

ASE 2018

Policies, Procedures & Course Descriptions



The 2018 Roaring Brook PTA After-School Enrichment Program (ASE) will begin on January 8, 2018 and end on March 9, 2018. The week of March 12th will be for make-up classes only. There is no guarantee that a canceled class or an absence of an instructor will result in a make-up class. There will be no refunds for canceled classes for which there can be no make-up.

Please read this material entirely. It contains important information.

FEES

The fee for each class is listed in the registration form or course description booklet. All fees must be paid at the time of registration via PayPal. Scholarship money is available if the cost of an ASE class would represent an economic hardship. Contact our Principal Alison Porcelli or Assistant Principal, Erin Jaynes, prior to registration to request financial assistance. You must be a member of the Chappaqua PTA in order to register for ASE and membership dues (\$20) must be paid prior to registering.

CHANGES & CANCELLATIONS

All requests for cancellations and/or changes must be made during the registration period of October 29th - November 14th, 2017. PayPal processing fees will be deducted from any refunds issued for registration cancellation. **Once the registration period is closed, no cancellations, additional registrations and/or class changes will be accepted or refunds issued.** Insufficient class enrollment at the conclusion of the registration period will result in the cancellation of the class and registered participants in a cancelled class will either be given the option to register for other ASE classes or a refund.

During the ASE program, there is no guarantee that a cancelled class due to weather or an absence of an instructor will result in a make-up class. There will be no refunds for cancelled classes for which there can be no make-up.

ATTENDANCE

In order to keep track of children participating in ASE, we need cooperation from all parents. Prior to the commencement of the ASE program, each teacher will be provided with a list of his/her students participating in ASE on a given day. No note needs to be sent to your child's teacher unless your child will be missing his/her ASE class on a particular day. If your child is in school, but will not be staying for ASE on his/her scheduled day, you must update dismissal manager. Please leave a note in the main office if you unexpectedly pick up your child from school early (i.e. due to illness) and do not plan to send him/her to ASE that afternoon.

CLASS TIME

Classes will meet from 3:35-4:35pm, Monday through Friday. Classes will begin on January 8th and meet for seven or eight weeks, depending on scheduled school closings. **Please note no classes will be held on 1/15, 2/2 (half day) or during winter recess week (2/19-2/23).** If school is canceled, ASE classes are canceled. There are no classes on early dismissal days. Children are to report to the cafeteria at their regular dismissal time. You may send a snack for your child. A volunteer will supervise children until their ASE teacher picks them up. **Please remind your child when it is his/her day to stay after school.**

PICK-UP & LATE FEES

Please pick up your child at the appointed dismissal point. A list of dismissal points for all classes will be posted on the lobby door. If you arrive after 4:45 pm, your child should be picked up in the lobby. Children must

be signed out and picked up promptly at dismissal time.

There will be a \$15.00 fee for any parent who does not arrive for pick up by 4:45pm. In addition, there will be a charge of \$1.00 per minute for each minute your child is left at ASE after the ten-minute grace period. No child will be permitted back to ASE until all late fees are paid in full.

CLASS SIZE

If there is insufficient class enrollment, the ASE Committee reserves the right to cancel that class. You will be notified if the class that you have chosen has been canceled and given the option to enroll in another available enrichment class or payment refunded.

SNACKS

Please send your child to ASE with a snack and beverage from home. As there are students in the program with food allergies, please do not send snacks containing nuts or nut oils. Please remind your child not to share his/her snack.

ALLERGIES

The Roaring Brook PTA ASE Committee cannot guarantee the absence of food allergens in programs, including but not limited to snack time, chocolate, cooking or baking classes. In addition, certain classes may expose children to animal fur or dander. For the 2018 ASE program, there will be a nurse available during ASE hours to respond to any medical issues. During all non-food related classes, instructors will not bring any food products into classrooms or serve any food products to their students. We ask that you use your best judgment when registering for classes if your child has an allergy. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact your ASE chairs.

CLASS CALENDAR

The following is a list of dates when classes will meet:

MONDAYS	1/8, 1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/26, 3/5 - snow day makeup 3/12
TUESDAYS	1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, 2/13, 2/27, 3/6 - snow day makeup 3/13
WEDNESDAYS	1/10, 1/17, 1/24, 1/31, 2/7, 2/14, 2/28, 3/7 - snow day makeup 3/14
THURSDAYS	1/11, 1/18, 1/25, 2/1, 2/8, 2/15, 3/1, 3/8 - snow day makeup 3/15
FRIDAYS	1/12, 1/19, 1/26, 2/9, 2/16, 3/2, 3/9 - snow day makeup 3/16

Please note: January 15th (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day), February 2rd (Early Dismissal) February 19th-23rd (Winter Break). No enrichment classes will be held on these dates.

ASE 2018 Discipline Policy

We offer these classes for your child's enrichment and enjoyment. If your child's behavior is disruptive to the class, the ASE Chairs, class instructors and parent volunteers will adhere to the following protocol:

- 1) After the first incident, the child will receive a warning and a note will be sent home. A copy will also be sent to the ASE district chairpersons.
- 2) After the second incident, the child will be removed from that day's class and the parent will be notified in person or by telephone. No fees will be refunded.
- 3) After the third incident, the child will be required to withdraw from the class. No fees will be refunded.

You will be asked to sign a waiver at the time of registration stating that you have read and agree to the discipline policy and procedures for ASE Programs.

SNOW, INCLEMENT WEATHER AND EARLY DISMISSALS

If school is canceled or there is an early dismissal for any reason, ASE will be canceled and students will be sent home on their regular buses. If school remains open and it begins to snow or bad weather is predicted, the district may cancel all after school activities taking place in school facilities, which would include ASE, and the students will be sent home on their regular buses.

Check the school district website (www.ccsd.ws) for announcements. You may also register on the website for text-message and email alerts from the district. Local TV and radio stations often provide announcements of closings as well (NCCTV 75, 77, News Channel 12, WFAS 103.9, WHUD 100.7). **There will be no refunds due to snow cancellations.** We will do our best to reschedule these classes, subject to teacher and classroom availability.

Special Needs

All ASE classes are open to all Roaring Brook students according to the grade levels specified. When registering your child(ren) for any class, please carefully consider your child(ren)'s interest in and aptitude for certain types of activities.

If your child has special needs that may require accommodations and/or additional adult support in order to participate in ASE, please indicate so in a letter addressed to Dr. Heidi McCarthy, CCSD Director of Special Education and Related Services, at P.O. Box 21 Chappaqua, New York 10514. In that letter, please identify your child and indicate his/her school, grade and the ASE activity for which you plan to register him or her. A Section 504 Committee Meeting will then be convened to review your request. PLEASE NOTE: in order to allow for sufficient time prior to the start of ASE to review your request, please contact Dr. McCarthy immediately upon registration. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. McCarthy at hemccarthy@ccsd.ws.

PARENTAL NOTICE

Please note that there is some element of risk inherent in all ASE classes. There is an inherent risk of injury for anyone participating in a class involving physical activity. Nature classes may involve exposure to animal allergens.

The Roaring Brook PTA is a part of the Chappaqua PTA, a not-for-profit, independent and non-partisan child advocacy group. The Chappaqua PTA is a local PTA unit organized under the authority of the New York State Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc. (the New York State PTA), a branch of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers (the National PTA). The purposes of the Chappaqua PTA, in common with the National and New York State PTA, are to promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school and community. As a local PTA unit, the Chappaqua PTA serves the children and youth within its school area. The PTA works within the school community but is not part of the school or school district. Anyone can join a local PTA unit. There is no requirement that a member must have children in school.

You must be a member in good standing of the Chappaqua PTA and live within the local area served by the Chappaqua PTA's Roaring Brook PTA to participate in the Roaring Brook PTA ASE program.

2017-2018 ROARING BROOK PTA ASE COMMITTEE

Please contact the ASE committee at aseroaringbrook@gmail.com if you have questions about the classes or program.

Monday	Nature Detectives/Fun with The Nature of Things	K - 2nd
Monday	Junior Explorers	K – 1st
Monday	Sewing	2nd - 4th
Monday	Cheer-it, Jump-it	2nd - 4th
Monday	Sports Spectacular	3rd - 4th
Monday	Minecraft Building - World Wonders	3rd - 4th
Monday	Computer Design	3rd - 4th
Tuesday	Fairies World	K - 2nd
Tuesday	Wiffle Ball	K - 2nd
Tuesday	STEAM Fun	1st - 2nd
Tuesday	Chess	1st – 4th
Tuesday	Scratch Junior	1st - 2nd
Tuesday	I Love Art	2nd - 4th
Tuesday	Jewelry Making	2nd - 4th
Tuesday	Robotics	3rd - 4th
Tuesday	Computer Video Game Creation	3rd - 4th
Wednesday	Gourmet Kids	K - 2nd
Wednesday	Nature Detectives/Fun with The Nature of Things	K - 2nd
Wednesday	Dance, Dance, Dance	K - 2nd
Wednesday	Soccer	K - 2nd
Wednesday	We Do Robots	1st - 2nd
Wednesday	Fashion World 1	2nd - 4th
Wednesday	Dodgeball	3rd- 4th
Wednesday	Steam Wizards	3rd - 4th
Thursday	Kung Fu Tigers	K - 2nd
Thursday	Dino Rocks	K - 2nd
Thursday	Hip Hop	1st – 3rd
Thursday	Golf	1st - 4th
Thursday	Scrapbooking	2nd - 4th
Thursday	Scratch	3rd - 4th
Thursday	Microsoft Gaming Lab	3rd - 4th
Friday	Bricks 4 Kids	K - 2nd
Friday	Musical Theatre	K - 3rd
Friday	Sweet Kids	K - 2nd
Friday	Yoga	1st - 4th
Friday	Fashion World 2	2nd - 4th
Friday	Basketball	2nd - 4th
Friday	Learn to Play Guitar	2nd - 4th

After School Enrichment 2018

MONDAY

Nature Detectives/Fun with The Nature of Things

Grades K-2

Fee: \$130

Come join us in learning about animals; what they do, where they live, and why! Different animal friends will be brought in each week in order to concentrate on a different topic. Hands on learning! ***ALLERGY ALERT - Please use your best judgment when registering your child for this class if he/she has fur or animal dander allergies.**

Teacher: The Nature of Things is a well-established nature program based in North Salem. They work with the kindergarten and first graders in Roaring Brook throughout the school year.

Junior Explorers

Grades K-1

Fee: \$175

Take a trip through some of the most unique areas of science. See how illusion and reality meet and test out the ideas that make our favorite toys and tricks work. We'll explore the science behind magic, music, movement, and more!. Some of the weekly topics in this session are: Movie FX, The Science of Magic, Sonic Sounds, Optical Illusions, Wacky Water, The Science of Toys, Radical Robots, The Science of Art & Great Gravity!

Teacher: Mad Science of Westchester runs after school programs, classroom workshops and school assemblies throughout Westchester and Putnam Counties.

Sewing

Grades 2-4

Fee: \$110

Come and discover the joys of hand sewing. In this class students will learn basic construction and stitching techniques. They will create their own unique projects such as drawstring bags, puppets, wearable items and more.

Teacher: The Katonah Art Center's Outreach Program. For the past ten years the Katonah Art Center has provided the community with a creative environment for children to explore their own creativity using a variety of mediums.

Cheer-it with Spirit

Grades 2-4

Fee: \$140

Take your spirit to a higher level! Learn routines, cheers, motions and jumps that promote teamwork, fitness and FUN. We'll work on basic cheer and dance movements that have participants smiling from ear to ear and bouncing from head to toe! We bring the sidelines to center stage with cheers that include: "Who Rocks the House", "G-O Yell GO", "Dynamite", and many more. Our pyramid of activity will include cheers, routines, jump roping, and warm up games. Come be a part of something bigger, sign up today!

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Teacher: Overtime Athletics is a leading provider of youth athletic activities. They combine athletic games, contests, and instruction to create a positive environment for young participants to succeed. Their philosophy of PARTICIPATION and FUN teaches kids the value of playing sports. Preparation, organization, discipline, and teamwork guarantees participants enjoyment and improvement in all aspects of the games.

Sports Spectacular

Grades 3-4

Fee: \$150

Let's Play! Save the best for last by finishing up the school day with Sports Spectacular, a variety athletic program that features different sports throughout the session. Participants will practice skills and play games in both traditional sports and playground favorites. The Sports Spectacular Variety Program features the best "to-do" list ever – Basketball, Soccer, Flag Football, Kickball, Capture the Flag, Wiffle Ball, Bump and Bite, Knights and Dragons, Numbers Game, Tag Games, Safe Base and MORE! OTA covers all the bases with our emphasis on playing, teamwork, sportsmanship, and fitness. Don't miss out on the FUN!

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Minecraft® Building – World Wonders

Grades 3-4

Fee: \$180

Put those Minecraft skills to good use! In this exciting new class students will explore the seven wonders of the world and then be challenged to either replicate a famous structure or design their own! Teachers will provide tips and tricks on building better structures in Minecraft. Students' projects will be available for download a week after completion of the course.

Teacher: Bits, Bytes & Bots Computer Adventures' teachers are thoroughly trained educators, parents and technology experts who share the vision of ensuring children get the highest quality technology education available.

Computer Design

Grades 3-4

Fee: \$110

In this course, students will have fun creating age-appropriate computer based projects using various PC software programs such as Kid Pix, Word, and Publisher. Computer generated projects will include: calendar, stickers, book labels, return address, Valentine's Day cards, Tagxedo project, Kid Pix projects and more! Students will increase their knowledge base of more than just the basic skills of these software programs while taking home something tangible each week.

Teacher: Diane Wendel has been an active Chappaqua community volunteer for the past fifteen years. Currently employed by CCSD at Roaring Brook her love of children and creativity is reflected daily. Ms. Wendel, a past RB PTA Chair, started many initiatives that remain a tradition at RBS. She has been teaching ASE Computer Design classes at Roaring Brook for eight years.

Tuesdays

Fairies World

Grades K-2

Fee: \$120

Glitter, sparkling jewels, beads, and more! Children who love glitz and glamour will be enamored with the mystical creations they will make in this class. Projects will include fairy crowns, necklaces, notepaper and other beautiful creations as they examine and explore the magical world of fairies.

Teacher: The Katonah Art Center's Outreach Program. For the past ten years the Katonah Art Center has provided the community with a creative environment for children to explore their own creativity using a variety of mediums.

Big Swing Wiffle Ball

Grades K-2

Fee: \$160

This program isn't baseball – it's better! Everyone gets hits and no one strikes out in this version of America's favorite pastime. The fundamentals of throwing, catching and hitting are taught through games like Soft Toss, Base Runners, Home Run Derby and 500 Flies. Both new and seasoned players will love getting BIG hits with our favorite game, Tennis-Racquet Baseball. ***Please note that there is some element of risk inherent in all ASE classes involving sports.**

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STEAM Fun

Grades 1-2

Fee: \$120

An introductory class to the world of STEAM. Students will learn how to program BeeBots and Dash & Dot robots through basic code. Students will create an expressive word art project utilizing Tagxedo for a special Valentine's day project. Fun with the tech lab Symbaloo computer tiles will be intertwined and explored.

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Chess

Grades 1-4

Fee: \$150

This class teaches children the basic rules and strategies of chess in a funny, enchanting way that enables them to play a complete game of chess by the end of ASE (some even sooner). Chess has been proven to help with logic, memory, analysis, reading, mathematics and has even been shown to improve IQ. The class is taught with fun characters and stories that are woven into a logical, step-by-step curriculum that begins with the basic rules of the game and continues through advanced strategies and player tactics.

Teacher: Mad Science of Westchester runs after school programs, classroom workshops and school

assemblies throughout Westchester and Putnam Counties.

Scratch Junior

Grades 1-2

Fee: \$190

Scratch Junior is a precursor to other programming languages. Students control how their characters look and move, add sounds and images, and then use the programming blocks to bring their characters to life. Students create and express themselves with the computer rather than just interact with software created by others. They also learn to think sequentially, explore cause and effect, and problem solving skills. Student's projects will be available for download a week after course completion.

Teacher: Bits, Bytes & Bots Computer Adventures' teachers are thoroughly trained educators, parents and technology experts who share the vision of ensuring children get the highest quality technology education available.

I Love Art

Grades 2-4

Fee: \$120

Join the excitement of creating and making a unique project each week. We will paint, glue, draw and have fun. Bring all your creative energies to this class. Listen to music while you create to accompany the artistic endeavors.

Teacher: Judika Konowe Lieberman graduated from the College of New Rochelle with a MS in Studio Art and from Pace University with a BS in Fine Arts. Her career in art and graphic design span through government, publishing, advertising and teaching and she is widely exhibited and featured in numerous private collections.

Jewelry Making

Grades 2-4

Fee: \$120

Forget buying jewelry at a store! In this unit we will learn beading, wire art, sculpted bead making and more to create beautiful jewelry for yourself or for your friends. Earrings, bracelets, necklaces, hair clips - if you can buy it, you can make it!

Teacher: The Katonah Art Center's Outreach Program. For the past ten years the Katonah Art Center has provided the community with a creative environment for children to explore their own creativity using a variety of mediums.

Robotics

Grades 3-4

Fee: \$185

Spend the session learning about robots while we experiment and play with them. We will discuss what makes robots different from humans while exploring circuits and conductivity as well as simple machines. Over the course of the session each participant will build a robot that they will get to take home at the completion of the course!

Teacher: Mad Science of Westchester runs after school programs, classroom workshops and school assemblies throughout Westchester and Putnam Counties.

Computer Video Game Creation**Grades 3-4****Fee: \$190**

If you think playing computer games is fun, think what a blast learning to program your own games will be. Your imagination is the limit as you use GameMaker software to create mazes, strategies and a variety of other types of games. You'll learn about creating sprites, objects, events and actions. Design a room to make it look the way you want, then add objects and play your game. We'll teach you how to display health, lives, scores, splash screens and high score tables. Using drag and drop programming, you'll be creating exciting, professional looking games you can play with friends. Students' projects will be available for download a week after completion of the course.

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Wednesday**Gourmet Kids****Grades K-2****Fee: \$225**

Let's use the season's freshest ingredients and prepare a variety of wholesome recipes. In this "hands on" class we will venture far and wide to experience cooking around the world. Some of the recipes on our journey will be Hawaiian grilled cheese, Zucchini corn cakes, Austrian pancake, Irish soda bread, Asian summer rolls, Fortune cookies, NY Style pretzels and blonde brownies. As always, there will be a few "surprise stops". Each child will receive a copy of the recipe each week. Kids will "cook and taste" in this class! ***ALLERGY ALERT - Please be aware that the RBS PTA ASE Committee cannot guarantee the absence of peanut traces or other allergens in our cooking and baking classes. Please use your best judgment when registering your child.**

Teacher: Kids Cookery offers a unique, exciting, educational cooking experience that is tailored to meet the ages and interests of its participants! Their passion is to foster creativity, provide knowledge and skills and inspire through fun, interactive classes and programs!

Nature Detectives/Fun with The Nature of Things**Grades K-2****Fee: \$140**

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Dance, Dance, Dance***Grades K-2****Fee: \$120**

The art of dance that is great for both boys and girls. Each week students will be acquainted with a different dance style (including hip hop, jazz, tap and lyrical). The class will use a fusion of different music and a variety of props to help students learn the fundamentals of each dance form. The course will end with a short

performance composed of what the students have learned that will take place in the ASE classroom. This class is open to all skill levels.

*Children are required to wear sneakers and pants for this class.

Teacher: Dina Michelle is a business owner, choreographer, dancer, performer and teacher. She has taught for several programs and schools in Westchester County, and has many years of experience training both children and adults.

Shooting Stars Soccer*

Grades K-2

Fee: \$160

GOOOOOOOOOOOAAAAAAAALLLLL! Take your game to the next level! Join us for Shooting Stars Soccer and learn to play Soccer like the pros! Coaches will teach you skills like dribbling, passing, trapping, shooting and defense. This program emphasizes fitness, teamwork and sportsmanship. Have a blast and make new friends playing World Cup Tournament, Battle Balls, Trapper 500, Corner Kick Challenge and Soccer Knockout. Don't miss out on what the rest of the world already knows; it's a beautiful game

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We Do Robots

Grades 1-2

Fee: \$190

This class provides an opportunity for younger children to get an introduction to simple robotics. Children will build and program dancing birds, drumming monkeys, hungry alligators, roaring lions and flapping birds. Using LEGO We Do Robots, students will learn to build models, attach sensors and motors and use a computer to program the model's actions and behaviors. Students will also learn about simple engineering concepts such as pulleys, belts, gear and levels, while having a blast with their creations.

Teacher: Bits, Bytes & Bots Computer Adventures' teachers are thoroughly trained educators, parents and technology experts who share the vision of ensuring children get the highest quality technology education available.

Fashion World 1

Grades 2-4

Fee: \$120

Step into the glamorous world of fashion design. Children will use everyday materials like duct tape, and transform them into ready-to-wear pieces. Students will explore fashion design with a broad medium of materials and will create unique wearable fashions and beautiful home accessories for their bedrooms. Projects will include t-shirts, trendy flip flops, purses, tote bags, hair accessories, cozy socks, mini wallets, pillows and one of a kind jewelry.

Teacher: The Katonah Art Center's Outreach Program. For the past ten years the Katonah Art Center has provided the community with a creative environment for children to explore their own creativity using a variety of mediums.

Heads Up! Dodgeball***Grades 2-4****Fee: \$160**

Throw em! Dodge em! Grab a group of friends and test your agility and accuracy in a fast paced game of Dodgeball! Coaches will discuss the safety and game rules at the beginning of each class. Soft, foam balls are used for players protection. Learn techniques like Peek-A-Boo, Tip-Flick and Psych-Out or make up your own strategy! Join the game today!

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STEAM Wizards**Grades 3-4****Fee: \$120**

A great exploration to dabble into the world of STEAM for 3-4 grade students. Students will learn the wizardry on how to operate and program robots such as Dot & Dash and Ozobots. Exploration in Code Monkey, Scratch's Passport classrooms learning "Fashion & Design" or "Story Telling" by writing code. Students will create an expressive word art project utilizing Tagxedo for a special Valentine's Day project. Introductory lessons on Makey Make snaps and circuit concepts, construction building, or Lego We Do pending interest of class. Additional coding concepts will be taught after determining experience of enrolled students and will be taught accordingly. The class will culminate with an option for each student to appear on Maker Monday and/or Tinker Tuesday, our school's televised morning announcements, discussing the learning process of a favorite device!!

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Thursday***Chinese Martial Arts - Kung Fu Tigers*****Grades K-2****Fee: \$160**

In this program, your child is introduced to aspects of Chinese culture and language through martial arts. They learn basic body mechanics, learning coordination, fitness & physical/mental confidence. Students will learn their first "forms" and be introduced to self-defense and understand self-control. Kung Fu Tigers focus on interpersonal/communication skills and conflict resolution.

Teacher: CMAEC (Chinese Martial Arts and Education Center) in Pleasantville. Their mission is to provide all ages with the techniques and tools to have a healthy & well balanced life. They strive to confident leaders through the vehicle of martial arts training.

Dinosaurs Rock Creative Adventure**Grades: K-2****Fee: \$150**

We bring the museum to you with this hands-on exploration of the Pre-historic world. Take home a huge

genuine fossil and mineral collection with many hands-on activities! “See and touch” life-size and 5-500 million year old genuine specimens. Topics covered include Fascinating Fossils, the Miracle of Minerals, the Dinosaur-Bird Connection, the Ice Age, Pre-historic Sharks, Amber Discovery and more.

Teacher: Dinosaurs Rock is a company located in Montebello, NY. They run programs in schools and other venues throughout the New York area.

Hip Hop

Grades 1-3

Fee: \$130

This dance class welcomes dancers, cheerleaders and gymnasts to create a dance team! The dance team will learn a modern routine from a dance choreographer. If you love to dance or want to learn and you are looking for an alternative to a traditional dance studio, this is a great program for you. The choreographed routines are inspired by and created for dancers of various levels and backgrounds.

Teacher: Dina Michelle is a business owner, choreographer, dancer, performer and teacher. She has taught for several programs and schools in Westchester County, and has many years of experience training both children and adults.

Pitch and Putt Golf

Grades 1-4

Fee: \$160

Pitch and Putt Golf has all the kids chirping like birdies! Our program, powered by SNAG Golf Equipment, is a safe and encouraging game that introduces new players to the joy of golf. The SNAG® system of golf is a fun, easy to use equipment for beginner golf that combines simplified rules and terminology to learn golf anywhere and at any age. Each segment of our program has players implementing the skills they have been taught including GRIP, STANCE, AIM, SWING, and PUTTING. We have taken the fastest growing game in the world (GOLF) and made it “ready to use” for all beginners and youth players with our SNAG Golf Trail, and we have taken the most popular activity for kids (Miniature Golf/Putt-Putt) and put our own spin on it with our Goofy Golf Course. The combination is a hole in one!

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Scrapbooking

Grades 3-4

Fee: \$120

Bring your photos and mementos including brochures, tickets or maps from your vacations, and create a memory book to cherish! You will learn how to make “theme” pages, crop photos and incorporate stamping into your scrapbook. Easy and fun!

Teacher: The Katonah Art Center’s Outreach Program. For the past ten years the Katonah Art Center has provided the community with a creative environment for children to explore their own creativity using a variety of mediums.

Scratch**Grades 3-4****Fee: \$190**

Scratch® is a programming language that was invented by MIT. Through the creation of interactive stories, animations and games, students will develop a foundation of programming concepts (such as variables, loops, conditional statements, event handling and more) that will prepare them for higher level programming language. This is a fun way to be introduced to programming. *Students' projects will be available for download a week after course completion.

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Microsoft® Gaming Lab**Grades 3-4****Fee: \$190**

Microsoft's Kodu gives users control of powerful programming tools using simple graphical commands. Students will create 3-D worlds, add characters, and then make them interact or complete tasks. Students will program scoring, spawning characters, enemy objects, timers, health and various game levels. Based on "when something happens", "do something" logic, students analyze problems and structure their solutions. Student can repeat this class, as the instructor can work on different games. Students' projects will be available for download a week after the completion of the course.

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Friday**Bricks 4 Kidz****Grades K-2****Fee: \$130**

LEGO, LEGO and more LEGO! Each week students will build a new model based on a winter wonderland theme using LEGO bricks. This class is designed by educators to teach concepts across a variety of subject areas. Children will learn about everything from gears, torque and friction, to geography, space exploration, weather and more! Children will be able to build and bring home a custom LEGO mini figure at the end of the session

Teacher: Bricks 4 Kidz classes provide an extraordinary atmosphere for children, where we learn, we build, we play... with LEGO® bricks. Programs are built around our proprietary model plans and we believe that kids learn best through activities that engage their curiosity and creativity.

Musical Theater Workshop**Grades K-3****Fee: \$120**

Musical Theater Workshop: sing, move and create scenes using a few of your favorite musical theater numbers. This fun class will give kids a chance to create their own cabaret performance using popular Broadway tunes. The session will end with a showcase of their work. Some vocal instruction will be provided.

Teacher: The Mike Risko Music School is owned by Mike and Miriam Risko who have created an environment where students of all ages and levels can study music and progress at their own pace. All students have the opportunity to perform regularly in many different kinds of venues including the Risko Music "Rock Star Zone" which is an in-house stage where they provide regular performance opportunities to students. The Risko's school provides the mid-Westchester area with educated teachers who guide students of all ages through their curriculum which guarantees success and enjoyment of music.

Learn to Play Guitar!

Grades 2-4

Fee: \$140

Guitar is a fun, easy instrument to learn. Join us for this 7 week class and you will be strumming songs in no time with your friends. We will provide you with a guitar to use as a part of this class. Be a part of the guitar movement and learn to play!

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Sweet Kids

Grades K-2

Fee: \$200

Kids will explore with different recipes to satisfy their sweet tooth. More than just your traditional cookies and cupcakes, kids will learn the art and fun of baking. Each child will receive a copy of the recipe each week. Kids will "cook and taste" in this class!. ***ALLERGY ALERT - Please be aware that the RBS PTA ASE Committee cannot guarantee the absence of peanut traces or other allergens in our cooking and baking classes. Please use your best judgment when registering your child.**

Teacher: Kids Cookery offers a unique, exciting, educational cooking experience that is tailored to meet the ages and interests of its participants! Their passion is to foster creativity, provide knowledge and skills and inspire through fun, interactive classes and programs!

Yoga*

Grades 1-4

Fee: \$110

This is an hour of fun that puts children's energy to use. Games vary by week and may include soccer, basketball, kickball, capture the flag and more. Students are required to wear pants and sneakers for this class. ***Please note that there is some element of risk inherent in all ASE classes involving sports.**

Teacher: The Katonah Art Center's Outreach Program. For the past ten years the Katonah Art Center has provided the community with a creative environment for children to explore their own creativity using a variety of mediums.

Fashion World 2

Grades 2-4**Fee: \$110**

Step into the glamorous world of fashion design. Children will use everyday materials like duct tape, and transform them into ready-to-wear pieces. Students will explore fashion design with a broad medium of materials and will create unique wearable fashions and beautiful home accessories for their bedrooms. Projects will include t-shirts, trendy flip flops, purses, tote bags, hair accessories, cozy socks, mini wallets, pillows and one of a kind jewelry.

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Fast Break Basketball**Grades 2-4****Fee: \$140**

Join us for Fast Break Basketball where we'll "cross-over" between GAME PLAY and skills stations. The games within the game are where we will expose players to HOOPS skills like dribbling, passing, shooting, rebounding, and defense. Test your abilities having fun scrimmaging or playing games like Dribble Scribble, King of the Court, Hot Shot Shooting, Knock Out, and MORE! Be ready to take that last second shot, make that extra pass, and block that go ahead basket while learning the fundamentals of Basketball and the concepts of team work

Teacher: Overtime Athletics is a leading provider of youth athletic activities. They combine athletic games, contests, and instruction to create a positive environment for young participants to succeed. Their philosophy of PARTICIPATION and FUN teaches kids the value of playing sports. Preparation, organization, discipline, and teamwork guarantees participants enjoyment and improvement in all aspects of the games.