



Wilson PTO Enrichment Program (WEP)

2019-20 offerings include:

Languages: Spanish

Arts: Drawing, Sewing, Pottery, Jewelry
Making.

Fitness: Quickness & Agility, Yoga.

Music: Guitar, Ukulele.

Others: Babysitting, Kidz Home Alone, Life
skills.

Enroll soon! Classes may fill quickly!

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Wilson Enrichment Program 2019-20

The Wilson Enrichment Program (WEP) classes are coordinated by the PTO, with support from the school and in partnership with the individual instructors. Each instructor sets the terms and conditions for their own classes, therefore classes differ in term length, time, fees, age limits, etc. **It is the parents' responsibility to note the specific details for the classes for which your child is enrolled.** Please save this document for future reference.

If you have a question about a specific class offering, please contact the instructor listed. If you have questions pertaining to enrollment, scholarship, the enrichment program in general or for ideas/suggestions for new classes, please contact Vanessa Dixon, at senoradixon@live.com.

Snow Days: In the case of morning delays (for morning classes) or school closings (afternoon classes) due to inclement weather, we will cancel classes and will make them up at the end of each session.

Snacks: no snacks will be allowed in the classrooms. Students may eat a snack in their homeroom prior to coming to their respective class if their homeroom teacher allows it. Please check with your teacher. Allowed snacks are: fresh fruit, cut-out vegetables and Goldfish crackers.

Scholarships: A limited amount of scholarship money will be sponsored by each instructor. To be considered for a scholarship, you must qualify for a free or reduced lunch. To apply, please contact Jean Bode at jeanbode@foresthills.edu. Limit one scholarship class per student per session.

Dismissal: All afternoon classes are considered a change in dismissal. You must inform your child's classroom teacher of the specific class dates prior to the first class. Otherwise they might be sent home on the bus at dismissal time. Please also inform the Instructor directly if your child will be absent from a class for any reason. For the safety of your student, please remember that you must pick up your child (ren) up inside the school building when their classes are dismissed. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our children safe and supervised!

NOTE: If you need to reach an instructor during a class, you may phone the contact number listed on the class description. The school office closes each day at 4:30 pm and will not be able to relay messages to the instructors.

Spanish Classes - Beginners & Intermediates

Instructor: World of Spanish LLC

Grades K-6
Tuesdays, 8:05 am – 9:05 am
Band & Music Room

Exposing your child to a second language is one of the most valuable gifts you can give your child. Here is why:

- Higher scores on the SAT: Students who study a foreign language for four or more years tend to score higher on the verbal section of the SAT.
- Higher grades in high school: Foreign language classes are a requirement for colleges and universities; learning Spanish early on will make high school Spanish so much easier, ensuring higher grades.
- It enhances reading ability in English: Starting a second language early enhances reading abilities and general literacy in the first language. Children also demonstrate better focus and multitasking skills.

Children will study Spanish vocabulary through fun games, songs, hands-on activities, etc. Cultural activities like Salsa Dance Classes, celebration of “El Día de los Muertos”, etc. will be available during the year for parents as well! Students will be divided based on level.

Fall Session (9 weeks): September 17 – November 19 (no class November 05)

Winter Session (9 weeks): December 03 – February 11

Spring Session (9 weeks): February 18 – April 21 (no class April 07)

Tuition: \$94 / 9-week session per student, 20% discount for the second sibling, 50% discount for third sibling. Beginner class only requires textbooks, \$28 additional for the year (used during all three sessions).

TO REGISTER: visit <http://www.worldofspanishllc.com>

Questions: Contact World of Spanish LLC at (513) 739-9516

Young Rembrandts Drawing Classes

Instructor: Young Rembrandts

Grades 1-6
Wednesdays, 3:50 pm – 5:00 pm
Art Room

Calling all artists! Inspire your child’s love of art with Young Rembrandts. We teach drawing, the fundamental skill of all visual arts. Our unique, proven method and step-by-step curriculum ensures both academic and artistic success for every child. Our curriculum is designed to teach beginner and advanced drawing skills, art techniques and vocabulary. Your artist can expect a new exciting lesson each week, to improve core art skills and to have fun!! You can expect to see improved patience, discipline, focus and fine motor skills/handwriting.

We teach a different lesson each week all year long! And the lessons are different from the years past so your child can take our classes for years! No experience is necessary and all supplies are included. Come Draw with us!

Fall Session (8 weeks): September 25 - November 13 (no class November 21)

Winter Session (8 weeks): December 04 - February 05.

Spring Session (8 weeks): February 19 – April 15 (no class April 08)

Tuition: \$110 / 8 weeks. Payment plans are available.

TO REGISTER, visit: <http://www.youngrembrandts.com/cincinnati-east-oh>

Questions: Contact Debbie Welker at (513) 779-5858

Guitar Lessons

Instructor: Jon Armstrong

Grades 3-6
Wednesdays, 3:50 pm – 4:50 pm
Band Room

Group Guitar Classes are a great way to explore the world of music and the guitar by learning popular rock and country songs, movie themes etc. Classes are open to both beginner as well as intermediate students, both new and returning.

Fall Session: September 25 – November 13.

Tuition: \$120/ 8 weeks (If you wish to purchase a quality acoustic guitar, please add \$85 and old guitars can be restrung for \$10).

TO REGISTER, contact Jon Armstrong at (513) 919-8742, via email at: jonnyrocket72@yahoo.com or by visiting www.jonnyaguitar.weebly.com . Payments can be made via check and mailed to 769 Elderwood Dr. Cincinnati, OH 45255 or via Paypal at jonnyrocket72@yahoo.com, please pay under friends and family, not goods and services.

Ukulele Lessons

Instructor: Jon Armstrong

Grades 3-6
Wednesdays, 3:50 pm – 4:50 pm
Band Room

Learn about music on a fun instrument while playing your favorite songs like Somewhere Over The Rainbow, 21 Pilots, etc. Children will need a folder to organize materials and a ukulele. For help purchasing a Ukulele please contact the instructor.

Spring Session: February 19 - April 15 (no class April 08)

Tuition: \$120/ 8 weeks

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Quickness/Speed/Agility

Instructor: Nicki Pendleton Skylis

Grades 2-6
Fridays, 3:50 pm – 4:50 pm
Gym

The class provides exercise, strength, quickness, coordination, agility, running mechanics and overall fitness. I want to provide a way for kids to have fun while exercising and a way for kids to become more physically fit. This class will have a strong focus on the correct running form and mechanics because most kids are never taught how to run properly. Through other exercises I will also teach the right way to control the body during exercise and sports which will help prevent injuries. Plan to have a lot of fun being active!!

Winter Session: November 22 – February 21.

Spring Session: February 28 – April 24.

Tuition: \$95 / 8 weeks

TO REGISTER, go to www.qsatraining.myshopify.com and click on "Register for a Class" and find Wilson.

Kids Yoga

Instructor: Dianne Benmayor

Grades 2-6
Fridays, 3:50 pm – 4:50 pm
Gym

A growing body of scientific research supports the positive effects of teaching Yoga to students. Yoga teaches kids to take a break from stresses of everyday life, improve and maintain their physical well-being, built strength & flexibility and improved coordination and focus. Classes explore basic yoga poses and breathing exercises through cooperative games, themed activities and music. Classes will engage the natural energy and enthusiasm of the elementary age child. Participants should bring water and a yoga mat or beach towel and dress in comfortable clothing.

Fall Session: September 20 – November 15 (no class October 4).

Tuition: \$75 / 8 weeks.

TO REGISTER, please send the following information to diannejb@aol.com or call (513) 505-3779 to register: Student Name, Grade, Homeroom teacher, Parent's name, Address, Home & Work/Cell Phone Number, Any special needs or allergies

Pottery Hand-building and Painting

Instructor: Star Glazers

Grades K-6
Fridays, 3:50 pm – 4:50 pm
Art Room

Join us for a 4 week session as we learn with clay and pottery paints. We'll create some really cool pieces from clay that will get fired in the kiln. Then we'll paint them using mega-fun techniques. Don't worry if you took the class before...we do all new projects!

Fall Session: February 21 – March 13

Tuition: \$40 /4 weeks

TO REGISTER, please send the following information to ann@starglazers.com or call (513) 474-6364 to register: student name, grade, homeroom teacher, parent name, address, home & work/cell phone number, any special needs or allergies.

Sewing Classes - Beginners

Instructor: Tracey Humphreys

Grades 1-3
Mondays, 3:50 pm – 5:00 pm
Art Room

Children will learn three basic stitches as they create a pincushion and two other projects.

Fall Session: October 14 – November 11 (no class November 4)

Spring Session: March 23 – April 27 (no class April 6 or April 13).

Tuition: \$70 / 4 weeks (includes a sewing kit that the children will keep to continue the hobby, as well as all supplies needed for projects)

TO REGISTER, please call (859) 322-7606 and send the following information to via email to: actlikeakid@outlook.com to register: Student Name, Grade, Homeroom teacher, Parent Name, Address, Home & Work/Cell Phone Number, Any special needs or allergies.

Sewing Classes - Intermediates

Instructor: Tracey Humphreys

Grades 3-6
Mondays, 3:50 pm – 5:00 pm
Art Room

This class is for children who have already taken the beginners class or who may have a bit of experience from home. Children will be also using a sewing machine in class.

Winter Session: January 6 – February 10 (no class January 20).

Tuition: \$80 / 5 weeks (includes all supplies needed for projects).

TO REGISTER, please call (859) 322-7606 and send the following information to via email to: actlikeakid@outlook.com to register: Student Name, Grade, Homeroom teacher, Parent Name, Address, Home & Work/Cell Phone Number, Any special needs or allergies.

Jewelry Making Classes

Instructor: Tracey Humphreys

Grades 1-6
Mondays, 3:50 pm – 5:00 pm
Art Room

Children will have the option to make a variety of beaded jewelry.

Fall Session: November 18 – December 2 (perfect for making holiday gifts!)

Tuition: \$50 / 3 weeks (includes all supplies needed for projects).

TO REGISTER, please call (859) 322-7606 and send the following information to via email to: actlikeakid@outlook.com to register: Student Name, Grade, Homeroom teacher, Parent Name, Address, Home & Work/Cell Phone Number, Any special needs or allergies.

Better Baby Sitters

Instructor: Enriching Kidz

Grades 5-6
Tuesdays, 3:50 pm – 6:15 pm
Band Room

Would your child know what to do if the child they were babysitting were choking? Does your child babysit their younger siblings? Your child will learn the skills needed to be a Better Baby Sitter! This class includes guest speakers from the local Police and Fire Departments (when available). All students will receive their own first aid kit to take home. This class is appropriate for boys and girls 10+ and is interactive and fun with role play and hands on instruction.

Students will learn: first aid & safety, infant & child CPR with mannequin instruction, care of the choking child and infant, how to handle emergencies, creative problem solving, job professionalism and how to create a marketing flyer, hands on practice with diapering, bottle feeding and infant care, creative age appropriate activities.

Fall Session: October 08 – October 29.

Tuition: \$99 / 4 weeks.

TO REGISTER, please visit enrichingkidz.com and click on "Register". For questions, please call (513) 336-9993

Kidz Home Alone

Instructor: Enriching Kidz

Grades 4-6
Mondays, 3:50 pm – 5:45 pm
Band Room

Would your child know what to do if they have forgotten their house key? What if they are home alone and they are choking? Our class will give you and your child peace of mind when home alone. As creators of this class, we thought of every home alone scenario possible, and provide solutions for all of those 'what-ifs'. An informative parent guide is included in the student manual and provides an avenue for discussion between parent and child. This engaging and interactive class is fun and includes guest speakers from the local Police and Fire Departments (when available). This class is appropriate for boys and girls. Students will learn: answering the door and the phone, the reasons to call 911, first aid and safety and Self- Heimlich Maneuver, why it's necessary to have house rules, fire escape and severe weather planning.

Fall Session: September 23 – September 30.

Tuition: \$70 / 2 weeks.

TO REGISTER, please visit enrichingkidz.com and click on "Register". For questions, please call (513) 336-9993

Pottery Wheel 101

Instructor: Enriching Kidz

Grades 2-6
Thursdays, 3:50 pm – 5:45 pm
Art Room

This class includes the introduction to the basic use of the pottery wheel as well as basic hand-building techniques. This is a great opportunity for students to receive hands on experience. Classes on the pottery wheel emphasize technical, personal and individual development for future abilities in the art world. Students will each complete a small pot on the pottery wheel and at least one other item using hand-building techniques. All artwork will be glazed by the student and fired. Students will learn: wedging, centering, pulling, slab-building, coil-building, pinching, glaze decoration, understanding of Firing Techniques.

Winter Session: January 16 and January 30 (we skip a week to allow the pieces to dry).

Tuition: \$75 / 2 weeks.

TO REGISTER, please visit enrichingkidz.com and click on "Register". For questions, please call (513) 336-9993

Life Skills 101

Instructor: Enriching Kidz

Grades 3-6
Fridays, 3:50 pm – 5:45 pm
Art Room

Teaching your kids to be kind and respectful? Enriching Kidz will reinforce your efforts! This is a really fun class! Through interactive role play, and fun hands-on activities, students will learn the meaning of manners and respectful behavior. Topics include table manners at home, at a nice restaurant (complete with Italian music and fancy menus). Learning how to be an attentive listener and how to have a conversation is part of the fun! We will also explore manners in public places. We will help them understand personal space, and how to respect people who have disabilities. Other topics will also include, manners when hosting or attending a party, playdate or sleepover and how to write a thank you note! Your kids will come home excited to set the table and tell you what they learned!

Students will learn: manners around the dinner table at home and preparing for a meal, manners at a fancy restaurant, listening skills, the art of conversation tools, manners when on an elevator or escalator, manners at public spaces, such as at the movies or at a sporting event, how and when to write a thank you note.

Winter Session: February 07 and February 14.

Tuition: \$70 / 2 weeks.

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