



After School at Echo Park Elementary

A collaborative effort between Echo Park Elementary School and District 196 Community Education

Fall 2009

Registration Deadline: October 28

Classes meet 3:45-4:45 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Echo Park Elementary Student Expectations must be followed by all participants in the after school program.

Regular attendance is expected. Please send a note if your child attends during the school day, but is excused from his/her after school class.

Classes may be canceled due to bad weather. Call the District Information Line at **651-423-7777** for taped updates, visit www.district196.org, listen to the media, or call Community Education at **651-423-7920**.

Free bus transportation to the designated stops listed on the registration page is provided for students who ride the bus. Send a note if your child is on the bus roster, but is not going to ride the bus.

If you are picking up your child, please come into the front hall. Please be prompt.

Register for a first choice and a second choice. Class sizes are limited.

Return registration form to your child's classroom teacher.



Free classes are financially supported by the State of Minnesota to increase achievement for students who qualify for additional academic support through



targeted services. Funds are provided based on criteria determined by the State of Minnesota. **Students qualifying for targeted services are given first priority when registering.** Enrollment for remaining spaces is then offered to all students free of charge based on availability.

Fee based class placement - All registrations received by the deadline are given equal consideration for placement in fee based classes.

Scholarships are available for fee based classes to students on free and reduced lunch. Students on reduced lunch receive a 50% discount on class fees. Students on free lunch receive a full scholarship.

Class confirmations with transportation information will be sent home from school.

Send a small, healthy snack *not containing nuts* with your child to eat immediately after school.

Class Schedule

Classes meet from 3:45-4:45 p.m.

	Grades	Class Code	Teacher	Fee
Monday Classes				
Classes Meet: November 30 - January 11 (<i>skip December 28</i>)				
Math + Games = FUN!	K-1	ASJVV-FA-101-09	Ms. Wisnew	Free
Fitness Fever	K-2	ASEPFF-FA-101-09	Mrs. Buckeye	Free
Science Explorers: Emergency Room 101	K-2	ASXPER-FA-101-09	Science Explorers	\$50
Abrakadoodle Doodlers	K-5	ASDOB-FA-102-09	Abrakadoodle Art Enrichment	\$71
Play, Sign and Learn Spanish	1-2	ASJGP-FA-101-09	Doña Josefa	Free
Digital Photography	3-5	ASKDP-FA-101-09	Ms. Rupp/Mrs. Metcalf	Free
Hot Hoops	3-5	ASHOOP-FA-101-09	Mrs. Robson	Free
Math Games	4	ASKVM-FA-101-09	Mrs. Vitullo	Free
Introduction to Babysitting	5	ASEPBS-FA-101-09	Ms. Engel	Free

Wednesday Classes

Classes Meet: December 2 - January 20 (*skip December 23 and 30*)

Fun with Books	K-1	ASEBK-FA-301-09	Mrs. Gorton/Ms. Kranz	Free
Showtime! I Like Me	K-2	ASHTME-FA-301-09	Stages Theatre Company	\$42
Extreme Legos: Levers	1-3	ASYLD-FA-301-09	Youth Enrichment League	\$53
Grand Masters of Chess	K-5	ASYLG-FA-301-09	Youth Enrichment League	\$56
Watch Me Draw	K-5	ASWMD-FA-301-09	Watch Me Draw	\$56
2010 Calendar Making	3-5	ASCMK-FA-301-09	Ms. Skoglund	Free
Fitness Fever	3-5	ASEPFF-FA-301-09	Mrs. Koskela	Free
Science Explorers: Emergency Room 101	3-5	ASXPER-FA-301-09	Science Explorers	\$50
Showtime! The Stinky Cheese Man	3-5	ASHTSC-FA-301-09	Stages Theatre Company	\$42

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Educating our students to reach their full potential.

Sally Soliday, Principal
 Paula Kranz, After School Site Coordinator
 Leigh Johnson, Community Education After School Programmer
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For more information
 call Community Education at 651-423-7920 or
 email Leigh.Johnson@district196.org

Class Descriptions

in alphabetical order by class title

Abrakadoodle Doodlers (grades K-5)

Abrakadoodle believes in exploring all kinds of art. Get inspired to reach beyond and create art that is unique to YOU. Fantastic fall art includes mono printing, water color and chalk pastels. Learn about LeRoy Neiman and sculpt African masks with clay. Featured artists include Winslow Homer, Heinz Kirchner and Natasha Westcoat. All materials are supplied by the instructor.
Abrakadoodle Art Enrichment

Digital Photography (grades 3-5)



Grab one of the school's digital cameras and shoot like a pro! Learn how to take pictures, put them on a computer and create ways to show them off. All materials supplied by

the instructors. *Ms. Rupp, Fourth Grade teacher, and Mrs. Metcalf, Tech Support clerk*

Extreme Legos: Levers (grades 1-3)

New and returning builders are welcome. Build a working scale, a nutcracker, a snapping dragon and more. Explore the world of levers and discover how a see-saw, fishing pole or wheelbarrow works. Each student will have a different project to build, test and modify. *Youth Enrichment League*

Fitness Fever (grades K-5)

Catch the FITNESS FEVER this fall! Meet your friends in the Echo Park gym to move and groove. Dance, Dance Revolution, body and mind exercises and teamwork are included. No couch potatoes allowed!
Mrs. Buckeye, Special Education Resource teacher and Mrs. Koskela, Music Specialist

Fun with Books (grades K-1)

What could be more fun than making your favorite stories come alive? Join us as we read a story and follow up with a project based on the book. Become familiar with various authors while you have fun reading and creating! All materials provided by the instructor. Note: This class includes four meetings. *Ms. Gorton, Media Assistant and Ms. Kranz, Instructional Assistant*

Grand Masters of Chess (grades K-5)

Develop the brain bending strategies of this brilliant and complex game! New players will work on piece movement and basic checkmate patterns. Veteran players begin work on opening development, skewers, forks and pins. Activity books, puzzle sheets, tournaments and interactive games compliment your playing time. Before you know it, you're a Grand Master of Chess. *Youth Enrichment League*

Hot Hoops (grades 3-5)

Work on your basic basketball skills using pro-type drills and fun games. This is a great way to learn



how to play the game and boost your self-esteem. Sportsmanship and teamwork are encouraged, all in a FUN environment. Beginner to advanced players are welcome. Wear athletic clothes.

Mrs. Robson, Social Worker

Introduction to Babysitting (grade 5)

Boys and girls, learn to be a responsible babysitter. Using the DVD and book, *Babysitting 101*, you will have hands-on opportunities to practice feeding, diapering and proper holding techniques. Safety, infant talk and the business of babysitting also included. Receive a Community Education certificate when you successfully complete the required test.

Ms. Engel, Second Grade teacher

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Class Descriptions

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Math Games (grade 4)

Your math skills will grow sharper while you are having FUN. Work on strategic problem-solving while

playing games like MasterMind and Flip 4.

Mrs. Vitullo, ELL teacher

Math + Games = FUN! (grades K-1)

Come 4 the fun of playing games 2 improve your math knowledge! You will have **multiple** choices of games to choose from, so you can **divide** your time between several games. **Add** this 1 to your class registration!

Ms. Wisnew, First Grade teacher

Play, Sing and Learn Spanish (grades 1-2)

Have FUN using games, art and songs to learn basic Spanish. Learn numbers, colors and phrases in Spanish. Food and piñatas will also be part of the fun. All materials are supplied by the instructor. Please note any food allergies when registering. If you took this class last winter, please do not register this fall so your friends may take it.

Doña Josefa, District 196 Cultural Family Advocate

Science Explorers: Emergency Room 101 (grades K-5)

Become a student doctor as you learn about the human body and basic first aid through plenty of hands-on activities. Create a life-size model as you explore the circulatory, skeletal and digestive systems. Participate in mock emergency situations, create a basic first aid kit and more when you join us in the emergency room.

Science Explorers

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Showtime! I Like Me (grades K-2)

Bring to life the kind, caring characters of beloved Minnesota author Nancy Carlson in this story/drama class. With creative bodies, voices and imaginations, young actors can become a host of awesome animals like Louanne Pig, Harriet Bear, Loudmouth George and more. Great for beginners building confidence! Receive a complimentary ticket to see a Stages Theatre Company performance. Family and friends are invited to a portion of the final class for a sharing of skills learned. *Stages Theatre Company*

Showtime! The Stinky Cheese Man (grades 3-5)

"Run, run, run as fast as you can! You can't catch me. I'm the Stinky Cheese Man!" But, nobody wants to chase him. Follow the Stinky Cheese Man's adventures, then create your own version of this silly tale. Beginning and veteran actors are welcome. Students receive a complimentary ticket to a Stages Theatre Company performance. Family and friends are invited to a portion of the final class for a sharing of skills learned.

Stages Theatre Company

Watch Me Draw! (grades K-5)

CREATE! EXPRESS! Develop basic drawing skills with guided lessons that allow freedom for you to express your personal style. Each session introduces new skills and each week you will bring home your own masterpiece. Learn about Norman Rockwell and create in his style when you "mimic the master." All materials are supplied by the instructor. *Watch Me Draw*

**Drawing
IS
FUN!**

2010 Calendar Making (grades 3-5)

Using your own pictures and photographs, make a personalized 2010 calendar. Bring to the first class pictures you can permanently glue or tape into your calendar. Decorate with glitter, buttons, markers, ribbons and more. All materials are supplied by the instructor. *Ms. Skoglund, ELL teacher*

Registration

Return completed page with payment, if applicable, to your classroom teacher.

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Student's Name _____ Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Student's Date of Birth ____/____/____ M or F Grade _____ Classroom Teacher _____
(circle one)

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone (home) _____ (work) _____ (cell) _____

Email Address _____

Allergies/Special Needs _____

Class Selection

Monday Class Name _____ Code _____
(first choice)

Monday Class Name _____ Code _____
(second choice)

Wednesday Class Name _____ Code _____
(first choice)

Wednesday Class Name _____ Code _____
(second choice)

Payment (for fee based classes only)

Total Amount: \$ _____ 50% Scholarship (reduced lunch = 50% payment) Full Scholarship (free lunch = no payment)

Method of Payment: Visa/MasterCard (complete below) Check (payable to District 196) Cash

Acct No _____ Signature _____ Exp Date _____

A \$10 processing fee will be charged on any registration for fee-based classes canceled by the registrant. Please refer to the Community Education catalog for complete information on the refund procedure.

Transportation

Pick-up (give name of person picking up student) _____

Walk (crossing guards will not be provided for students who walk)

SAC

Bus (select one from the list below)

Park Avenue S. and 145th Street E.

143rd Street E. and 143rd Court E.

Portland Avenue and Wood Way

14058-14064 Plymouth Avenue

301 McAndrews Road - North Entrance

Carriage Lane and Carriage Place Drive

Southcross Drive and Carriage Lane

Portland Avenue and Interlachen Road

Crystal Lake Road E. and Crystal Drive W.

Echo Park Lane and Echo Park Lane

McAndrews Road and Windgate Entrance

Oakland Drive Cul De Sac South

Oakland Drive and Arden Circle

Parkwood Drive and Heather Hills Drive

New Horizon - 1885 134th Street

131st Street W. and Hanover Avenue

Chaparral Drive and Sweetwater Drive

Cimarron Road and Cimarron Circle

Surrey Trail N. and Cimarron Road

Apple Valley Estates Entrance