

Fall 2019

ACE IPSF

AFTERSCHOOL CLASSROOM ENRICHMENT



@ Westpark Elementary

WHAT IS THE ACE PROGRAM AND WHAT ARE ACE CLASSES?

The ACE Program (Afterschool Classroom Enrichment) is a program sponsored by IPSF (Irvine Public Schools Foundation) in cooperation with the Irvine Unified School District. These classes are offered right after school hours on the Westpark campus for nominal fees. IPSF selects contractors who teach all types of classes ranging from athletics to academics to arts.

Fall Classes At A Glance

Class	Grade	Day	Start	# of Mtgs.	Fee
Ukulele Yearlong	1 - 3	Mon	10/21	20	\$347
Code Academy: Tech University	4 - 6	Mon	10/21	6	\$167
Let's Play Chess	1 - 3	Tue	10/22	7	\$146
Young Einsteins: Master Makers	1 - 3	Tue	10/22	7	\$185
Funny Pictures: Cartooning for Kids	1 - 6	Tue	10/22	7	\$137
After School Hoops® Basketball	1 - 6	Wed	10/23	7	\$129
Intro to Jazz & Hip Hop Dance	1 - 6	Wed	10/23	7	\$146
Debate	4 - 6	Wed	10/23	7	\$186
Website Design for Kids	4 - 6	Wed	10/23	7	\$146
Little Orators	1 - 3	Thu	10/24	7	\$186
S.T.E.A.M. Studio: 3D Printing & Laser Cutting	4 - 6	Thu	10/24	7	\$185

Register Online September 19 - October 18
Online Registration ONLY at www.ipsfacademy.org

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE !!

A limited number of partial scholarships are available for all classes based on financial need. Income documentation is required for approval. Parents may apply for assistance by completing the Scholarship Application available at www.ipsf.net/ace.



For scholarship questions, please email IPSF ACE at ipsfacademy@ipsf.net

Questions? Contact IPSF ACE Westpark at ACEwestpark@ipsf.net

MONDAYS YEARLONG
October 21, 2019 through May 18, 2020



Ukulele Lessons

1st-3rd grade

UKULELE YEARLONG for GRADES 1-3

Small group lessons include developmentally appropriate music activities in addition to instrument instruction! This program is founded around the philosophy that children need music in their lives to fully develop creatively and artistically.



Music can develop confidence, critical thinking, enthusiasm, teamwork mentality, and passion!



Small student groups paired with an instructor based on skill level!



This class uses a unique brand of curriculum combining classical music literacy with popular songs that kids recognize and love!!



Tritone Music Academy has been providing Music Education services in Southern CA School Districts since 2005!! Check out the www.Tritonema.com website photo gallery.



Research has found that Music Education enhances skills that children inevitably use in other areas and increases overall learning capacity.

(www.pbs.org/parents/education/music-arts/the-benefits-of-music-education/)

Class Dates:	MONDAYS, October 21, 2019 through May 18, 2020
NO Class:	November 11, 25, December 23, 30, January 6, 20, February 3, 17, March 16, 23 & 30
Grades:	1-3
Time:	2:35 - 3:35 p.m.
Location:	TBA
# of Meetings:	20
Class Fee:	\$347 for the entire school year



- Also Included!
- A brand new ukulele, soft carrying case and instruction book.
 - Opportunity for students to perform in an Ukulele concert* tentatively 5/30/20 weekend at a performance venue such as the Yost Theater. Date and venue are subject to change.
 - Concert Rehearsal* one week prior to the concert
 - Two tickets to the concert. Ukulele students do not need a ticket.

IMPORTANT! An ukulele instrument is required for all students. For those who will be providing their own instrument and do not wish to have an ukulele and case included, please apply coupon code **'WPDeclineUke19F'** at registration.

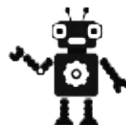
By applying the coupon, you waive receipt of an ukulele and case and reduce the class fee due at registration by \$52.00. Please note the coupon code is case-sensitive and once applied properly, your shopping cart will immediately reflect the adjusted class fee.

Coupon must be applied at the time of registration. NO fee adjustments will be made post-registration.

*Ukulele Concert & Rehearsal are Tritone Music Academy events and are not hosted by IPSF ACE. Transportation is not provided. Getting students to and from the venues is the responsibility of parents/guardians.

MONDAYS: October 21, 28, November 4, 18, December 2 & 9
NO class November 11 & 25

CODE ACADEMY: TECH UNIVERSITY



\$167

In this engaging and technology focused class, students will create amazing projects with code, as they program robots to solve complex challenges, design their own video games and even program electronic circuits. Students will learn the fundamentals of coding by making their own games and apps. Then they will discover the power of electronics by building circuits to add interactive lights and sounds to their awesome projects. The class will also explore the amazingly versatile LEGO® MindStorm robotics system by building and programming custom robots to solve a wide array of fun challenges. This course is perfect for aspiring young techies that enjoy tinkering and technology! Provider: Brainstorm STEM Education.

Grades: 4-6 Mon. Time: 2:45-3:45 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 6

TUESDAYS: October 22, 29, November 5, 12, 19, December 3 & 10
NO class November 26

LET'S PLAY CHESS



\$146

From first move to checkmate this after-school program presents a fun way to learn to play Chess. Step-by-step lessons introduce students to important analytical and problem solving strategies, which are also key components for successful classroom study. An information-packed, fun-filled activity including mini-tournaments and prizes. Class is designed for both beginning and advanced students with engaging lessons catering to varying skill levels. Past students are welcome! Provider: WE Educational Programs.

Grades: 1-3 Tue. Time: 2:35-3:35 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 7

YOUNG EINSTEINS: MASTER MAKERS



\$185

In this course, students will design, create, craft, tinker and explore all things DIY. Learn to create a 3D model and print it out into a real world object using a 3D Printer. Turn a design or doodle into an awesome piece of art or jewelry with a Laser Cutter. Build a wooden catapult or a trebuchet. Students will develop essential real world skills as they explore Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math through fun hands-on projects focused on engineering, electronics, design and making. If your student is a tinkerer, builder, artist or creator they will love this class! Provider: Brainstorm STEM Education.

Grades: 1-3 Tue. Time: 2:35-3:35 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 7

FUNNY PICTURES: CARTOONING FOR KIDS



\$137

Calling all kids! If you love to draw cartoons then this is the class you've been waiting for. Young artists will learn the secrets of cartoon drawing in information-packed, fun-filled sessions. Taught by Mr. T. (Eric Teitelbaum), co-creator of the Pink Panther comic strip, and staff. Step-by-step drawing lessons include: funny faces, expression, motion, animals, caricatures, scenery, and more. This is an amazing opportunity to study with a master artist! All new lessons each session, return students always welcome. Provider: WE Educational Programs.

Grades: 1-3 Tue. Time: 2:35-3:35 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 7
Grades: 4-5 Tue. Time: 2:45-3:45 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 7

**WEDNESDAYS: October 23, 30, November 6, 13, 20, December 4 & 11
NO class November 27**

AFTER SCHOOL HOOPS® BASKETBALL



\$129

Join us as we teach your child basketball in a fun, exciting environment. Our coaches will not only teach your child important fundamentals through progressive drills, fun competitions, and competitive scrimmages, but we will use these activities as a platform to teach life-skill lessons that reinforce positive attitudes about effort, respect, teamwork and self-control. New and returning students encouraged to join. Our program does not repeat itself over and over again, rather we build on skills throughout each week.

We Guarantee 3 Things: Your child will Learn, Sweat, and Have Fun! Provider: One on One Basketball.

Grades: 1-6 Wed. Time: 1:15-2:15 p.m. Location: BB Courts # of Meetings: 7

INTRO TO JAZZ & HIP HOP DANCE



\$146

This fun-filled, high-energy workshop is an opportunity for the beginning dancer to learn the basics of jazz movement and hip-hop technique. Especially crafted for the young learner, each music filled session presents a fun way to learn beginning dance moves while increasing stamina, self-esteem and coordination through rhythmic exercise. Class instructor Mr. Maddi, is a noted dance teaching expert who has toured professionally with artists including Michael Jackson! Provider: WE Educational Programs.

Grades: 1-6 Wed. Time: 1:15-2:15 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 7

DEBATE



\$186

This course will focus on developing critical thinking skills through debate. Students will learn vita analyzation and evaluation skills. Students will learn competition events such as Congressional Debate, middle School Parliamentary debate, as well as public forum debate. Each session will end with an in-class tournament presentation for parents. Provider: Argumentation & Communication Leadership Academy

Grades: 4-6 Wed. Time: 1:15-2:15 p.m. Location: TBA # of Meetings: 7

WEBSITE DESIGN FOR KIDS!



\$146

Build professional quality web pages using easy to learn software. Perfect for family projects or homework assignments. By the end of the class, students will actually post their pages to the world wide web. Let's get digital! Provider: WE Educational Programs.

Grades: 4-6 Wed. Time: 1:15-2:15 p.m. Location: Pod B # of Meetings: 7

CLASSROOM MONITORS WANTED! We need your help!

Would you be willing to help monitor ACE classes 1 to 1½ hours per week? Volunteers who monitor receive discounted tuition for each day they monitor. The work is easy -take roll, make sure children are accounted for, assist where necessary, and see that all children are picked up after classes. Interested in helping out? Contact the IPSF ACE Westpark at ACEwestpark@ipsf.net

THURSDAYS: October 24, 31, November 7, 14, 21, December 5 & 12
NO class November 28

LITTLE ORATORS



\$186

The Little Orators class provides students with a basic understanding of communication and public speaking skills. Students will develop confidence, leadership skills and valuable presentation proficiencies. These skills are taught through storytelling, poetry and informative speaking. Each session will end with class presentations. Parents will receive weekly updates and evaluations. Provider: Argumentation & Communication Leadership Academy

Grades: 1-3

Thu. Time: 2:35-3:35 p.m.

Location: TBA

of Meetings: 7

S.T.E.A.M. STUDIO: 3D PRINTING & LASER CUTTING



\$185

Top of the line 3D Printing and Laser Cutting technology introduces students to inventing in a fun and engaging way. Kids will explore engineering and delve in to what it takes to create their own product. By teaching with 3D printing & laser cutting, our kids now have an opportunity to bring their ideas to life. Using 2D & 3D software students will design awesome projects and then turn into real-world objects using state-of-the-art technology. Students will be able to create just about anything they can dream up! Provider: Brainstorm STEM Education.

Grades: 4-6

Thu. Time: 2:45-3:45 p.m.

Location: TBA

of Meetings: 7

WHERE TO GO AFTER SCHOOL AND PICK UP INSTRUCTIONS

Instruct your students that once regular school dismisses to report directly to their ACE class location.

After ACE class, students are picked up from outside the front office. Students will not be permitted to leave on their own unless the student's profile at www.ipsfacademy.org indicates student's "Transportation" as responsible for themselves.

Rainbow Rising students: Please also report directly to the ACE class location. Do not check in at Rainbow Rising prior to ACE class. After ACE, students will be escorted to Rainbow Rising. Be sure to notify Rainbow Rising you have enrolled your student in ACE.

REGISTRATION

1. Go to www.ipsfacademy.org.
2. If you do not have a User Email/Password, you will need to create one for yourself. Click "Create An Account".
If your student has participated in other IPSF programs, login using the same user email and password.
3. Once you have successfully created a parent profile, you will be directed to login.
4. Click on "Add a Student" to create profiles for each of your students if one does not already exist.
IMPORTANT!! For existing students, verify all student information is up to date for the new school year including grade, homeroom and transportation. Profiles do NOT update automatically.
5. Select the desired class(es) and checkout.
6. Once you checkout, you will receive an email confirming your student's class enrollment.

GENERAL INFORMATION

REGISTRATION:

Begins: Thursday, September 19
Ends: Friday, October 18
Classes start: Monday, October 21

Register at www.ipsfacademy.org

Enrollment is subject to class availability. Students must attend the school where they enroll in ACE classes.

HOW TO REGISTER:

1. Log in at www.ipsfacademy.org
2. If you have not created a User Email/Password account, you will need to create one for yourself. Click "Create An Account". Once you have successfully created a parent profile, you will be directed to log in.
3. Click on "Add a Student" to create profiles for each of your students if one does not already exist. **For existing students, verify profiles are up to date including grade, homeroom and transportation.**
4. Click "Register for Classes".
5. Select the desired class(es) and checkout.
6. Once you have checked out successfully, you will receive an email confirmation listing your student's class enrollment.

REFUNDS: Tuition is nonrefundable unless the class is cancelled by the ACE coordinator. If your child registers late, misses classes or withdraws before the end of the session, you are still obligated for the full fees for that session. You are eligible for a prorated tuition refund or credit only if your child withdraws due to serious illness or injury, corroborated by a note from your doctor. All refunds are subject to a \$25 non-refundable program fee. Please be advised that refunds may take up to one month to process.

FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNTS:

Receipts for programs attended by your child are available on request after completion of the programs. Please contact IPSF with parent's name, child's name, address, phone number, name and location of program(s) attended, and dates attended. IPSF can be reached via email at cdepew@ipsf.net. This material is provided for informational purposes only. IPSF does not provide tax, legal, or accounting

advice, and makes no representations regarding the deductibility or FSA eligibility of any program related expenses. Please consult your individual tax advisor to determine how much of your payment, if any, is deductible and/or FSA eligible.

CLASS AGE LIMITS: In order to develop classes suitable for a particular age range, we specify age limits in the brochure.

CLASS CONFIRMATIONS: Class confirmations are emailed upon successful completion of enrollment. Please add ipsfacademy@ipsf.net to your email address book.

CLASS CANCELLATIONS: We do our best to accommodate all students who sign up for ACE classes. In order to keep class fees as low as possible, we must set a minimum enrollment number for each class to cover the class expenses. If the minimum enrollment is not met, the ACE Program reserves the right to cancel the class and return all registration fees. You will be notified of any cancellations before the first scheduled day of class.

TRANSPORTATION: Getting students to and from class is the responsibility of parents. In the first week of classes, ACE site monitors will attempt to locate registered students who are not present in their class. After that week, however, we expect that the students will know where they should go. If your child has difficulty remembering to go to class, you might want to escort him/her or contact another child in the class so your child has a "buddy" to provide a reminder about class.

ACE students must be picked up immediately after class. Arranging pick-up is the responsibility of parents. School staff, ACE instructors and ACE volunteer monitors are not responsible for your child after class. If you are late picking your student up two times, your student will be removed from the program and there are no refunds.

SNACKS: Your child is always welcome to bring a personal snack. Please do not send any snacks containing peanut or tree nut products. Please contact the school site ACE coordinator immediately if your child has severe food allergies.

CONTINUING CLASSES: Unless noted otherwise in the brochure, students in continuing classes must submit a registration form and payment for each session.

CONDUCT: Normal classroom conduct is expected of all ACE students and we generally have very few problems with the behavior of our students. Children displaying unacceptable behavior will be issued a one-time "Behavior Citation" that will have to be signed by a parent before the student can continue the class. If a second citation is necessary, the child will be dismissed without refund.

SCHOLARSHIPS: A limited number of partial scholarships are available for all classes based on need. Income documentation is required for approval. Parents may apply for a scholarship by accessing and completing the scholarship form at www.ipsf.net/ace.

MONITORS WANTED: Would you like to help monitor ACE classes 1 to 1-1/2 hours per week? The work is easy – taking roll, assisting any children who need help, occasionally helping with classroom set up and clean up, and randomly checking on each class a few times during the class period. Volunteers who monitor are granted one reduced class tuition per session. Interested? Contact the ACE Coordinator listed below.

PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP: Irvine Public Schools Foundation (IPSF) sponsors the district-wide ACE program in cooperation with the Irvine Unified School District.

For further information about the ACE program at other schools, please call IPSF at 949.263.8340.

ATTENDANCE: If your student will be absent from ACE class, please send a message to the contact listed below before 11 a.m. on the day of ACE class.

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Contact IPSF ACE Westpark at
ACEwestpark@ipsf.net