

# PS 33 WINTER 2024/2025 AFTER SCHOOL SCHEDULE



**GR: K-2**

**Dec '24 – Mar '25**

**REGISTRATION OPENS: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH AT 8PM**

	2:30 – 4:10 PM		4:10 – 5:30 PM		
Monday	Little Rookies Baseball	Scratch Jr.	Amazing Athletes Basketball	Drawing and Comics	
Tuesday	Visual Arts	LEGO Lab	French	Active Minds and Movement (Gr. K-5)	
Wednesday	Dance (Hip-Hop)	Study Time (Gr: K-5)	Study Time (Gr: K-5)		
Thursday	Soccer Stars	Fashion Design	Science Experiments	Minecraft (Gr: K-5)	
Friday	Coding With Kodable		Amazing Athletes Sports Discovery	Yay For Clay	Piano Lessons

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**ELIGIBLE**

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# PS 33 WINTER 2024/2025 AFTER SCHOOL SCHEDULE



**GR: 3-5**

**Dec '24 – Mar '25**

**REGISTRATION OPENS: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH AT 8PM**

	2:30 – 4:10 PM		4:10 – 5:30 PM		
Monday	Amazing Athletes Basketball	Drawing and Comics	Little Rookies Baseball	Scratch	
Tuesday	Little Rookies Baseball	French	Creative Writing	Visual Arts	Active Minds and Movement (Gr: K-5)
Wednesday	Study Time (Gr: K-5)		Dance (Jazz)	Study Time (Gr: K-5)	
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## PS 33 AFTER SCHOOL CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

### **Active Minds and Movement**

Join us for Active Minds and Movement, a fun-filled wellness class for students of all ages! This class offers students the chance to partake in a variety of engaging activities, including meditation, mind-body exercises, stretching, and yoga. Your child will learn different breathing, relaxation, and grounding techniques through exciting games and imaginative storytelling. They will reach for the sky like giraffes, balance like flamingos, and relax under starry skies! We want to equip your child with tools they can use to stay grounded in their everyday lives, ignite their creativity, and embrace life's endless possibilities. Let's embark on an adventure to grow in both body and mind, and find our inner calm!

### **Amazing Athletes Basketball**

These basketball classes are a perfect blend of high-energy drills, modified games, and friendly competition that help athletes hone their skills on the court. With a focus on fundamentals, the classes provide a great opportunity for athletes to improve their ball handling, shooting, passing, and overall movements and knowledge of the game. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced player, there are opportunities for everyone to learn and grow as a basketball athlete.

### **Amazing Athletes Sports Discovery**

This multi-sports program allows students to discover their inner athlete while trying three different sports each cycle. A non-competitive game-like environment encourages confidence, teamwork and sportsmanship. These transferable skills will help students in so many aspects of life.

### **Coding with Kodable**

Coding with Kodable offers an immersive world where kids can explore problem-solving and basic programming skills to grasp the basics of Computer Science. Guided by our experienced teachers, students will learn through hands-on and creative activities. Within the Kodable application, they'll master concepts such as Sequencing, Conditional Statements, Loops, Functions and even dive into advanced topics like Object-Oriented Programming. Join us in Coding with Kodable to foster your child's love for coding and empower them with essential 21st-century skills!

## **Creative Writing**

Welcome to the exciting world of Creative Writing! In this engaging class, students will embark on a thrilling journey of imagination, self-expression, and storytelling where creativity knows no bounds. Throughout this class, students will be introduced to the magical universe of storytelling. With fun, brain-stimulating activities, writing prompts and exercises, they will learn the fundamentals of writing, while fostering their unique voices and ideas. Each session will be filled with new opportunities for discovery, allowing young minds to flourish in a supportive and encouraging environment where there are no wrong answers.

## **Dance (All That Jazz)**

Get ready to jump into the world of classical jazz dance. Students will enjoy learning upbeat dances, utilizing classical jazz techniques such as isolation, contraction/release and "groove". Taught to all G-rated music, this is a great way for dancers to shimmy, shoulder shrug, and twirl into Jazz Dance. Students will perform in the end of cycle Dance Performance, showcasing all they have learned and built with their dance team!

## **Dance (Hip-Hop)**

In this class, students will be "popping", "locking", "hipping" and "hopping" in a fun and age appropriate way to "G-rated" music. Hip-hop dance is a vibrant form of dance that combines a variety of freestyle movements to create the genre of "Hip-hop". Through its three main styles of popping, locking, and breaking, hip-hop dance has evolved into one of the most popular and influential styles of dance. This has always been an audience and student favorite in the end of cycle dance performance!

## **Drawing and Comics**

Let's draw! Create your own characters and sketch from your imagination, or try your hand at shading, composition, and observational drawing skills. This is a fun, welcoming class that caters to individual student interest and skill level. Work alone, or create projects with friends! Whether you like doodling for fun, or you plan to create epic masterpieces, expect to take home your portfolio on the last day of class.

## **Fashion Design**

Calling all Fashionistas! Students in this class will learn the basics of fashion design. All crafts will be incorporated into fashion, from pom poms to prints to pins! Students will be making their very own unique clothes with fashion flats, and at the end of the cycle, they will showcase their creations!

## **LEGO Lab**

Presenting a new and exciting challenge to ignite the creativity of young children, while exploring a real-world theme, students will have a blast discovering the fun of legos. Each child will improve their fine motor development, problem-solving skills and channel their inner creativity. This is the class to sign up for if your student loves building and harnessing their imagination through legos

## **French**

Bonjour! Within our after-school program, your child will gain exposure to the beautiful language and culture of France. Led by a certified French teacher, this class will allow students to establish fundamental language skills. The curriculum includes fun, stimulating activities so students gain verbal and written reinforcement. The classes are open to students, grades K-5, and will be taught in a format that focuses on the development of each child. Whether your child is a native French speaker or curious about the language, our supportive and enriching environment will help them embark on their next cultural experience.

## **Little Rookies Baseball**

Our baseball program is the perfect way to learn new skills and have fun at the same time! We focus on building self-confidence and teamwork in a non-competitive environment. Our expert

## **Minecraft**

Embark on a block-building adventure with our exciting Minecraft after-school program! Join us as we delve into the limitless world of creativity and collaboration. As young players, students will learn essential problem-solving skills, teamwork, and strategic thinking while constructing magnificent virtual worlds. Guided by experienced instructors, they'll tackle challenges, design incredible structures, and unravel the mysteries of this pixelated realm. Geared for our students, grades 2-5, this class is a fan-favorite!

## **Piano Lessons**

Unlock the full spectrum of your child's potential with our expertly synchronized 'Piano Lessons: A Melodic Journey.' Embracing the ethos of seamless learning, our program harmoniously integrates with your child's other enriching classes. By enrolling in our captivating piano lessons alongside other activities, your child will experience a symphony of growth, cultivating both musical talent and a well-rounded education. Witness the transformation as they effortlessly balance their passion for piano with an array of diverse pursuits, creating a harmonious tapestry of achievement and inspiration! These piano sessions are 30-minute private lessons, where students are concurrently enrolled in Study Time at no additional charge. \*Please note, registration is taken on a first-come, first-serve basis, by waitlist only.



## **Science Experiments**

Discover the enchanting world of scientific exploration in our exceptional Science class! With a focus on gentle note-taking, we nurture our students' curiosity across captivating subjects like biology, chemistry, physics, engineering, and more! Join us in our pursuit to ignite a lifelong passion for science, empowering your young ones to confidently apply their knowledge and embrace the wonders of the natural world. Together, let's unlock their boundless potential as they joyfully embrace scientific discovery!

## **Scratch**

In this Scratch Coding Class, students will learn to create and design interactive games, animated stories and unique animations. As compared to Scratch Jr., Scratch uses scripted block-based coding to prepare students to write their own code. They'll explore essential coding concepts such as loops, conditional statements, variables and events through engaging and hands-on projects. Using a project-based approach, we encourage experimentation through guided and individual projects. With guidance from our instructors, they'll develop problem-solving and critical thinking skills. By the end of the course, students will confidently create and share their own coding projects. We provide parents with access to our class studios, allowing them to follow their child's progress and view projects from home.

## **Scratch Jr.**

As an introductory course, this class allows students to get a first peak into the world of Scratch Coding. It offers an introduction to programming for children who are just beginning to read and type. Unlike Scratch which relies on text-based commands, Scratch Jr. uses graphical programming blocks, making it perfect for little ones taking their first steps in coding. Students will be learning problem-solving in a playful way by building interactive storytelling, animation and game creation. They will be using intuitive drag-and-drop blocks to bring their colorful characters and stories to life.

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## **Study Time**

Study Time: Learn, Create, Play! An engaging class fostering academic excellence, creativity, and camaraderie. Expert instructors guide students through homework and reading, while encouraging strong study habits and time management. Once homework and studies are completed, students will enjoy free time to socialize and engage in fun-filled activities like board games and art to unwind and nurture well-rounded development. Join us for an enriching learning journey where hard work and fun go hand-in-hand!

## **Visual Arts**

Discover the world of art in our dynamic Visual Arts class! Unleash creativity while refining hand-eye coordination and discipline in the arts. From pencils to watercolors, clay to pen, students will master shading, crosshatching, and layering, exploring genres like abstract, realism, and more! A personalized sketchbook will showcase their progress, and a grand project at the end of the cycle will celebrate their artistic journey. Join us for an inspiring cycle of self-expression and creativity!

## **Yay For Clay**

Get ready for hands-on fun with "Yay for Clay"! Not any ordinary art class, let your child unleash their creativity by molding, shaping and decorating clay with fun craft materials. From playful sculptures to unique pottery, it's a creative adventure they'll love. Students will be able to see their skills develop from week to week as their projects take on more detailed workmanship. Don't delay the fun with clay!