

CULTURAL ARTS CATALOG

FALL 2009



MORNINGS 7:50-8:30 am

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	German (Grades K-5) Room 127		German (Grades K-5) Room 127	
		Yoga I (Grades K-2) Room 280	Yoga II (Grades 3-5) Room 280	Breakfast, Anyone? (Grades 1-5) Room 280
Mad Scientist (Grades 1-5) Room 280	Craft Closet (Grades K-5) Room 214	Handy Projects (Grades K-5) Room 214	Games Galore (Grades 2-5) Room 214	

AFTERNOONS 3:50-4:30 pm

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Spanish II (Grades K-5) Room 214	Super Snacks (Grades 1-5) Room 280	Spanish II (Grades K-5) Room 214	Spanish I (Grades K-5) Room 214 (3:50 - 5:00)
Drawing (Grades 3-5) Room 127		Petit Picassos (Grades K-2) Room 127		

Mill Creek PTA Cultural Arts

Fall 2009

Dear parents and students,

The Mill Creek PTA Cultural Arts Committee is excited about another great semester of Cultural Arts programs for the Fall 2009 semester. The purpose of the program is to provide an enriching environment for your children where they can experience and grow in Cultural Arts.

Registration will be by lottery. Registration forms will be picked up from the box in the office at the end of the school day on **Friday, September 11** and entered into a lottery for each class. Names will be pulled randomly until the class size limit is reached.

Morning classes will begin at 7:50 and end at 8:30. This change is due to the earlier start for school, thus ensuring that the children get a full 40 minutes of class time and still have adequate time to get to their regular classes before the bell rings. **Children may be dropped off for morning class no earlier than 7:45 am.** Supervision is not provided before this time.

Afternoon classes will begin at 3:50 and end at 4:30. This year, children will be dismissed from their classes with the bus riders at 3:45 by an announcement from the office. This ensures that the children will be reminded of the cultural arts classes at the end of the day. **Parents arriving after 4:40 pm for afternoon pick-up may find their children in the office.** Please be prompt when picking up your child from the afternoon classes.

Routine failure to adhere to the pick-up or drop-off schedule will result in the dismissal of your child from the Cultural Arts Program.

Cultural Arts classes will begin the week of September 21st and run for eight consecutive weeks. There will be **no classes on Fri, Sept. 25, Tues. Nov. 3, and Fri. Nov. 13** when school is not in session. Make up classes for these dates will be added on to the end of the 8 week session. **On early dismissal days, Thursdays, Sept. 24 and Oct. 22, morning classes will be held, but afternoon classes will be cancelled.** Make up afternoon classes for these dates will be added on to the end of the 8 week session. Schedules will be confirmed by the individual teachers for each class.

Verification of classes will be sent out by September 17 confirming your child's enrollment in class and giving classroom assignments. Parents will be notified by both written confirmation and by e-mail. If your child signs up for a class that is cancelled, you will have the option of choosing another class or receiving a full refund.

Thanks to all who have supported the Cultural Arts Program. It has given our students a chance to be exposed and introduced to many new and wonderful experiences. Questions about class content or the Cultural Arts program in general can be directed to Annette Kiehne at 442-5737 or twodogsk@charter.net. Registration questions should be directed to Monique Lorson at lorsonm@missouri.edu.

LANGUAGE CLASSES

SPANISH I (Friday Afternoons)

Spanish I is the introductory Spanish class. In Spanish I, you will learn the alphabet, how to count to twenty, learn the days, weeks and months of the year, colors, simple phrases and much more. We'll have a blast of fun in this class as we learn the basics of the Spanish language through songs, drawing, games and fun activities. **This class is open to grades K-5. Class limit is 10. Please note that Spanish I meets once a week on Friday for 70 minutes.**



GRADES: K-5 DAY: FRIDAY 3:50 - 5:00PM INSTRUCTOR: Farah Ali COST: \$56

SPANISH II (Tuesday/Thursday Afternoons)

Spanish II is the advanced beginner class. Students in this class should have already taken Spanish I class. In Spanish II class the emphasis will be to build vocabulary and simple phrases and start to write and speak in simple phrases. **This class is open to grades K-5. Class limit is 10. Please note that Spanish II meets 2X/week on Tuesday and Thursday.**

GRADES: K-5 DAYS: TUESDAY/THURSDAY 3:50 - 4:30PM INSTRUCTOR: Jason Fowler COST: \$63

GERMAN (Tuesday/Thursday Mornings)

Did you know that Germany is historically called *Das Land der Dichter und Denker* (the land of poets and thinkers). You'll learn the German alphabet, numbers, days of the week, names for animals, body parts, school lingo, and much more. Come and learn the German language. **This class is open to grades K-5. Class limit is 10. Please note that German meets 2X/week on Tuesday and Thursday.**



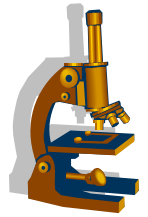
GRADES: K-5 DAYS: Tuesday/Thursday 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Annett Graefe Cost: \$63

MORNING CLASSES

MAD SCIENTIST LAB (Monday mornings)

In this class, you can put on your lab coat and get out your test tube as we perform some wacky, flaky, gross and messy experiments using everyday items to learn some cool science facts. We'll get out our test tubes and eye droppers to learn about chemistry, spin an egg to learn about inertia, float a ping pong ball to learn about air pressure, solve a mystery by using science to analyze the clues, learn to read an engineering blueprint to go on a treasure hunt. Plus a whole lot more.

Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.



GRADES: 1-5 DAYS: Monday 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Annette Kiehne COST: \$45

CRAFT CLOSET (Tuesday mornings)

Join us in the craft closet as we search the shelves for fun projects to make. We'll squeeze in as many techniques and materials as we can during the semester. Painting, gluing, stamping, weaving, fabric, fun foam, wood, yarn, plaster, and many more are among the possibilities. This class will let your child's imagination run wild as they help decide what projects the class will make each week. Our first project will be a painting a foam walking puppet. Each project will be geared to the age and ability of the student.

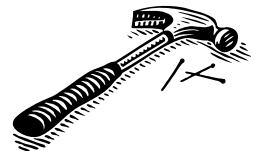
Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.



GRADES: K-5 DAYS: Tuesday 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Annette Kiehne COST: \$45

HANDY PROJECTS (Wednesday mornings)

This project class is for guys and gals who really like to work with their hands. We will build a simple wooden project and then add paint to jazz it up; use common items to make a bubble gum machine, select metal parts for a tin can robot, and create a custom stepping stone. Plus a whole lot more. Each project will be geared to the age and ability of the student. **Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: K-5 DAYS: Wednesday 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Annette Kiehne COST: \$46

YOGA I (Wednesday mornings)

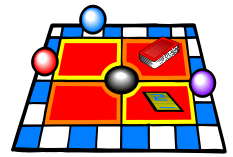
Engages school age children in yoga using games, literature and interaction with peers. Classes are taught using themes such as friendship, earth care, the seasons and other topics of interest. Yoga poses, breathing and guided meditation are taught in each class. **Yoga I is only for grades K-2. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: K-2 DAY: WEDNESDAY 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Susan Cooperstock COST: \$64

GAMES GALORE (Thursday mornings)

Kids just want to have fun! This class is for creative kids who love to play games. We'll make our own boards to play dice, card and thinking games and then challenge each other to see who wins. Supply fee includes all materials to make the games and then take them home to enjoy with your family. **Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: 2-5 DAYS: Thursday 7:50 - 8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Annette Kiehne COST: \$45

YOGA II (Thursday mornings)

Engages school age children in yoga using games, literature and interaction with peers. Classes are taught using themes such as friendship, earth care, the seasons and other topics of interest. Yoga poses, breathing and guided meditation are taught in each class. **Yoga II is only for grades 3-5. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: 3-5 DAY: THURSDAY 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Susan Cooperstock COST: \$64

BREAKFAST, ANYONE? (Friday Mornings)

Do you like to cook and eat healthy, yummy breakfast? Is breakfast your favorite meal of the day? Then this is the class for you. Before school we'll be making sandwiches, different kinds of pancakes, smoothies and more. We'll learn basic cooking techniques, learn to read recipes and make delicious healthy breakfast foods. If you are a budding chef who loves to help out in the kitchen, please join us. **Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: 1-5 DAY: Friday 7:50-8:30 am INSTRUCTOR: Kristin Eiffert COST: \$48

AFTERNOON CLASSES

DRAWING (Monday afternoons)

In Drawing II class we will learn to use different materials (charcoal, colored pencils, pastels and oil pastels) to create works of art. We will also learn how different materials can create depth, texture and different visual interest. We will draw a variety of subject matter too, from landscapes to portraits. The drawing II class is an advanced class for grades 3-5 only.

Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.



GRADES: 3-5 DAYS: Monday 3:50-4:30 pm INSTRUCTOR: Kellie Wallace COST: \$45

PETIT PICASSOS (Wednesday afternoons)

In Petit Picassos we will use arts and crafts to create masterpieces worthy of display at the Metropolitan Museum of Art. This class is designed to enliven your child's imagination and encourage them to explore their artistic side. Petit Picassos is limited to grades K-2 only. **Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: K-2 DAY: WEDNESDAY 3:50-4:30 pm INSTRUCTOR: Kellie Wallace COST \$45

SUPER SNACKS (Friday afternoons)

Do you like cooking and preparing different kinds of yummy food and then enjoy eating it? Then come join us in this fun-filled and kid-friendly after school class. We will learn basic cooking methods while making delicious and healthy snacks. **Cost includes supply fee. Class limit is 8.**



GRADES: 1-5 DAYS: Friday 3:50-4:30 pm INSTRUCTOR: Kristin Eiffert COST: \$48

CULTURAL ARTS ENROLLMENT FORM

Please return on or before **September 11**. (Return to office or child's teacher.)

Parent Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail (for notification of classes only): _____

PLEASE ENROLL MY CHILD IN THE FOLLOWING CLASS:

Name of child: _____

Grade: _____ Mill Creek Teacher: _____

Cultural Arts Class: _____ Cost of Class: _____

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Alternate choice (in case either choice is full/or 3rd class available): _____

NOTE: If enrolling multiple children in the program, please use a separate form for each child. You may staple the forms together and write one check for the total enrollment fee.

Enclosed is my check made payable to MILL CREEK PTA for: \$ _____

I give permission for the above listed child (or children) to participate in the Mill Creek Cultural Arts Program(s) and do hereby release Columbia Public Schools, Mill Creek PTA, and all PTA volunteers from any liability associated with his or her participation.

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____