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# University Park Enrichment Course Catalog: Winter 2019



## Registration Information

Registration goes live November 5th at 8:00am  
and ends November 15th at 6:00pm

- o If you're a current Discovery Link family, please visit this link to register:  
<https://connect.schoolcareworks.com/login.jsp>
- o If you're **not** a current Discovery Link family, please visit this link to register:  
[https://www.schoolcareworks.com/registration/dps/start\\_registration.jsp](https://www.schoolcareworks.com/registration/dps/start_registration.jsp)
- o Select "**University Park**" as your location
- o Scroll down the page and select "**Click to View Offerings**" under the 2019-2020 Enrichment Programs

**PAYMENT IS DUE AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION!**

\*Pricing increased due to additional weeks of programming (11 weeks)

## QUESTIONS?

Please e-mail [Kyle\\_Wiley@dpsk12.org](mailto:Kyle_Wiley@dpsk12.org) (Enrichment Coordinator)  
or call 720.603.3768

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## Course Catalog: Winter 2019 Session

### Before School Enrichments!

#### Tuesday AM

##### Club Amigos – Spanish

Celebrating its 20th year at UPark, Club Amigos is happy to be back for another year to offer fun games, songs and activities to the students. Kids have fun while learning basic Spanish vocabulary, phrases and sentences in this popular program. Classes are taught by Señorita S, a certified Spanish teacher, author, singer and creator of Club Amigos.

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Library	8:15am- 8:50am	Dec. 3, 10, 17, Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25 (No Class: 12/24, 12/31)	15/28	All Grades	\$144

#### Wednesday AM

##### Skateboarding- SkateStart

Skatestart skateboarding is one of the most popular classes around. Learn how to skateboard, have fun, make new friends, win prizes, gain confidence, and build a healthy body through skateboarding. Let's get rolling!

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Gym	8:15am- 8:50am	Dec 4, 11, 18 Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (No Class: 12/25, 1/1, 4/1)	6/14	All Grades	\$207

#### Wednesday AM

##### Fun with Mandarin Chinese- Kiddie Language

Are you looking for a fun and engaging way for your child to learn Mandarin Chinese? During this class, we will work as a group by playing language games, singing songs, making crafts, and learning about Chinese and Chinese culture. The program is designed to include all age-appropriate fun activities and continue developing speaking skills in the target language. Class games build on critical thinking skills, promote healthy competition, and help train memory. The class is designed for all elementary school ages and all levels of fluency.

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Library	8:00am- 8:50am	Dec 4, 11, 18 Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (No Class: 12/25, 1/1, 4/1)	4/20	All Grades	\$166



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### Thursday AM

#### Young Rembrandts – Drawing

Back-to-school is in full swing at Young Rembrandts, as we present drawing lessons that encompass a fascinating world of color, pattern, and design. Students will strengthen their marker rendering skills as they draw a detailed gumball machine. A drawing of a sandwich will make them hunger for more art. We'll travel back in time to the age of the pharaohs as we illustrate a decorative, Egyptian headdress. An illustration celebrating the fall season will introduce our colorists to warm and cool colors. All this and more await your child in a Young Rembrandts classroom! Sign up today!

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Library	8:15am- 8:50am	Dec/5, 12, 19, Jan/9, 16, 23, 30, Feb/6, 13, 20, 27 (No Class 12/26, 1/02)	8/20	All Grades	\$174

## After School Enrichments!

### Monday

#### Fencing – Denver Fencing Center

Denver Fencing Center is excited to offer our Little Fencers class to the students of UPark. Participants will have the opportunity to learn what it takes to become a Jedi, a pirate, or a musketeer through an introduction to the modern sport of fencing. Students will learn the fundamentals of fencing in a safe and fun environment. The instructor, Maciek Cyzyowicz, competed in the 1988, 1992, and the 1996 Summer Olympics for Modern Pentathlon. He will provide lightweight practice equipment, which is specially made for young children first learning the sport. Come join us for this exciting form of physical and mental exercise!

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Gym	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 2, 9, 16, Jan 13, 27, Feb 3, 10, 24 (No Class: 12/23, 12/30, 1/06, 1/20)	5/10	1 <sup>st</sup> – 3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$164

### Monday

#### Guitar and SongWriting – City Strings Guitar

Music is a birthright! Our mission is to share that we are all creative beings with the capacity to make music. In this class, students will learn how to play the guitar, listen to each other as an ensemble, and write original songs. Open to students who have good strength and dexterity in their fingers and who are willing to practice during the week. Practice makes progress. The ability to read is also a plus. (Recommended ages 6 and up.) \*Students must bring their own guitar.

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Room #207	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 2, 9, 16, Jan 13, 27, Feb 3, 10, 24 (No Class: 12/23, 12/30, 1/06, 1/20)	4/15	1-5	\$220



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### Monday

#### Animation Maker (3rd-5th) – Coding with Kids

Enter the world of movie and game animations! Students will learn the core skills of creating simple animated movies, creating 2D and 3D characters and animating those. Take your learning beyond stop-motion animation with real animation design tools. You will get to create real computer graphics and build animations like the pros!

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Library	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 2, 9, 16, Jan 13, 27, Feb 3, 10, 24 (No Class: 12/23, 12/30, 1/06, 1/20)	6/16	3-5	\$180

### Monday

#### Painting, Sculpting, and More! – Art for Life Colorado

Come learn how to sculpt, paint and create works of art from award winning artists! This class will have all new projects. Make art based on fall/winter themes, classic kid movies like Moana, timeless art principles. Learn the basics of sculpting, like model forming. Learn color theory as we paint with watercolors and acrylics. Make crafts found nowhere else!

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Art Room	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 2, 9, 16, Jan 13, 27, Feb 3, 10, 24 (No Class: 12/23, 12/30, 1/06, 1/20)	7/30	All Grades	\$128

### Monday

#### THYME to TURNIP the BEET on what KIDS EAT - Sticky Fingers

Students will learn how to utilize new and familiar kitchen tools and equipment as well as try new and familiar ingredients each week! Students will also learn geography and history related to each recipe.

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Teacher's lounge	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 2, 9, 16, Jan 13, 27, Feb 3, 10, 24 (No Class: 12/23, 12/30, 1/06, 1/20)	8/12	All Grades	\$164

### Tuesday

#### Chess Wizards - Chess

Chess Wizards is one of the nation's premier chess education companies. Our interactive, discovery-based curriculum inspires students to think ahead, visualize their goals, treat others with respect and to learn from mistakes. First, we let kids get the wiggles and giggles out with 10 minutes of free play and review of past taught topics. We then go right into the week's lessons. We separate students based on skill levels and teach different lessons best suited to their individual needs. All lessons have an activity and homework to accompany them and we have well over 80 different lessons to keep challenging our little wizards! Chess has been taught for thousands of years because of its emphasis on logic, tactics and sportsmanship. Let us coach your kids to a higher level of education!

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### Tuesday

#### Clay Play - Decker-Smith Pottery

Clay Play offers children the chance to get hands on experience working with the magical medium of clay with professional potter Jessa Decker-Smith. We will do a variety of projects letting kids explore many aspects of pottery-making including: hand-building, coil-building, slab-building, texture, clay manipulation and addition, decorating, glazing and more. Participants will bring home many finished fired pieces during the semester. All clay, tools, glaze materials, and firings will be provided. No experience is necessary! Class fills up quick - don't wait to sign up!

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Art Room	3:45- 4:50	Dec 4, 11, 18 Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (No Class: 12/25, 1/1, 4/1)	4/20	All Grades	\$218

### Tuesday

#### Hip Hop – Creative Kids Dance

Hip Hop/Breakdancing-A high-energy dance form that uses the latest age appropriate Hip Hop and Pop music coupled with dance steps influenced by some of today's finest dance choreographers. A style that is incessantly changing, Hip Hop incorporates poppin', lockin', and body isolations. Students will learn the trendy hip hop style of today as well as old school, and always emphasizes dancers finding their own individual swagger and style. Hip Hop is a fun, high-energy way to express oneself in a big way!

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Auditorium	3:45pm – 4:50pm	Dec. 3, 10, 17, Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25 (No Class: 12/24, 12/31)	5/30	All Grades	\$174

### Tuesday

#### Omniform Karate

Omniform is a martial art that develops the mind, body and the character of the student. It's a blend of Tae Kwon Do, Karate, Boxing and Yoga. The intention of the training is to empower the student to consciously and deliberately develop his or her own unique power - the power of self-confidence, strength and leadership that attracts positive experiences around them. We welcome students with no martial arts experience as well as students with previous experience. The cost of a uniform, jump rope and gear pack and study guide is \$72, which you can purchase directly from the instructor. Missed classes can be made up at our studio location.

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Gym	3:45- 4:50	Dec. 3, 10, 17, Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25 (No Class: 12/24, 12/31)	10/24	All Grades	\$166

### Tuesday

#### Rhythm and Drums - Sound Formation



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In this unique class you'll learn an easy way to truly master rhythm. The proprietary tools and methods we teach allow you to transfer your groove on to any other instrument with our guidance later on, and/or just get awesome at percussion now! Strategic and fun games develop your listening skills, performance ability, and overall musicality. The fundamental math involved in rhythm is explained at grade specific levels. We use a beautiful blend of hand- percussion instruments like djembe, cajon, darbuka, claves and more. There will be a performance on the final day. Our teachers have degrees, Masters degrees, and even Ph.Ds in music.

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Room #207	3:45- 4:50	Dec. 3, 10, 17, Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28, Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25 (No Class: 12/24, 12/31)	5/12	All Grades	\$173

### Wednesday

#### Little Dental/Sports Medicine School Combo

Our two newest programs combined into one! Little Dental School® students learn basic dental topics including tooth anatomy, dental tools, some of the most common dental procedures, and oral hygiene. In Sports Medicine School® students will learn basic prevention and treatment of the most common sports injuries, make a model of a hand with tendons and ligaments, and perform a simulated Tommy John surgery. Enrolled students will take home a disposable lab coat, reflex hammer, dental tool, multiple models, worksheets, and more!

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Library	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 4, 11, 18 Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (No Class: 12/25, 1/1, 4/1)	6/12	All Grades	\$196

### Wednesday

#### Sports Spectacular – Overtime Athletics

Let's Play! Save the best for last by finishing up the school day with Sports Spectacular, a variety of 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!

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Gym/Outside	3:45pm-5:00pm	Dec 4, 11, 18 Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (No Class: 12/25, 1/1, 4/1)	8/20	All Grades	\$120



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## Wednesday

### Goosebumps and Pop Bang Fizz– Science Matters

Turn the human body inside out in this behind the scenes science exploration. Make models of your organs and body parts – lungs, brain, and blood. Then some wild reactions are where it's at! Make a slushy treat to eat and see Soda Slobber. You won't believe that our mixing fun can teach some science before it's done.

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Room 207	3:45pm-4:50pm	Dec 4, 11, 18 Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 Feb 5, 12, 19, 26 (No Class: 12/25, 1/1, 4/1)	6/18	All Grades	\$163

## Thursday

### Bricks 4 Kidz

Bricks 4 Kidz is a hands on after-school Enrichment Class Using LEGO® bricks, Motors, & Battery Packs. Students use architecture and engineering principles to learn concepts across a variety of subject areas. Your child's learning doesn't need to stop when the bell rings. At Bricks 4 Kidz®, we believe it's important to tap into a child's potential by encouraging their curiosity and creativity in and out of the classroom. Our fun-filled model plans designed by engineers and architects, teach children to learn with LEGO® Bricks. Our theme- based project kits motivate children by reinforcing S.T.E.M. based principles while enhancing self-esteem, improving fine-motor skills, and teaching important classroom lessons such as organization and following directions.

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Library	3:45 – 4:50	Dec/5, 12, 19, Jan/9, 16, 23, 30, Feb/6, 13, 20, 27 (No Class 12/26, 1/02)	8/18	All Grades	\$163

## Thursday

### League of Wayfinders

With League of Wayfinders, you'll get to create and role play a continuous story as your very own fantasy hero. Each week, using dice and your imagination you and a small group of 4-6 will go on an epic adventure together creating a team of heroes in an exciting magical world. You'll fight monsters, solve puzzles, and use your hero's special magical abilities to help those in need.

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Room #207	3:45 – 4:50	Dec/5, 12, 19, Jan/9, 16, 23, 30, Feb/6, 13, 20, 27 (No Class 12/26, 1/02)	8/18	All Grades	\$140



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### Thursday

#### Battle Bots with Edison Robotics - Silicon STEM Academy

Come learn about robotics principles in an exciting, hands-on format! In this class, we'll explore the small-but-mighty Edison® robot! We'll learn to program these powerful robots with an easy-to-use visual programming interface to navigate a maze autonomously and with precision. We'll also teach our bots to use sensors to follow lines, avoid edges and obstacles, react to lights and sounds, and even work interactively with other Edison robots. This class teaches students to think like young engineers! (Grades 2nd-5th)

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Auditorium	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 5, 12, 19, Jan 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb 6, 13, 20, 27 (No Class 12/26, 1/02)	8/10	All Grades	\$185

### Thursday

#### Woodworking –Woodshop Wizards

Woodshop Wizards is an after school woodworking program that offers hands on creative learning, self-confidence and group interaction skills. The students learn to build detailed wooden assembly projects, as well as gain knowledge and the safe use of essential hand tools. The children learn in a positive, enjoyable environment with their peers and create projects that they will take home to treasure.

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Room #106	3:45pm – 4:50pm	Dec 5, 12, 19, Jan 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb 6, 13, 20, 27 (No Class 12/26, 1/02)	6/19	All Grades	\$207

### Friday

#### Robotics for Little Coders - Coding with Kids

Robotics for Little Coders (K-2nd)

Robotics for Little Coders with Ozobot is an opportunity for young children to develop their computational thinking skills, build their first programs, and have fun with new friends! Ozobots programming is designed specifically for early readers, taking into account the cognitive abilities and typical attention span of children ages 5-7. Students are introduced to basic coding concepts with simple tasks, such as customizing their Ozobot and assigning commands through different colors, then build up to more complex tasks with Ozobots simple drag-and-drop language.

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Library	3:45 – 4:50	Dec 6, 13, 20, Jan 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb 7, 21, 28 (No Class:12/27, 1/03, 2/14)	6/16	K-2	\$220





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### Friday

#### Brave – Theater – KidStage

Merida, a Scottish princess who enjoys archery and horseback riding, is told by her mother that her interests are not what a princess should be doing and that she has to marry. But Merida chooses to defy both her mother and tradition and change her fate. Merida follows the ancient forest wisps to seek help from an eccentric witch, who grants her an ill-fated wish. Now, Merida must discover the true meaning of courage and undo a beastly curse before it's too late.

Location	Time	Dates of Classes	Min/Max	Grades	Price
Auditorium	3:45 – 5:20	Dec 6, 13, 20, Jan 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb 7, 21, 28 (No Class:12/27, 1/03, 2/14)	12/21	All Grades	\$170

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