SPRING 2019 ENRICHMENT INFORMATION

We have gone online! No more paper, no more checks! Simply log in to your My School Anywhere directory app or online account (<u>www.myschoolanywhere.com</u>) and shop in our store! Find the Shop By Category dropdown menu and select "Enrichment" and all the classes will be sorted for your convenience. *Note - you must first register for the PTO to sign up for Enrichment. For assistance accessing your My School Anywhere account or registering for PTO membership, please contact studentdirectory@demarestpto.org.*

We are now offering select Enrichment classes at DMS!

We are excited to announce that a majority of our classes will be taught by our own amazing Demarest in-house teachers you already know, love and trust! The convenience of this after school program is better than ever!

Enrollment period ends: Friday, January 11th First day of classes: Tuesday, January 22nd

Classes run from 3:15-4:15 pm and meet for 8 sessions. Students will be supervised from 3:05-3:15 pm at CRS and LLE.

For security reasons, CRS, LLE and DMS will have the doors closed and locked at 3:15 pm. At the end of each class, teachers will dismiss students *at the front door of each school*. Please note: **pick up is at 4:15 pm "sharp" only**. If a parent or guardian is late, the student will not be allowed to continue to participate in the Enrichment Program for the duration of the session.

Please continue reading below for the full details of the Enrichment Program including the refund policy.

We look forward to an exciting and successful session with your children!

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ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

- **ADMISSION**The Enrichment Program is open to any family who has paid their annual PTO dues.
Children must be in the grade designated for the desired class.
- TUITIONAll tuition is payable in full at registration, and payable only though the online store on
www.myschoolanywhere.com. After the enrollment period ends, no late registrations
can be accommodated.
- **REFUNDS** Please choose your classes carefully as *absolutely no purchases can be refunded!* No refunds will be issued for student illness, withdrawal for personal reasons, expulsion due to behavior problems or untimely pick-ups, or class cancellation due to inclement weather. A refund will be issued *only if* a class is cancelled due to insufficient enrollment. A change of class may be made *only within* the first week.
- CLASS SCHEDULE Classes run from 3:15–4:15 pm and meet for 8 sessions. *Please see the Enrichment Calendar for the dates each class will meet.* Children attending an Enrichment class at CRS and LLE will be supervised by an aide between 3:05 pm and 3:15 pm. Children at DMS will be supervised by on-duty school staff.
- **SCHOOL CLOSURE** There will be no classes on days when school has been closed as a result of inclement weather. The Enrichment Program allows for one missed class, which will *not* be made up. A second missed class will be made up.
- PICK-UP Please pick up your child *at the front door of each school*. If a parent or guardian is late, the student will no longer be allowed to participate in the Enrichment Program for the duration of the session. If your child is allowed to walk home at 4:15 pm, please be aware that there are no crossing guards at that time. Students at CRS and LLE will not be allowed to walk home without written permission. Students at DMS will be dismissed as a normal school day dismissal. Early dismissals cannot be accommodated as the doors are locked from 3:15-4:15 pm.
- **DISCIPLINE** To be successful the Enrichment Program needs to provide all participating students with a safe and pleasant environment. Accordingly, the Enrichment Committee reserves the right to remove any student from any Enrichment class for behavior that the instructor or the Committee determines to be inappropriate or disruptive.
- **WAIVER** By enrolling in the Enrichment Program, parents and guardians assume all risks associated with participation in Demarest PTO Enrichment classes. The PTO assumes no liability for loss, accident, bodily injury or other injury arising from participation in the Enrichment Program.

Spring 2019	Enrichment	Calendar
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1/22	1/23	1/24	1/25
1/28	1/29	1/30	1/31	2/1
2/4	2/5	2/6	2/7	2/8
2/11	2/12	2/13	2/14	2/15
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2/25	2/26	2/27	2/28	3/1
3/4	3/5	3/6	3/7	3/8
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3/18	3/19	3/20	3/21	3/22
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SPRING 2019 ENRICHMENT CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

MONDAY CLASSES

CRS: GRADES K-1

CHEER

Class Limit: 12 Instructor: Ms. Boscarino

This class will involve connecting basic dance and cheerleading moves and their terminology, preparing students to follow verbal instructions from future teachers and coaches. It will also include fun team building exercises as well as full routines, so students can work on sequencing their new moves, and have something to come home and show off to you!

MAD SIDE OF SCIENCE

Class Limit: 20 Instructor: Mad Science of NJ

Join us for some awesome hands-on fun! Become an engineer, a detective, a chemist, a film maker and more. Take apart the Earth as you explore volcanos, or become a toy maker as you explore the science of toys. Create crazy cool concoctions in the kitchen as we cook up chemistry, and explore the human body as we learn what makes us tick. Every week we explore a new and exciting topic and create something to take home.

LLE: GRADES 2-4

KAROAKE AND IMPROV GAMES

Class Limit: 10 Instructor: Miss Portera (*in-house teacher!*)

Step up to the mic and get a chance to improve your singing skills and sing and dance with your friends! The class will also give students the opportunity to clown around during super fun and silly improvisation games.

GOLF

Class Limit: 10 Instructor: Mr. Aronson

Join Demarest dad and acclaimed golf pro Adam Aronson for a fun-filled hour of golf basics! This is a great opportunity for your child to learn golf. This class will cover the basic fundamentals of the golf swing and putting stroke in a fun learning environment. All abilities welcome, and equipment will be provided.

CHESS

Class Limit: 18 Instructor: NAS Chess Academy

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TUESDAY CLASSES

CRS: GRADES K-1

SPORTS WITH STOKES

Class Limit: 20 Instructor: Mr. Stokes (in-house teacher!)

Play a different sport each week including indoor soccer, basketball, lacrosse and kickball. Have a lot of fun with everyone's favorite physical education teacher, Mr. Stokes!

PAINTING POTTERY

Class Limit: 15 Instructor: Ms. McBride (*in-house teacher!*)

Join our class and paint your very own pottery masterpiece. Each week we will have a different themed pottery piece to paint however you like!

LLE: GRADES 2-4

MORE FUN WITH FOOD

Class Limit: 15 Instructors: Ms. Appleblatt (in-house teacher!) & Ms. Monopoli

Students will have fun engaging in hands-on cooking activities. They will do lots of taste testing and even get to make and bring their food home. They will learn easy recipes to be tried at home. This class is great for students who love to try new things and who would like to show off their creativity in the kitchen!

MULTI-LEVEL SCRATCH CODING

Class Limit: 20 Instructors: Ms. Zimmerman & Ms. Karrenberg (in-house teachers!)

Scratch is a free programming language and on-line community where you can create your own interactive stories, games and animations. Learn to program your own ideas using this easy-to-learn language. This class will be taught at two different levels of experience, and students may take this class whether or not they have any previous scratch coding knowledge. Students should be comfortable using a computer mouse.

DMS: GRADES 5-8

THE MAGIC OF HARRY POTTER

Class Limit: 15 Instructor: Mr. Murphy (in-house teacher!)

We will read and discuss Harry Potter and The Sorcerer's Stone. Then students will learn how to adapt the novel into a genre and format of their choosing.

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WEDNESDAY CLASSES

CRS: GRADES K-1

DANCE, FITNESS, FUN!

Class Limit: 15 Instructors: Miss Noel & Miss Avillo (in-house teachers!)

Ready to move your bodies and wake up your brains after school? Then this class is for you! Classes will include a full body stretch, aerobic exercises that get your heart pumping, and fun dance routines. Dances will include a "dance move of the day," classic line dancing songs, and more. Whether you want to burn off some energy or learn a few new dance moves, this dynamic class is beneficial and fun for all.

GET YOUR SLIME ON AGAIN

Class Limit: 12 Instructors: Ms. Plescia & Ms. Fallon (*in-house teachers!*)

Come get your slime on again! Learn how to make all different kinds of slime to take home week after week. We can't promise your child won't ask to make slime again at home, but we promise to indulge their obsession!

STORYTIME SOUVENIRS

Class Limit: 12 Instructor: Ms. Garbatow (in-house teacher!)

Shared and guided reading experiences help to develop reading strategies and increase reading fluency. We will break into small groups to read the story for the week and do a fun activity and create a keepsake to go with it.

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D-I-Y ART MASTERS

Class Limit: 25 Instructors: Mrs. Ruck & Ms. Gronek (in-house teachers!)

Our Do-It-Yourself art class is for all those who love to express themselves with one-of-a-kind masterpieces. Students can explore their endless abilities through a variety of mediums and discover different forms of art such as canvas art, bead making, watercolor, tie dying, and much more!

DMS: GRADES 5-8

YOGA FUN

Class Limit: 15 Instructor: Ms. Mourao (in-house teacher!)

This class will provide a fun and creative approach to yoga! Students will use yoga poses and stretches to play fun-filled games and do team building activities designed to promote confidence and respect for one's self and others. Students will learn breathing and visualization techniques to learn how to relax and focus.

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WONDERS OF SCIENCE

Class Limit: 10 Instructor: Ms. Fallon (*in-house teacher!*)

Students will discover the different wonders found in nature through changes in temperature. We will explore tornados and create our own tornado water bottles. We will also use our creativity to mix and change colors to create new ones. Come participate in these hand-on experiments!

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CREATIVE WRITING

Class Limit: 10 Instructor: Ms. Kelly (*in-house teacher!*)

Each week students will receive different creative writing prompts. They'll use their imaginations to respond to the prompts and proudly publish a different writing piece each class!

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DIGITAL BREAKOUTS

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Class Limit: 24 Instructors: Ms. Zimmerman & Ms. Karrenberg (*in-house teachers!*)

Do you like solving logic puzzles? Have you ever broken out of an ESCAPE ROOM? Come join us for funfilled, puzzle solving challenges, where every week we'll tackle new adventures as we try to BREAK OUT of Demarest Middle School! We'll work together to find solutions to on-line puzzles. Are you up for the mental challenge? Awards will be given at the end of the session!

FRIDAY CLASSES

CRS: GRADES K-1

JEWELRY MAKING

Class Limit: 15 Instructor: Ms. McBride (*in-house teacher!*)

Let your creativity run wild in our handmade jewelry making class. Each week we will use different mediums to create one-of-a-kind masterpieces!

BASKETBALL STARS

Class Limit: 20 Instructor: BSAK Basketball

BSAK Basketball will be conducting a class designed for players of all skill levels. The goal is to teach the fundamentals of basketball while also stressing teamwork, sportsmanship, enthusiasm and the benefits of having a positive attitude. The class will work on ball-handling, passing, shooting technique, layups, offensive/ defensive play, and overall positioning and game strategies, all while ensuring the kids have fun!

LLE: GRADES 2-4

HOLA ESPANOL

Class Limit: 8 Instructor: Ms. Petersen *(in-house teacher!)*

Learn conversational Spanish expressions through fun games and activities! Kids will learn the language in creative ways, including use of puppets and lots of music!

ROCKIN' ROBOTICS

Class Limit: 20 Instructor: Mad Science of NJ

New session, new robot! Explore the technology used to design and build robots. Discover how robots make our lives easier. Learn about simple machines, gear structure, battery wiring, motor principles, and electronic circuits. Experiment with different forms of locomotion and more!

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