



The French American Academy
Bilingual Education, International Citizens

ENRICHMENT

FALL

2023



**Team Sports | Art | Robotics | Woodworking |
Music | Theater | Tennis | Photo & Video |
Mandarin | Dance**

Date & Time

September to December
Classes start 3:30 PM & 4:30 PM

Location

209 Third street
Jersey City , NJ 07302
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REGISTRATION

HOW TO REGISTER

- Log into your parents' portal
- Click on "Web Forms"
- Choose "Enrichment Fall 2023" and make your selection
- Don't forget to save!

WHEN TO REGISTER

Enrollments start on August 30th and end on September 15.

All enrollments on our webform are final. Your selection is final and will be charged to your account once the class is confirmed i.e meets the minimum required number.

CLASS CONFIRMATION

Classes will be confirmed and charged on your portal as soon as the minimum number required is met. All classes will be confirmed and charged **by September 15**. If a class needs to be cancelled due to low enrollment, no charge will be posted. Regular communication about class status will be sent by email through September.

REFUND POLICY

There will be no full refund nor credits once a class is charged on your portal. In case of a child's absence due to medical or any other reasons including but not exhaustive to quarantine, sickness, travel, etc, no refund/credit can be allowed in order to secure the continuity of the class for the rest of the group.

Between September 1st and September 15th, you may change your selection if the class has not been charged yet.

**Register
on your
parent portal**

**from
Aug 30
to
Sep 15**

**Class
Confirmation
=
Class Charged**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

AFTER THE REGISTRATION DEADLINE

You are still welcome to enroll your child(ren) in an Enrichment Class if there are spots available.

Note that an automatic \$ 25 late registration fee will be applied after the deadline.

In case of Field trips (overnight or day trip), there will be no credit applied as classes MUST run due to a mix of grades in each enrichment class.

Credits will only be applied under two circumstances :

- The class is cancelled. The normal but not exclusive reason : The teacher is absent and cannot be substituted for.
- The school is closed. The normal but not exclusive reason : inclement weather (including early dismissal) or for any other unforeseeable reasons.

Deadline to register September 15th

Enrollments take place on a first come-first serve basis.

Late registration (i.e after September 15) may be accepted with an automatic \$25 late registration fee, and if there are spots available in the class.

Registration is complete and classes are confirmed once parents accounts are charged.

Charges will appear starting September 1st

**On-going
Enrollment**

**Classes will be
charged once
minimum of
students is
reached**

SNACK & DISMISSAL

**Pack a health
snack!**

SNACK

There will be time for a quick snack between the end of the school day (3:00 or 3:15pm) and the beginning of the enrichment class at 3:30pm. This time is included in the enrichment class fees. Children will enjoy snack and bathroom breaks under the supervision of our aftercare staff.

PICK UP & DISMISSAL

The class instructor/teacher will pick the students from the designated snack area at 3:30 and lead them to the enrichment classroom. At 4:30, students will be dismissed at their designated door or redirected to our aftercare program if you selected that option on your parent portal.

ENRICHMENT FOR ELEMENTARY CLASSES

We offer some enrichment classes for upper elementary students from 4:30 to 5:30pm to allow them to join the study hall from 3:30 to 4:30pm. Please note that study hall access is NOT included in the enrichment fees and require enrollment through this Aftercare Program 2023 2024 webform.

ENRICHMENT FOR FIRST GRADERS

This year, we offer enrichment classes at 3:30 AND at 4:30 for 1st graders to allow them to do homework at school if they wish to enjoy our faculty supervision on select days.

If you would like to know more about the transition between the school day and the enrichment program, please contact Deborah Steenhout.

**Dismissal will
be supervised
by our
Aftercare
staff**

**Enrichment
classes
available after
Study Hall at
4:30**

PIANO



PIANO

Ages : K & up

Starting 3:00pm

Cost:

**For one student
\$45/30min**

Private lesson (one student) : \$45/30 min

Two teachers are available for private piano classes:

Irina is an experienced Music and Piano teacher who joined our team in the Fall 2018. She will be teaching on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Her piano classes are taught in English.

Alexandre is a saxophonist and jazz musician who was born in France and came to study music on the East Coast. He now performs in New York City and joined our team last year. He has been teaching piano to young students in NYC for 4 years in both private and school settings. His piano classes are taught in French on Mondays.

Leçon privée (un étudiant) : \$45/30min

Irina est un professeur de musique et de piano confirmée qui a rejoint notre équipe en septembre 2018. Elle enseigne les mardis en anglais.

Alexandre est un saxophoniste et musicien de jazz né en France et venu étudier la musique sur la côte Est. Il se produit à New York City et nous a rejoint en septembre 2019. Il enseigne le piano à des enfants new yorkais depuis 4 ans aussi bien en cours privé que dans le cadre scolaire. Ses cours sont dispensés en français le lundi.

FORMER STUDENTS WILL BE GIVEN PRIORITY



MONDAY - LUNDI

SOCCER MONDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm
PreK-3 & PreK-4
4:30 to 5:30pm
2nd to 5th grades

13 classes

Dates:

Sept. 18, 25
Oct. 2, 9, 16, 30
Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27
Dec 4, 11, 18

Cost: \$425



While many Soccer programs allow the children to run freely, our new structured Soccer Skills program teaches children crucial skills in a comfortable, safe, and effective learning environment. We find that our students focus and learn better through this Soccer Skills program. Children learn and refine the fundamentals of Soccer—dribbling, passing, trapping, shooting and more.

**A minimum of 8 children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 14)**

Alors que de nombreux programmes de football laissent les enfants courir à leur guise, notre tout nouveau programme de foot enseigne à nos élèves les bases du foot de manière structurée et efficace dans un environnement confortable et sécurisé. Il est clair que nos élèves apprennent les rudiments du foot plus rapidement grâce à cette nouvelle approche notamment attraper le ballon, le dribble, la passe et le tir au but

**Un minimum de 8 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.
(Max 14)**

MONDAY - LUNDI



Woodworking

MONDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

K & 1st Graders

13 classes

Dates:

Sept. 18, 25

Oct. 2, 9, 16, 30

Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27

Dec 4, 11, 18

Cost: \$425

Students work with real tools such as hammers, screw drivers, small saws, and manual drills to build projects out of wood and learn where the wood comes from, how to treat it with natural finishes and sanding surfaces. Students will assemble projects using the woodworking tools and working one on one with a teacher using a drill and a saw.

The use of tools promotes fine and gross motor skills as well as hand eye coordination.

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 12)

Les élèves travailleront le bois avec de véritables outils tels que des marteaux, des tournevis, des petites scies et des foreuses à main pour élaborer des objets de la vie courante et apprendront aussi bien la provenance du bois que les techniques de traitement de celui-ci.

Ce cours améliorera la motricité chez les plus jeunes ainsi que leur coordination.

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 12)

MONDAY - LUNDI

NEW



ART

MONDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st to 3rd Graders

13 classes

Dates:

Sept. 18, 25

Oct. 2, 9, 16, 30

Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27

Dec 4, 11, 18

Cost: \$425



In this artistic class, our students will discover famous artists and their work through the story of a little mouse called Musette. Both our students and their tiny friend will learn about Van Gogh, Mondrian, Haring, Klimt, Warhol (among others) and revisit their famous paintings to make their very own masterpieces. At the end of the program, they will hold their very **first art exhibition** for their parents! This class will be taught in French by our FAA 2nd Grade Teacher, Melanie Mourey.

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 12)

Dans cette classe d'art, les enfants découvriront des artistes célèbres et leurs œuvres grâce à l'histoire d'une petite souris, Musette. Ensemble, ils étudieront, entre autres, Van Gogh, Mondrian, Haring, Klint et Warhol et revisiteront leurs tableaux célèbres tout en créant leurs propres chefs d'œuvres. A la fin du programme, ils présenteront leurs projets à leurs parents à l'occasion de leur **tout premier vernissage** ! Melanie Mourey, professeur de CE1 enseignera cette classe en français.

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 12)

TUESDAY- MARDI



MUSIC

TUESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Pre-K3 & Pre-K4

13 classes

Dates:

Sept.19, 26,

Oct 3, 10, 17, 31

Nov 7, 14 , 21, 28

Dec 5, 12, 19

Cost: \$425

Discover a new music experience based on Elemental Learning Music System.

With a keen focus on child development through musical inspiration, this program aims to foster a sense of community that encourages children to express their feelings and emotions in a friendly and tender environment. Initiation to choir and different instruments. This class will be taught in English by one of our FAA Music Teachers, Michael Browne .

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 12 children)

Participez à une nouvelle expérience musicale!

Grâce à une méthode basée sur le développement de l'enfant et sur l'intelligence manuelle et sensorielle, ce programme vise à créer un sens du partage pour encourager les enfants à exprimer leurs émotions dans un environnement chaleureux. Initiation a la chorale et a différents instruments. Michael Browne, un de nos professeurs de musique enseignera cette classe en anglais.

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 12)

TUESDAY- MARDI

NEW



TAP DANCE

TUESDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st to 3rd Graders

13 classes

Dates:

Sept.19, 26,

Oct 3, 10, 17, 31

Nov 7, 14 , 21, 28

Dec 5, 12, 19

Cost: \$425



TAP DANCE

Tap Dance is a percussive style that originated in the United States in the 1700's. Using shoes with metal plates to create sound, students develop coordination, precision, rhythmic skills, and musicality. Classes culminate in learning choreography as well as practicing improvisation.

This class will be taught by our FAA Music Teacher, Josephine Ancelle in French. *Please send your child with tap shoes in their backpack for the class every Tuesday.*

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 12 children)

Les claquettes sont un style de danse et de percussion originaire des Etats-Unis au XVIII siècle. Grâce à des chaussures munies de plaques de métal pour créer le son caractéristique, les élèves développeront le sens de la coordination, la précision, la rythmique et la musicalité. Le cours se concentre sur l'apprentissage de chorégraphies ainsi que sur le sens de l'improvisation. Josephine Ancelle, un de nos professeurs de musique enseignera cette classe en français. *Veuillez envoyer votre enfant avec des chaussures de claquettes dans leur sac chaque mardi.*

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.



TUESDAY- MARDI

TENNIS

TUESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm
K & 1st Graders

4:30 to 5:30pm
2nd Grade & up

13 classes

Dates:

Sept.19, 26,
Oct 3, 10, 17, 31
Nov 7, 14 , 21, 28
Dec 5, 12, 19

Cost: \$475



Your child will play games involving basic tennis skills and learn to rally. Our coaches believe in starting kids early with proper movement drills and games as well as teaching them correct stroke technique. He/she will develop the confidence and ability to learn tennis faster, while having fun. Rackets and balls provided.

A minimum of 7 children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 12 children)

Les enfants apprendront les bases du tennis grâce à des jeux adaptés. Nos coaches croient en l'importance d'apprendre dès le plus jeune âge les placements et mouvements corrects ainsi que les techniques de frappes. Ils s'amuseront tout en développant la confiance en soi et les compétences nécessaires au jeu de tennis. Raquettes et balles fournies.

Un minimum de 7 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.
(Max 12 enfants)

WEDNESDAY- MERCREDI

MANDARIN

WEDNESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Pre-K3 to K (L (Level

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st & up (Level 1)

12 classes

Dates:

Sept. 20, 27

Oct. 4, 11, 18

Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29

Dec 6, 13, 20

Cost: \$400



Our Mandarin program provides students with an immersive language learning environment where they will focus on the development of speaking and listening skills. We offer a theme-based program that incorporates language games, stories, songs, content-based activities such as science experiments, and seasonal and cultural topics related to students' daily lives. Through these engaging and meaningful activities, students will be able to understand and speak. This class curriculum is available on our blog.

A minimum of 5 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 10)

Notre nouveau programme de mandarin offre à nos élèves une immersion dans la langue où ils pourront développer des compétences orales et de compréhension. Chaque cours propose un thème différent avec des jeux de langue, des histoires et des chansons spécifiques. Une série d'activités ludiques et enthousiasmantes (science, saison, culture, vie quotidienne) sont proposées pour encourager les élèves à comprendre et parler. Les thèmes, le vocabulaire et les leçons sont disponibles sur notre blog

Un minimum de 5 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 10)



WEDNESDAY- MERCREDI

SOCCER

WEDNESDAY

**3:30 to 4:30pm
K & 1st Graders**

12 classes

Dates:

Sept. 20, 27

Oct. 4, 11, 18

Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29

Dec 6, 13, 20

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(Max 14)**

WEDNESDAY- MERCREDI

NEW



PHOTO

WEDNESDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

4th/5th & Middle School

12 classes

Dates:

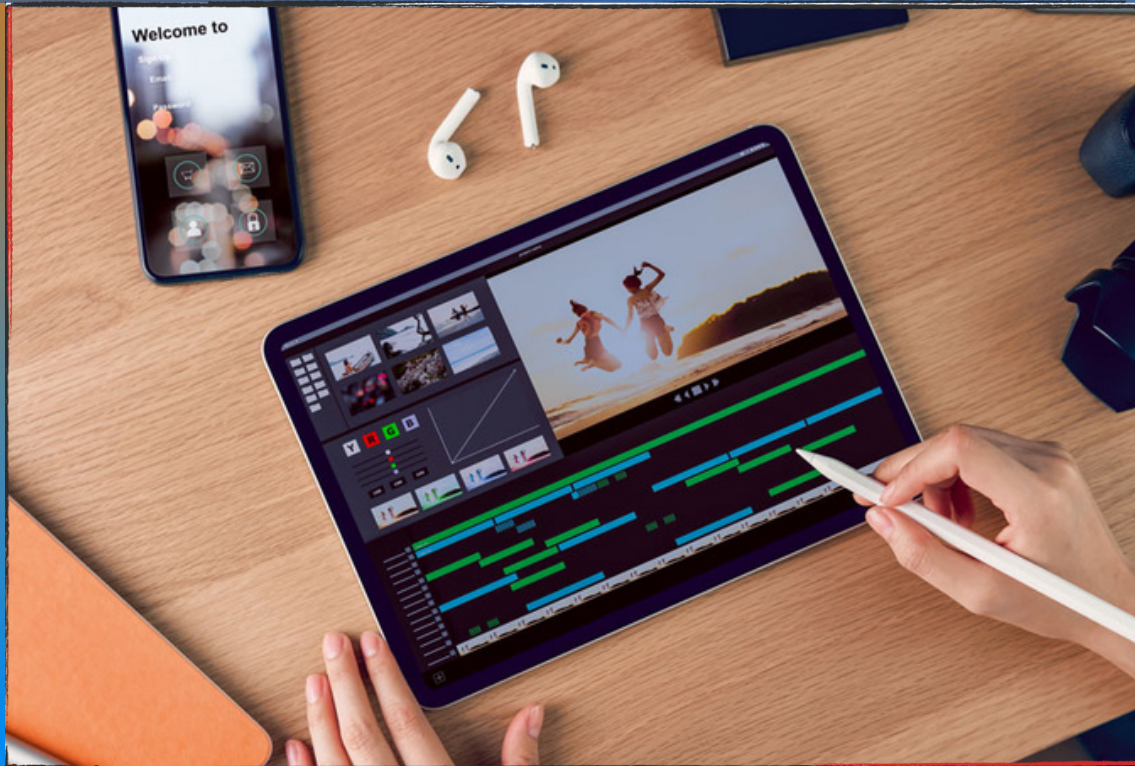
Sept. 20, 27

Oct. 4, 11, 18

Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29

Dec 6, 13, 20

Cost: \$400



Dive into the exciting world of photography and video with our workshop dedicated to young creators! This fun, interactive workshop offers a unique opportunity to discover the basics of visual capture. From handling cameras to mastering composition techniques, participants will be immersed in the captivating art of telling stories through the lens. Young artists will learn how to bring their creations to life using Mac-based photo and video editing softwares. This class will be taught by our 5th Grade French Teacher, Thibaut Bastide in French. Please bring your own camera if possible.

Plongez dans le monde passionnant de la photographie et de la vidéo avec notre atelier dédié aux jeunes créateurs ! Cet atelier interactif et ludique offre une opportunité unique de découvrir les bases de la capture visuelle. De la manipulation des appareils photo et caméras à la maîtrise des techniques de composition, les participants seront immergés dans l'art captivant de raconter des histoires à travers l'objectif. De plus, les jeunes artistes apprendront à donner vie à leurs créations grâce à l'utilisation de logiciels de montage et de retouche photo sur Mac. Cette classe est enseignée en Français par notre professeur de CM2, Thibaut Bastide.

Merci d'apporter votre propre appareil photo si possible.

WEDNESDAY- MERCREDI



ACROSPORT

WEDNESDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st to 3rd Graders

12 classes

Dates:

Sept. 20, 27

Oct. 4, 11, 18

Nov. 1, 8, 15, 29

Dec 6, 13, 20

Cost: \$400



Ms Marie-Francoise Morandais, one of our French 1st grade teachers, is offering our students the opportunity to share her love for sports and gymnastics. This class will focus on acrobatic gymnastics. This sport involves core strength and balance while working on team spirit as the postures are supposed to be held for extended periods of times while holding the rest of the team. This class is taught in French by one of our dedicated FAA Teacher, Marie-Françoise Morandais.

**A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 12)**

Marie-Françoise Morandais, une de nos professeurs de CP offre la possibilité à nos élèves de partager sa passion du sport et de la gymnastique acrobatique. Ce sport implique le gainage et de l'équilibre tout en travaillant l'esprit d'équipe comme les poses doivent être tenues pendant de longues minutes tout en soutenant ses équipiers. Ce cours sera enseigné en français par un de nos professeurs dévoués, Marie-Françoise Morandais.

**Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.
(Max 12)**



THURSDAY- JEUDI



COOKING

THURSDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Pre-K3 & Pre-K4

11 classes

Dates:

Sept. 21, 28

Oct. 5, 12, 19

Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30

Dec 7, 14

Cost: \$375

Bambino Chef Enrichment Program is all about eating habits, working with various recipes and preparing dishes from scratch! We measure, grate, season, chop and more! Every child will get to taste their creation at the end of each class. Recipes are catered to each season and are never repeated. **Allergies** and food restriction will be honored.

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 10 children)

Le cours de cuisine de Bambino Chef a pour but de familiariser votre enfant aux bonnes habitudes alimentaires, de préparer des recettes variées et d'élaborer des plats à partir d'ingrédients simples.

Mesurer, raper, assaisonner, couper n'auront plus de secrets pour eux ! Chaque enfant pourra goûter son œuvre à la fin de chaque classe. Les recettes sont adaptées aux saisons et sont toujours renouvelées. **Allergies** et restriction alimentaire seront prises en compte.

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 10 enfants)



THURSDAY- JEUDI



BASKETBALL

THURSDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

K & 1st Graders

11 classes

Dates:

Sept. 21, 28

Oct. 5, 12, 19

Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30

Dec 7, 14

Cost: \$375

This popular class with Coach Dave will help our students learn the basics of basketball. They will also practice building muscles and strength. The children will learn to pass, dribble, layup, jump shot, slam dunk and most importantly to play together as a team. Coach Dave will stay with us for this second term of the year and will teach in English

**A minimum of 8_e children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 15 children)**

Ce cours de sport animé par Coach Dave guidera nos élèves dans l'apprentissage des rudiments du basketball. Nos élèves s'entraînent pour augmenter leur masse musculaire et leur force physique. Les enfants apprendront à manipuler le ballon, passer, dribbler et surtout à jouer ensemble en équipe. Coach Dave restera avec nous pour ce deuxième trimestre et enseignera en anglais.

**A minimum of 8 children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 15 children)**

THURSDAY- JEUDI

NEW



KNITTING

THURSDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st to 3rd Graders

11 classes

Dates:

Sept. 21, 28

Oct. 5, 12, 19

Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30

Dec 7, 14

Cost: \$375



Textile & Knitting

This class is designed for our crafty students, where they learn basic concepts of knitting, sewing, and creative exploration, with yarn, stiches and accessory designs

This class will focus on learning this lost art that brings joy, accomplishment and open new possible hobbies and careers. This class will be taught in French, Julie Lagauzère.

A minimum of 5 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 8 children)

Cet atelier s'adresse à nos élèves habiles de leurs mains (ou souhaitant le devenir). Ils apprendront les bases du tricot, de la couture et exploreront le monde des fils, de la laine, des mailles et des accessoires de mode.

Ce cours se concentre sur l'apprentissage d'un art perdu mais qui apporte de la joie, un sens de l'accomplissement et ouvre de nouvelles possibilités de loisirs et de carrière. Nous accueillons Julie Lagauzère, de notre communauté de parents qui enseignera ce cours en français

Un minimum de 5 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 8 enfants)

THURSDAY- JEUDI

NEW



ACTING

THURSDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

4/5th & Middle School

11 classes

Dates:

Sept. 21, 28

Oct. 5, 12, 19

Nov. 2, 9, 16, 30

Dec 7, 14

Cost: \$375



ACTING

This Acting workshop will allow your child to express their creativity. Theater is also an excellent mean to work on language skills such as fluency, reading as well as taking in new and complex emotions and understanding the world while playing to be someone else. Speech, memorization, improvisation, theater lexicon, monolog, poems will be included in this program exclusively taught in French by our 4th Grade Teacher, Lucile Baey

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 12)

Ce cours d'art dramatique permettra à votre enfant d'exprimer sa créativité. Le théâtre est également un excellent moyen de travailler le langage pour améliorer la fluence, la lecture tout en s'appropriant de nouvelles émotions plus complexes et comprendre le monde autrement en jouant à être quelqu'un d'autre. Speech, memorization, improvisation, theater lexicon, monolog, poems will be included in this program exclusively taught in French by our 4th Grade Teacher, Lucile Baey.

A minimum of 6 children is required to open the class. Maximum of 12 children.

FRIDAY- VENDREDI



DANCE

VENDREDI

3:30 to 4:30pm
Pre-K3 & Pre-K4

10 classes

Dates:

Sept. 22, 29
Oct. 6, 13, 20
Nov 3, 17
Dec. 1, 8, 15

Cost: \$340



This class is designed for young students, where they learn basic concepts of movement, music, and creative exploration, while introducing elements of Ballet and Modern Dance.

This class will focus on learning basic steps, rhythms and build body strength.

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 12 children)

Ce programme de danse est spécialement adapté à nos jeunes élèves combinant mouvement, musique et exploration créative tout en introduisant des notions de ballet et de danse moderne.

Ce cours propose une initiation à la danse artistique, aux différents pas et rythmes tout en renforçant la forme physique.

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.
(Max 12 enfants)



FRIDAY- VENDREDI

Robotics

VENDREDI

3:30 to 4:30pm
K & 1st Graders

4:30 to 5:30
2nd to 5th Grade

10 classes

Dates:

Sept. 22, 29
Oct. 6, 13, 20
Nov 3, 17
Dec. 1, 8, 15

Cost: \$340



Lego Robotics classes explore architecture, engineering and technology. Students build a new project each week using Lego bricks and elements. This class provides a fun building experience focused on STEM concepts. The goal of this pre-engineering course is to provide a learning experience for children that encourages critical thinking, creativity, problem-solving and teamwork.

A minimum of 8 children is necessary to open the class. (Max 12 children).

Ce cours explore aussi bien des concepts d'architecture, d'ingénierie et de technologie à l'aide de la très célèbre brique Lego. Nos élèves construiront un nouveau projet chaque semaine dans une ambiance ludique en manipulant des notions de sciences, de technologie, de génie et de mathématiques. Cette classe pour ingénieurs en herbe développe l'esprit critique, la créativité, la stratégie et le travail d'équipe

Un minimum de 8 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe. (Max 12 enfants)

FRIDAY- VENDREDI

HIP HOP

VENDREDI

4:30 to 5:30pm
4/5th & Middle School

10 classes

Dates:

Sept. 22, 29
Oct. 6, 13, 20
Nov 3, 17
Dec. 1, 8, 15

Cost: \$340



HIP HOP

This after-school program combines elements of modern dance, jazz and Hip Hop. Students gain confidence and ability in expressing themselves physically and artistically. While developing strength, flexibility and coordination in their physical bodies, students are also exposed to creative activities that develop communication, confidence, team-building and social skills - all while having fun and dancing to groovy music!

A minimum of 6 children is necessary to open the class.
(Max 12 children)

Ce cours combine des éléments de dance modern, de jazz et de Hip Hop. Les élèves développent leur confiance en eux tout en s'exprimant physiquement et artistiquement. Ils seront initiés à des activités créatives encourageant la communication, la confiance en soi, l'esprit d'équipe et la sociabilisation tout en travaillant leur flexibilité, leur coordination et leur endurance. Et tout ça en s'amusant et dansant sur de la musique qui bouge!

Un minimum de 6 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.
(Max 12 enfants)