



Chatsworth Elementary Winter 2024 Electives Program Catalog



Mix Arts

by Plaster Palace

Mondays | Grades 1-5 | \$292

Enjoy pottery painting, experience mosaic, and make your own slime and graffiti shirts! Children will learn about different painting techniques while making their own personal mug or plate! Enjoy science facts while creating different slimes and decorate a picture frame with mosaic artwork!

Phreaky Physics

by MAD Science

Mondays | Grades 1-2 | \$293

Is your energy potential or kinetic? Find out with us as we explore centrifugal force & gyroscopes. Become a junior engineer and experiment with axles, pulleys, levers, gears, and wheels. Some of the weekly topics in this session are Harnessing Heat, Mad Science Machines, Mad Magnets, Super Structures, Under Pressure, "Current" Events, Lights...Color...Action! Watts Up, Energy Burst & Fundamental Forces.

French for Native Speakers 1

by Juliet Perrachon

Mondays | Grades 1 | \$364

The Alliance Française of Westchester and Bespoke Education are excited to announce a comprehensive French program specifically designed for French-speaking 1st graders in Westchester public schools. This innovative program will provide native French speakers with a unique opportunity to receive high-quality French instruction, comparable to the standards set in France. Our classes are exclusively led by experienced native French teachers who ensure a comprehensive and immersive learning experience tailored to each student's grade level. This program has been made possible thanks to a grant received by the French government.

French for Non-Native Speakers 1

by Juliet Perrachon

Mondays | Grades 1 | \$364

The Alliance Française and Bespoke Education are excited to announce a French language enrichment class for students in Grade 1. This program is designed to introduce Francophile students to the basics of language, culture, and communication. From greetings to basic conversations, students will gain a solid foundation for further language exploration. Join us as we dive into the French world of words and expressions!

Chess

by Mike Amori

Mondays | Grades 3-5 | \$312

Come join us on Mondays for a real adventure on the 64 Squares. Each week, coach Mike Amori will show games of Grandmasters and chess playing kids your own age. After learning new ideas and strategies you will play your own games and experience the thrills and drama of real chess. Hope you can join us!

SEL Cultures Around the World

by S.E.L Franco

Tuesdays | Grades 2-5 | \$338

This is a Social Emotional Learning (SEL) class based on cultures around the world. Kids will learn through dance, movement, and weekly craft mediums to facilitate SEL through art.

DJ 101

by The Music Team

Tuesdays | Grades 2-5 | \$325

The fun never stops with the Party Mix! During your sessions, participants will learn all the basic knowledge needed to spark their DJ career. They will learn how to create playlists for specific parties, how to blend, tons of DJ tricks, scratching, and most importantly how to rock a crowd!!!

French for Native Speakers 2-5

by Juliet Perrachon

Tuesdays | Grades 2-5 | \$364

The Alliance Française of Westchester and Bespoke Education are excited to announce a comprehensive French program specifically designed for French-speaking students, ranging from Grade 2 to 5, in Westchester public schools. This innovative program will provide native French speakers with a unique opportunity to receive high-quality French instruction, comparable to the standards set in France. Our classes are exclusively led by experienced native French teachers who ensure a comprehensive and immersive learning experience tailored to each student's grade level. This program has been made possible thanks to a grant received by the French government.

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Build4Life by Build4Life

Tuesdays | Grades 2-5 | \$293

Personal development and mentorship program giving kids the opportunity to become leaders and changemakers in their community.

Mighty Mechanics by iCamp

Thursdays | Grades 2-5 | \$349

This course proves that science can be an exciting and dynamic discipline by putting the gears directly into your child's hands! Each lesson is designed to provide students with hands-on experience with some of the most fundamental concepts in mechanical engineering. Students will build and experiment with hydraulic grabber hands, test cars, and more, each introducing a new concept – from Newton's laws of motion to the principles of energy transfer. Better yet, their creations will give them a personal look at how all these concepts combine to define the world we live in. By the end of the course, each student will feel confident in their ability to work independently through the engineering process to design exciting, moveable machines of their own.

French for Non-Native Speakers 2-5 by Juliet Perrachon

Thursdays | Grades 2-5 | \$364

The Alliance Française and Bespoke Education are excited to announce a French language enrichment class for students, ranging from Grade 2 to Grade 5. This program is designed to introduce Francophile students to the basics of language, culture, and communication. From greetings to basic conversations, students will gain a solid foundation for further language exploration. Join us as we dive into the French world of words and expressions!

Chess by Alan Abrams

Thursdays | Grades 1-2 | \$325

Students study games my students have played in the US Chess Championship. Students play against the instructor.

Ceramics and Glass Fusing by Slavin Studios

Fridays | Grades 2-5 | \$286

Here the studio art experience is brought to you! In ceramics, we work with clay sculpting, making decorative art, and functional items like useable cups and bowls. The students make and paint their art with non-toxic colors that are then transported to a kiln, bisque, and glaze fired with a clear food-safe finish. They are beautiful and durable glazed ceramics. It's fun and students will learn the fundamentals of sculpture and hand-building. Some use of drape molds and small tools. Glass Fusing is a special activity! Students take precut clear and colored glass, arrange a design using clear glue gel, and set the pieces in place. They are then transported to a kiln and fused. Some projects like tiles, hanging glass art, necklace pendants, magnets, picture frames, and nameplates are some examples. The teacher can cut certain shapes for the students. Artwork comes back to the classroom throughout the program all work received by the last class. Usually, we finish with a self-hardening clay project they take home on the last day.

Crayola® Wild World by MAD Science

Fridays | Grades 2 | \$293

Are you ready for an art expedition? Let the wonder and beauty of the animal kingdom inspire your empathy, curiosity, and creativity. Learn about lions, elephants, sharks, and more, and find out how wildlife conservationists are working to protect species around the globe. Experiment with a variety of art techniques using Crayola® products to create animal-inspired art projects, from frog paintings to polar bear sculptures! Let your creativity run wild and bring your handiwork home to build a menagerie of animal-themed masterpieces. Our young artists will receive Crayola products to take home and wildlife trading cards that contain fun facts about the featured animal and a biography of a real conservationist working with these animals.

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Yoga for Tots to Teens

by Fit & Focused

Fridays | Grades 2-5 | \$312

The club is for kids grades 2-5 to learn yoga and mindfulness in a playful environment. Yoga poses are learned, games are played, and music is used to promote both laughter and stillness. Yoga has multiple benefits for kids including improved focus and concentration, an increase in self-esteem and self-regulation, improved core strength and flexibility, and an overall sense of calm and peacefulness.

Spanish 2

by ABC Language

Fridays | Grades 2 | \$312

"¡Hola, Amigos!" is a dynamic Spanish course tailored for second-grade students, accommodating both those with prior Spanish exposure and beginners. Dive into the world of Spanish sounds and expressions through interactive activities and engaging rhymes. From everyday vocabulary to cultural exploration, young learners will build practical language skills while discovering the richness of Spanish-speaking cultures. Our course integrates creative arts and crafts, reinforcing language concepts through hands-on projects. Join us for a vibrant and celebratory experience as we lay the foundation for a lifelong love of language and cultural understanding in "¡Hola, Amigos!" ¡Vamos a aprender juntos! (Let's learn together!)

Theatre/Improv

by Rachel Nicks

Fridays | Grades 2-5 | \$364

Explore the world of theatre with a variety of theatre games and improv. A safe space for kids to find their voice and use their bodies to express themselves. Your instructor Rachel Nicks is a graduate of the Juilliard School. She unlocked her passion for acting in the 8th grade when she played a Flamingo in the school play. She has enjoyed a career in Theatre, Television, and Film since 2006. She is a Ward mom and is thrilled to share her passion for acting with the community.

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