Spring 2019 Afterschool Schedule



Register online beginning Monday, January 7th at 12 PM - www.wingspanarts.org

@PS A	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
K	Art Explorers	Actor's Playground	Spanish Adventures with * Lango Freigh Languages for Kids Grades K-1	Dance Me a Story	Mini Mozart with *
K - 1	SUPER SOCCERSTARS	Global Music	Beginning Karate * for kids	Lego Masters*	Canvas Creations
1 - 3	Actor's Toolkit	Myths & Legends	* Jr. Scientists	Karate with for kids	Dance Expressions
	* SCIENCE	SUPER SOCCERSTARS	Songwriter's Studio	*Advanced* Class Extension Available Grades 1-6	Toymaker's Workshop*
2 - 4	Global Art	Puppet Makers	Sketch Comedy	Eco Art	Broadway Bound
3 - 5	Pop Choir	Modern Masters	Graphic Novels	Jazz Dance	SUPER SOCCERSTARS
4 - 5	Actor's Workshop	Нір Нор	Film & Television w/ * SHOWAUNNER	Kodu Plus * Game Design with CodeAdvantage®	Star Performers



Pricing Information
 Spring 2019 Programs

January 28 - June 21, 2019

Class Tuition for Spring 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	
Registration	\$30
Late Registration (after 1/25)	\$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	March 1
3rd Payment	April 5
4th Payment	May 3

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 40, and work in partnership with PS 40 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 40.
- Students are provided with a snack and an option of arts based activities from school dismissal until 3:30 PM.
- Arts enrichment classes run for 90 minutes from 3:30 5:00 PM.
- Pick-up runs from 5:00 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 PM;
 fee increases after third late pick-up. *Consistent early pick-ups (before 5:00 PM) will not be accommodated.

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 Spring 2019

MONDAY

Grade K – Art Explorers

Students will cut, paint, glue, draw, and sculpt! This class will focus on the individuality and creative thinking process of each child as images and three-dimensional forms emerge from stories, poetry, and free association. Concepts will come to life as students develop skills to communicate their ideas in unique ways. This is a great class to explore a variety of artistic mediums.

Grades K-1 – Super Soccer Stars *\$40 Insurance Fee

Come and learn about the world's most popular sport in this fun and active class. Super Soccer Stars will teach you basic skills, warm-ups, and tips on how to keep fit. Sign up, build your self-confidence, and become part of the Super Soccer Stars team.

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 exercises, the actors in this class will learn about character development, plot structure, and scene study. Students will use their actor tools of body, voice, and imagination to tell stories in a creative and expressive way. The actors will develop their emotional awareness and social skills, while also building their toolkit to become great performers!

Grade 1-3 Mad Science *\$60 Materials Fee

Explore the natural world and its adaptations. Observe creepy crawly bugs, make casts of animal tracks & study the feeding habits of owls as we dissect their lunch's remains. Some of the weekly topics in this session are: Bugs, Earthworks, Walloping Weather, Mission Nutrition, All about Animals, Life in the Sea, The Birds & the Beasts, Earth Awareness, Nature and The Science of Sport!

Grades 2-4 - Global Art

Let's travel the world! From Italy to Japan, Egypt to Australia, students 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!

Grades 3-5 – Pop Choir

Students will become "pitch perfect" by joining the vocal ensemble in Pop Choir. Singers will learn about melodies, harmonies, acapella, and solo performances while singing their favorite pop hits. Ariana Grande, Shawn Mendez, and Bruno Mars are just some of the musical influences inspiring the singers in this class. Students will perform their greatest hits at the end of the semester!

Grades 4-5 - Actor's Workshop

Calling all actors! In Actor's Workshop, students will learn key elements of theatre performance and rehearsal practices. Through monologue and scene study, as well as in-depth character development exercises, the actors in this class will learn the value of objectives, tactics, and stakes in performance. Students will also have the opportunity to develop their own pieces, and direct their fellow classmates. At the end of the semester, the actors will show off what they've learned in a short play!



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TUESDAY

Grade K - Actor's Playground

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. Using familiar stories, students will create theatrical worlds to learn about character, relationships, and conflict. All the world's a stage (or a playground) in this energetic and active thespian experience.

Grades K-1 – Global Music

This class celebrates the cultures of the world through music! Students will learn the basics of dynamics, tempo, pitch, melody, beat and rhythm while traveling the globe. Through different cultures' stories, celebrations, and traditions, students will bring the world to their classroom! Students will travel the world of music and share all they've learned through an exciting performance.

Grades 1-3 – Myths & Legends

Storytellers in this class will bring Myths & Legends from around the world to life! In this class, students will use skills in literacy, teamwork, and creative thinking to devise staged versions of familiar stories. The Gods of Mount Olympus, Native American Folktales, and stories pertaining to the origin of Greek, Roman, and Egyptian mythology will serve as the foundation of this class. Students will use acting techniques and their curious imaginations to stage an adaptation of a timeless story!

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Grades 2-4 – Puppet Makers

Designers in this class will create their own puppets and bring them to life! This class will give students a chance to build puppets from lollipops, styrofoam balls, vegetables and fruit, pop-up paper, and more! Every puppeteer will create unique characters with their puppets before taking them home! The class culminates in a puppetry show or gallery at the end of the semester!

Grades 3-5 – Modern Masters

This class is for the artist and the art historian alike! In this class, students will learn about and discuss different art genres and periods, such as Impressionism, Fauvism, Pointillism, Art Nouveau, Art Deco, Pop Art, and abstract art. They will then create their own 2D and 3D artworks inspired by these ideas. Students will also create relationships with the artists of history, and develop their own techniques to find their authentic artist self.

Grades 4-5 - Hip Hop

With a combination of old school and new school hip hop, dancers will learn cutting edge street dance movements. Students will pop, lock, jam, and break while also working together to create dynamic dance pieces. Balancing challenging choreography with the students' own creative influence, this class will result in an exciting dance performance.



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Grades K-1 – Spanish Adventures with Lango *\$15 Materials Fee

This class combines songs, movement, art and crafts, and language activities to create a Spanish-learning experience unlike any other. This class is designed to foster an interest in foreign languages and cultures, as well as promote the development of a child's linguistic abilities. In addition to learning basic vocabulary words and phrases (e.g. colors, numbers, animals, etc.), all afterschool students will read a book from our signature Lango Kids series. These books follow the Lango Kids--Wen, Luc, and Lucia,--their teacher, and Cosmo the dog on their various adventures throughout the Spanish-speaking world. Each story focuses on a specific set of specialized vocabulary and usually contains a sweet and simple moral. This semester Spanish students are headed to a city, reading "An Adventure in the City."

Grades K-1 Beginning Karate with KP for Kids *\$40 Insurance Fee, \$30 Uniform Fee for new students

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 KP's 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.

Grades 1-3 – Jr. Scientists \$15 Materials Fee

Calling all future scientists! This class will involve weekly challenges where students will have to work in teams to come up with their own designs for different projects like a bridge that can bear the greatest load or a model rocket that flies highest. How do you build a robot? What is the science behind a rollercoaster? This class uses trial and error to experiment and explore the fun in science.

Grades 1-3 Songwriter's Studio

Students will examine the craft of songwriting through the use of poetry, percussion, and singing. Students will write songs both individually and as an ensemble, and each student will develop proper singing techniques and a core understanding of musical vocabulary. By the end of the semester, students will write and perform their own original songs!

Grades 2-4 - Sketch Comedy

Writers, comedians, and performers will master the art of funny in the Sketch Comedy class. Through writing exercises, improv games, and acting techniques, students will learn the fundamentals of comedy in performance. Students will create characters, conflicts, and circumstances that put the FUN in FUNNY! This class will culminate in a series of written sketches to be performed in front of a live audience!

Grades 3-5 – Graphic Novels

In this advanced 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!



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Grades 4-5 Film & Television with Showrunner Productions *\$40 Materials Fee

Filmmaking is not just for movie theatres anymore! Students will learn to produce content for film, video, and the web using professional video, lighting and sound equipment. Using video clips, the class begins with an overview of the history of of filmmaking from silent movies to YouTube. They will write, storyboard, produce, and star in their choice of short films, commercials or sitcoms. A link to the final projects will be provided for download.

THURSDAY

Grade K – Dance Me a Story

Dance is one of the most graceful and exciting ways to tell a story. The students in this class will use stories to inspire choreography. Blending the exciting elements of plot, music dynamics, and movement, students in this class will integrate their learning into a spectacular visual story. Watch them skip, bop, and shimmy their way from "Once Upon a Time" to "Happily Ever After"!

Grades K-1 – Lego Masters * \$15 Materials Fee

Learn how to become Lego-smart! This class will introduce teamwork, observation, creative thinking, and problem-solving skills all through the fun of Legos. Students will build towns, spaceships, bridges, railroads, artwork, and a whole lot more in this exciting class!

Grades 1-6 – Karate with KP for Kids * \$40 Insurance Fee, \$30 Uniform fee for new students

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If you are a new student, a \$30 uniform fee will also apply.

Advanced Karate Option:

Beginning Karate: White – Advanced Blue Belt Advanced Karate: Yellow – Black Belt

Advanced Karate Extended 30 minute section (optional) ** \$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.

Grades 2-4 - Eco Art

In this class students 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. Find out not only how to save the earth, but make it beautiful!



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Grades 3-5 - Jazz Dance

Students in this class will learn the basic principles of jazz dance. Students will groove to syncopated rhythms by stepping, leaping, kicking, and perfecting body isolations with a creative flair. Along with creative movement, students will learn about the evolution of jazz dance in America at the turn of the 20th century, focusing on choreographers and musicals that brought this dance form to the mainstream. The semester will end with a jazzy performance of an original dance piece.

Grades 4-5 – Kodo Plus Game Design with CodeAdvantage *\$60 Materials Fee

Get the advantage! The objective in our coding, robotics, and engineering classes is to introduce fundamental coding concepts to young students using a fun and engaging approach. We accomplish this with a mix of programming activities, unplugged activities, and class coding projects. Kids have a blast creating their own 3D video games and adventures such as Bumper Balloons and Super-Kodu while learning fundamental coding concepts such as loops, variables, and constructors.

FRIDAY

Grade K - Mini Mozart with MUSIC TO YOUR HOME *\$15 Materials Fee

In this class, we will explore classical music! We will listen to compositions from a variety of composers and learn about the history behind the piece. 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 leave with a core understanding of musical vocabulary.

Grades K-1 – 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 refine their fine motor skills and enjoy working with watercolor, acrylic, and pastels in this exciting art studio class.

Grades 1-3 - Dance Expressions

Dancers in this class will experience the joy of expression through different forms of dance. Students will be introduced to tap, jazz, ballet, hip hop, step, funk, and swing, as well as the historical influence these dance styles have had in the movement world. Dance terminology, core strength, balance, and imagination will drive this class to a creative dance performance at the end of the semester.

Grades 1-3 – 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.



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Grades 2-4 - Broadway Bound

This class is for future Broadway stars. Performers will learn what it takes to put together a show from start to finish, complete with acting, singing and dancing. Students will learn and create choreography, practice monologues and scenes, and develop their own song book! For those who are interested in learning more about theatre, this class will cover everything an actor needs to know to become Broadway bound!

Grades 3-5 – Super Soccer Stars *\$40 Insurance Fee

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Grades 4-5 – Star Performers

Through the exploration of song and dance, students will become Star Performers! From Ariana Grande to Justin Timberlake, performers will learn to sing and dance like these amazing pop stars! Each week students will work on the vocal techniques, choreography, and personal style it takes to become a super star! At the end of the semester, the Star Performers will dazzle in a pop concert performance!