



The French American Academy
Bilingual Education, International Citizens

ENRICHMENT

WINTER

2024



**Science Experiment | 3-D Art | Robotics
Textile & Jewelry | Theater | Tennis
Soccer | Mandarin | Dance**

Date & Time

January to March
Classes start at
3:30 PM & 4:30 PM

Location

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REGISTRATION

HOW TO REGISTER

- Log into **your parents' portal**
- Click on "Web Forms"
- Choose "Enrichment Winter 2024" and make your selection
- Don't forget to save!

WHEN TO REGISTER

Enrollments start on November 30th and end on December 21.

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 December 15**. If a class needs to be canceled due to low enrollment, no charge will be posted. Regular communication about class status will be sent by email through December.

Class Confirmation = Class Charged

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

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

On-going Enrollment

Classes will be charged once minimum of students is reached

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 is December 21st

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

Late registration (i.e after December 21st) 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 December 1st.

SNACK & DISMISSAL

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

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

Pack a healthy snack!

Dismissal will be supervised by our Aftercare staff

Enrichment classes available after Study Hall at 4:30

Winter Enrichment Activities

Please click on the activity or scroll down to your chosen activity's page for information on details, cost, meeting dates, and times.

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PRIVATE LESSONS

PIANO

**MONDAY- TUESDAY
WEDNESDAY**

**Starting 3:00pm
Ages: K & Up**

**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 RE-ENROLLED AUTOMATICALLY



SOCCER

MONDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

PreK-3 & PreK-4

4:30 to 5:30pm

2nd to 5th grades

10 classes

Dates:

Jan. 8, 22, 29

Feb. 5, 12, 26

Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25

Cost: \$340



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

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

CHESS

MONDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

K & up

10 classes

Dates:

Jan. 8, 22, 29

Feb. 5, 12, 26

Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25

Cost: \$340



CHESS

Ms Aline Jourdrin, one of our French 1st grade teacher, is offering our students the opportunity to share her passion for chess. Chess is an ideal board game to reinforce mathematical skills and memory. It will improve concentration among our students as well as their strategy and problem-solving skills. This class will be taught in French by one of our dedicated FAA Teacher.

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

Aline Jourdrin, un de nos professeurs de CP offre la possibilité à nos élèves de partager sa passion pour les échecs. Ce jeu de société est idéal pour renforcer les compétences mathématiques ainsi que la mémoire. Les échecs amélioreront la concentration chez nos élèves ainsi que les capacités de résolution de problèmes et d'anticipation.

Ce cours sera enseigné en français par un de nos dévoués professeurs.

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

NEW!

3-D Art

MONDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

K-2nd G

4:30 to 5:30pm

3rd G & up

10 classes

Dates:

Jan. 8, 22, 29

Feb. 5, 12, 26

Mar. 4, 11, 18, 25

Cost: \$340



During this workshop, students will learn the technics of clay modeling through projects such as pots and daily items as well as shapes inspired by nature like animals and human. Anne-Sophie is a French Artist living in New Jersey and has been focusing on clay work and pottery for 5 years. She has at heart to transmit her knowledge from clay work to children while using their creativity in a playful setting.

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

Durant cet atelier, les enfants apprendront les techniques de base du modelage autour de petits projets allant de la création de petits pots et d'objets du quotidien jusqu'au modelage de formes inspirées de la nature, des animaux et de la figure humaine. Anne-Sophie est une artiste visuelle basée dans le New Jersey, et travaille avec l'argile depuis 5 ans, à la fois avec le modelage et le tour de potier. Elle a à cœur de transmettre le vaste champ créatif et ludique qu'ouvre l'argile.

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

NEW!

SCIENCE

TUESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Pre-K3 - Kindergarten

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st & up

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30

Feb. 6, 13, 27

Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26

Cost: \$375



SCIENCE

Turn science into fun! Children will create experiments to enhance their science knowledge, in a collaborative and engaging setting. If your child loves science, this is the class for them! Through hands-on activities and manipulations, children will learn scientific basic principles and develop a love for discovery while making hypothesis, experiments and drawing their scientific conclusions.

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

Les élèves créeront leurs propres expériences et développeront leur connaissance des matières scientifiques dans un environnement de travail collaboratif et amusant. Si votre enfant aime les sciences, cette classe est le meilleur choix! Grâce à des manipulations, les enfants apprendront des principes scientifiques de base et développeront leur passion pour la découverte en faisant des hypothèses et en tirant leurs propres conclusions scientifiques. Les sciences n'ont jamais été aussi amusantes!

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

TAP DANCE

TUESDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm
1st to 3rd Graders

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30

Feb. 6, 13, 27

Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26

Cost: \$375



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.

**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.

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

TUESDAY- MARDI

MOST POPULAR

TENNIS

TUESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

K & 1st Graders

4:30 to 5:30pm

2nd & up

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30

Feb. 6, 13, 27

Mar. 5, 12, 19, 26

Cost: \$400



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)**

MANDARIN

WEDNESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Pre-K3 to K

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st & up

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31

Feb. 7, 14, 28

Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

Cost: \$375



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)

LEGO ROBOTICS

WEDNESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

K to 2nd G

4:30 to 5:30pm

3rd & up

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31

Feb. 7, 14, 28

Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

Cost: \$375



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)

Gymnastics

WEDNESDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm
Pre-K3 to K

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31
Feb. 7, 14, 28
Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

Cost: \$375



This class includes aerobics, music, stretching, games, gymnastic skills, rewards, and more! It offers a multifaceted introduction to gymnastics and all around physical fitness. Each class is structured and includes stretching exercises, aerobics to music, gymnastic skills, games, and more. The games and equipment help develop hand/foot/eye coordination.

Ms Chloe Leguem, our Physical Education teacher will be teaching this class in French.

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

Ce cours comprend de l'aérobic, de la musique, des étirements, des jeux, de la gymnastique, des récompenses et bien plus! Ce programme offre une initiation riche et variée à la gymnastique et à la mise en condition physique dans son ensemble. Chaque leçon est structurée et comprend des étirements, de l'aérobic en musique, de la gym, des jeux etc. L'équipement ainsi que les exercices développent la coordination. Chloe Leguem, professeur de sport et d'éducation physique enseignera cette classe.

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

TEAM SPORTS

WEDNESDAY

**4:30 to 5:30pm
4th & up**

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31

Feb. 7, 14, 28

Mar. 6, 13, 20, 27

Cost: \$375



Ms Chloe Leguem, our Physical Education & Sports Teacher will be leading this fun and diversified sports class. Thanks to our newly received stock of Sports items, she will lead our students including Middle Schoolers to a selection of Team Games : Rugby, Soccer, Basketball, Volleyball and Handball. They will compete and practice playing together after-school. This class is taught in French by one of our dedicated FAA Teacher.

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

Mme Chloé Leguem, notre professeur d'éducation physique enseigne cette classe sportive à la fois ludique et diversifiée. Grâce à notre nouveau stock de matériel sportif, elle entraînera les élèves y compris les collégiens de 6ème a une sélection de sports collectifs : rugby, foot, basketball, volleyball et handball. Ils s'affronteront et s'entraîneront à jouer ensemble, Ce cours sera enseigné en français par un de nos professeurs dévoués.

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

MOST POPULAR

COOKING

THURSDAY

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

12 classes

Dates:

Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25

Feb. 1, 8, 15, 29

Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28

Cost: \$400



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

MOST POPULAR

SOCCER

THURSDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Kindergarten & 1st G

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25

Feb. 1, 8, 15, 29

Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28

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

THURSDAY- JEUDI



BASKETBALL

THURSDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

3rd & up

12 classes

Dates:

Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25

Feb. 1, 8, 15, 29

Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28

Cost: \$400



This new class will help our students learn the basics of basketball and increase their techniques. 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. Mr. Florent Tarsiguel, our 3rd Grade French teacher will teach this class and share with our students his passion and experience coaching school teams.

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

Ce cours de sport guidera nos élèves dans l'apprentissage des rudiments du basketball et perfectionneront leur techniques. 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. M. Florent Tarsiguel, notre professeur de CE2 restera avec nous pour partager sa passion et son experience en tant qu'entraîneur d'équipe scolaire.

KNITTING

THURSDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm
1st to 3rd Graders

12 classes

Dates:

Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25

Feb. 1, 8, 15, 29

Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28

Cost: \$400



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 by one of our FAA parents, Julie Lagauzere.

**A minimum of 4 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 4 enfants est requis pour ouvrir la classe.
(Max 8 enfants)**

THURSDAY- JEUDI

ACTING

THURSDAY

4:30 to 5:30pm

4/5th & Middle School

12 classes

Dates:

Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25

Feb. 1, 8, 15, 29

Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28

Cost: \$400



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.

NEW!

Textile & Jewelry

FRIDAY

3:30 to 4:30pm

Pre-K3 - Kindergarten

4:30 to 5:30pm

1st & up

11 classes

Dates:

Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26

Feb. 2, 9, 16

Mar. 1, 8, 22, 29

Cost: \$375



Textile & Jewelry

Students will learn a basic combination of sewing techniques and jewelry making, to create pieces they'll be proud to wear or decorate their room with. Students will be encouraged to explore design, composition, color and textiles with sustainable materials. A special focus on Designing their own creations will be given to the upper elementary students

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

Les élèves apprendront les bases de la couture et de la création de bijoux. Ils travailleront sur leurs propres créations qu'ils pourront porter ou utiliser pour décorer leur chambre. Ils pourront également explorer le design, la composition, les couleurs et les différents tissus provenant du développement durable. Les élèves plus âgés se concentreront sur le design de vêtements.

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