

Winnetka Public School Nursery Junior Kindergarten Enrichment 2019-2020 Session 3



Enjoy Junior Kindergarten Enrichment classes from 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM taught by WPSN teachers.

Choose from:

MONDAYS: Math Minds & Scientific Thinkers

TUESDAYS: Creative Expressions

WEDNESDAYS: Earth Day Every Day

THURSDAYS: Young Storytellers

Math Minds & Scientific Thinkers

Math and science are essential to solving the complex problems of the 21st century. In Math Minds and Scientific Thinkers, children will explore essential math concepts (numbers and operations, geometry, patterns, and measurement) and scientific inquiry through math manipulatives, board games, and science experiments. Each class will focus on a specific concept introduced through a story or group activity, and then investigated more deeply in small group experiences.

Creative Expressions

Loris Malaguzzi often spoke of the “hundred languages” children use to express their thinking and creativity. In Creative Expressions, children will explore the languages of art, movement, music, and writing. Children will be the authors of their thoughts, ideas, and expressions using both familiar and new mediums including paint, collage, clay, wire, scarves, and musical instruments.

Earth Day Every Day

At WPSN, it is Earth Day, Every Day! The children will focus their attention on what it means to be green when it comes to using paper. We will explore in more detail what it actually means to recycle paper and learn how to make paper using blenders, buckets, screens and a lot of energy and creativity. Much like the Lorax, we will speak for the trees. We will also study some artists that focus their inspiration on recycled items and the possibilities these items possess. Wonderful picture books, songs and experiments will reveal all the ways in which our planet is so special and how we can make a difference.

Young Storytellers

Cake is an integral part of many occasions- anniversaries, holidays, weddings, festivals and of central importance to our children who celebrate a birthday every year. In this session of Young Storytellers we will pore over the children’s books written expressly about cakes by Patricia Polacco, Tomie de Paola, Eric Carle, Lois Ehlert, Maj Lindmand, Frank Asch, Cynthia Rylant and others. These stories about sand and moon cakes, thundercakes and whopper cakes, playful rhymes, and rich stories are easily adapted for a creative, interactive enrichment.

Winnetka Public School Nursery Junior Kindergarten Enrichment 2019-2020 Session 3



Registration is complete when you have filled out and submitted your request on the Sign Up Genius, completed and returned the Enrichment Form with payment in full. Deliver to WPSN, 1155 Oak Street, Winnetka, IL 60093. In accordance with our official policies, please note that this tuition fee is refundable only if we are unable to offer the class(es) you have requested.

All registration forms with payment received by noon on Monday, November 18 will be processed together, regardless of the date and time received. Families will be given placement according to the order listed in the Sign Up Genius. Registration for Session 3 Enrichment classes will "go live" on Sign Up Genius on Sunday, November 10, at 8:00 p.m.

WPSN's Junior Kindergarten Enrichment classes are **open only to children already enrolled in WPSN classes**. Your child brings a bag lunch (out of respect for our families challenged by nut allergies **please send nut-free products**) and a water bottle.

All Enrichment classes are taught by two WPSN teachers. The classes are open to all Junior Kindergarten students. **The minimum class size is 6 students with a maximum of 14.** A child may be enrolled for any number of JK Enrichment classes each week.

Children enrolled in morning classes will be **transitioned by our staff** into their Enrichment class. Children enrolled in an afternoon class should arrive at 11:30 for Enrichment and will be transitioned by our staff into their afternoon class at 1:30.

Child's name: _____ Date: _____

Name child likes to be called: _____ Date of birth: _____

Parent/Guardian name(s): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ (Mom/Dad) Mobile phone: _____

(Mom/Dad) Work phone: _____ (Mom/Dad) Email: _____

Does your child need any special accommodation because of disability, allergy, or other condition?

No / Yes If yes, please explain: _____

Please indicate which class, or classes, you are registering your child and method of payment:

☐ Zelle to wpsnfinance@gmail.com ☐ Check ☐ Credit Card (2.5% fee)

Math Minds & Scientific Thinkers

This class meets nine
Mondays: 1/6, 1/13, 1/27,
2/3, 2/10, 2/24, 3/2, 3/9,
3/16
Cost: \$450 AM JK class
\$360 PM JK class

Creative Expressions

This class meets eleven
Tuesdays: 1/7, 1/14, 1/21,
1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/18, 2/25,
3/3, 3/10, 3/17
Cost: \$550 AM JK class
\$440 PM JK class

Earth Day Every Day

This class meets eleven
Wednesdays: 1/8, 1/15,
1/22, 1/29, 2/5, 2/12, 2/19,
2/26, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18
Cost: \$550 AM JK class
\$440 PM JK class

Young Storytellers

This class meets ten
Thursdays: 1/9, 1/16,
1/23, 1/30, 2/13, 2/20,
2/27, 3/5, 3/12, 3/19
Cost: \$500 AM JK class
\$400 PM JK class