

# Spring 2019 Afterschool Schedule

Register online beginning Wednesday, January 9th at 12pm - [www.wingspanarts.org](http://www.wingspanarts.org)



	<b>MON</b>	<b>TUE</b>	<b>WED</b>	<b>THU</b>	<b>FRI</b>
<b>Pre-K &amp; K</b>	Actor's Playground	Jr. Asphalt Jungle	Painter's Palette	Mini Mozart	Dance Me a Story
<b>K - 1</b>	Lego Creations *	Cartoons & Illustration	Mini Musical	Chess	Actor's Toolkit
<b>1 - 3</b>	Modern Music	Playwriting & Performance	Global Art	Dance Evolution	Backyard Sports
<b>2 - 5</b>	Athletic Adventures	Mixed Media Arts	Lego Masters*	Broadway Bound	Future Choreographers

Classes begin Monday, January 28th

\* Additional fees apply

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# Pricing Information Spring 2019 Programs

January 28 - June 21, 2019

## Class Tuition for Spring 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	
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 516, and work in partnership with PS 516 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 PS516.
- Students are provided with a snack and an option of arts based activities from school dismissal until 3:30PM.
- 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](mailto:afterschool@wingspanarts.org)



# Class Descriptions

## Spring 2019

### **MONDAY**

#### **Grades Pre-K & 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 – Lego Creations** \*\$15 Materials Fee

Legos just got even *more* fun! In this class, students will experience the excitement and creativity of Legos and learning! This class will introduce teamwork, observation, creative thinking, and problem-solving skills while using creativity and imagination to build the most amazing creations!

#### **Grades 1-3 – Modern Music**

Through songs, games and exercises, students will explore the fundamentals of music and composition. Dynamics, tempo, pitch, melody, beat and rhythm will be the focus of this exciting music composition class. The musicians will learn about different instruments and develop skills in songwriting while looking at popular songs in modern day music. Students will learn singing techniques, build their knowledge of music theory and terminology, and create their own sounds in Modern Music.

#### **Grades 3-5 – Athletic Adventures**

Ready to get physical? In this class, students will explore different ways to stay active and have tons of fun! This class will include aspects of yoga, cardio-training, and various team sports as well as individual challenges. Activities will focus on advancing skills like balance, agility, strength, endurance and flexibility.



# Class Descriptions

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### **TUESDAY**

#### **Grades Pre-K & K – Jr. Asphalt Jungle**

This energetic class will be having tons of fun in the schoolyard. Students will play four square, stickball, chalk games, and many more as they explore themes of teamwork and sportsmanship. Building skills in hand-eye coordination, balance, and trust, students will enjoy games that challenge and engage them in a fun and safe way. They are bound to have a “ball” on the playground!

#### **Grades K-1 – Cartoons & Illustration**

Ever wanted your favorite Shopkins character to battle your favorite Pokemon? Ever thought of a new cartoon character? Anything is possible! In this class, students master skills in illustration and cartooning. All artists will have the opportunity to turn their preliminary sketches into colorful characters as they create their own original illustrated stories!

#### **Grades 1-3 – Playwriting & Performance**

Playwrights in this class will bring their stories to the stage! 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 3-5 – 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.



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## **Spring 2019**

### **WEDNESDAY**

#### **Grades Pre-K & 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 – Mini Musical**

“5, 6, 7, 8!” Learn a dance, sing a song, and perform a monologue in this introductory musical theatre class. Students will learn what it takes to become a triple threat, while also being introduced to many Broadway musicals. Students will work as an ensemble to create their own original musical focusing on the story structure of major Broadway musicals.

#### **Grades 1-3 – 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!

#### **Grade 3-5 – 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!



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### **THURSDAY**

#### **Grades Pre-K & K – Mini Mozart**

In this class, students will explore classical music! Students will listen to compositions from a variety of composers and learn about the history behind the piece. Through songs, games, and exercises, they'll explore the fundamentals of music. Students will learn about dynamics, tempo, pitch, melody, beat and rhythm. In the course of the semester students will write their own songs and leave with a core understanding of musical vocabulary.

#### **Grades K-1 – Chess**

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 1-3 – Dance Evolution**

From Scott Joplin's ragtime at the turn of the century to flappers in the Roarin' 20s; from Glenn Miller and the Big Band Swing to the Twist and Mashed Potato; from the 70s Hustle to Hip Hop and Funk, students will explore the growth of dance and music over the past century in America. With a focus on multiple dance styles and eras, students will both experience and research how music and dance have changed over time, as well as the effect these arts have had on American culture. The semester will end in a choreographed piece celebrating the history of dance!

#### **Grades 3-5 – 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 musical theatre, this class will cover everything an actor needs to know to become Broadway bound!



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### **FRIDAY**

#### **Grades Pre-K & 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 – 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!

#### **Grades 1-3 – Backyard Sports**

Four square, handball, tag games, stickball... If you can play it in the backyard, students will play it here! This high-energy class brings everyone’s favorite games together, from traditional sports like soccer and wiffle ball, to more unique games like ga-ga and obstacle courses. Backyard Sports introduces students to games that will teach both friendly cooperation *and* healthy competition.

#### **Grades 3-5 – Future Choreographers**

Students will be introduced to creative movement styles, as well as the value of a great choreographer! Dancers in this class will experience dance styles such as jazz, ballet, hip hop, funk, and swing, and then generate their own choreography. With a focus on leadership, ensemble-work, and creativity, this class will result in students choreographing their own unique dance performances.