

87
after
school

Fall 2022

GENERAL INFORMATION

87 Afterschool, Inc., offers afterschool activities in the form of clubs, which meet once a week for the entire Fall term. The program operates on the premises of PS 87; a few clubs travel off-site but leave from and return to PS 87. Club size is usually 15 students per club, with some exceptions.

Schedule

Program hours are from 2:40 p.m. (school dismissal) until 6:00 p.m. Clubs are in session from 3:30–5:00 p.m. Children may be picked up anytime from 5:00–6:00 p.m.

Drop-In Coverage

Emergency drop-in coverage is available to current registered Afterschool families on a space-available basis. The drop-in fee is \$50 per day, payable at pickup. Choice of club is at the discretion of the Afterschool program. Advance notice must be given via email to 87 Afterschool ONLY. It is the family's responsibility to send written notice to the child's teacher that the child is going to Afterschool that day.

FSA/Dependent Care

87 Afterschool program tuition and fees may be an eligible expense through your dependent care spending program.

CONTACT US

GENERAL QUESTIONS

Monday–Friday, 10 a.m.–6:00 p.m.
212-873-0490

Registration questions, assistance, concerns, pickup changes, program additions or changes:

info@87afterschool.org

Payments or reduced tuition questions

info@87afterschool.org

Vendor Concerns/Questions

If you have concerns or questions once a class has begun regarding curriculum, please contact 87 Afterschool directly at info@87Afterschool.org. *Do not contact any outside vendor we may have contracted with to provide instruction/services.*

PLEASE NOTE

Any emails and voicemails sent after 2:00 p.m. on Friday, weekends, school closures, and holidays will be answered the next business day. During the summer, emails will be answered once a week.

FALL 2022 CALENDAR

Fall Term

Thursday, September 8th, 2022 – Friday, January 27th, 2023

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS

Tuesday, June 21, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.

ONLINE REGISTRATION CLOSES

Friday, August 26, at 11:59 p.m.

For late registration, you must submit a paper application found on our website

CLUB MINIMUMS

Please note, clubs that do not meet a minimum registration of 12 participants may be closed. In such cases, parents will be notified and given the opportunity to enroll their children in clubs that have space and are age appropriate. If a child cannot register in another club, registration fees will be refunded to parents.

87 AFTERSCHOOL CLOSURE DATES

87 Afterschool, Inc. is closed on all NYC Department of Education closures
(Including snow days, half days, and summers)

September

Rosh Hashanah - Mon, Sept 26 & Tues, Sept 27

October

Yom Kippur - Wed, Oct 5

Italian Heritage / Indigenous Peoples' Day - Mon, Oct 10

November

Parent/Teacher Conference Day – Thu, Nov 3

Election Day - Tues, Nov 8

Veteran's Day - Fri, Nov 11

EARLY DISMISSAL - 5 PM PICKUP, Wed, Nov 23

Thanksgiving Recess - Thu, Nov 24 & Fri, Nov 25

December

Winter Recess – Mon, Dec 26 – Mon, Jan 2, 2023

January 2023

Martin Luther King Jr. Day - Mon, Jan 16

FEES

DAY	TUITION
Monday	\$540
Tuesday	\$612
Wednesday	\$648
Thursday	\$648
Friday	\$648
All 5 Days*	\$3,096

***5-Day Discount** is a \$250 reduction for students attending all 5 days during the week. The discount only applies if all 5 days of classes are booked at the same time. If you drop one of the classes at any time, the discount is voided.

Additional Fees (per child/per term)

Non-refundable registration fee - \$65/CHILD
Registration system processing fee - \$9.95/CHILD

Payment Plan Program

For a \$60 fee, families can enroll in a payment plan. Payment plan allows the total cost of each Afterschool term to be divided into four installments. For the Fall term, payments are due in June (at the time of registration), July, August, and September. (There is a \$60 charge per family if balance is not paid in full by Friday, September 23, 2022, at 11:59 p.m.)

PLEASE NOTE

Supplemental fees are charged for some clubs; please check under each individual club for details. These fees offset the cost of the class due to higher materials cost and/or staffing.

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Fees are payable in full at registration. Our online payment system accepts major credit cards as well as electronic checks through your bank. There is a \$30 charge for returned checks or declined payments. Families with a past due balance must pay accounts in full before registering. For questions about payment arrangements or your account, contact us. (info@87afterschool.org)

Financial Aid/Reduced-Rate Tuition

Reduced-rate tuition (scholarship subsidy) is offered to PS 87 students based on family income. Parents are responsible for verifying eligibility in advance of registration. Income verification forms and guidelines for required documentation are available on our website. Placement in clubs will be left to the full discretion of the 87 Afterschool program, contingent on availability. Full week programming may not be available.

WAIT LIST INFORMATION

Starting in Fall 2022, the waiting list for 87 Afterschool will be a completely automated system within the Active system. Program staff will no longer be administering the waiting list.

If a child is placed on a waiting list for a club, the registration system will automatically send an email when a spot opens for that child. You will have 48 hours to respond to the email indicating whether or not you want the spot. If you fail to respond to the email in a timely manner, the system will automatically move on to the next child on the waiting list and your child's name will be removed.

If your child is registered in a club while on the waiting list for another club, you will be sent an email giving you a choice to stay in the club you are currently in or move to the waitlisted club. You will have 48 hours to respond to this email.

DISMISSAL

Each family will be provided with three fobs. One will be attached to your child's backpack. When your child arrives at 87 Afterschool, they will be scanned in. The other two are for authorized adult pickup. When picking up your child, the authorized adult will be required to scan the child via the fob provided. If someone else picks up your child and they do not have a fob, parents must contact us via email ONLY, prior to pick up, to obtain a one-time code that may be used to pick up your child.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, afterschool clubs will be dismissed via the Main Exit and the exit on 78th street closest to Amsterdam. You will be informed ahead of time where your club will dismiss from.

Additional fobs cost \$10.

Lost fobs cost \$15.

Damaged fobs are replaced for free; you must bring in damaged fob.

Late Dismissal Pickup Fees

A late fee of **\$5 per minute** will be charged for pickups after 6:00 p.m.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

By registering for 87 Afterschool, you agree to the following:

1. The payment for the Fall 2022 term shall not be entitled to any deduction for my child's absences/early pickup during the term; and that in the event of my child's withdrawal from 87 Afterschool, I have read and agree to the terms of the 87 Afterschool's Refund Policy.
2. REFUND POLICY
If you wish to drop a class within the first two weeks of the session, you will receive a refund (less non-refundable registration and processing fees) on the total cost of tuition, including supplemental fees, with written requests received by the 87 Afterschool office, according to the following schedule:
 - i. 90% tuition refund with written notice received by September 9 at 5:00 p.m.
 - ii. 75% tuition refund with written notice received by September 16 at 5:00 p.m.
 - iii. 50% tuition refund with written notice received by September 23 at 5:00 p.m.
 - iv. After September 23 at 5:00 p.m., REFUNDS WILL NOT BE GRANTED.
3. COVID-19 POLICY
 - a. If PS 87 is closed due to COVID-19, all programs will switch to remote instruction until the school is reopened and normal programming can resume. There will be no refunds for school closure due to COVID-19.
4. Refunds for participants on payment plans: If you wish to cancel a class or withdraw completely, your payment plan will be updated to reflect any refunds. *Those who are not entitled to a refund will not have their payment plan cancelled or altered.*
 - a. If a payment is declined on a payment plan for a participant that has cancelled a session or withdrawn completely, they will not be allowed to participate in future afterschool sessions until the balance is paid in full.
5. Switching classes:
 - a. If a student is unhappy with a class and wishes to transfer to another class, we will make every effort to accommodate you. Switching classes is dependent on availability and cannot be guaranteed.
 - b. If transferring to another class on a different day, parents will be responsible to pay for the cost difference if the cost of the new session is higher than the old one, including additional supplemental fees. If it is lower, the balance will be credited to the parent.
 - c. If transferring sessions from a class with a supplemental fee to a class without a supplemental fee, the supplemental fee will not be refunded. These fees are paid to vendors and/or used to buy materials.
 - d. There is a \$30 transfer fee for each transaction
6. Late registration refund policy: If you wish to drop a class within the first two weeks of late registration after the initial registration period, you will receive a

TERMS & CONDITIONS (Continued)

refund (less non-refundable registration and processing fees) on the total cost of tuition, including supplemental fees, with written requests received by the 87 Afterschool office, according to the following schedule:

- a. 75% tuition refund with written notice within 7 days of the *registration date*, at 5:00 p.m.
 - b. 50% tuition refund between 8 and 14 days of the *registration date*, at 5:00 p.m.
 - c. Refunds will not be granted after 5:00 p.m. on the 14th day following the registration date.
7. 87 Afterschool cannot issue refunds for any class/session not attended or not held due to half-day or full-day closures by the NYC Department of Education;
8. If I applied for reduced-rate tuition, I must verify my eligibility with appropriate documentation; and if I do not meet eligibility requirements, I must pay full-rate class fee(s) and all associated fees to the 87 Afterschool Program;
9. 87 Afterschool requires my child to meet certain standards of behavior and that if my child fails to behave or demonstrates repeated unsatisfactory conduct, 87 Afterschool has the right to transfer my child to another class, or terminate my child's participation from 87 Afterschool, without refund or credit for unused sessions;
10. If my child is not picked up by 6:00 p.m., I agree to pay late fees of \$5.00 per minute according to 87 Afterschool policy, and that my child may be taken to the NYC Police Department's 20th Precinct in the event no one is available to pick up my child after 6:30 p.m.;
11. If my child is injured and requires medical attention and I cannot be reached for instructions, I do hereby give authority to 87 Afterschool to obtain necessary emergency medical treatment for my child until family is notified or arrives;
12. I hereby release and forever discharge PS 87 (NYC DOE), and 87 Afterschool, Inc. and its officers, volunteers, employees, contractors, and agents from any liability arising out of or based upon any bodily injury or property damage sustained by my child while participating in such program;
13. During 87 Afterschool activities, my child may be photographed or filmed by 87 Afterschool personnel or its authorized agents for internal or external promotional use, including 87 Afterschool social media pages;
14. Some 87 Afterschool classes may involve trips outside the PS 87 building supervised by 87 Afterschool Staff; I give my child permission to go on any such trips organized as part of 87 Afterschool;
15. In the rare case that a class is canceled due to instructor absence, 87 Afterschool will provide alternative activities for the children; this may include playing at the playgrounds located in or near PS 87.

87 AFTERSCHOOL COVID-19 POLICY

The 87 Afterschool Program will follow all New York City Department of Education policies and procedures as they relate to COVID-19 at the start of the program. The DOE policies and procedures may be updated periodically, and the program will mirror those changes.

Examples of COVID-19 policies include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Daily staff health screenings, including temperature checks
- Daily student health screenings, including temperature checks
- Disinfecting of all surfaces before and after program activities
- Hand washing and/or sanitizing
- Requiring masks for all staff and students
- Social distancing
- Quarantine and class closing requirements

The 87 Afterschool program will have masks and cleaning supplies on hand. If a student or staff member needs a mask, we will provide one.

The 87 Afterschool program will not be offering fully remote or hybrid options under normal circumstances. Remote options will only be available if the school is closed. Individual classroom closures will not result in remote programming becoming available.

COVID-19 REFUND POLICY

If PS 87 is closed due to COVID-19, all programs will switch to remote instruction until the school is reopened and normal programming can resume. There will be no refunds for school closure due to COVID-19.

There will be no refunds due to a child missing the program due to individual classroom closure due to COVID-19.

There will be no refunds due to a child missing the program due to the child testing positive for COVID-19.

If a child's classroom is closed, or if a child has been directed to quarantine due to close contact or testing positive of COVID-19, they will not be allowed to participate in the program until PS 87 administration deems them safe to return to normal day school activities.

PARTICIPANT CODE OF CONDUCT

The Participant Code of Conduct is found below and needs to be read, understood and agreed upon by a parent/guardian to participate in programming. We want all participants to perform and flourish under the programs offered by 87 Afterschool, therefore we ask them to assume accountability and ownership of their behavior. Any participants found in violation of this conduct code may be removed from a specific class or the program in general.

As a valued participant of 87 Afterschool, my child will adhere to the following rules:

1. Show respect to each individual in the program and use appropriate and courteous language at all times.
2. Refrain from making disparaging comments or remarks, especially in regard to race, social status, nationality, or orientation.
3. Handle disagreements in the proper way by trusting a staff member and asking them for help before it gets out of hand.
4. Will not be disruptive in class and will behave in a manner that is respectful and conducive to learning and participation.
5. Keep their hands to themselves at all times.
6. Listen to constructive criticism, whether it is given by a student or staff member and respect their opinions. Will also be respectful when giving constructive criticism to others.
7. Will respect PS 87 and 87 Afterschool, Inc. property.

If my child does not follow the rules above, I understand they may give up the opportunity to participate in any or all programs offered by 87 Afterschool, Inc. If they are removed from the program, they will not be eligible to sign up for the program in the future. If my child is removed from the program, I further understand that any fees paid will not be refunded.

Weekly Schedule

Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday	
Activity	Grades	Activity	Grades	Activity	Grades
¡Bienvenidos! Spanish	3, 4, 5	Art Only	2, 3	¡Hola! Spanish	K, 1, 2
3D Doodler	2, 3, 4, 5	Capoeira	3, 4, 5	Art Out Loud	3, 4, 5
Amazing Toys	K, 1	Chess Juniors	K, 1	Artful Explorers By CMOM!	K, 1
Ballet I	K, 1, 2	Excited About Electricity	K, 1	Artsy Crafty Critters	K, 1
Become A YouTube Star	3, 4, 5	Junior Chefs	2, 3	Bows & Arrows	3, 4, 5
Chef's Corner	K, 1	Lego Engineering & Exploration	K, 1	Chess Club	2, 3, 4, 5
Create!	3, 4	Little Champions	K, 1	Gymnastics III	3, 4, 5
Gymnastics I	K, 1, 2	Mythical Creations & Living Stories	2, 3, 4, 5	Lights, Camera, Action!	4, 5
Lego Robotics & Engineering	2, 3	Olympic Judo	3, 4, 5	Rainbow Stages	K, 1
Living In Color	K, 1	Shining Stars: The Music Man	3, 4, 5	Rhythmic Drumming	2, 3, 4
Rising Stars: Honk, Jr.!	2, 3, 4	Singin in the City	K, 1, 2	Time To Tap!	3, 4, 5
Tennis Titans	2, 3	Textile & Jewelry Making	1, 2, 3	Witches, Wizards & Wands!	2, 3, 4, 5
Word Wiz	K	Wood Shop	4, 5	Zumba	K, 1, 2

Thursday		Friday	
Activity	Grades	Activity	Grades
3D World Building	2, 3	Abstract Vision	K, 1
Backstage	3, 4, 5	Animation	2, 3, 4
Discovering Science Through Art	K, 1	Awesome Toy Factory	K, 1
Graphic Design & Digitalstorytelling	2, 3	Ballet II	3, 4, 5
Imagine	K, 1, 2	Capoeira 1	K, 1, 2
Improv!	3, 4, 5	Crafts Kids	K, 1
Intro to Woodworking	2, 3	Disney Songs	K, 1
Moveable Machines	K, 1	Futue Entrepreneurs And Innovators	3, 4, 5
Multi-Sport	4, 5	Gadgets & Gizmos	2, 3, 4
Multicultural Dance	K, 1	Gymnastics II	K, 1, 2
Spark	K, 1	Kids With Cameras	2, 3
Special Effects	4, 5	Piano	3, 4, 5
Tournament Chess	2, 3, 4, 5	Singin' In The City II	3, 4, 5
		Soccer Stars	K, 1, 2

Monday

¡Bienvenidos! Spanish

Fusing art, music, and movement, our native Spanish speakers will guide your child in a full cultural immersion that blends our Spanish of the Americas methodology with dynamic fun! El Taller's expert team of teachers are also professional artists and musicians who fuse El Taller's 30-year-strong language method with unique games and activities that will excite and enrich your child. Kids are encouraged to start speaking Spanish through use of it in a practical setting, making art, singing songs, and playing games with others in their peer group. Our classes suit both beginners and advanced speakers, as each will learn from one another through interactive classes.

Instructor: El Taller Latino

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

3D Doodler

With a 3D pen, you can draw a raised graphic on a piece of paper or any flat surface. But what makes a 3D pen truly unique is its ability to "draw" in mid-air, allowing you to instantly form 3D structures right in front of you, which you can pick up and hold in your hand.

Instructor: 87 Afterschool Staff

Grades: 2, 3, 4, 5

Amazing Toys

Welcome to this exciting and fun filled class which will inspire creativity, skill building, and group dynamics. We will dive into easy crafts/projects for kids to create their own magical worlds. These low mess crafts will be constructed with every day and recycled materials (ex: paper rolls, egg cartons, jars and more.) Everyone by class end will become a certified toy maker!! You're gonna need a bigger toy chest!

Instructor: James

Grades: K, 1

Living In Color

This program offers a safe, judgment free, enriching place for children to be inventive and let their imagination go wild. Expanding creativity, cultivating self-expression and inspiring their inner Artist is our goal. Through learning different art forms and viewing original works of art we will be creating our own custom creations. We will be experimenting with different types of materials, media and inventive application techniques including painting, different drawing styles, sculpture, crafts and so much more! Living in Color is for the artists who listen to their art! Color your world!

Instructor: 87 Afterschool Staff

Grades: K, 1

Ballet I

This class incorporates improvisation, creative visualization, and various dance styles to tap into each child's unlimited potential. Students are introduced to basic steps and a variety of music in preparation for future study of dance.

Instructor: Lauren

Grades: K, 1, 2

Become A YouTube Star!

Learn what it takes to create high quality videos like a professional YouTuber!

Instructor: Take Two

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Chef's Corner

All around the world people are talking about food: what we eat and why, slow food versus fast food, local, international, organic, genetically modified—the list goes on and on. This course demonstrates in a hands-on, healthy way that it is important to pay attention to what we eat, to make informed and thoughtful choices about food, and to celebrate seasonal recipes from around the world. And of course, to enjoy delicious, international healthy foods as a matter of course, not just on special occasions! **SOME RECIPES MAY CONTAIN SOY**

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Create!

In this art unit we will be focusing on Architectural structures. It explores shapes and forms in architecture and encourages students to think critically about the creating process. Students will create models of different structures as well as making up their own out of different materials and mediums allowing them to expand their creativity and craftsmanship.

Instructor: Melayna

Grades: 3, 4

Gymnastics I

In this gymnastics class we will explore strength, and flexibility while learning all of the basic gymnastics skills. We will build each skill through progressions that will be curated for each child individually based on where they are at with their knowledge of gymnastics and their strength. We will cover cartwheels, forward rolls, backwards rolls, handstands, bridges, and more! I will also sprinkle in some conditioning in a consumable format for the kids, so they are building core, arm and leg strength in a fun way!

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1, 2

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Lego Robotics & Engineering

See your children grow and shine through an introductory robotics and coding course from LEGO. Students will take their background knowledge of STEM and put it into practice as they work in teams to design and build robots using Lego robotics kits. They will use their STEM skills combined with critical thinking to work as a team to build robots and compete in exciting, mission-based games. Along with building, children will also practice their coding skills as they program their robots to accomplish practical goals. Students will apply themselves in engaging activities and missions while gaining productive learning habits, confidence, and teamwork skills along the way.

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Rising Stars: Honk, Jr.!

(Yearlong Class) *Must re-register for Spring term.

Children will experience the magic of live musical theater, as they work yearlong toward a June 2023 production. If your child has a wild imagination and an interest in performing, then this is the perfect class for them. Kids will go through a professional audition process, while training in character and scene study, dance and choreography, vocal direction, and other stagecraft skills. All students will learn the power of working together as an ensemble, while gaining confidence individually. Returning Director Brad Johnson and Choreographer/Assistant Director Rebecca Rand are both experienced theater professionals in their fields and have both produced children's shows throughout the city. Honk Jr. is the beloved retelling of the classic fable The Ugly Duckling. With lots of laughs and lots of heart, the 1993 original musical teaches us all that it's okay to be a little different, because on the inside- we're all just trying to keep floating along!

Instructor: Brad

Grades: 2, 3, 4

Supplemental Fee: \$200

Tennis Titans

Welcome to the dynamic world of Tennis! From understanding positioning to score keeping, students will get a chance to learn the basic fundamentals of the sport all while building skills in coordination, aim, consistency, and agility. There will be both team and individual game play.

Instructor: Eliza

Grades: 2, 3

Word Wiz

Students participate in storytelling and develop their reading skills through a variety of structured activities and individual projects, including creating their own books and journals.

Instructor: Dawnica

Grades: K

Tuesday

Art Only

This program offers a safe, judgment free, enriching place for children to be inventive and let their imagination go wild. Expanding creativity, cultivating self-expression and inspiring your inner Artist is our goal. Through learning different art forms and viewing original works of art we will be creating our own custom creations. We will be experimenting with different types of materials, media and inventive application techniques including painting, different drawing styles, sculpture, crafts and so much more! ART ONLY is for the artist who inspires and becomes inspired. Magic happens when you listen to your art!

Instructor: 87 Afterschool Staff

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee:

Capoeira II

Music, movement, language, self-defense, history and culture, and that's just the beginning! Capoeira is an Afro-Brazilian martial art, disguised as dance, created by enslaved Africans in Brazil. Rooted in community and training based in games and play, Capoeira supports children in the development and growth of discipline, self-expression, physical strength, self-confidence and so much more.

Instructor: Ile De Ouro

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Chess Juniors

Led by chess expert Matt Cooke, these dynamic Chess classes offer a balance between formal lessons and structured play time where students are paired with opponents of similar strength. Along with learning the rules and techniques of the ancient game, children will develop perspective, improve memory, deepen focus, elevate creativity, boost planning skills, and increase self-awareness. Students have fun while gaining new skills for the chess board and for life. Beginners welcome!

Instructor: Matt

Grades: K, 1

Excited About Electricity

iCAMP's Circuit Creators Club makes complex engineering concepts accessible and fun for young learners! This class will flip a switch in your child's mind and get them excited about electricity and circuits. Through the use of age-appropriate circuit kits, students will learn principles of electricity, cause and effect, and power to design working circuits. Additionally, students will flex their creativity to build simple machines such as propellers that will be powered by their circuits

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Junior Chefs

All around the world people are talking about food: what we eat and why, slow food versus fast food, local, international, organic, genetically modified—the list goes on and on. This course demonstrates in a hands-on, healthy way that it is important to pay attention to what we eat, to make informed and thoughtful choices about food, and to celebrate seasonal recipes from around the world. And of course, to enjoy delicious, international healthy foods as a matter of course, not just on special occasions! **SOME RECIPES MAY CONTAIN SOY**

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Lego Engineering Exploration

"LEGO Engineering Exploration is an introductory engineering and building program for children that ignites their natural curiosity and builds their habits of learning. Essential skills such as cooperation and problem-solving are exercised through the use of age-appropriate Lego kits. Students will use these kits to build machines that teach principles like gravity, potential and kinetic energy, buoyancy and density, probability, torque with gear movement, and more. Real world engineering challenges and themes are used to make projects engaging and fun!"

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Little Champions

Children will focus on teamwork, skill building, and learning the fundamentals of game play. This club builds upon those skills with cardio warm-ups, drills tailored to each sport and game play. Sports the children will be participating in are Baseball, Kickball, Soccer, Tennis, Team Handball, and much more. Don't miss out on this exciting sports class!

Instructor: Eliza

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee:

Mythical Creations & Living Stories

Using the mythology and creation stories of ancient cultures, students will create an original work of theater through writing, improvisation, and devised scene work. The class will engage with the creation mythology of ancient cultures, including the Greeks and Egyptians. They will collaborate to write and perform their own play based on creation mythology, as well as learn theater games and exercises to develop focus, imagination, and teamwork.

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: 2, 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Olympic Judo

The study of this Olympic sport will build confidence and develop children's self-awareness and physical fitness. Falling, tumbling, throwing, pinning, and escape techniques are taught. Judo uniforms are required; please see our website for information on where you can purchase. Sensei Robin Rosenthal, Black Belt in, Judo, Jujitsu, Karate, and Aikido, seven-time US Olympic Training Camp champion, has taught martial arts and self-defense to thousands of children.

Instructor: Sensei Robin

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Shining Stars: The Music Man

(Yearlong Class) *Must re-register for Spring term

An advanced class that requires commitment, students will be exposed to a professional audition process, acting both internally and externally, text analysis, and healthy dance technique, while working towards a June 2023 production, in which every performer is a shining star! It is encouraged that students have taken part in Rising Stars or have previous training in voice, acting, and dance, as this class requires students to put all three together. Returning Director Brad Johnson and Choreographer/Assistant Director Rebecca Rand are both experienced theater professionals in their fields and have both produced children's shows throughout the city. We've got trouble! Right here in River City! When a less-than-honest traveling salesman comes to town, he convinces the townspeople to start a children's band. But what the stoic people of River City, Iowa don't know- is that Harold Hill is no music man... **Show subject to change based on licensing**

Instructor: Brad

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$200

Singin' in the City I

Is your child mad about Musicals? Do they love to sing, act and dance? Then join us for an after school musical theater experience. During this course we will learn all the elements it takes to perform onstage from performing musical numbers featuring the Broadway and Disney Songbook to building our own props and costumes!

**Due to the performance aspect of the class, we cannot add additional students past the 2nd week of the semester. We want to be able to feature all of our performers and make sure all students can have a solo if they like!*

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1, 2

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Textile & Jewelry Making

Students will learn a basic combination of sewing techniques and jewelry making, to create pieces they'll be proud to wear or decorate their room with. Students will be encouraged to explore design, composition, color and textiles with sustainable materials.

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: 1, 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Wood Shop

Kids will learn about wood and trees to develop an understanding of natural resources. They will also be introduced to woodworking skills, such as project planning, tools (hammer, saw, drill, etc.), assembly, and finishing. Each student will complete a project to keep. **Due to proper safety training for participants, no one will be allowed to join this class after the 2nd week.*

Instructor: James

Grades: 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

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¡Hola! Spanish

Fusing art, music, and movement, our native Spanish speakers will guide your child in a full cultural immersion that blends our Spanish of the Americas methodology with dynamic fun! El Taller's expert team of teachers are also professional artists and musicians who fuse El Taller's 30-year-strong language method with unique games and activities that will excite and enrich your child. Kids are encouraged to start speaking Spanish through use of it in a practical setting, making art, singing songs, and playing games with others in their peer group. Our classes suit both beginners and advanced speakers, as each will learn from one another through interactive classes.

Instructor: El Taller Latino

Grades: K, 1, 2

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Art Out Loud

This program offers a safe, judgment free, enriching place for children to be inventive and let their imagination go wild. Expanding creativity, cultivating self-expression and inspiring the inner Artist is our goal. Through learning different art forms and viewing original works of art children will create their very own custom creations. Children will experiment with different types of materials, media and inventive application techniques including painting, different drawing styles, sculpture, crafts and so much more. Art out loud is for the artists who are ready to redefine the impossible! Come art out loud with us!

Instructor: Whitney

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Artful Explorers By CMOM!

This residency will support students' learning in the arts with a focus on finding the artist within themselves and examining the works of a diverse set of other artists. Each session will encourage students to explore the existing works of artists, experiment with hands-on projects and materials, and learn through creating masterpieces of their very own! Students will be prompted to share their thinking and approaches, and connect in-class concepts to the world around them.

Instructor: The Children's Museum of Manhattan

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Artsy Crafty Critters

Crafting encourages critical thinking and builds resilience. The process of creating something naturally gets kids thinking about the final product. It takes time to create something, and it may not come out perfectly on the first try. Creating helps children understand that it's ok to make mistakes and to first look for a solution instead of immediately getting frustrated. Not to mention also expanding their creativity! This class will help build their creativity, confidence, observational skills and craftsmanship through a variety of art making techniques in various mediums.

Instructor: Melayna

Grades: K, 1

Bows & Arrows

Hidden Gems Archery will be leading the Archery program that focuses on introducing beginners to the lifelong sport of archery. Kids will learn important skills like range safety and proper shooting form, play exciting games, and earn achievement awards.

Instructor: Hidden Gems

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Chess Club

Through creative exploration and artist discovery, students will learn the foundation of theatrical design and backstage procedures. This class will offer various prop-making techniques, stage and large-scale painting methods, and creating conceptual themes! All students will learn to collaborate with both Rising Star and Shining Star students and production staff as we help to apply our knowledge to the realized spring shows!

Instructor: Matt

Grades: 2, 3, 4, 5

Gymnastics III

In this gymnastics class we will explore strength, and flexibility while learning all of the basic gymnastics skills. We will build each skill through progressions that will be curated for each child individually based on where they are at with their knowledge of gymnastics and their strength. We will cover cartwheels, forward rolls, backwards rolls, handstands, bridges, and more! I will also sprinkle in some conditioning in a consumable format for the kids, so they are building core, arm and leg strength in a fun way!

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Lights, Camera, Action!

Learn how to make and act in a film with Take Two Film Academy. Students work together to create, act, shoot, direct, and edit their own short films. At the end of the term, students will have at least one film that they had a hand in creating!

Instructor: Take Two Film Academy

Grades: 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Rainbow Stages

The kids build a musical from scratch! From brainstorm to script writing, song writing to acting, improv, rehearsals, recordings and a final performance, this renowned class is a deep dive into the imagination. Watch your child's confidence grow as all ideas are accepted and explored. Find out why this has been a PS 87 favorite for 20 years!

Instructor: Come Join the Band

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Rhythmic Drumming

Small group instruction in percussion, including instruments from all over the Caribbean and Brazil such as the conga drum, pandeiro, agogo, reco reco, surdo, caixa, and repinique (batucada drums). In our class, through learning multiple rhythms on several different percussion instruments, our students develop their listening skills, hand-eye coordination and learn to shine as individuals while being a part of a cooperative ensemble. Taught by experienced instructor and performer Aaron Anaya. Aaron has taught programs all over the NYC area to adults and children of all ages for over 15 years and has performed at venues and events on the East coast.

Instructor: Ile De Ouro

Grades: 2, 3, 4

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Time To Tap!

This Tap class will introduce students to the technique and style of tap dance at the basic level. Students will be challenged to learn precision of technique and accuracy of rhythm. Stylistic components of performance will be introduced as it relates to the musical theater stage. Students will learn standard single sound tap techniques, basic compound steps, elementary locomotor patterns, combinations and choreography, as well as rhythmic composition and dynamic consideration. A flat shoe is suggested, as opposed to character shoes. Please wear only single-plate taps (no "jingle taps"!). Students will leave this class knowing basic tap vocabulary while learning a Broadway combination throughout the semester. This class is taught by Rebecca Rand, a NYC-based teaching artist. Rebecca received her BFA in Musical Theatre from Kent State University. Since then, she has performed professionally across the country. She looks forward to educating the next generation of dancers and performers.

Instructor: Rebecca

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Witches, Wizards & Wands!

Congratulations! Consider this your Hogwarts acceptance letter. Welcome to the wonderful world of Harry Potter afterschool. Alternating every week, the class divides its lessons between unique crafts and exciting games. Half of the semester young magical students will work individually on a variety of arts and crafts projects based on the Harry Potter franchise ranging from chocolate frog cards to Azkaban wanted posters. On alternate weeks, students will work collaboratively on puzzles, trivia, and games inspired by the thrilling adventures in the series. This class focuses on creativity, exploration, and fun. It's ideal if students have a baseline understanding of the series before taking this class. We don't want any spoilers!

Instructor: Eliza

Grades: 2, 3, 4, 5

Zumba

During this class, children get the chance to be active and jam out to their favorite music. Zumba® Kids classes feature kid-friendly routines. We break down the steps, add games, activities and cultural exploration elements into the class structure. By making fitness fun, we encourage it becoming a regular part of the children's lives, supporting the development of their active and healthy lifestyles. Classes incorporate key childhood development elements like confidence, self-esteem, creativity, leadership, respect, teamwork, memory, coordination, and cultural awareness.

Instructor: Ile De Ouro

Grades: K, 1, 2

Supplemental Fee: \$50

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Thursday

3D World Building

Creativity meets planning, designing, building, and learning about fun technology platforms! Students will flex their creativity when dreaming up fantastic worlds, coming up with the plans to build them, and executing those plans. To flesh out their creations, they will create backstories, design characters, and build real-world models. Then they will leverage 3D modeling software and Minecraft Education Edition to bring these worlds to life right before our eyes!

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Backstage

Through creative exploration and artist discovery, students will learn the foundation of theatrical design and backstage procedures. This class will offer various prop-making techniques, stage and large-scale painting methods, and creating conceptual themes! All students will learn to collaborate with both Rising Star and Shining Star students and production staff as we help to apply our knowledge to the realized spring shows!

Instructor: 87 Afterschool Staff

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Discovering Science Through Art

Does your child love learning about space as much as they love sketching? In this exploratory, 15-week art course, students will unite STEM and creativity through hands-on artmaking inspired by science!

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Graphic Design & Digital Storytelling

Young artists will learn the power of digital design in this introduction to graphic design. Through a variety of platforms, students will explore how their visual art skills transfer to digital tools and will leave class excited to continue creating. Students will be challenged to find new modes of expression and storytelling and will create projects such as mood boards, animations, storyboards, and more! Your student will leave this class with new modes of self-expression and confidence with digital platforms that will open doors for the rest of their lives.

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Imagine

This program offers a safe, judgment free, enriching place for children to be inventive and let their imagination go wild. Expanding creativity, cultivating self-expression and inspiring your child's inner Artist is our goal. Through learning different art forms and viewing original works of art we will be creating our own custom creations. We will be experimenting with different types of materials, media and inventive application techniques including painting, different drawing styles, sculpture, crafts and so much more! IMAGINE is for the artists who listen to their art! "The Imagination is the Magic Carpet of the Mind." Come imagine the limitless possibilities with fellow travelers!

Instructor: 87 Afterschool Staff

Grades: K, 1, 2

Improv!

Does your child belong on stage, or is (s)he interested in performing? Join us for an introduction to the art of improvisation, which works to increase a child's observation and concentration skills while freeing their imaginations! Students will learn the basic rules of improvisation and then put them to use playing performance games. A fun, fast-paced and humorous class!

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Intro Woodworking

Kids will learn about wood and trees to develop an understanding of natural resources. They will also be introduced to woodworking skills, such as project planning, tools (hammer, saw, drill, etc.), assembly, and finishing. Each student will complete a project to keep. **Due to proper safety training for participants, no one will be allowed to join this class after the 2nd week.*

Instructor: James

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Moveable Machines

Students will learn about the fundamental principles of motion and energy by creating their own machines! Through fun explorations and projects, students will be able to identify and create the parts of different simple and compound machines. They will be challenged to create machines that generate power and motion with no electricity and will hone their engineering skills by testing and remodeling their creations. By the end of class, students will be able to construct cars, gliders, and more and will understand why and how they move. Students will come out of class excited to continue engineering and creating!

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Multicultural Dance

Explore different cultures from around the world through dance. Your child will discover the wonders of new music and movements by building knowledge and understanding of choreography styles from different countries. Students will create, apply, reflect, evaluate and engage! Culminates with a performance.

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Multi-Sport

Children will focus on teamwork, skill building, and learning the fundamentals and structure of each assigned sport. This club builds upon those skills with cardio warmups, drills tailored to each sport, and game play. Sports the children will be participating in are Baseball, Kickball, Soccer, Tennis, Team Handball, Hockey, and much more. Don't miss out on this exciting sports class!

Instructor: Eliza

Grades: 4, 5

Spark

Spark is an art enrichment program for kids ages 5+. We tailor unique lessons that encourage kids to experiment with art, yoga and meditation and more, we get really comfortable using their imagination and creativity while doing it without being rigid. At Spark, we believe that art is the key to helping children find their place in this world. That's why our teaching artists create and share with them a safe, creative space where they can learn, grow, and express themselves in every imaginable way.

Instructor: Spark

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Special Effects Filmmaking

Transport yourself anywhere with a green screen, then add lasers and explosions!

Instructor: Take Two

Grades: 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Tournament Chess

Take your chess to the next level. Tournament chess will help your child improve his/her game through puzzles, play, and personal instruction. Students will learn new strategies and be ready to apply new concepts and tactics in their own games. A chess club atmosphere develops forethought, responsibility, and sportsmanship. Basic knowledge of both the pieces and the rules required.

Instructor: Matt

Grades: 2, 3, 4, 5

Friday

Animation

In this class students will learn stop motion, rotoscoping and pixelation techniques to create short, animated videos. Over the course of the term students will get to make characters with clay, Legos and puppets, and send them on original adventures that the students write, shoot and edit! *Please Note* Children will occasionally watch movies/shows to learn about different animation styles and how they are brought to life.

Instructor: Take Two

Grades: 2, 3, 4

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Abstract Vision

This program offers a safe, judgment free, enriching place for children to be inventive and let their imagination go wild. Expanding creativity, cultivating self-expression and inspiring your child's inner Artist is our goal. Through learning different art forms and viewing original works of art we will be creating our own custom creations. We will be experimenting with different types of materials, media and inventive application techniques including painting, different drawing styles, sculpture, crafts and so much more! Abstract Vision is for the artist who dares to listen to their art and think outside the box! Abstract Vision is where creativity is embraced, and masterpieces are out of this world!

Instructor: 87 Afterschool Staff

Grades: K, 1

Awesome Toy Factory

Welcome to this exciting and fun filled class which will inspire creativity, skill building, and group dynamics. Children will dive into crafts/projects creating their own magical worlds. These low mess crafts will be constructed with every day and recycled materials (ex: paper rolls, egg cartons, jars and more.) Everyone by class end will become a certified toy maker. You're going to need a bigger toy chest!

Instructor: James

Grades: K, 1

Ballet II

This class will focus on alignment, technique, and vocabulary. Students will also learn multiple exercises to create longer ballet combinations and movement across the floor

Instructor: Lauren

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Capoeira I

Music, movement, language, self-defense, history and culture, and that's just the beginning! Capoeira is an Afro-Brazilian martial art, disguised as dance, created by enslaved Africans in Brazil. Rooted in community and training based in games and play, Capoeira supports children in the development and growth of discipline, self-expression, physical strength, self-confidence and so much more.

Instructor: Ile De Ouro

Grades: K, 1, 2

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Craft Kids

Using various art mediums and materials children will create multiple projects by engaging in creative arts and crafts, children get the opportunity of expressing themselves in a positive, tangible and meaningful way. They will create all projects with their own hands developing their skill and technique in craftsmanship.

Instructor: Melayna

Grades: K, 1

Disney Songs!

If your child loves all things Disney and performing- this class is for them. This high-energy class explores a new Disney movie each week through music, movement and acting exercises. We will explore some all-time favorite Disney stories like FROZEN, LITTLE MERMAID and more, all while learning the fundamentals of musical theater! The class will end with a final performance that will be filmed for those at home!

**Due to the performance aspect of the class, we cannot add additional students past the 2nd week of the semester. We want to be able to feature all our performers and make sure all students can have a solo if they like!*

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Future Entrepreneurs and Innovators

In this course, students will learn about the entrepreneur's journey along with helpful skills and tools that will set them up for success. They will dream up their business ideas and discover what it takes to bring these ideas to life. Moreover, they will practice collaboration, teamwork, and learn about the importance of dividing up project tasks. Students will leverage graphic design tools to build their brands, develop promotional websites, and use digital design, coding, and 3D modeling software to bring their products to life. They will also all pitch to the class in our own little Shark Tank!

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Gadgets & Gizmos

This class will excite young builders and budding engineers, and will light up lightbulbs in their minds and on their circuit boards! Students will use age-appropriate circuit kits to learn concepts such as power, current, resistors, and more, and will design and create their own circuits. Additionally, students will create motorized machines using what they know about simple circuits to understand how their circuit powers the motion in their machine. Students will engage their creative minds to design machines that create art, move quickly, create patterns, and more!

Instructor: iCamp

Grades: 2, 3, 4

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Gymnastics II

In this gymnastics class we will explore strength, and flexibility while learning all of the basic gymnastics skills. We will build each skill through progressions that will be curated for each child individually based on where they are at with their knowledge of gymnastics and their strength. We will cover cartwheels, forward rolls, backwards rolls, handstands, bridges, and more! I will also sprinkle in some conditioning in a consumable format for the kids, so they are building core, arm and leg strength in a fun way!

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: K, 1, 2

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Kids With Cameras

This program offers children the opportunity to see the world from a new point of view, with hands-on experience using a DSLR camera every single class! Each class addresses a wide range of topics, including but not limited to the rule of thirds, lighting, storytelling/ photojournalism, landscape, portraits, and more! Children will learn about different styles of photography as well as photographers. Incorporating collaborative art and team building, as well as trips to Central Park to document their neighborhood, children will have the ability to express themselves creatively through photography!

Instructor: Kids with Cameras, NYC

Grades: 2, 3

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Piano

Group piano classes will be held by the Anselmo Academy of Music and the Arts so that students can enjoy learning basic music and piano/violin skills. No experience necessary! Students will learn some of their favorite songs in addition to music theory, rhythm, keyboard skills, and more!

Instructor: Anselmo Academy of Music and the Arts

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Singin' in the City II

Is your child mad about Musicals? Do they love to sing, act and dance? Then join us for an after school musical theatre experience. During this course we will learn all the elements it takes to perform onstage from performing musical numbers featuring the Broadway and Disney Songbook to building our own props and costumes!

Due to the performance aspect of the class, we cannot add additional students past the 2nd week of the semester. We want to be able to feature all of our performers and make sure all students can have a solo if they like!

Instructor: Togetherhood

Grades: 3, 4, 5

Supplemental Fee: \$50

Soccer Stars

The core fundamental elements taught in the dynamic Soccer Stars program are sportsmanship, creativity, and independence. This high energy class is the perfect place for your child to develop and hone their soccer skills while having fun!

Instructor: Eliza

Grades: K, 1, 2

