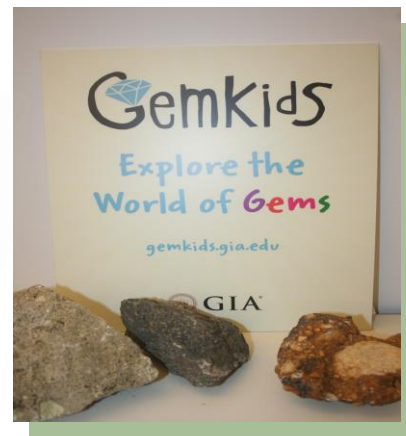


# Junior Gemologist Program “GEMKIDS!”



## Gemology Institute of America

This program introduces kids to the world of gemology. Taught at GIA’s Carlsbad campus, the program introduces students to gems & minerals through hands-on classroom activities and a guided museum tour. This entertaining workshop lets kids use loupes, microscopes, and other tools of the trade to play gemologist. In class the students will learn the history of GIA and do a lot of hands-on natural mineral tests with the opportunity to view inclusions of gemstones in binocular microscopes. At the end of class there is a tour of their museum. Gemkids program is written to meet 4<sup>th</sup> grade science standards.

Downloadable Notes, Materials, and Workbook: <http://gemkids.gia.edu/gem/juniorgem>

And Presentations to view: <http://gemkids.gia.edu/presentations>

**When:** Friday, March 8, 2019 (Regardless of Weather)

**Check in:** 11:30 a.m.

**Event begins at:** Promptly at 12:00 p.m. ~ *Late arrivals will not be admitted* ~

**Event ends at:** 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** [Gemological Institute of America](#) – The Robert Mouawad Campus  
5345 Armada Drive  
Carlsbad, CA 92008

**Who:** 8-12 yrs. of age are recommended ***SPACE IS VERY LIMITED!***  
15 Student spaces available &  
ONLY 10 Adult spaces available  
\*\*16 yrs. of age and older must have a valid form of photo identification for entry into GIA

**Cost:** Free Event!!

***Send your [field trip request form](#) to your resource center by [Friday March 1, 2019](#)***

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