



The French American
Academy
Bilingual Education, International Citizens

A M E R I C A N

A C A D E M Y

2026

Winter Enrichment

Jersey City Heights

Basketball-Aerospace & Engineering
Club-Advanced Knitting-Soccer-Model
UN-Math Club-Intro to Aviation:Flight
Simulator Lab-Virtual Reality Design
-Dessert Decorating-Performing
Arts-Multi Style Vocal Group



**JANUARY 5TH - MARCH 31ST
4:00PM-5:00PM**

School Closure Dates:

1/19, 2/16, 2/17, 2/18, 2/19, 2/20, 3/13

Enrichment programs will not run on these dates as the school will be
closed!

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REGISTRATION DEADLINE DECEMBER 19TH!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION



HOW TO REGISTER

OPEN THE [GOOGLE FORM](#) LINKED HERE.
FILL OUT AND SUBMIT THE FORM!



WHEN TO REGISTER

Enrollment starts on December 3rd and ends December 19th!

All enrollments on the Google Form 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. You are still welcome to enroll your students in an Enrichment Class if there are spots available after the registration deadline.

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

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 19th.** If a class needs to be canceled due to low enrollment, no charge will be deducted. You will be contacted directly if a class has been cancelled. If a class has exceeded the maximum capacity a waitlist will be formed. You will be contacted directly if you have been placed on the waitlist.

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 reason including but not limited to: quarantine, sickness, conflict in schedule, travel, etc, no refund/credit can be allowed in order to secure the continuity of the class for the rest of the group. 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.*

You may change your selection if the class has not been charged yet.



COLLATION ET DÉPART

SNACK & DISMISSAL



SNACK BREAK 3:45PM-4:00PM

This snack break time is included in the enrichment class fees and allows for students to have a quick snack in the cafeteria as well as bathroom breaks under the supervision of our staff before making their way to their enrichment/club/study hall.

Snacks must be provided by parents. We are nut-free school. Please make sure the snacks you provide your students are nut-free.

STUDY HALL 4:00pm-5:00pm

Study hall is offered every evening where students are supervised to do independent study instead of participating in enrichment activities. Please complete the Study Hall form to register.

PICK UP & DISMISSAL 5:00PM-5:15pm

The class instructor/teacher will pick the students from the designated snack area and lead them to the enrichment location for a 4:00pm start. At 5:00pm, students will be dismissed for pick up, independent dismissal (if parent consents).



Horaire Enrichissement

ENRICHMENT SCHEDULE

Lundi Monday	Mardi Tuesday	Mecredi Wednesday	Jeudi Thursday	Vendredi Friday
Model United Nations Club Middle School Only	Dessert Decorating	Film and Performing Arts	Basketball Team Downtown Gym 4:30PM-5:30PM	VR Design and Creation
Advanced Knitting	Intro to Aviation: Flight Simulator Lab	Basketball Team Downtown Gym 4:30PM-5:30PM	Multi Style Vocal Group	
Math Support (9th)		Math Club		



Aerospace & Engineering Club

WE ARE HAPPY TO OFFER A BRAND NEW CLUB DURING

LUNCHTIME 1PM-1:45PM EVERY TUESDAY/MARDI!

THIS CLUB IS FREE OF CHARGE AND WILL NOT BE HELD DURING ENRICHMENT HOURS.

Hosted by

**FLIGHT &
AEROSPACE
ACADEMY**



in Collaboration with



Aerospace & Engineering Club

Every Tuesday

**1:00pm-
1:45pm**

Cost: Free



What is it?

Aviation and aerospace are set to explode over the next 20+ years—with new aircraft, drones, eVTOLs (electric vertical takeoff and landing aircrafts), and space technologies creating huge demand for engineers, designers, operators, and entrepreneurs. This club is a hands-on lab where students can explore that future now.

- **What you'll do** – Meet weekly in a student-driven “innovation lab” where you and your friends pick topics you care about—airlines, drones, eVTOLs, airports, or aerospace startups—and turn them into projects.
- **What you'll learn** – Understand different career pathways in aviation and aerospace (engineering, operations, business, design, entrepreneurship), and how they connect.
- **Who this is for** – Middle and high school students who are curious about aviation, technology, or startups and want a fun, collaborative, real-world space to experiment with ideas and see where the next 20+ years of aerospace might take them.

At the end of the program, FAA students and their parents will get the opportunity to participate in a Saturday group visit of the Princeton Airport, and discover their the flight training and aircraft maintenance operations.

**A minimum of 4 students is necessary to open the class.
(Max 10 students)**

MONDAY- LUNDI



MODEL UNITED NATIONS

Model United Nations Club

With Ms. Karam
Middle School Only

11 classes

Cost: \$130



The Model UN Club is an academic club that parallels the processes of the United Nations. Student delegates take on the role of real and fictionalized people or countries to solve real world problems through oral arguments, debate, negotiation, and consensus building. This club helps students develop a global and historical awareness of the world. Each week, the students will practice these skills through engaging games and activities.

They will learn and practice the procedures utilized during Model UN Conferences. We plan to attend a tri-state area Middle School Model UN conference and hope to attend an out of state conference as well. MSMUN is an academic club that may require students to complete assignments at home. If your child is interested in joining the Model UN Club, they must submit one paragraph expressing why they would like to be a part of the Model UN Club. Students will be selected based upon availability and their commitment to the club, as demonstrated in their responses.

A minimum of 6 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 20 students)



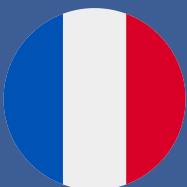
ADVANCED KNITTING

Advanced Knitting

With Brooknit

11 classes

Cost: \$440



This class is designed for students who already know the basics of knitting and are ready for more challenging work. They will learn to read multi-step patterns, explore advanced techniques such as shaping, colorwork, and texture, and complete a full-piece project for the trimester. Students will gain confidence and independence as they manage their own projects and troubleshoot along the way.

The class is taught in French and English by Julie Lagauzere, a professional knitter and one of our FAA parents.

A minimum of 5 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 12 students)

Ce cours s'adresse aux élèves qui maîtrisent déjà les bases du tricot et souhaitent progresser vers un travail plus technique. Ils apprendront à lire des patrons plus complexes, à explorer des techniques avancées telles que les augmentations, les diminutions, le travail des couleurs et les textures, et à réaliser un projet complet au cours du trimestre. Les élèves développeront leur autonomie et leur confiance en gérant leur propre réalisation et en apprenant à résoudre les difficultés rencontrées.

Le cours est enseigné en français et en anglais par Julie Lagauzere, tricoteuse professionnelle et parent de l'FAA.

TUESDAY - MARDI



DESSERT DECORATING

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With Taylor Baked

12 classes

Cost: \$470



In this hands-on class, students will learn the essential skills behind beautifully decorated cookies and cakes. They will practice piping techniques, create and color a variety of frostings, explore basic baking principles, and design their own intricate desserts. Throughout the season, the class will complete projects that build creativity, precision, and confidence in the kitchen. Students will leave each class with a sweet creation they can proudly display... and devour!

The class is taught by Taylor, owner of Taylor Baked, a small business known for its artistic and detailed desserts. Taylor brings her expertise and passion for creative baking to guide students in bringing their sweet creations to life.

A minimum of 5 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 13 students)

TUESDAY - MARDI

FLIGHT &
AEROSPACE
ACADEMY



Intro to Aviation: Flight Simulator Lab

Hosted by
Flight & Aerospace
Academy
In collaboration with
Princeton Flying
School

12 classes

Cost: \$500



Intro to Aviation: Flight Simulator Lab

Step into the exciting world of aviation and see if you have what it takes to be a pilot! Our 12-week Intro Program lets students step into the captain's seat through hands-on learning and real simulator training.

- **What you'll do** – Fly training missions on a Cessna 172, and then move to more advanced aircraft for complex missions in our flight simulator, explore how a flight PC and cockpit hardware are assembled, and join field trips to Princeton Airport and Micro Center.
- **What you'll learn** – How airplanes fly, the basics of instruments, navigation and weather, plus problem-solving, focus and confidence from making real-time pilot decisions.
- **Who this is for** – Middle and high school students who love planes or tech and want a structured first step toward pilot training or future studies in aviation and aerospace.

At the end of the program, FAA students and their parents will get the opportunity to participate in a Saturday group visit of the Princeton Airport, and discover their the flight training and aircraft maintenance operations.

Key Takeaway

Airlines will need [600,000+ new commercial pilots](#) over the next 20 years, along with millions more aerospace engineers, entrepreneurs and innovators. Now is the time to discover some of the exciting and high-paying career pathways that the aviation & aerospace industry has to offer!

A minimum of 4 students is necessary to open the class.
(Max 10 students)



FILM AND PERFORMING ARTS

Film & Performing Arts

With Angelika

11 classes

Cost: \$440

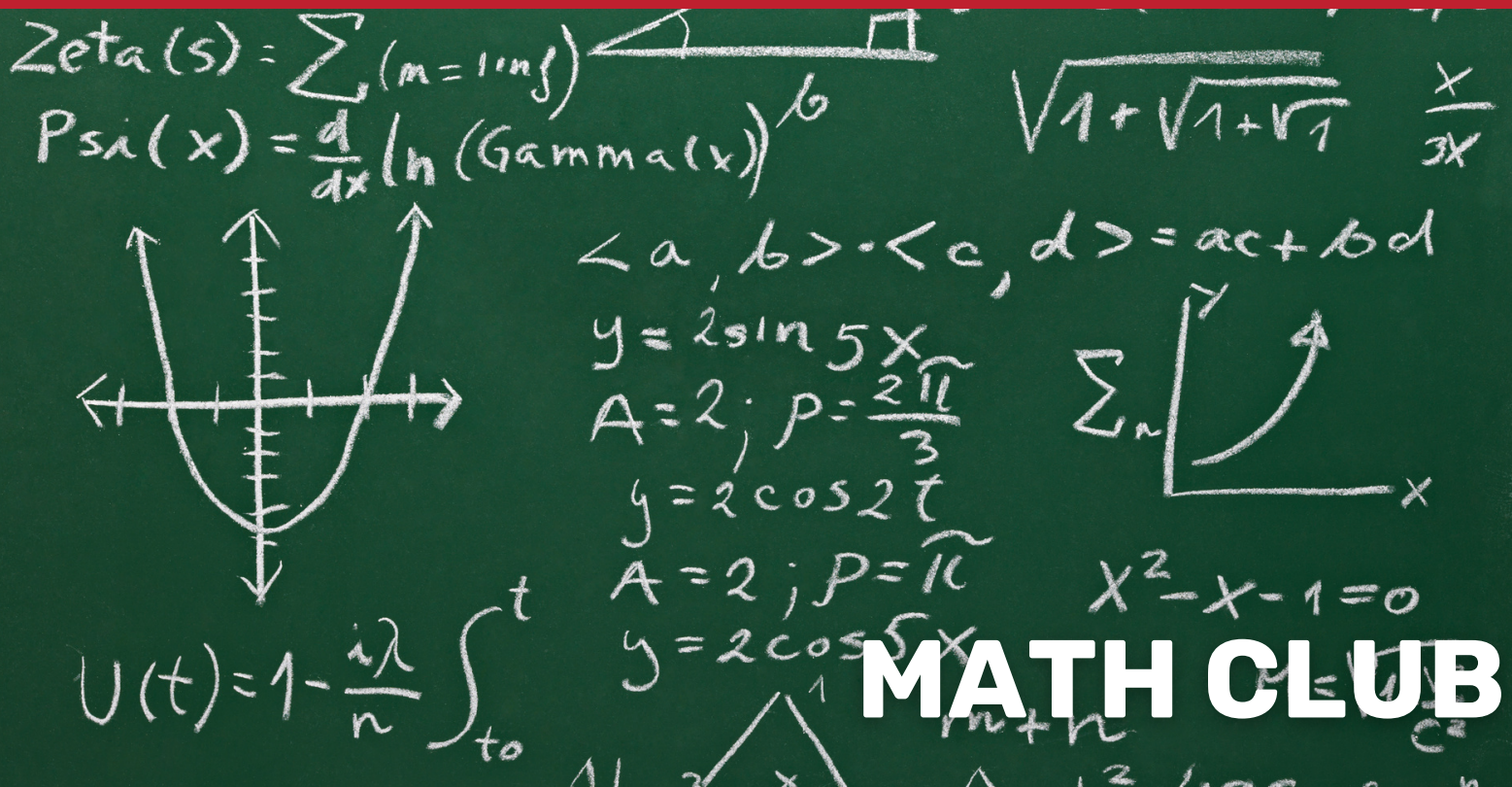


Film & Performing Arts (F&PA) is a hands-on, student-driven course where creativity meets craft. Whether you're passionate about acting, writing, directing, design, or behind-the-scenes tech, this enrichment program lets you step into professional roles across film, television, podcasting, and theatre. Through original, collaborative projects, students will explore storytelling across styles and genres while building real-world skills in the performing and media arts.

A minimum of 6 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 20 students)

Cinéma et Arts de la Scène (F&PA) est un cours pratique et dirigé par les élèves, où la créativité rencontre le savoir-faire. Que vous soyez passionné par le jeu d'acteur, l'écriture, la mise en scène, le design ou la technique en coulisses, ce programme d'enrichissement vous permet d'occuper des rôles professionnels dans les domaines du cinéma, de la télévision, du podcast et du théâtre. À travers des projets originaux et collaboratifs, les élèves explorent la narration sous différentes formes et genres tout en développant des compétences concrètes dans les arts de la scène et les médias.

Un minimum de six élèves est nécessaire d'ouvrir ce cours (Max 20 élèves)



Math Club

With Dominique

11 classes

Cost: FREE

Love solving puzzles, cracking codes, or tackling tricky problems? Join the Math Club! Whether you're a math whiz or just curious, our club is a fun and supportive space to explore cool concepts, prep for competitions, and work on creative challenges with friends. All levels welcome—come flex your brain and have a great time!

A minimum of 6 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 20 students)

Tu aimes résoudre des énigmes, décoder des messages ou relever des défis mathématiques ? Rejoins le Club de Mathématiques ! Que tu sois un expert ou simplement curieux, notre club est un espace amusant et accueillant pour explorer des concepts passionnants, se préparer à des concours et travailler sur des défis créatifs entre amis. Tous les élèves de collège et de lycée sont les bienvenus – viens faire travailler tes méninges dans la bonne humeur!

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SOCCER

Soccer

**With Global Soccer
Academy**

11 classes

Cost: \$440



This dynamic class is designed for students who want to improve their soccer skills while having fun and staying active. Led by Global Soccer Academy (GSA) instructors, students will work on fundamentals like dribbling, passing, shooting, and teamwork, while also exploring strategy, positioning, and game play. Each session combines skill drills with small-sided games to give students hands-on practice and immediate opportunities to apply what they've learned.

The class emphasizes personal growth, sportsmanship, and confidence, helping students develop both their soccer abilities and teamwork skills in a supportive environment.

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WEDNESDAY- MERCREDI



BASKETBALL

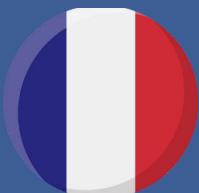
BASKETBALL

**With
Florent & Chloe**

**4:30pm-5:30pm
(Downtown; Bus will
leave the Heights at
4pm)**

11 classes

Cost: \$435



In this more advanced enrichment, students will continue to develop core skills—dribbling, passing, shooting, and man-to-man defense—and will also work on fast breaks, set plays, spacing, and overall basketball IQ. Coach Flo brings solid experience from coaching youth basketball in Europe (U11 to U15). Middle School Students will have the opportunity to join the FAA Dolphins team, which competes in the Hudson League in the fall and will take part in the Chicago Tournament in March, bringing together French-American schools from across North America. High School students may have the opportunity to compete in friendly games against other schools as we develop our varsity team.

A minimum of 10 students is necessary to open the class. If this class exceeds the maximum 2 groups will form. (Max 16 students per group)

Dans cet enrichissement plus avancé, les élèves continueront à développer les compétences fondamentales — dribble, passe, tir et défense individuelle — et travailleront également sur les contre-attaques, les systèmes de jeu, l'espacement sur le terrain et la compréhension générale du jeu (basketball IQ). L'entraîneur Flo apporte une solide expérience acquise en entraînant des équipes de jeunes en Europe (U11 à U15). Les élèves du collège auront l'opportunité de rejoindre l'équipe des FAA Dolphins, qui participe à la Hudson League à l'automne et au tournoi de Chicago en mars, réunissant les écoles franco-américaines de toute l'Amérique du Nord. Les lycéens pourraient avoir l'occasion de participer à des matchs amicaux contre d'autres écoles, dans le cadre du développement de notre équipe varsity.

THURSDAY- JEUDI



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Multi-Style Vocal Group

Multi-Style Vocal Group With Tim Welch Vocal Studio

11 classes

Cost: \$440



Students will workshop music from a variety of genres while exploring individual style and artistry. This program will provide the fundamental skills necessary to confidently sing any genre of music with healthy and proper vocal techniques.

Chrissy the lead instructor from Tim Welch Vocal Studio is a vocalist and music director of the a cappella group Backtrack Vocals and is a sought-after director, clinician, and choreographer for schools and arts programs.

A minimum of 7 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 15 students)

Les élèves travailleront des morceaux issus de différents genres musicaux tout en explorant leur style et leur expression artistique personnels. Ce programme leur apportera les compétences fondamentales nécessaires pour chanter en toute confiance n'importe quel genre musical en utilisant des techniques vocales saines et appropriées.

Chrissy, l'institutrice principale du Tim Welch Vocal Studio, est une chanteuse professionnelle et la directrice musicale du groupe a cappella réputé Backtrack Vocals. Très sollicitée en tant que directrice, intervenante et chorégraphe pour les écoles et les programmes artistiques, elle apporte à chaque cours une expertise approfondie et une énergie dynamique.



VIRTUAL REALITY DESIGN & CREATION

Virtual Reality Design and Creation

**With
Metanaut Academy**

10 classes

Cost: \$400



Students embark on a journey to create and share location based AR art around the building. Utilizing the same software used to make Incredible AR games like Pokemon Go and Harry Potter's Wizarding World. Students will build their own shareable AR artwork viewable via Niantics WebAR protocol, 8th wall, on all devices with a web connection.

Students will create works of art using emerging technology, the Meta Quest VR headset, where they will also play fun and educational VR and AR games. In addition, students will learn about 3d design, intellectual property, digital goods, NFTs, digital citizenship, and internet etiquette.

A minimum of 4 students is necessary to open the class. (Max 6 students)