Fall 2018 Afterschool Schedule

Register online beginning Wednesday, June 13 at 1:00 - www.wingspanarts.org

ars	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
K	Music to My Ears	Dance Me a Story	Puzzles & Games*	Painter's Palette	Actor's Playground
K - 1	Eco Art	Play Makers	Dance Around the World	Star Performers	Yogamotion
1 - 2	Ballet	Edible Art *	Actor's Workshop	Lego Artists *	Music Makers
1 - 3	Myths & Legends	Karate with	Printmaking	Нір Нор	Mixed Media Arts
2 - 4	Lego Robotics with * (codingKIDZ) ready, set, code!	Advanced* Class Extension Available (Grades K-5)	Mini-Musical	Graphic Novels	Dance Studio
3 - 5	Global Art	Animation with SH, NC (Grades 3-5)	Toymaker's Workshop *	Songwriter's Studio	Sketch Comedy

Classes begin September 12th!

* Additional fees apply

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Information Fall 2018 Programs

\$40

September 12, 2018 - January 25, 2019

Class Tuition for Fall Semester

1 day/week	\$480	
2 days/week	\$920	
3 days/week	\$1,320	
4 days/week	\$1,680	
5 days/week	\$2,000	

Registration Fee

One per family, per semester		
Early Registration (before 7/4)	\$15	
Registration (7/4-9/7)	\$30	
Late Registration (after 9/7)	\$40	

Optional Payment Plan

One per family, per semester

The Payment Plan allows you to pay your account balance in installments charged automatically on the following dates:

At Registration		
October 5		
November 2		
December 7		



Season Passport

Includes:

- 5 days of Wingspan Arts programming for both the Fall and Spring semesters
- Registration for all Wingspan Arts Half-Day programs
- Waived registration fees
- The opportunity to register for Spring classes before non-Season Passport holders

The Season Passport is only \$3,950 - a savings of \$200!

About Wingspan Arts

Wingspan Arts is a non-profit organization that is fully insured and professionally managed. We hold our programs ON-SITE at PS 527, and work in partnership with PS 527 to offer semester-long afterschool arts enrichment classes that meet once a week. The program is staffed by Site Director(s), Site Assistant(s), and professional Teaching Artists.

A Day at Wingspan Arts

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- When students are dismissed from school, they are escorted to Wingspan's central meeting area at PS 527
- Students are provided with a snack and an option of arts based activities from school dismissal until 3:15PM
- Arts enrichment classes run for 90 minutes from 3:30 5:00PM
- Pick-up runs from 5:00 6:00PM; students again participate in a choice of arts based activities, other supervised games, or homework.
- Pick-up ends promptly at 6:00PM; a fee of \$1/minute will be charged for any students remaining after 6:00PM; Fee increases after third late pick-up.

Tax Information

Our afterschool programs may be claimed as a childcare expense on your taxes, or used with a flex spending account! Our Federal Tax ID is 13-4189808, and our office can provide you with a formal receipt.

Financial Aid

Wingspan Arts has a long tradition of providing need-based financial aid to our incredible afterschool communities. We do our best to ensure that every child has access to the arts, regardless of their ability to pay the full tuition for our programs. To find out more about financial aid, please visit our website.

Refund Policy

- If your child is not satisfied with his/her afterschool class, and withdraws within the first two weeks, we offer a full credit to your Wingspan Arts account to be used for a future class or Half-Day program.
- After the first two weeks, we offer a pro-rated credit amount to your Wingspan Arts account.
- If you wish instead to be refunded to your credit card, Wingspan Arts charges a \$50 refund fee.

REGISTER ONLINE AT WINGSPANARTS.ORG For questions, please contact afterschool@wingspanarts.org



Class Descriptions Fall 2018

MONDAY

Grade K – Music to My Ears

Through songs, games, and exercises, we'll explore the fundamentals of music. We'll learn about dynamics, tempo, pitch, melody, beat, and rhythm. In the course of our time together we will write our own songs and sing some of our old favorites.

Grades K-1 – Eco-Art

In this class we will learn how to reduce, reuse, and reinvent! Projects will not only center on using both found objects and recycled materials, but also on utilizing natural materials. These might include a paper-making unit, recycled textile bags, and/or woven crafts. We will also experiment with plant-based inks and twig bookbinding.

Grades 1-2 – Ballet

For beginners and experienced dancers alike, learn the basics of ballet, including stretching, music, and dance vocabulary. Each class includes a mini-performance and creative dance games to fire up the imagination. Taught with lots of encouragement and gentle guidance, this is the perfect class for budding prima ballerinas!

Grades 1-3 - Myths & Legends

What do the Loch Ness Monster, Big Foot, and Paul Bunyan have in common? Well, in Myths & Legends, all their stories will come alive! In this creative class, students will be introduced to drama and theatre through the use of timeless myths and legends. As a final presentation they will stage their very own adaptation or perhaps even create their own story!

Grades 2-4 – Lego Robotics with codingKIDZ \$40 Insurance Fee

Using the LEGO Mindstorms EV3 platform, students build and program walking, talking and thinking robots. Starting with separate LEGO pieces, motors, sensors and a mini-computer, students team up to build robotic creations raging from scorpions to humanoids. They then program their robots to complete missions and participate in hilarious races against other teams in the class.

Grades 3-5 – Global Art

Let's travel the world! From Italy to Japan, Egypt to Australia, we will explore art from across the globe. Students will paint, sculpt, and sketch their way through different folktales, celebrations, and traditions. We are going to bring the world to our classroom!



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TUESDAY

Grade K – Dance Me a Story

Anyone can tell a story, but can you dance it? As the students learn fun dance steps, they will integrate their new moves into an exciting story...without words! Watch them skip, bop, and shimmy their way from "Once Upon a Time" to "Happily Ever After!"

Grades K-1 – Play Makers

Join Playmakers and bring your stories to the stage! In this class, students will discover the excitement of playwriting as they bring plot, character, theme, and more to life in the limelight. After an introduction to the basics of dramatic theory and the playwriting process, students will have the opportunity to write and perform their own theatrical masterpiece!

Grades 1-2 – Edible Art \$25 Materials Fee

It's art you can eat! Join us as we make art out of fresh foods, make art inspired by food, and use our creativity and taste buds to their fullest potential! Students will be able to take home some art projects, and share recipes with their families.

Grades K-5 – **Karate with KP for Kids** \$40 *Insurance Fee,* \$30 *Uniform Fee will also apply for new students or for replacement uniforms*

KP for Kids is a professional karate afterschool program staffed with well-trained instructors that demonstrate respectful behavior in an active, physical, fun-loving environment. It is our philosophy that all children must be treated respectfully in order to emulate that behavior towards others. Additionally, children should have access to a safe, healthy, encouraging afterschool activity that will help develop not only their physical abilities, but also their mental focus and concentration. KP for Kids offers this in a goal oriented traditional belt karate program with the addition of incorporating healthy Pilates exercises to promote core strength for all activities.

Advanced Karate: Yellow – Black Belt

Optional: Advanced Karate Extended 30 minute section (5:00pm – 5:30pm) **\$100 Additional Tuition**

For students who are **advanced yellow belt and above**

Students will spend an extra half hour each week perfecting the art of karate. Dedicated students train in kumite, advanced kata, meditation, and choreographed fight combinations.



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Grades 3-5 – Animation with Sh!ne \$60 Materials Fee

In Animation, students will have the opportunity to create their own stop motion animation shorts both individually and as a group. They will learn about storyboards, script writing, and editing in addition to getting the chance to create their own characters, backgrounds, and stories for their films! At the end of the class, students will have practiced all of the jobs required to create a stop motion animation piece and will have created a short film.

WEDNESDAY

Grade K – Puzzles & Games \$15 Materials Fee

This class will "Boggle" your mind! Learn from the classics, by playing games like Monopoly and chess. Then create your own board games, treasure maps, puzzles, and mazes. You won't be "Sorry" you signed up for this class.

Grades K-1 – Dance Around the World

In this class, dancers will learn styles such as African, jazz, ballet, salsa, Afro-Caribbean, Indian, hip hop, funk and swing. They will dance to music from all over the world and play games that help them listen to the sounds that make each style and culture unique. This class encourages an awareness and appreciation of other countries' historical dance styles and inspires them to find a common colorful thread that runs through ALL movement.

Grades 1-2 – Actor's Workshop

Calling all actors! In Actor's Workshop, we will learn key elements of theatre performance and rehearse speaking in front of an audience. We will hone individual skills and collaborate in ensemble work such as play building and scene study.

Grades 1-3 – Printmaking

This class is an introduction to the fun of printmaking! Learn a variety of printmaking activities, which may include potato stamps, relief printing, and silk screening. See your designs come to life on paper, cloth, and more!

Grades 2-4 – Mini Musical

"5, 6, 7, 8!" Get ready for a song and dance experience like never before. This class will explore musical theatre, dance, and music – and give students the chance to do it themselves! Students will master the essentials in acting and leave the class ready to become a Broadway star!



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Grades 3-5 – Toymaker's Workshop \$15 Materials Fee

Have you ever wondered how they make your favorite toys? Let's find out! In this hands-on class, students will learn the science and engineering behind how toys work. Students will create and design their own toys and develop new ways to play. This visual arts class combines imagination and curiosity, and the students will take home many handmade toys.

THURSDAY

Grade K – Painter's Palette

Create sketch drawings and turn them into beautiful paintings using a variety of paints and canvases! Learn how to use color and value to create light, shadows and form. Explore composition, color mixing, painting techniques and self-expression in this fun class!

Grades K-1 – Star Performers with Music to Your Home \$15 Materials Fee

Become your favorite pop star! From Taylor Swift to Bruno Mars, we will learn to sing and dance like these amazing pop stars - and even create our own performing personalities. Each week we will work on the vocal skills, dance moves, and personal style it takes to become a super star!

Grades 1-2 – Lego Artists \$15 Materials Fee

In this class, students experience the excitement of Lego and learning! This class will introduce teamwork, observation, creative thinking, and problem-solving skills all while students use their imaginations to build the most amazing creations! We will learn about famous pieces of art and architecture, explore 2D mosaics, and build upwards in 3D. Students will be able to build individually and in groups, giving them a sense of ensemble and how their pieces and fun ideas fit into the whole.

Grades 1-3 – Hip Hop

With a combination of old school and new school hip hop, dancers will learn cutting edge street dance movements like popping, locking, hitting, jamming, break and other urban dance moves. This class gives every dancer a hip hop dance experience unlike any other.



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Grades 2-4 – Graphic Novels

In this cartooning class, students will learn to create characters, worlds, and stories using the art of illustration. With a balance of literacy, storytelling, and visual art, the Graphic Novelists from this class will jump head first into the world of cartooning. They will have the opportunity to develop new characters, as well as place their favorite comics in new settings. At the end of the class, students will walk away with their own graphic novel!

Grades 3-5 – Songwriter's Studio

Students will examine the craft of songwriting through the use of poetry, percussion, and singing. We will write songs as a group and individually, and each student will develop proper singing techniques and leave with a core understanding of musical vocabulary. Discover your creative genius and become a songwriting superstar.

FRIDAY

Grade K – Actor's Playground

Have you ever wondered why they call it a play? BECAUSE ACTING IS FUN! In this play-based drama class, students will experiment with improvisation, ensemble-building, and acting exercises to discover the joy of theatre. All the world's a stage (or a playground) in this energetic and active class.

Grades K-1 – Yogamotion

Breathe deeply. Meditate. Stretch. Move! Through the ancient art of yoga, students will gain flexibility and have the freedom to dance and explore creative movement. These yoga sessions will combine emotional reflection, light stretching, breathing, various yoga poses, and meditation. Students will learn downward facing dog, upward facing dog, child's pose, windmill pose, frog pose, tortoise pose and more!

Grades 1-2 – Music Makers

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Grades 1-3 – Mixed Media Arts

Mixed Media Arts uses an array of materials to emphasize creativity, invention, and fun! Projects include sculpture (clay, foam, paper, wire); carving (linoleum, potatoes, soap), mobile and collage work. Each week, students will learn about a famous artist while studying technique, craft, media, and art history. Using this knowledge, students will then create projects inspired by these artists.

Grades 2-4 – Dance Studio

The essence of this class is the joy of expression through different forms of dance. The young dancer will experience such dance styles as tap, jazz, ballet, hip hop, step, funk, and swing, just to name a few. So, sway on over to this class if you're interested in learning a variety of dance and creative movement styles!

Grades 3-5 – Sketch Comedy

If you like to crack up your friends and family, then this is the class for you. Build up your skills by learning the fundamentals of performing for an audience and making them laugh. This class involves improvisation technique, props, costumes, and character development. Master the art of funny!