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Course Name	Days	Start Date	End Date	Times	Rates	Min Grade	Max Grade	Course Description
Master Builders with Bricks 4 Kidz	Mondays	01/22/2024	04/22/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$348	k	2	Calling all Master Builders! Bricks4Kidz Master Builders LEGO Club is back! Come join us in building jaw-dropping, awesome and head-spinning LEGO models while building important S.T.E.M. skills! In this advanced S.T.E.M. club, children will use our signature "Project 1 Kit" to build the most complex of our over 1,000 different proprietary motorized LEGO models from our over 200 unit-themes. Our "Master Builders" build from fun themes such as Star Wars and Minecraft, while developing important hands-on problem solving skills, critical thinking and creativity. Each model teaches students new and interesting S.T.E.M. concepts such as fractions, gear ratios, laws of motion and much more! Each child will get to take home a custom-built mini-figure at the end of the semester! Program Questions? bleblois@bricks4kidz.com
Drama with Atlanta Children's Theatre	Mondays	01/22/2024	04/22/2024	2:45 PM 4:15 PM	\$348	1	5	Taught by professionals from Atlanta Children's Theatre (chosen as 2019 Atlanta Magazine's "Best Place for Kids to Act Out" in the December "Best of ATL" issue), young actors develop their acting skills through fun drama games, improvisations and plays. A fun and nurturing environment is created where children are always center stage and their creativity is celebrated! Class will culminate in a performance for family and friends. www.atlantachildrenstheatre.com
Karate Beginners and Advanced with Atlanta Karate	Mondays	01/22/2024	04/22/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$379 has uni \$409 needs uni	1	5	At Atlanta Karate we strive to educate children not only in martial arts, but in all aspects of life. We teach discipline, respect and coordination in a fun filled environment. Our after school program has been serving the local community since 2005. We believe the martial arts are good for you physically, mentally and spiritually. Our goal is to build better martial artists, as well as better people. Our program will get your child on their feet and moving! Atlanta Karate Website: http://www.atlantakarate.org/index.html Contact: Sensei Doug Storm 404 697 8222 atlantakarate@gmail.com

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STEM Velocity Lab	Tuesdays	01/23/2024	04/23/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$312	k	3	Crash! Pop! Eureka! Does your student enjoy science coming to life? Then this is the program for them! Each week we will explore something new and exciting in a wide range of age-appropriate STEM topics in the areas of engineering, physics, chemistry biology, astronomy and more. We will conduct experiments and activities to provide first hand experiences which help students become more confident in their understanding of the natural world. Visit www.STEMVelocity.com for additional information and if you have additional questions email stemvelocity@gmail.com .
Drawing Elements with Spunky Arts	Tuesdays	01/23/2024	04/23/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$384	k	2	New lessons each semester! Drawing basics balancing classic arts education and fun. Basic does not mean boring! Students will build upon their understanding of geometric shapes to create more complex images while learning the use of line, form, space, and perspective to complete drawings that are, ultimately, all their own. This class offers weekly step-by-step single subject drawings designed to scaffold the elements of drawing while improving handwriting and fine motor skills. Parents of students who have taken this class one or more times have reported not only remarkable improvements in handwriting and fine motor skills but also persistence, patience, and confidence in their student. New projects each semester. Lessons do not repeat. Please contact Christie with questions at SpunkyArts@gmail.com

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Robotics Senior with Steam Powered Kids	Wednesdays	01/24/2024	04/24/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$408	3	5	<p>Senior Robotics and FIRST LEGO League Competition—MASTERPIECERobotics club serves as an extracurricular enrichment program that encourages the exploration and application of STEAM based principals through building and programming robots for elementary students grades 4-5. No previous experience with robotics is necessary. Returning students will be given the freedom to build upon past experiences on new platforms and challenges. Activities focus on honing critical thinking skills, perseverance and teamwork as students learn to program, use sensors and design attachments.For the spring 2024, we will explore the world of Battle Bots and compete in our own TRI ROBOTICS SUMO CUP! Teams of students will compete to out program, out design and out build their peers. There will be a friendly competition between Sarah Smith Elementary, Warren T. Jackson and Springdale Park Elementary at the end of the term. Using the LEGO MINDSTORM EV3 and RC battle bot platforms, students will learn programming and building skills that will translate nicely to the FLL competition we compete in each Fall. For those not necessarily interested in competing in the SUMO challenge, there will be options to build a host of helper bots as well as the robotic arena itself. Hexbug Nanos, Spheros, as well as a couple of new surprises will make guest appearances throughout the season.Program specific questions? Please email Robotix Coach Robert Hill at: steampoweredkids@gmail.com</p>
Robotics Junior with Steam Powered Kids	Wednesdays	01/24/2024	04/24/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$408	1	3	<p>Junior LEGO Robotics and More! Junior Robotics Spring 2024This course serves as an exciting hands-on introduction to the world of building and programming robots. No prior experience with robotics is necessary. During each session students will explore concepts of designing, building and programming robots using a number of different platforms including LEGO BOOST, Sphero and Ozobots. Students will investigate how robots use attachments to manipulate their world and how Ozobots follow lines though programmable mazes. Program specific questions? Please email Robotix Coach Robert Hill at: steampoweredkids@gmail.com</p>

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Graphic Novel & Comics Creation with Spunky Arts	Wednesdays	01/24/2024	04/17/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$396	2	5	Drawing! Creative Writing! Character Development! Sequential art and creating comics combines drawing, creative writing, and character development teaching skills beyond basic arts like sequencing, and creative and critical thinking. All while having fun, of course! Using prompts and activities, students will develop their own characters and story lines creating a book of their own comics by semester's end! Facilitated by Comic artists and teachers. Please contact Christie with any questions at SpunkyArts@gmail.com
Tap & Ballet with Studio Go Dance	Wednesdays	01/24/2024	04/24/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$384	k	2	Tap Ballet is a combination class split with 30 minutes of Tap and 30 minutes of Ballet. This is a great class for the young dancer who wants to learn the fundamentals of both Tap and Ballet. Classes touch on both warm-up and technique of both disciplines, as well as proper arm, leg, and foot positions. Studio Go's Tap Ballet program is a progressive program that introduces more complex technique and patterns of movement to challenge the elementary student. These classes are perfect for both beginners and the more serious dance student. Our teachers are prepared and evaluate where each student is (level) to make sure that all students are both comfortable and challenged at the same time. All classes taught by Studio Go Dance Instructors. DRESS CODE: Black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes, and black tap shoes. Boys should wear a white top, black bottoms and black ballet and tap shoes. Program questions? Email info@studiogodance.com

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Drones and Design with Steam Powered Kids	Wednesdays	01/24/2024	04/24/2024	4:00 PM 5:00 PM	\$434	4	5	<p>OPEN TO GRADE 4-5 STUDENTS ONLYThe program prepares members to fly and build drones to participate in the yearly Drones For Good (DFG) Competition hosted by G3 Robotics @ Midtown High-school.You can learn more about competition here: https://g3dfg.org/ Students will work both individually and in teams to develop winning designs. The competition itself will be held in the 2023 spring term in Late April early May. previous experience with drones is required. In addition to the built-from-scratch drones we work on for team competition, students will be responsible for the upkeep and health of their trainer drone that they will use to practice obstacles, learn battery management and hone their piloting skills. When not flying, we will delve into the world of material science as we encourage experimenting with different materials to achieve the delicate balance between strength and weight. Drone safety is our number-one priority and by the end of the term all students will have completed drone safety and certification with the FAA and AMA (Academy of Model Aeronautics). This includes passing the Recreational UAS Safety Test (TRUST) that allows for the flying of drones over .5 lbs. A youth membership of \$15/year with the AMA is required to participate in the DFG competition and is not included in the registration cost of this program. All supplies are included in the Fee, including the trainer drones. Program specific questions? email Robert at steampoweredkids@gmail.com</p>
Tennis Principals with All Star Athletics	Wednesdays	01/24/2024	04/24/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$432	k	5	<p>Tennis Principals with All Star Athletics: Fun and Finesse is the name of this game! Children K-5th will learn the 101 on Tennis while focusing on agility, footwork, sportsmanship and a variety of shots including Volley's and Groundstrokes! All equipment is provided including racquets, nets, low compression and foam safety tennis balls etc. Our Coaches will also provide fair and fun games and drills so that children of all ages and abilities can work at their own pace and be challenged in a low stakes environment. It is our goal to instill within them a love of a great sport they can play for life, because it's always a good time for Tennis! All Star Athletics - The Best in Kid's Sports! All Star Athletics provides FUNdamental growth through sports enrichment. Progam questions? email icoachatlanta@gmail.com</p>

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Chess FIRST HOUR with Kid Chess	Thursdays	01/25/2024	04/25/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$480	1	5	Why join Sarah Smith Kid Chess Club?Chess is a gym for your brain!- Chess Improves - decision making, grades, test scores, patience, and confidence.- Kids Love It - it's the most popular elementary after-school program in Atlanta.- All Skill Levels - multiple kid friendly instructors facilitate learning at your child's pace.- Convenient - right after school, and right here, on campus and in person.Chess Makes You Smart, We Make it Fun! https://www.kidchess.com 770-575-5802THIS CLASS IS OPEN TO GRADES 1-5 ONLY
Chess SECOND HOUR with Kid Chess	Thursdays	01/25/2024	04/25/2024	4:10 PM 5:10 PM	\$395	k	5	Why join Sarah Smith Kid Chess Club?Chess is a gym for your brain!- Chess Improves - decision making, grades, test scores, patience, and confidence.- Kids Love It - it's the most popular elementary after-school program in Atlanta.- All Skill Levels - multiple kid friendly instructors facilitate learning at your child's pace.- Convenient - right after school, and right here, on campus and in person.Chess Makes You Smart, We Make it Fun! https://www.kidchess.com 770-575-5802THIS CLASS IS OPEN TO GRADES 1-5 ONLYNOTE FROM Sarah Smith ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS and MASP ADMINISTRATORS: Students enrolled in any second hour class may not remain unattended on any Sarah Smith campus in the hour from school dismissal until their second hour class begins. Students enrolled in a second hour extracurricular class must be brought back to the school at class start time 4:00, or transition from a first hour extracurricular class (if enrolled) or transition from the SAS after school program (if enrolled).
Chess COMBO (both hours) with Kid Chess	Thursdays	01/25/2024	04/25/2024	2:45 PM 5:10 PM	\$630	1	5	Why join Sarah Smith Kid Chess Club?Chess is a gym for your brain!- Chess Improves - decision making, grades, test scores, patience, and confidence.- Kids Love It - it's the most popular elementary after-school program in Atlanta.- All Skill Levels - multiple kid friendly instructors facilitate learning at your child's pace.- Convenient - right after school, and right here, on campus and in person.Chess Makes You Smart, We Make it Fun! https://www.kidchess.com 770-575-5802THIS CLASS IS OPEN TO GRADES 1-5 ONLY- This is a 2 hour class.

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Golf with OT Sports	Thursdays	01/25/2024	04/25/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$324	k	3	FORE!!! Overtime Sports Golf program is designed to instill important life skills and character building qualities that are essential for the development of each student. The program provides students with beginning, intermediate, and advanced level junior golfing instruction in a no-pressure environment. Students will learn golf history, etiquette, grip, stance, posture, putting, specialty shots, and a variety of other skills. Each student will have a precise understanding of how the game is played from tee to green. Students who demonstrate aptitude and interest for the sport can advance their golf skills to the competitive level, while others can participate in the sport for fun. Please wear PE type clothes. ALL EQUIPMENT IS PROVIDED. otsports@comcast.net
Art & Facts Around the World with Vamos Chicos	Thursdays	01/25/2024	04/25/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$432	k	5	ART & FUN FACTS with Vamos Chicos We offer a unique fusion of art & facts as we create unique projects made from recycled materials and nature items. Each week we focus on a specific animal, place or seasonal celebration. We present an art project and it's facts, and then invite students to contribute with their own knowledge. Our "Chicos" enjoy learning different art techniques, using mixed media, to create one-of-a-kind projects to take home that day. Creative Fun is awaiting!!! Enroll now. Email:info@VamosChicos.com
Super Star Social Club	Thursdays	01/25/2024	04/25/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$324	k	2	Our social skills group uses role play, interactive games, art, and modeling to enrich your child's interactions with others and help them make new friends. We will teach critical social skills and work together to improve student self esteem and give your child the confidence to make and keep meaningful relationships. Instructor: Dara Campbell. For more details about the program, email superstarsocialhour@gmail.com Social Skills will Include: Making & Keeping Friends Choosing Who Would be a Good Friend Improving Self-Esteem and Confidence Joining Into Conversations with Peers Starting Conversations Staying on Topic Asking Appropriate Questions Dealing with Peer Pressure Strategies for Coping with Anxiety Positive Thinking Skills Strategies to Improve Mood Listening and Following Directions Compromising

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Basketball Level 1 with 411 Brand Athletics	Fridays	01/26/2024	04/26/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$408	1	2	Basketball with 411 Brand Athletics is a structured environment that teaches the fundamentals of basketball and life lessons to boys and girls in GR1-2 . During each session, the 411 Basketball Academy prepares each member to become a better basketball player mentally as well as physically. Each basketball instructor trains each participant to become a better shooter, passer, rebounder and ball handler. Each instructor also helps each individual with maximizing their talents as well as becoming a coachable player. the411brand.com
Basketball Level 2 with 411 Brand Athletics	Fridays	01/26/2024	04/26/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$408	3	5	Basketball Level 2 with 411 Brand Athletics Gr 3-5 is a structured environment that teaches the fundamentals of basketball and life lessons to boys and girls in grades 3-5. During each session, the 411 Basketball Academy prepares each member to become a better basketball player mentally as well as physically. Each basketball instructor trains each participant to become a better shooter, passer, rebounder and ball handler. Each instructor also helps each individual with maximizing their talents as well as becoming a coachable player. the411brand.com
Soccer with OT Sports	Fridays	01/26/2024	04/26/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$324	k	3	Soccer with Overtime Sports is an active program for boys and girls designed to develop an interest in the game and establish a solid foundation in preparation for recreational or club soccer. We are able to accomplish this by making sure the number one ingredient is present at all times: FUNdamentals! Students will learn various elements of the game such as passing, trapping, dribbling, shooting, and ball control. The sessions are composed of exciting games such as Terminator, Sting Ray, and World Cup. It is our belief that soccer instills cooperation, teamwork, sportsmanship, and self-confidence, all of which are key components that transcend the playing field and impact the development of our children. otsports@comcast.net
Kids TV - Video & Film Production	Fridays	01/26/2024	04/26/2024	2:45 PM 4:15 PM	\$348	3	5	During Kids TV class, students learn how to produce and film movies and TV Shows. Students will work with professional filmmakers to learn camera operations, lighting, producing, and directing. Then students will work as a film crew to develop and produce their own video projects, TV shows, or movies. This class is open to grades 3-5. Questions? info@mobocproductions.com

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Yoga with Grounded Kids	Fridays	1/26/2024	4/26/2024	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	\$348	k	5	<p>Grounded Kids Yoga Club This class is for children who want to have a fun and impactful time understanding how to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ground when you feel unsettled. • Energize when feeling sluggish. • Focus when you are distracted. • Gain confidence and self assurance • Own your power and use it wisely. • Release stress and anxiety that builds up in the mind and body during these challenging times. <p>Grounded Kids yoga allows children to learn about themselves in new ways so they can skillfully navigate the ups and downs of life. Our kid-friendly yoga poses, purpose-driven yoga games, mindset meditations and breathing techniques are so engaging that even after one class our students are motivated and able to practice at home. Children will receive their own yoga mat and strap to take home and bring to class each week. Cost includes other dynamic Grounded Kids yoga supplies for keeps. www.groundedkids.com For more specific program information: Contact amy@groundedkids.com 678-362-9990 .</p>
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***Students enrolled in second hour classes in RED are to transition to their class either from the JAS aftercare program if enrolled, from a first hour extracurricular if enrolled (with no time overlap), or brought back to the school and walked to the front entrance by a parent or caregiver 5 minutes before class start time. Parents are responsible for making sure the child's care the hour between school day dismissal and their second hour class is managed. No student is to remain on campus unattended in the hour after school dismissal and their second hour class starting.**

*** Courses take place at the Primary campus; Main campus students are bussed to the Primary campus by APS bus the day their class meets. More info to come detailing logistics, school day dismissal procedures, bus number to be shared in the Parent Welcome Letter which will be posted on our website and emailed to parents the Friday before courses begin.**

*** For more information, first check our website www.myafterschoolprogram.com under the Extracurricular Programs tab for answers to many frequently asked questions. For additional information, reach out to Beth Geurin Extracurricular Programs Director at beth@myafterschoolprogram.com**