

Winnetka Public School Nursery Junior Kindergarten Enrichment 2019-2020 Session 4



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

Choose from:

MONDAYS:	Young Storytellers
TUESDAYS:	Math Minds and Scientific Thinkers
WEDNESDAYS:	Creative Expressions
THURSDAYS:	Earth Day Everyday

Young Storytellers

“Story” is an essential element of the human experience that gives meaning to the events of our lives. In Young Storytellers, children will explore and participate in all aspects of “story” - author studies, writing and illustrating their own stories, and making stories come alive through dramatization. This session, we will create a Dr. Seuss Literacy Circle, focusing on both familiar and unfamiliar works by this prolific author. The children will hone their rhyming skills while enjoying the tongue twisters and silly words that are so integral to Dr. Seuss’s work.

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 shift their focus to the outdoors and all of the ways that we can celebrate the planet. From outdoor hikes to planting in the raised garden beds and creating container gardens of our own, the children are sure to sprout a green thumb. As the weather warms up, we will spruce up the outdoors doing our famous litter hike, recycling relay games and taking care of the surrounding school grounds.

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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 4 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)

Young Storytellers

This class meets seven
Mondays: 3/30, 4/6, 4/13,
4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11
Cost: \$350 AM JK class
\$280 PM JK class

Math Minds & Scientific Thinkers

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This class meets seven
Tuesdays: 3/31, 4/7, 4/14,
4/21, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12
Cost: \$350 AM JK class
\$280 PM JK class

Creative Expressions

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This class meets seven
Wednesdays: 4/1, 4/8,
4/15, 4/22, 4/29, 5/6, 5/13
Cost: \$350 AM JK class
\$280 PM JK class

Earth Day Every Day

This class meets six
Thursdays: 4/2, 4/9, 4/16,
4/30, 5/7, 5/14
Cost: \$300 AM JK class
\$240 PM JK class