

2018 Salmon Bay Winter Enrichment Program 3-5 Class Catalog

We are pleased to share our Winter Enrichment Plans with elementary families for this coming year. Teachers have put together class offerings from their interests and skills, and we have worked with community partners and guest artists to create an exciting and enriching line-up of classes and experiences.

Please look over the class offerings with your student and help them prioritize areas of interest to learn or deepen their practice. Students will fill out preference forms in class on Thursday, January 4th you are also welcome to turn in a form with your child's preferences to their classroom teacher before that time.

Play Marimba with Mark! *Instructor: Mark Oesterle (K-8 Music Specialist)*

We'll explore the world of Marimba music as we learn about the instruments, experiment with rhythm and create our own tunes. A not to miss experience—so come join the fun!

Afro-Brazilian Dance *Instructor: Marian Wagner (4th Grade Teacher)*

Celebrate Brazilian rhythm and dance in this class where everyone is welcome, as long as you come to have fun! Learn dances from Brazil that originate in Africa, including Samba Reggae, Samba no Pe, and Carnaval Street Dances. We will dance to enchanting rhythms and music from Brazil that will make you feel energized and happy.

Primitive Skills *Instructor: Nicolette Jensen (5th Grade Teacher)*

Learn how to make fire with a bow drill, pour beeswax candles, make rope by hand, weave baskets and blankets, and more in this fun, hands-on class.

Designing Objects with 3D Printing *Instructor: Brian Williamson (5th Grade Teacher)*

During each session, we will undertake a new design challenge. You'll make a keychain with your name, an Emoji widget, and more. Students will get to keep the objects that are successfully printed!

Intro to GarageBand *Instructor: Dave Middleton (3rd Grade Teacher)*

Learn how to combine drum, bass, guitar, keyboard and other musical instrument loops to create a basic musical composition.

Mad Science *Instructor: Talia Pagniello (3rd Grade Teacher), Amy Paguirigian (Parent)*

Each session will be a new, exciting scientific experience! Test your creativity and ingenuity by building a catapult that will be tested for accuracy, power and distance, dive into the world of robotics by building a mini-bot, and make your own lava lamps to learn about items that are hydrophobic and hydrophilic.

Mask Making! *Instructor: Xena Eckert (4th Grade Teacher)*

We will look at masks from a variety of cultures, what they symbolize and how they are used. Students will design and create their own plaster masks. Our masks will be human and animal forms, using feathers, paint, and other materials.

Ukulele *Instructor: Meredith Lewis (5th Grade Teacher)*

We will learn YOUR favorite songs on ukulele. Taylor Swift, 21 Pilots, Ed Sheeran, the Biebs... songs from these artists, and more! We will learn a song together, and then you will have time to learn a song of your choice. You do not need to know how to play. Please be ready, though, to sing and also to perform by yourself at times. I will provide the ukuleles.

Wheels: Unicycling *Instructor: Domingo Gomez (Elementary PE)*

Learn how to ride a unicycle for the first time or to work on more advanced skills for those who already know how to ride. This is a great individual skill that teaches patience, perseverance and helps boost self-confidence.

Silk Screening *Instructor: Trevor Johnson (K-8 Art Specialist)*

Students will learn the process of silk screening to create original prints and even make a T-shirt to wear!

3 – 5 Guest Artist Classes

Beginning Breakdance *Instructor: Anna Nagy - Metropolis Dance*

Students will groove to hip-hop dance steps and learn basic breakdance moves while enhancing coordination and muscle memory skills. We'll learn basic dance steps and arm movements. Students will work on foot work such as top rock and 6-step.

Making Comics! *Instructor: David Lasky*

Through hands-on workshops students will use a variety of techniques and materials to create their own comics and character designs and graphic tales to share and discuss with one another in class and to show off to the rest of the world! Learn more about the wondrous possibilities of storytelling through image and have fun sitting around and drawing and drawing.

Magic Performance! *Instructor: Ruben Barron*

You'll learn the secrets that started Houdini, Blackstone and David Copperfield on their roads to fame. It's magic with coins, cards, silks and ropes, plus mind tricks and great escapes, and yes, levitation. You'll pick up lots of performing skills from this professional magician as you practice on each other and by the end of the session, you will perform magic and astound your invited audience.

Out of Touch and Outta Sight! *Instructor: Ann Fasano*

In these workshops, you'll trick your senses big time! You'll find out how your senses can fool you when you experiment, play games, and create challenges to trick each other. It's all about how you react to stimuli before your very eyes and touch. You'll get to make take-home tests and illusions to try out on your family and friends - and if you want, you'll be able to explain just what's happening with these two senses...and how you fooled them.

Kaleidoscopin' *Instructor: Ann Fasano*

Explore light, reflections and distortions as we play fun-house games and construct take-home toys with mirrors. Projects will include making kaleidoscopes, periscopes, and magic boxes.

Clay Art with Faye! *Instructor: Faye Baker*

We will be exploring the magical medium of clay! It's a little bit play, a little bit creativity, a little bit technique, and a whole lot of fun! Two projects will be completed in this mini pottery session- Winter Wonderland and Expressive Mask.

Mural Art Installation *Instructor: Urban Artworks*

Working within a theme and expressing themselves and their community, each group will use their creativity and skills to design and paint a mural for inside the school that will remain for years.

3-5 CLASS PREFERENCE FORM
2018 Salmon Bay Elementary Winter Enrichment Program
*****return to classroom teachers by January 4th*****

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Elementary students will each participate in 4 classes across the 6 Fridays of this program (2 classes in January, and 2 different classes in February). For most students, 3 classes will be with school faculty members and one will be with a guest artist. Each class will meet for approximately three 75 minute sessions. K-2 students will have 2 sessions before lunch, and students in grades 3-5 will have 2 sessions after lunch.

Instructions: Please refer to the WEP Class Catalog for descriptions of classes, and express your interest and preferences in the appropriate column below. We will work to honor preferences whenever we can, and of course invite all students to be open to new experiences if their top preferences are not available. Teachers not receiving preference forms from families will help students fill them out on January 4th or 5th.

Faculty Class Offerings
(Select 6 of interest):

- ☐ Play Marimba with Mark!
- ☐ Designing Objects with 3D Printing
- ☐ Primitive Skills
- ☐ Ukulele
- ☐ Afro-Brazilian Dance
- ☐ Mask Making!
- ☐ Intro to GarageBand
- ☐ Mad Science
- ☐ Wheels: Unicycling
- ☐ Silk Screening

Guest Artist Class Offerings
(Rank preference from 1 – 7):

- ___ Beginning Breakdance
- ___ Magic Performance!
- ___ Making Comics!
- ___ Mural Art Installation
- ___ Clay Art with Faye!
- ___ Kaleidoscopin'
- ___ Out of Touch and Outta Sight!

Please return completed forms to your Classroom Teacher.