

NEW ACTIVITIES AND CURRICULUM CREATED EACH YEAR

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INVENTION CELEBRATION™
Campers become awesome event planners when they invent a party assistant and use the science of sights, sounds and circuitry to host an epic celebration.

CATCHING AIR™
Children combine physics and creativity to build a mini skate park complete with ramps, rails and ledges to practice persistence as they try out rad tricks with a custom mini skateboard.

MIMICBOT™
Children explore nature, genetics and adaptive innovation as they turn an imitating robot into a one-of-a-kind animatronic stuffie with inspiration from nature’s mimics.

POP-UP VENTURE™
Campers dream up their own pop-up business and bring it to life using entrepreneurship skills, green energy choices and communication through advertising.

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