

# Fall 2017 Afterschool Schedule

Register online beginning Wednesday, June 14 at 12PM - [www.wingspanarts.org](http://www.wingspanarts.org)

**NEW  
CLASS  
OPTIONS!**



	<b>MON</b>	<b>TUE</b>	<b>WED</b>	<b>THU</b>	<b>FRI</b>
<b>K - 1</b>	Painter's Palette	Actor's Playground	Puppet Makers	Hip Hop	Mini-Musical
<b>1 - 3</b>	Chess * <i>Open to 4th Grade</i>	Songwriter's Studio	Actor's Toolkit	Canvas Creations	Backyard Sports
				Creative Writing <i>Grades 2-4 Only</i>	Shakespeare's Players <i>Grades 2-4 Only</i>
<b>3 - 5</b>	Acting & Improv	Graphic Novels	Cupcake Creations *	Documentary Filmmaking * <i>Grades 3-5 Only</i>	Crochet * <i>Grades 3-5 Only</i>

Classes begin Monday, September 11

\* Additional fees apply

club wingspan



# Pricing Information Fall 2017 Programs



## 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 **\$3,550** – a savings of **\$200**

September 11, 2017 - January 26, 2018

### Class Tuition for Fall Semester

1 day/week	\$440
2 days/week	\$840
3 days/week	\$1,200
4 days/week	\$1,520
5 days/week	\$1,800

### Registration Fee

One per family, per semester	
Early Registration (before 7/4)	\$15
Registration (7/4-9/8)	\$30
Late Registration (after 9/8)	\$40

### Optional Payment Plan \$40

One per family, per semester  
The Payment Plan allows you to pay your account balance in installments charged automatically on the following dates:

1st Payment	At Registration
2nd Payment	October 20
3rd Payment	November 17
4th Payment	December 15

### 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 748, and work in partnership with PS 748 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

- When students are dismissed from school, they are escorted to Wingspan’s central meeting area at PS 748.
- Students are provided with a snack and an option of arts based activities from school dismissal until 3:15 PM
- Arts Enrichment classes run for 90 minutes from 3:15 - 4:45 PM.
- Pick-up runs from 4:45 - 6:00 PM; Students again participate in a choice of arts based activities, other supervised games, or homework.
- Pick-up ends promptly at 6:00 PM. 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](mailto:afterschool@wingspanarts.org)



# **Class Descriptions**

## **Fall 2017**

### **MONDAY**

#### **Grades K-1 – 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 1-4 – Chess \* \$15 Materials Fee**

This class is an introduction to the exciting world of chess. Students will learn basic opening, middle game, and end game strategies and how to achieve a proper coordination of pieces. Instruction will establish an appropriate balance between lecture, discussion, and structured play. Chess puzzles, planning, and guided games will be the highlight of this class!

#### **Grades 3-5 – Acting & Improv**

Have you ever wanted to try acting? Or create characters and tell stories with in-the-moment inspiration? Then Acting & Improv is for you! This class will include readings of well-known stories, and students will use humor and theatre games on this improvisational journey.

### **TUESDAY**

#### **Grades K-1 – 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 1-3 – 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.

#### **Grades 3-5 – Graphic Novels**

Ever wanted to star in a graphic novel? Be the next big cartoonist? Then this is the art class for you! Develop characters and learn to draw their poses and facial expressions in a world you create. By the end of this class, you will have created your very own comic book.



# **Class Descriptions**

## **Fall 2017**

### **WEDNESDAY**

#### **Grades K-1 – Puppet Makers**

In this class, artists create their own puppets and bring them to life! We will begin by watching several puppet shows to understand the sense of joy that goes into acting with puppets. This class will then give students a chance to build puppets from materials such as lollipops, styrofoam balls, vegetables and fruit, and pop-up paper. Best of all, every puppeteer will take their puppets home! The class culminates in a puppet show at the end of the semester.

#### **Grades 1-3 – Actor's Toolkit**

In Actor's Toolkit, students will build their skills in imaginative storytelling and improvisation. Through theatre games and ensemble-building activities, the actors in this class will learn about character development, plot structure, and scene study. Students will develop their emotional awareness and social skills, while also building their toolkit to become great actors!

#### **Grades 3-5 – Cupcake Creations \$25 Materials Fee**

Happiness is only a cupcake away! Inspired by some of the most popular shows on the Food Network, Cupcake Creations comes straight to PS 748! In Miss Cathy's Cupcake Creations class, students will be challenged to create beautiful works of cupcake art each week. There are so many different designs to choose from... a beloved character, animals, flowers... you name it, we'll try it! Students will also experiment with flavors, ingredients, and design techniques to create their own edible masterpieces. This class is for dessert-lovers only and the students will both eat and take home cupcakes each week. The students will walk away with a book of recipes with step-by-step directions to recreate their favorite edible art projects.

### **THURSDAY**

#### **Grades K-1 – Hip Hop**

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

#### **Grades 1-3 – Canvas Creations**

Van Gogh, Picasso, and Monet are only some of the names students will learn in this exciting hands-on class. Through the introduction of several painting techniques, students will learn about image composition, drawing, shadows, and light. With a variety of methods, students will learn about art history and also create their own pieces. Students will hone their fine motor skills and enjoy working with watercolor, acrylic, and pastels in this exciting art studio class.



# Class Descriptions

## Fall 2017

### **Grades 2-4 – Creative Writing**

In this class, we will explore the creative extremes of our imagination! Students will learn about story structure, exposition, plot, and conflict, while exploring the creative writing process by writing their own short stories. They will create narratives, build characters, and learn about important literary techniques.

### **Grades 3-5 – Documentary Filmmaking \* \$25 Materials Fee**

Build a documentary with your friends in this hands-on filmmaking class. This class will focus on the art of telling stories through interviews and field-research. In this collaborative environment, students will learn how to use video technology, edit film, and write compelling stories about current events and the local community.

## **FRIDAY**

### **Grades K-1 – Mini-Musical**

“5, 6, 7, 8!” Get ready for a song and dance experience like you have never had before. This class will explore musical theatre, dance, and music – and give you the chance to do it yourself! Not only will you get to work on your turns and time-steps, but you will also work on creating your own original show!

### **Grades 1-3 – Backyard Sports**

Four square, handball, tag games, stickball... If you can play it in the backyard, we will play it here! This is a high-energy class that brings everyone’s favorite games together, and introduces students to new games that will involve both cooperation *and* healthy competition.

### **Grades 2-4 – Shakespeare’s Players**

Friends, Romans, Countrymen! Lend me your talents! The stories of Shakespeare have excited and moved us for centuries. Now you can dive into his world of magic, dreams, and fantastic creatures! This class will weave acting exercises and literary games to increase students’ comprehension of classical theatre. Through verse, poetry, and humor, students will explore the thrill of Shakespeare’s works. The group of students will form a troupe of Players and perform abridged works of the Bard. The play is the thing!

### **Grades 3-5 – Crochet \$15 Materials Fee**

Join us for an adventure into the world of crocheting! Each student will learn the basic techniques of this craft and will be well on their way to creating their favorite cold weather accessories! Experienced crochet students will learn to make even more intricate patterns.