

Winter Session 2019



After School Enrichment Brochure

JOHN MIDDLETON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Note: Students who are in band or the musical should check with Mr. DeStefano, Ms. Sylvester and/or Mrs. Anderson before registering for Enrichment classes so conflicts do not arise.

Important Dates

Winter Session: Jan 14 - March 22 (10 weeks)

Send home brochure: Dec 14

Registration Due: Dec 21

Send home final confirmations: Jan 9

**** NO CLASS ****

Jan 21- MLK - No School

Feb 14- Conferences - Evening

Feb 15- Conferences - No School

Feb 18- President's Day - No School

March 1 - Institute Day - No School

Outstanding Fees

If a student has any outstanding fees, such as instructional, bus, lunch, library, etc., which are over \$6.00, the student will not be allowed to participate in the Athletics/Enrichment/After-School Activities/Swing Choir and any other student paid activities, until these fees are paid.

Enrollment

Complete and sign both sides of the registration form. **Send one check for each class your child is interested in (this includes first and second choices).** *Make checks payable to District 73.5* registrations without all checks are considered incomplete and will not be processed until everything is turned in. Classes are filled by a lottery of completed registrations received on or before **December 21, 2018.** NO LATE PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED. Each class has an enrollment limit dependent upon the nature of each activity. At the discretion of the District, classes that do not reach the minimum class size may be cancelled. **You will either receive a confirmation letter that your child has been enrolled in a selected class or the payment(s) will be returned to you in a brightly colored envelope.**

Cost:

Please refer to the enrichment class overview on pg. 4 of this brochure for specific costs of each class. If you are interested in having your child attend an enrichment class, but cost is a concern, please contact **both** Enrichment Coordinators, Hetal Thakkar at hthakkar@sd735.org and Kerry Santefort at ksantefort@sd735.org. Families requesting a scholarship will need to fill out a fee waiver form and may be granted a partial scholarship.

CANCELLED CLASSES

There are times when it becomes necessary to cancel Enrichment classes. We may be unable to notify you in advance, for example, if a teacher is absent or in the instance of severe weather. Pre-arrange a plan with your child so that he/she understands what to do if you are not at home or cannot be reached if the program is cancelled without advance notice. This plan may begin with having your child call you before 3:00pm so that they won't miss the regular bus if you wish for them to go home when a class is cancelled.

DISMISSAL

Classes end at 3:50pm with the exception of the **Tuesday After School Hoops** class which ends at 2:50pm.

Students who walk or are picked up are dismissed at the Drake Alley turn-around drive. Students riding the bus are dismissed to a bus meeting area. Students who attend SPACE are dismissed to the cafeteria. For children who walk home, there is a crossing guard present at Main and Drake.

TRANSPORTATION

The fee for Late Bus service is \$30 if your child is not already signed up for the regular bus service. Students that have paid for regular bus service do not need to send payment for the late bus.

The late bus follows a different route and makes different stops than the regular after school bus. Please take some time to show your child their "late bus" stop and point out familiar landmarks to make them feel more at ease. It is extremely helpful if someone is waiting at the bus stop for them. If children are taking the late bus home, they must be able to accept the responsibility of getting off at the proper corner.

The late bus leaves Middleton at approximately 4:00 pm on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday.
THERE IS NO LATE BUS for those students enrolled in the Tuesday After School Hoops class.

ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT INFORMATION

If you do not want your child to attend their enrichment class on a certain day, you must send a note to your child's homeroom teacher to pass on to the office.

Phone messages **cannot** be conveyed to students after 3:00pm, therefore an emergency phone number must be listed on all permission slips before children can participate.

SPACE students may participate in after school activities; however SPACE fees do not cover enrichment activities.

At the discretion of each teacher, children may bring and enjoy a snack of their choice during the first five minutes of their class.

Please make sure your child understands which days he/she stays for each Enrichment class.

QUESTIONS

If you have any questions contact both Enrichment Coordinators, Hetal Thakkar at hthakkar@sd735.org or Kerry Santefort at ksantefort@sd735.org. Email is preferred due to teaching schedule.

Monday (8 sessions)	Tuesday (10 sessions)	Wednesday (10 sessions)	Thursday (9 sessions)
Cooking Classes iCook 1st-3rd grade \$133.00	After School Basketball 3 Point Athletics 1st - 2nd grades \$125.00	Drama Club Northlight Theatre 1st-3rd grades \$85.00	Let's Build It! Learning Means Fun 2nd -5th grade \$135.00
Hip-Hop, Jazz, & Funk Kaleidoscope Dance 1st-3rd grades \$125.00		Amazing Minds 1st- 2nd grades \$170..00	Chess Chess Education Partners 1st-5th grades \$113.00
Learn Spanish! Discovery Language 1st-3rd grades \$85.00		Math Homework HQ Mrs. Mosher 4th grade \$41.00 • Invite Only	Let's Draw! Young Rembrandts 1st -5th grade \$95.00
Let's Code it! Learning Means Fun 2nd - 5th grade \$121.00		Smart Room TinkRworks Grades 1-2 \$250.00	Intro to Makerspace Digital Design Tinkrworks Grades 3-5 \$225.00
B.O.T Spot Robots 3rd - 5th grade \$180.00		Codemoji Coding with Emoji 2nd - 5th grade \$155.00	After School Basketball 3 Point Athletics 3rd-5th grade \$113.00
Soccer We Got Game 1st - 3rd grade \$125.00		Multi- Sports We Got Game 1st-3rd grade \$155.00	Math Homework HQ Mrs.Acevedo 5th grade \$37.00 • Invite Only
		Cooking Class Icook 4th - 5th grade \$165.00	Happy Healthy Living Mr. Surdo & Mrs. Chalmers Grades 4-5 \$37.00

MONDAY ENRICHMENT CLASS DESCRIPTION

NO CLASS: Monday, Jan 21- MLK - No School **AND** Feb 18 - Presidents Day - No School

Hip-Hop, Jazz, & Funk Dance Class

Instructor: Kaleidoscope Dance

Grades: 1st-3rd

Fee: \$125.00

Hip-Hop & Jazz Funk class teaches fundamental jazz steps and combines elements of hip-hop moves to contemporary music. The combination of jazz and hip-hop is great for beginning and intermediate dancers as they focus on rhythm and coordination. Dancers will learn the necessary elements of jazz, which are critical to success in hip-hop, and also have fun learning isolations, popping and free-style movement.

Learn Spanish!

Instructor: Discovery Language

Grades: 1st-3rd

Fee: \$ 85.00

Our goal is to introduce Spanish in a recreational and simple format. Students will be given an “ear” for pronunciation and build confidence in speaking and learning Spanish. Students will learn “everyday” language via repetition, games, songs, and hands on activities. Each class is progressive and adaptable according to the abilities of the students. Students receive workbooks and CD’s for them to keep. Teacher will keep parents up to date with what their child is learning via email. By participating in Discovery Language Programs children can experience other cultures and become aware of multicultural issues. They can also increase their academic skills in history, geography, reading, writing, and the knowledge of their own language.

iCook

Grades: 1st-3rd

Class Size: 8-15

Fee: \$133.00

This winter, our chefs-in-training will learn how to make a variety of healthy, delicious and fun recipes including Orange Chocolate Tarts, Zucchini Flat Bread, Avocado Brownies, Asparagus Fries, Veggie Nuggets, Key Lime Pie, Strawberry Danish and more. We will travel across the globe to learn about the cuisine and culture of Mexico, Spain, and Asia. Our little chefs will build on their knowledge of cooking safety and the fundamental cooking techniques including peeling, breading, blending, melting, slicing, dicing, chopping and more.

Soccer Skills- Rookie

Grade: 1st-3rd

Fee: \$125.00

New and experienced soccer players benefit from expert coaching that concentrates on refining techniques and promoting healthy competition and good sportsmanship. Exercises focus on ball handling, strategy, and small-sided game play, to take everybody’s skills to the next level.

BOT Spot Robots

Grade: 3rd-5th

Fee: \$180.00

This Makeshop is highly recommended for all Beginner and rookie humans, 7 years or older, who want to get their feet wet with the world of robotics. Here we will apply learning in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. Participants will get hands on experience with the LEGO Mindstorms EV3 curriculum, Scratch and LabView programming. Build a robot and bring it to life with the use of sensors and motors!

Let's Code It!

Instructor: Learning Means Fun

Grades: 2nd-5th

Fee: \$121.00

Our child will have a blast in this exciting new STEAM program. Our innovative approach to coding is sure to spark your child's interest in computer science. The fun filled curriculum stresses critical thinking, creativity, confidence, teamwork, and problem solving skills to prepare them for the 21st century and beyond. Class topics include video game design, loops, control structure, conditional expressions, control statements, object oriented design concepts, data structures and variables, and mathematical expressions. Each student will receive an award on the last day of the session, and will have the opportunity to earn belts to demonstrate their learned skills!

TUESDAY ENRICHMENT CLASSES DESCRIPTION

THERE IS NO LATE BUS for those students enrolled in the Tuesday, After School Hoops class.

After School Hoops

Instructor: 3 Point Athletics

Grades: 1st-2nd

Fee: \$125.00

Skilled and experienced basketball instructors will conduct clinics each week to help you become a better basketball player through drills, contests and game competition.

WEDNESDAY ENRICHMENT CLASSES DESCRIPTION

Drama Club!

Instructor: Northlight Theatre

Grades: 1st-3rd

Class Size: 10-15

Fee: \$85.00

Students have the opportunity to study theatre under a professionally trained Northlight teaching artist. Students study the elements of theatre, adapt familiar stories, explore the tools of actors, and create performances to share with friends and family.

Amazing Minds

Instructor: My Amazing Minds

Grades: 1st-2nd

Class Size: 6-12

Fee: \$170.00

Calling all first and second graders! How would you like to go on an incredible journey with Amazing Minds after school where instructors will help sharpen your skills in math, science, geography, language arts and reading through fun, hands-on thematic based activities. Science will come alive through our exploration of rocks and minerals, flight, weather, health and safety, computers; explore math learning about money, geometry and shapes; grab your teacher's hand and travel to China, Ancient Egypt, Italy, Washington DC or Australia to name just a few. Go to the head of the class in reading because of our hands-on reading games involving the animal kingdom, ocean creatures and even the Preamble to the Constitution! ***(Topics change each session- 18 topics in all)***. Build rock collections, excavate Ancient Egyptian tombs, or shop in a simulated grocery store. Dissect owl pellets, wear prism glasses, and make raisins bounce! Top it all off with exciting topic related take home prizes such as an Australian boomerang or a shark's tooth! Come and exercise your brain with us after school!

iCook**Grades: 4th-5th****Class Size: 8-15****Fee: \$165.00**

This winter, our chefs-in-training will learn how to make a variety of healthy, delicious and fun recipes including Orange Chocolate Tarts, Zucchini Flat Bread, Avocado Brownies, Asparagus Fries, Veggie Nuggets, Key Lime Pie, Strawberry Danish and more. We will travel across the globe to learn about the cuisine and culture of Mexico, Spain, and Asia. Our little chefs will build on their knowledge of cooking safety and the fundamental cooking techniques including peeling, breading, blending, melting, slicing, dicing, chopping and more.

Codemoji**Grades: 2nd-5th****Fee: \$155.00**

Over the 10 sessions students will learn from our professional staff about Loops, Arrays, Functions, Events, CSS, HTML and more. Students will be able to build basic Games, Animation and Web pages. Students will be able to keep learning at home through our property web platform that we will give students access to for 1 year.

Multi-Sports**We Got Game!****Grades: 1st-3rd****Fee: \$155.00**

This class features a new sport or game every week. Some of the sports taught and played include soccer, kickball, tee ball and basketball. The children have the opportunity to acquire new skills and develop confidence in games they have played in previous classes.

Smart Room**Tinkworks****Grades: 1st-2nd****Fee: \$250.00**

It's one thing to personalize a bedroom with posters and pictures, but another thing to personalize it with electronic gadgets that you make yourself! In this project, students will flex their design, electronics, and coding muscles as they construct personalized doorbells and LED lamps for their rooms. Students will wire-up motors, LEDs, bells, and mini computers that they will code to bring their creations to life. Beautiful wooden cases will be used to house their creations, which students will customize by painting and even 3D printing items that they design. A great project for students looking to add some flair to their rooms!

THURSDAY ENRICHMENT CLASS DESCRIPTION**NO CLASS** -Thursday, February, 14, 2018 - Evening Conferences**Happy, Healthy Living, Health & Lifestyle****Instructor: Mr. Surdo & Mrs. Chalmers****Grades: 4th-5th****Fee: \$37.00**

This course is designed to educate students in the areas of health, nutrition, and promoting a positive lifestyle. We will target the following concepts through discussion, technology, interactive games, and concept-building.

Let's Draw

Instructor: Young Rembrandts

Grades: 1st-5th

Fee \$95.00

Back to school is in full swing and Young Rembrandts will present a bountiful selection of drawings that introduces our students to a fascinating world of color, pattern, and design. We'll start by saying farewell to summer in our detailed still life beach drawing. We explore color usage and composition in our chameleon and in keeping with the season, our stylized fall leaves drawing challenges our technique and color scheme. Your student will learn important artistic themes and concepts in our art history lessons. All this and more awaits your child in the Young Rembrandts classroom!

Let's Build It!

Instructor: Learning Means Fun

Grades: 2nd-5th

Fee: \$135.00

This STEM class takes a hands-on approach, allowing students to directly engage with basic engineering concepts through a variety of fun and educational activities. Students will improve their problem solving, math, and physics skills - all while engaging in exciting building projects. Each trimester-long unit will focus on a specific area of engineering, like energy, electricity, robotics, bridge building, and transportation. Each child will receive a participation award.

Chess

Instructor: Chess Education Partners

Grades: 1st-5th

Fee: \$113.00

Learn and master the art of the world's greatest game. Both beginning and experienced players are welcome, but children should already know the basic rules and how the pieces move. Each session will include an interactive and entertaining lesson, as well as time for the children to apply their new knowledge in games with their friends and the instructors. Academic research has shown that chess helps kids improve critical thinking and cognitive skills.

After School Hoops

Instructor: 3 Point Athletics

Grades: 3rd-5th

Class Size: 8-25

Fee: \$113.00

Skilled and experienced basketball instructors will conduct clinics each week to help you become a better basketball player through drills, contests and game competition.

Intro to Makerspace Digital Design

Grades: 3rd-5th

Fee: \$225.00

Calling all witches and wizards! Be a student at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Come join TinkRworks in a class where students will use science, technology, and their creativity to bring the wizarding world found in the popular book and movie series Harry Potter to life! In this class, the newly inducted Hogwarts students will construct a working Goblet of Fire that will use an Arduino microcontroller board to control LED lights to react when something is placed into the goblet. Students will attend Potions class and learn about the chemistry involved in making bubbling, color changing, and temperature changing "magic potions". Finally, the students will get to see the magic Invisibility Cloak become a reality through the use of green screen videography! Come unleash your wizarding powers in this amazing TinkRworks experience and take your goblet home.



Enrichment Programs Registration

Attach Payment Here- NO CASH
(Checks Payable to Skokie School District 73½)

Student Name: _____

School (circle one): **Meyer** **Middleton** **McCracken**

Homeroom Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone number at which a parent/guardian can always be reached during the time the student is participating in the Enrichment Programs: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Relationship: _____ Phone Number: _____

Registration will not be processed without:

1. A complete/signed registration form including a parent/guardian phone number
2. Separate checks made payable to Skokie School District 73 ½ for each class your student is interested in (this includes first and second choices)
3. A signed Release and Hold Harmless Agreement (see below)

Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

(Permission to be completed by Parent/Guardian)

My child has permission to participate in the Enrichment Programs that involve physical activity at the school selected above. I realize that such activity involves the potential for injury, which is inherent in sports. I acknowledge that even with the best coaching, use of protective equipment, and strict observance of rules, injuries are still a possibility.

In consideration of School District 73½ permitting my child to participate in the above enrichment sports or activities, I agree to hold the Skokie District 73½, its employees, instructors, coaches, school board members, and volunteers harmless from any and all liability, actions, causes of action, debts, claims or demands of any kind and nature whatsoever which may arise by or in connection with the participation of my child in the above sports or activities.

I assume all responsibility and certify that my child is in good physical health and is capable of participation in the above-mentioned sports or activities. No need exists to limit his/her participation. I will notify you of any changes in his/her physical condition.

I have read the precautions regarding the Enrichment Programs.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

**COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM
SEND: ONE CHECK PER CLASS CHOICE**

Class Choices:	1 st Choice / Class Fee		2 nd Choice / Class Fee
Monday	_____ \$ _____	or	_____ \$ _____
Tuesday	_____ \$ _____		
Wednesday	_____ \$ _____	or	_____ \$ _____
Thursday	_____ \$ _____	or	_____ \$ _____

DEPARTURE INFORMATION: (must check one)

- My child will walk home.
 - My child will be picked up at 3:50 p.m. (**2:50 on Tuesdays**) in the Drake Alley turn-around. I understand my child may be dismissed from the program, even if I am late.
 - My child attends the SPACE Program.
 - My child will ride the late bus. The bus stop checked below is the closest to our home.
- *Please note the change of order in the bus route. The late bus leaves Middleton approximately at 4:00pm.***

THE LATE BUS STOPS AT THESE CORNERS ONLY. PLEASE CIRCLE THE CLOSEST CORNER.

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| 01) Christiana & Lee | 06) Cleveland & Keeler | 11) Keystone & Kirk |
| 02) East Prairie & Lee | 07) Cleveland & Keystone | 12) Keeler & Kirk |
| 03) Harding & Lee | 08) Cleveland & East Prairie | 13) Lowell & Kirk |
| 04) Keystone & Lee | 09) Keeney & East Prairie | 14) Kilbourn & Kirk |
| 05) Keeler & Lee | 10) East Prairie & Kirk | 15) Kostner & Cleveland |

If your child does NOT usually ride the bus home from school, and you want them to ride on this late bus from Enrichment, there will be a \$30 bus fee for each session, by separate check made payable to District 73.5.

The late bus follows a different route and makes different stops than their regular bus. Please take some time to show your child their "late bus" stop and point out familiar landmarks to make them feel more at ease. It is extremely helpful if someone is waiting at the bus stop for them.

The late bus leaves around 4:00 pm on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. The late bus only stops at the stops listed on the registration form (attached). If children are taking the late bus home, they must be able to accept the responsibility of getting off at the proper corner.

THERE IS NO LATE BUS for those students enrolled in the Tuesday, After School Hoops class.