

Fall KASEP

Kensington After School Enrichment Program 2026 FALL Session

ONLINE REGISTRATION BEGINS: Tuesday, September 1, 2026

Kindergarten and Transitional Kindergarten 7pm

Grades 1-6 7:30pm

FALL CLASSES START: Monday, September 14, 2026

FALL CLASSES END: Friday, December 18, 2026

REGISTRATION

- Online: www.KensingtonCommunityCouncil.org
- Questions call 510-525-0292
- On-going Registration on Website above

KASEP Administration and Dates to Remember

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Children should come down to the Recreation Building after school on minimum days.
They will do activities in Homework Club, no charge, until KASEP classes begin at 2:30 or 3:50

Tuesday, September 1	KASEP FALL Online Registration begins, 7pm K/TK, 7:30pm 1-6
Monday, September 14	KASEP FALL session begins (13 weeks of instruction)
Friday, September 18	Last day to change KASEP class
Monday, September 21	Deadline for KASEP Scholarship Applications
Monday, October 12	No KASEP - Indigenous Peoples' Day
Monday, November 2	No KASEP - Teacher Workday
Wednesday, November 11	Veterans' Day
Monday-Friday, November 23-27	Thanksgiving Holiday
Friday, December 18	Last Day of Fall Session

SIGN UP NOW!

Bridge Camp/Homework Club for Grades 1-6

Location: Recreation Building Room A

Grades: 1-6

Cost: \$200/week
\$175/ 4-day week

Time: 2:30-5pm

Dates: Three weeks long, kids can sign up week by week:

- 1. August 23-28**
- 2. August 30-Sept 4**
- 3. Sept 8-11 (No Monday the 7th - labor day)**
- * Sept 14th - KASEP classes start**

Recognizing a need to have afterschool care during the first weeks of school, especially with the library closure, we will be providing a special Bridge/Homework Club for 1st – 6th graders. Your child must have completed Kindergarten. Bridge/Homework Club is a place for students to reset, work on their homework, and engage with their peers and the teacher. Every day Vicky Brodt will offer an art or cooking activity as part of this program.

On the first Monday of every week a KASEP staff member will be at the flagpole to bring any students who need guidance to find Homework club on the first day. The rest of the week students are expected to come down the hill themselves.

Register now at: KensingtonCommunityCouncil.org/KASEP

An Important Message to Parents FALL 2026 Session

All Hilltop students, grades 1-6, walk themselves down the hill to attend KASEP classes. KCC staff will be at the flagpole in front of Hilltop School for *the first two weeks of each session* to help guide young or first time students to their KASEP classes.

Please take a moment at registration to let us know if your child has any learning differences, challenges or fears that may help us better foster their individual needs. Or you can call or email us anytime at:

info@KensingtonCommunityCouncil.org

Phone: (510) 525-0292

This session we will be offering several classes for Transitional Kindergartners only:

Tuesdays: Music Fun

Wednesdays: Tennis

Fridays: Mindfulness Yoga

***Transitional Kindergarten enrichment classes from 1:10-2:20**

KASEP teachers/staff pick up the kindergarten and TK students directly from their Hilltop school classroom and walk them to their KASEP classroom (just down the hill). Kindergartners and Transitional Kindergartners must be signed out after their KASEP class by parent or guardian. KASEP staff will return students to LLS aftercare programs if noted at registration.

Students in grades 1-6 attending Love, Learning Success (LLS) will need to check in with LLS at the Hilltop MPR after school and then they will go down to their KASEP classes.

2026 FALL KASEP

CLASSES START: Monday, September 14

**CLASSES END: Friday, December 18
(13 weeks of instruction)**

Last Day to Change Classes: Friday, September 18

HOLIDAYS: There will be no KASEP classes on the following days:

**Monday, October 12; Monday, November 2; Wednesday, November 11;
Monday-Friday, November 23-27**

MINIMUM DAYS: KASEP does not alter the start of its classes on minimum days. On minimum days, KASEP provides FREE supervision for your child – bridging the gap between when school lets out on minimum day and when the first KASEP classes begin at 2:30.

MINIMUM DAYS:

**Thursday, September 10; Friday, October 30; Tuesday-Friday, November 3-6;
Monday, November 9; Tuesday, November 10; Friday, November 20**

PHOTO RELEASE

Occasionally KCC may take photos of students or their work and publish it in the Outlook, our local newspaper or online as part of our brochure and for public relations purposes. We will not publish the names of students.

CLASS PRICES

KASEP class prices include credit card fees, materials fees, instructor fees and administrative costs. The price of the class varies based on the length of the class and the number of weeks the class meets during the session.

FALL CLASSES: 11 Mondays, 13 Tuesdays, 12 Wednesdays, 13 Thursdays and 13 Fridays.

WAITLIST

Once a class is fully enrolled, you may put your child on the waitlist for that class. No payment is required when you are waitlisted. If there is a cancellation, the first person on the waitlist will be notified and given 24 hours to respond. Waitlist does not roll over to the next school year.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION AND DONATIONS

To apply for a scholarship visit our website at KensingtonCommunityCouncil.org. The deadline for scholarship applications is Monday, September 21. Late submissions may be granted at a later date if funds are available.

KASEP offers more than 70 different classes per week for children ages 5–12. The Scholarship Donation Fund offers access to families who would not otherwise have the opportunity to enroll in a KASEP class without your generosity and kindness.

It is only with your financial support that KCC can sustain this commitment to help provide scholarships to others. Donations are accepted by check, cash or credit card.

PAYMENT

KASEP classes are filled on a space available basis, first come first serve. Most classes require you to register before the first day of instruction.

Payment is due at registration.

Credit Card: We accept Visa, MasterCard and Discover

If you owe money from a previous session, you cannot enroll in KASEP until your outstanding balance is paid.

CREDIT AND REFUND POLICY

Classes not meeting the minimum required enrollment, will be cancelled and the enrollment fee will be refunded back to your credit card.

Students may drop a class the first week. There is a non-refundable processing fee of \$25.00 PLUS 5% for credit card processing fees for any class dropped. Withdrawal reimbursement will be refunded back to your credit card.

No refunds are given for students who drop out of class after the first week.

Credit – students who withdraw from a KASEP class the first week can request a user credit. This credit may be applied to future KASEP enrollments. Credit is valid for 6 months. The \$25 fee for withdrawal will not be applied to user credits.

ONLINE

Please visit www.KensingtonCommunityCouncil.org to register online. KCC requires immediate payment so make sure you have your credit card handy.

RETURNING USERS: Update Family Account Information:

You can update your family account information at any time. It is recommended you update family account information prior to the KASEP Registration date to save time.

1. Update your family account: add or remove children
2. Update contact information: emails, telephone numbers
3. **CRITICAL**: Your child's grade must be up-to-date. Certain classes have eligibility requirements which may not allow you to register online and on time.
4. Emergency Contact Name (other than parent)
5. Medicines, Allergies Medical Needs and Learning Differences

NEW USERS: Create a Family Account

- Online Registration: www.KensingtonCommunityCouncil.org
- **Family Account** – one account per family. Required information:
Address, Cell Phone Number, Email address, Child's name and grade

Auto filled Responses: During registration and after you select your class(es), continue to checkout, the system prompts you for additional information:

- Authorized to pick up after class – self, parent?
- Emergency Contact Name and cell phone number (other than parent)
- Important Information: Medicines, Allergies and Medical Needs, Learning Differences, Dietary Restrictions

Complete this information for each child. The system will pre-fill this information next time you register. You are able to update auto-pre-fill data during registration. The system will not allow you to change the information after you check out.

After registering, if you want to make changes to pre-filled information, you must contact the KCC Office.

REGISTERING FOR CLASSES

1. Browse for classes. Kindergarten classes are listed separately and are in alphabetical order by class title; Grades 1-6 classes are listed alphabetically.
2. Add the class(es) you want and put them in your cart, **for each child**. Once you have the class in your cart, your child's name goes onto the class roster. You have 15 minutes to complete your transaction (paid and checked out). If longer than 15 minutes, the system removes your child from the class.
3. Need Minimum Day coverage? Sign up online.
4. KCC Scholarship Donation Fund - Help families who demonstrate need for financial assistance to enroll in one KASEP Class. You can donate any amount during checkout.
5. Check Out: pay with Visa, MasterCard or Discover credit card.

A WORD OR TWO ABOUT OUR KASEP TEACHERS

BINDY Graul [Gymnastics] is the daughter of our long-time gymnastics teacher, Judy Baker. Bindy is a highly experienced and well trained former gymnast. She has been a gymnastics instructor and a pre-school teacher for over 20 years. Bindy is patient and loves teaching children. Her cousin will join her—both are former gymnasts and have been teaching KASEP gymnastics for many years.

SEAN BRODT [World of Tabletop Role Playing Games, Magic Advanced, Beginning Carpentry, Homework Club], supervises our Homework Club. He is also a gamer and wants to share his enthusiasm and skills with both beginning and more advanced gamers.

VICKY BRODT [Cooking, Mixed Media Art, Reading, and Sewing] has a Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education and has taught preschool for over 15 years. She also received a certificate in Landscape Horticulture and does small-scale landscape projects. She owns a small business called the "Whimsical Rooster" where she sells handmade fabric items. Vicky loves to share her enthusiasm for cooking and crafting with kids of all ages.

GERI ENGBERG [Improv] has been teaching improv classes and workshops to young children, teens, adults and seniors in the Bay area for the past 11 years. She has experience in a wide variety of settings, including classrooms, after school programs, libraries, and summer camps. She trained at ImprovBoston in Cambridge, Massachusetts, where they teach and perform classic short form improv.

LEAH FORREST [American Sign Language, Homework Club] is a Kensington Hilltop Alumni and has been helping kids in Homework Club at KASEP for the past few years. She has a BA degree in Elementary Education and enjoys working with kids of all ages. American Sign Language (ASL) has been a passion of Leah's since elementary school. Since graduating from college, Leah has been taking full immersion ASL classes to complete her AA degree in sign language.

LORI HESS [Mindfulness Yoga] is a kids' yoga teacher who has a Master's Degree in Special Education from the University of San Francisco and was certified to teach children's yoga by "It's Yoga Kids". She loves to plant the seeds for a solid foundation and life-long love of yoga by helping children develop strong, flexible, and peaceful bodies and minds. She founded Way to Glow Kids Yoga and has taught yoga to children from toddler through teen.

IAN MCAVOY [Off the Block S.T.E.M. with LEGO®] provides students with a hands-on, engaging, and educational experience that fosters a deep understanding of STEM concepts while nurturing creativity, problem-solving skills, and teamwork. Ian is always finding new, innovative ways to use LEGO® to teach complex STEM concepts in a fun and accessible way as well as staying up-to-date with the latest trends and developments in STEM education and LEGO. He hopes his program will inspire the next generation of scientists, engineers, and innovators!

DOUG MCNEELY [Circus Arts]. Slim the Clown (Doug McNeely) has been performing and teaching Circus Arts for the last 15 years. He has toured the US and Europe, and has taught at many schools and parks and recreation centers.

JEANNE REHRIG [Pastel Art; Creative Clay] holds an MFA from the San Francisco Art Institute and has an active fine arts practice. She has spent years teaching art to children in San Francisco and the East Bay. She's worked in galleries, had a career as a textile designer and spent year working as a teacher and administrator at Neighborhood School.

DAN SEGUIN [Tennis], a Bay Area native, has been teaching tennis to kids and adults for over 20 years, bringing energy, patience and a passion for the game at every level. He has previously coached for the City of Piedmont and continues lessons at the City of Berkeley, helping players of all ages develop their skills and confidence. We're excited to welcome Dan to the KASEP team!

MELITA SILBERSTEIN [Music and Fun for TK] is a musician and music teacher based out of Berkeley. She has taught music to children in schools, libraries, and venues for families all over the Bay for two decades. She is also the founding member of the popular band for kids, Octopretzel. To learn more about Melita visit melitamusic.com.

SANDY THACKER [Carpentry] has taught carpentry to kids for 40 years. Sandy, who has a Master's Degree in Education from Stanford University, taught high school and middle school, and then worked for several years as a carpenter. She has developed a wonderful and very successful program for teaching woodworking skills to children.

JILL SOWARDS [Junior Gardening] is a gardener with Violetear Studio. In addition to garden design and consultations, she teaches classes on a range of gardening topics throughout the bay area and online. No matter the subject, her foundation is always on ecological gardening, waterwise practices, and how to incorporate native plants. Originally trained as a public interest lawyer, Jill believes that all people can benefit from building a nurturing connection with the joy of the garden.

Kindergarten and TK Classes

FALL 2026

TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	11 Weeks	13 Weeks	12 Weeks	13 Weeks	13 Weeks
TK 1:10-2:20	Knots, Strings & Fabric Things	Muffin Madness	Reading Adventures	Fun with Food	Mixed Media Art
KINDER 1:30-2:20	Griffin Judo	Gymnastics	Basketball	Mindfulness Yoga	Tennis
	Sports Medley	Flag Football	Circus Arts	Theater Games	Chess
	Tennis	Creative Clay	Pastel Art	Off the Block	<i>Mindfulness</i>
	Junior Gardening	<i>Music and Fun (TK only)</i>	<i>Tennis (TK only)</i>	S.T.E.M. with LEGO®	<i>Yoga (TK only)</i>
				Baseball	

Chess for Kindergartners

Instructor Checkmate Academy
 Location Community Center Room 1
 Friday 1:30-2:20
 Class size 6-10
 Cost \$350 (13 weeks)

Checkmate Academy's after-school program introduces students to the exciting world of chess in a fun and supportive environment. Our classes cover key strategies, tactics, and game principles while helping students develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

Chess challenges students to think ahead, analyze positions, and make strategic decisions - skills that benefit them both on and off the board. Through hands-on instruction and structured play, students sharpen focus, improve concentration, and learn to adapt in a dynamic and interactive setting. Join our chess program and experience the fun and excitement of the world's best strategy game!

Circus Arts for Kindergartners

Instructor Doug "Slim" McNeely
 Location Community Center Main Room
 Wednesday 1:30-2:20
 Class size 6-10
 Cost \$310 (12 weeks)

Circus Arts Class is a great introductory experience for young people new to circus. This class offers children the opportunity to learn a wide range of circus skills with an emphasis on juggling, balancing and acrobatics. Students will also be introduced to theatrical expression, clowning, and creative movement.

Creative Clay for Kindergartners

Instructor Jeanne Rehrig
Location Recreation Building Room B
Tuesday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$360 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Join Jeanne as we explore the possibilities of working with air dry clay. We'll learn the basics of sculpting and building as we create pots, figurines and more. Slabs, coils and pinch pots can be used as the base for all kinds of fun projects. In the end, we'll paint our finished creations with vibrant acrylic colors.

Fun with Food for Kindergartners

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Thursday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$360 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Get ready to embark on a delightful journey into the world of Kindergarten Culinary Creations, where we encourage kids to play with their food and make fun, edible masterpieces! This hands-on class is all about sparking creativity, developing essential cooking skills, and having a blast while creating delicious and sometimes silly but always delightful treats. Please let us know if your child has special food requirements.

Griffin Judo for Kindergartners

Instructor Griffin Judo Staff
Location Community Center Main Room
Monday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-16
Cost \$290 (11 weeks)

Judo is a Japanese Martial Art and Olympic sport. In this class, Students will learn the basics of Kodokan Judo. They will learn to roll and fall safely and will practice basic Judo standing throws (Tachi Waza), Ground Techniques (Ne Waza), as well as some self-defense techniques, all in a fun and safe environment. Students will also learn about Japanese traditions and terms related to the practice of Judo. Each class will start with Warm up and will teach important Judo values such as respect, discipline and mutual welfare. There is an option to purchase a Judogi (Judo uniform) if you don't already have one for \$60.

Gymnastics for Kindergartners

Instructor Bindy Baker
Location Community Center Main Room
Tuesday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 8-12
Cost \$340 (materials provided) 13 weeks

One-time annual administrative fee for all new students is \$52. The administrative/insurance fee will be added to your online registration payment. You will see a \$52 charge at checkout.

Class provides an introduction to gymnastics with a focus on flexibility, strength and basic skills such as cartwheels, handstands and bridge kickovers, as well as basic bar, beam and vault technique. Students should wear loose clothing such as leotards, sweatpants or shorts. Long hair must be tied up in a ponytail.

Junior Gardening for Kindergartners

Instructor Jill Soward
Location Recreation Building Room B
Monday 1:30-2:20
Class size 6-7
Cost \$300 (materials provided) 11 weeks

Calling all junior gardeners: join us for an afternoon of fun and learning in the soil. We will explore different themes like seeds, flowers, compost, and erosion, through hands-on activities. By nurturing different growing spaces, students will find their individual connections to nature.

Knots, Strings and Fabric Things for Kindergartners

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room C
Monday 1:30-2:20
Class size 6-7
Cost \$330 (materials provided) 11 weeks

Kinder pre-sewing class. Kids will learn early sewing skills tying knots and bows, threading a needle, sewing simple stitches as they make fun fabric creations.

Mindfulness Yoga for Kindergartners

Instructor Lori Hess
Location Community Center Main Room
Thursday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$310 (13 weeks)

Mindfulness Yoga for Transitional Kindergartners

(Open to Transitional Kindergartners only)

Instructor Lori Hess
Location Community Center Main Room
Friday 1:10-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$335 (13 weeks)

In Mindfulness Yoga, we playfully explore yoga poses, breathing exercises, mindfulness, and relaxation techniques. Kids will learn active and restful poses and how to regulate their emotions. We use our imaginations, share ideas, work on partner and group poses, and play cooperative games to explore yoga concepts. We work together to build strong bodies, open minds, peaceful hearts, and compassionate kids!

Mixed Media Art for Kindergartners

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room C
Friday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$350 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Ignite children's imaginations and innate artistic abilities. Create one of a kind masterpieces using a huge variety of materials. Class projects may include: print making, metal engraving, journals, art using recycled materials, mosaic and much more.

Muffin Madness for Kindergartners

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Tuesday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$350 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Sure, muffins are on the menu, but the "madness" is that everything we make will be in a muffin tin. From mini "A"pple pies to "Z"esty lemon tarts and lots of savory and sweet treats in between. Kids use math and science skills while absorbing the language of cooking. The treat comes at the end of class when our creations get to be devoured! Vicky is happy to adjust recipes for gluten free, dairy free, and vegetarian diets.

Music and Fun for Transitional Kindergartners

(open to Transitional Kindergartners only)

Instructor Melita Silberstein
Location Recreation Center Room B
Tuesday 1:10-2:20
Class Size 8-10
Cost \$325 (13 weeks)

A fun and engaging class for kids- comprised of sing & dance-alongs, yoga, puppets, story boards, and instruments play. Encourages tonal and pattern recognition, body and spatial awareness, and age-appropriate social skill building.

Off the Block S.T.E.M. with LEGO® for Kindergartners

Instructor Ian McAvoy
Location Recreation Center Room B
Thursday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 8-20
Cost \$320 (materials provided) 13 weeks

If you can think it, you can build it! Off the Block S.T.E.M. classes will help your child explore fundamental STEM concepts using LEGO® as a part of a fun, engaging environment in which they learn as they play. This class aims to provide a dynamic and interactive learning experience, combining hands-on building with the principles of STEM education. Each class is a new adventure and every build is accompanied by a sense of accomplishment that directly fuels your child's self-esteem.

Pastel Art for Kindergartners

Instructor Jeanne Rehrig
Location Recreation Building Room C
Wednesday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$350 (materials provided) 12 weeks

Join Jeanne as we explore the possibilities of making art with oil pastels. We'll start with some basic drawing techniques, then let our imaginations run wild. By focusing on basic shapes, it's easy to create a work of art that's interesting for young students. Plus, the intense colors of oil pastels are fun for anyone.

Reading Adventures for Kindergartners

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Room 1
Wed. 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$320 (materials provided) 12 weeks

A lifelong love of reading is the door to adventure. This class will help set your child on that adventure. Each week the class will start with a reading circle. Your child is encouraged to bring a favorite book, when it's their week to share. We will focus on letter recognition, letter sounds, rhyming, reading comprehension, story structure and more. Kindergartners of all reading abilities are welcome.

Skyhawks Baseball for Kindergartners

New Class!

Instructor Skyhawks Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Thursday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-10
Cost \$325 (13 weeks)

Learning the fundamentals of baseball has never been so much FUN! Participants will be divided into circuit groups to develop their skills and confidence through a series of age-appropriate games and Skyhawks original competitions. Our enthusiastic staff, age-appropriate curriculum, and modified equipment allow kids of all abilities to learn through play with lots of encouragement and a big focus on fun. Our development objectives include throwing, catching, hitting, base-running, coordination, balance, body movement, leadership, sportsmanship, teamwork, and self-esteem. Your child will leave with new skills, new friends, and a new love for baseball!

Skyhawks Basketball Fun and Fundamentals for Kindergartners

Instructor Skyhawks Staff
Location Basketball Courts
Wednesday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-10
Cost \$360 (12 weeks)

Dribble, pass, and shoot! This beginner-level basketball class is designed specifically for kindergartners to introduce the basics of basketball in a fun and engaging way. Through exciting games and activities, young players will learn fundamental skills like ball handling, teamwork, and coordination in a supportive and energetic environment.

Skyhawks Sports Medley for Kindergartners

Instructor Skyhawks Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Monday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-10
Cost \$275 (11 weeks)

SKYHAWKS AFTER-SCHOOL SPORTS MEDLEY This action-packed enrichment program combines baseball, basketball, flag football, soccer, and volleyball into an exciting multi-sport adventure. Participants experience two weeks of each sport, concluding with our Multi-Sport Tournament on the final day, where our young athletes can showcase their new skills alongside their new friends. Each week, participants will learn sport-specific fundamentals, leadership, teamwork, and sportsmanship through interactive drills, skill reinforcement games, and Skyhawks' original competitions. Our amazing coaches create a positive environment where kids of all abilities can develop at their own pace with lots of encouragement and a big focus on FUN!

Skyhawks Flag Football for Kindergartners

Instructor Skyhawks Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Tuesday 1:30-2:20
Class Size 6-10
Cost \$375 (13 weeks)

This skill-based clinic was designed to give players a competitive advantage on the field. Using our innovative age-appropriate curriculum, this program teaches boys and girls skill development, teamwork, sportsmanship, leadership and strategy.

Tennis for Kindergartners

Instructor Dan Seguin
Location Tennis Courts

Monday 1:30-2:20
Class size 5-8
Cost \$290 (equipment provided) 11 weeks

Friday 1:30-2:20
Class size 5-8
Cost \$340 (equipment provided) 13 weeks

Tennis for Transitional Kindergartners only

Instructor Dan Seguin
Location Tennis Courts

Wednesday 1:10-2:20 (TK ONLY)
Class size 5-8
Cost \$345 (equipment provided) 12 weeks

In this fun and active class, young tennis students are taught the basics of tennis in a fun and environment that emphasizes lots of movement and hand-eye coordination. Cooperation and sportsmanship are always emphasized. Rackets are provided.

Theater Games for Kindergartners

Instructor Geri Engberg
Location Recreation Building Room C
Thursday 1:30-2:20
Class size 6-7
Cost \$305 (materials provided) 13 weeks

In this class, students will be introduced to theater games and improvisation scenes designed to build confidence and promote cooperation. Listening and teamwork in the midst of silliness and laughter is the goal. There will be lots of movement and the amount of focused scene work we do will be determined by the ability level of the class.

KASEP FALL 2026 WEEKLY SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

	1:10PM-2:20PM TK 1:30PM-2:20PM Kindergarten	2:30PM-3:40PM Grades 1-3	2:40PM-3:40PM Grades 4-6	3:50PM-5PM
MONDAY	Knots, Strings and Fabric Things (C) Junior Gardening (B) Sports Medley (RCG) Griffin Judo (CCM) Tennis (TC)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Junior Gardening (B) Hand Sewing (C) 2-6 Olympics (RCG) Griffin Judo (CCM) Tennis (TC)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Hand Sewing (C) 2-6	Machine Sewing (C) 3-6 Volleyball (RCG) 4-6 Griffin Judo (CCM) 4-6 Tennis (TC) 4-6
TUESDAY	Gymnastics (CCM) Muffin Madness (CCK) Flag Football (RCG) Music and Fun TK only (B) Creative Clay (B)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Gymnastics (CCM) Muffin Madness (CCK) Flag Football (RCG) Creative Clay (B)	Homework Club (A) 1-6	Gymnastics (CCM) 4-6 Muffin Madness (CCK) 2-6 Magic Advanced (A) 3-7 Flag Football (RCG) 4-6 Creative Clay (B)
WEDNESDAY	Reading Adventures (CC1) Basketball (BC) Circus Arts (CCM) Tennis TK only (TC) Pastel Art (C)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Carpentry (B) Basketball (BC) Chocolate Creations (CCK) Circus Arts (CCM) Tennis (TC) Pastel Art (C)	Homework Club (A) 1-6	Carpentry (B) 3-6 Chocolate Creations (CCK) 2-6 Basketball (BC) 4-6 Circus Arts (CCM) 4-6 Tennis (TC) 2-6 Pastel Art (C) American Sign Language (A) 3-6
THURSDAY	Yoga (CCM) Fun with Food (CCK) Theater Games (C) Off the Blocks Legos (B) Baseball (RCG)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Off the Blocks Legos (CCM) Yoga (CCM) 1-4 Improv 1-4 (C) Cooking around the World (CCK) Banana Ball (RCG) 1-3	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Yoga (CCM) 1-4 Improv 1-4 (C)	Cooking around the World (CCK) Banana Ball (RCG) 4-6 World of Tabletop Role Playing Games (A) 3-6
FRIDAY	Mixed Media Art (C) Tennis (TC) Yoga TK only (CCM) Chess (CC1)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Mixed Media Art C 1-4 Coding Frenzy (B) 2-3 Tennis (TC) Chess (CC1)	Homework Club (A) 1-6 Mixed Media Art (C) 1-4	Python Power: Coding (B) 4-6 Crochet 2-6 (C) Tennis (TC) 4-6 World of Tabletop Role Playing Games (A) 3-6 Chess (CC1)

CC Community Center (Rooms: Main, 1, 2, 3, Kitchen) RC Recreation Building (Rooms: A, B, C) BC Basketball Court RCG Grassy Field near Recreation Center TC Tennis Courts

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We have a bridge activity (Homework Club) beginning right after school for any child; regardless of whether they are taking a later KASEP class that day. See Homework Club in class descriptions for more detailed information.

American Sign Language for Grades 3-6

Instructor Leah Forrest
Location Recreation Building Room A
Wednesday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-8
Cost \$330 (12 weeks)

In this American Sign Language (ASL) class, we will learn the basic signs through games and art projects and continue more advanced signing for returning students. The class will cover both letter signs and numbers up to 100 as well as common sentences and phrases used to communicate between friends.

Bananaball for Grades 1-3

New Class!

Instructor East Bay Banana Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Thursday 2:30-3:40
Class size 6-12
Cost \$375 (13 weeks)

Bananaball for Grades 4-6

Instructor East Bay Banana Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Thursday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-12
Cost \$375 (13 weeks)

THE EAST BAY BANANAS – AFTER-SCHOOL BANANA BASEBALL This dynamic after-school baseball program is bursting at the seams with energy as it blends traditional baseball skill development with catchy music, choreographed dances, and team challenges. Our enthusiastic staff and specialized curriculum create a positive environment where kids of all abilities can develop their skills and confidence through PLAY! Our development objectives include throwing, catching, hitting, base-running, coordination, balance, body movement, leadership, sportsmanship, teamwork, and self-esteem. Bring your friends or come ready to make new ones.

Carpentry for Grades 1-3

Instructor Sandy Thacker
Location Recreation Building Room B
Wednesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$380 (materials provided) 12 weeks

There's magic in creating something from nothing. You see something you really like, but instead of buying it, you make it yourself. Along the way, you learn new skills, the safe use of a variety of tools, and some practical math. When your project is completed, if it's a paddle boat, a marble maze, a birdhouse, a xylophone, or another item you come up with, it's always a great feeling to take it home to play with or use, or give as a special gift.

Carpentry Workshop for Grades 3-6

Instructor Sandy Thacker
Location Recreation Building Room B
Wednesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$380 (materials provided) 12 weeks

There is a great satisfaction in working with wood. As you get more adept at working with tools, you can also expand your skills by creating more complex and creative projects, sometimes working from your own designs. When you finish a project, whether it's a pinball machine, a pool table, a xylophone, a stool, a bookshelf, or something else, it's a special feeling to know that you made it yourself to use or give as a wonderful personal gift.

Chess for Grades 1-3

Instructor Checkmate Academy
Location Community Center Room 1
Friday 2:30-3:40
Class size 6-10
Cost \$370 (13 weeks)

Chess for Grades 4-6

Instructor Checkmate Academy
Location Community Center Room 1
Friday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-10
Cost \$370 (13 weeks)

Checkmate Academy's after-school program introduces students to the exciting world of chess in a fun and supportive environment. Our classes cover key strategies, tactics, and game principles while helping students develop critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

Chess challenges students to think ahead, analyze positions, and make strategic decisions - skills that benefit them both on and off the board. Through hands-on instruction and structured play, students sharpen focus, improve concentration, and learn to adapt in a dynamic and interactive setting. Join our chess program and experience the fun and excitement of the world's best strategy game!

Chocolate Creations for Grades 1-3

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Wednesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$360 (materials provided) 12 week session

Chocolate Creations for Grades 2-6

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Wednesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$360 (materials provided) 12 week session

Chocolate, Chocolate and more Chocolate! Let's have fun learning to work with chocolate. Truffles, dipped treats, cookies, chocolate mousse and cakes for sure; but we will also discover some other unusual things to make with chocolate. Parents: be aware there will be sweet treats in this class.

Circus Arts for Grades 1-3

Instructor Doug "Slim" McNeely
Location Community Center Main Room
Wednesday 2:30-3:40
Class size 6-10
Cost \$310 (12 weeks)

Circus Arts for Grades 4-6

Instructor Doug "Slim" McNeely
Location Community Center Main Room
Wednesday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-10
Cost \$310 (12 weeks)

Circus Arts Class is a great introductory experience for young people new to circus. This class offers children the opportunity to learn a wide range of circus skills with an emphasis on juggling, unicycling, rolla bolla, and acrobatics. Students will also be introduced to theatrical expression, clowning, and creative movement.

Coding Frenzy - Introduction to Programming using Scratch for Grades 2-3

Instructor Coder School Staff
Location Recreation Building Room B
Friday 2:30-3:40
Class size 10-15
Cost \$370 (13 weeks)

Your aspiring coder will be introduced to the fundamentals of coding and computer programming by creating animated stories, art and games using Scratch (developed at MIT). Scratch is a drag-and-drop platform that allows young programmers to play and build with sprites and blocks while setting a foundation for logical thinking. Using a project-based curriculum, students will learn and practice important coding concepts such as: variables,

loops, if/then/else logic and Cartesian coordinates. Students will gain general skills like problem solving, teamwork, code debugging, and perhaps most importantly, will learn and practice the logical thinking skills required to program a computer at any level.

Coding: Python Power, Intro to Programming Using Python for Grades 4-6

Instructor Coder School Staff
Location Recreation Building Room B
Friday 3:50-5:00
Class size 10-15
Cost \$370 (13 weeks)

Take advantage of the easy-to-read style of coding while learning the power of Python, a programming language for professional and beginner coders alike. We'll start out by using an online python platform to learn and practice some fundamental concepts. Then we will move on to using different Python libraries, including Python Turtle for creating art and PyGame for building simple 2D games. Students will gain general skills like problem solving, code debugging, and perhaps most importantly, will learn and practice the logical thinking skills required to program a computer at any level! This will be an introduction to a typed language, for those who have only used Scratch previously.

Cooking Around the World for Grades 1-3

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Thursday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$370 (materials provided) 13 week session

Cooking Around the World for Grades 4-6

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Thursday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$370 (materials provided) 13 week session

We will "travel around the world" as we cook traditional recipes from around the world and learn about the origins of the dishes we create. Some recipes may be familiar and others will be new and different, but all of them will be yummy. Each child will have a cookbook filled with the recipes we cook to take home at the end of the session.

Creative Clay for Grades 1-3

Instructor Jeanne Rehrig
Location Recreation Building Room B
Tuesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$370 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Creative Clay for Grades 4-6

Instructor Jeanne Rehrig
Location Recreation Building Room B
Tuesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$370 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Join Jeanne as we explore the possibilities of working with air dry clay. We'll learn the basics of sculpting and building as we create pots, figurines and more. Slabs, coils and pinch pots can be used as the base for all kinds of fun projects. In the end, we'll paint our finished creations with vibrant acrylic colors.

Crochet Beginning and Intermediate for Grades 2-6

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room C
Friday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-8
Cost \$325 (13 weeks)

Embroidery is the art of decorating fabric or other materials using a needle and thread. We will learn many basic and interesting embroidery stitches to embellish fun projects and beautiful art pieces. This class is for the beginner and those who already have experience in the art of embroidery.

Griffin Judo for Grades 1-3

Instructor Griffin Judo Staff
Location Community Center Main Room
Monday 2:30-3:40
Class size 6-16
Cost \$320 (11 weeks)

Griffin Judo for Grades 4-6

Instructor Griffin Judo Staff
Location Community Center Main Room
Monday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-16
Cost \$320 (11 weeks) Optional/recommended: purchase Judogi (Judo uniform) for \$60

Judo is a Japanese Martial Art and Olympic sport. In this class, Students will learn the basics of Kodokan Judo. They will learn to roll and fall safely and will practice basic Judo standing throws (Tachi Waza), Ground Techniques (Ne Waza), as well as some self-defense techniques, all in a fun and safe environment. Students will also learn about Japanese traditions and terms related to the practice of Judo. Each class will start with Warm up and will teach important Judo values such as respect, discipline and mutual welfare.

Gymnastics for Grades 1-3

Instructor Bindy Baker
Location Community Center Main Room
Tuesday 2:30-3:40

Class size 8-12

Cost \$350 (all equipment provided) 13 weeks

One-time annual administrative fee for all new students is \$52. The administrative/insurance fee will be added to your online registration payment. You will see a \$52 charge at checkout.

Gymnastics for Grades 4-6

Instructor Bindy Baker

Location Community Center Main Room

Tuesday 3:50-5:00

Class size 8-12

Cost \$350 (all equipment provided) 13 weeks

One-time annual administrative fee for all new students is \$52. The administrative/insurance fee will be added to your online registration payment. You will see a \$52 charge at checkout.

Class provides an introduction to gymnastics with a focus on flexibility, strength and basic skills such as cartwheels, handstands and bridge kickovers, as well as basic bar, beam and vault technique. Students should wear loose clothing such as leotards, sweatpants or shorts. Long hair must be tied up in a ponytail.

Hand Sewing and Fabric Arts for Grades 2-6

Instructor Vicky Brodt

Location Recreation Building Room C

Monday 2:30-3:40 Grades 2-3

Monday 2:50-3:40 Grades 4-6 (4-6th graders join as soon as they get out at 2:40pm)

Class size 6-8

Cost \$300 (materials provided) 11 weeks

Join in the fun of sewing! This is the class where boys and girls learn basic sewing skills as they make small items such as bookmarks, coin purses and puppets. Returning students will expand their skills while making more complex items like small balls, little quilts and even stuffed teddy bears. There are always new projects for each session and Vicky can help children make their own ideas a reality.

Homework Club for Grades 1-6

****THIS CLASS IS NOW AVAILABLE FOR ALL STUDENTS, GRADES 1-6, WHETHER OR NOT THEY ARE TAKING A LATER KASEP CLASS**

Location Recreation Building Room A

Offered every day Monday through Friday after school until 3:40

Grades 1-6

Cost Monday \$140, Tuesday \$165, Wednesday \$165, Thursday \$165, Friday \$165

Homework Club is a place for students to work on their homework, reading and other projects in a casual setting. Students can work collaboratively and quietly discuss their work. They'll be able to seek support from their peers and the teacher.

Due to concerns over increased screen time during Homework Club, students will no longer be allowed to use computers or phones during this time, unless they are making a phone call with staff permission. Not all students have homework but we ask that the first 20 minutes of each day is a dedicated time for reading, writing, studying, and completing assignments.

Improv for Grades 1-4

Instructor Geri Engberg
Location Recreation Building Room C
Thursday 2:30-3:40 (4th graders join as soon as they get out at 2:40pm)
Class size 6-7
Cost \$320 (materials provided) 13 weeks

In this class, students will be introduced to basic concepts of comedy improvisation such as “yes and” (accepting what is offered), “group mind”(listening to each other and acting as a team) and “space object work” (miming objects and environments). Using warm-up exercises and improv “structures”, students will be encouraged to trust their instincts, think on their feet, and actively support each other. (It is said that a good improviser is one who makes his or her teammates look good.) They will also laugh a lot!

Note: Improv is very effective in helping students build confidence and speak up with ease.

Junior Gardening for Grades 1-3

Instructor Jill Soward
Location Recreation Building Room B
Monday 2:30-3:40
Class size 6-7
Cost \$300 (materials provided) 11 weeks

Calling all junior gardeners: join us for an afternoon of fun and learning in the soil. We will explore different themes like seeds, flowers, compost, and erosion, through hands-on activities. By nurturing different growing spaces, students will find their individual connections to nature.

Machine Sewing for Grades 3-6

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room C
Monday 3:50-5:00
Class size 6-7
Cost \$320 (materials provided) 11 weeks

In addition to hand sewing, in this class boys and girls learn how to use a sewing machine! This ability gives them yet another lifelong skill. In each session projects such as pillows, drawstring bags, and quilts are selected to suit students' levels and interests. As skills expand, students can make their own sewing ideas become reality.

Magic the Gathering Card Game for Advanced Players Grades 3-7

Instructor Sean Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room A
Tuesdays 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$325 (materials provided) 13 weeks

A course for kids already into Magic the Gathering. We'll take a deep dive into the complexities within different rules and play styles in Magic. Kids will test their math, reading,

and problem solving abilities while drafting their own deck of cards to take home, as well as puzzling over Magic riddles and rulings. We will accept returning 7th graders in this class.

Mindfulness Yoga for Grades 1-4

Instructor Lori Hess
Location Community Center Main Room
Thursday 2:30-3:40 (4th graders join as soon as they get out at 2:40pm)
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$340 (13 weeks)

In Mindfulness Yoga, we playfully explore yoga poses, breathing exercises, mindfulness, and relaxation techniques. Kids will learn active and restful poses and how to regulate their emotions. We use our imaginations, share ideas, work on partner and group poses, and play cooperative games to explore yoga concepts. We work together to build strong bodies, open minds, peaceful hearts, and compassionate kids!

Mixed Media Art for Grades 1-4

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room C
Friday 2:30-3:40 Grades 1-3 (4th graders join as soon as they get out at 2:40pm)
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$350 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Ignite children's imaginations and innate artistic abilities. Create one of a kind masterpieces using a huge variety of materials. Class projects may include: print making, metal engraving, journals, art using recycled materials, mosaic and much more.

Muffin Madness and Beyond for Grades 1-3

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Tuesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$375 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Muffin Madness and Beyond for Grades 2-6

Instructor Vicky Brodt
Location Community Center Kitchen
Tuesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$375 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Sure, muffins are on the menu, but the "madness" is that everything we make will be in a muffin tin. From mini "A"pple pies to "Z"esty lemon tarts and lots of savory and sweet treats in between. Kids use math and science skills while absorbing the language of cooking. The treat comes at the end of class when our creations get to be devoured! And Beyond: we will be creating some recipes without a muffin tin this time. Students who have taken Muffin Madness in the past will discover some yummy new recipes and cooking skills. If your child has some dietary restrictions, don't hesitate to try this class. Vicky can adjust recipes for gluten free, dairy free, and vegetarian diets if notified in advance.

Off the Block S.T.E.M. with LEGO® for Grades 1-5

Instructor Ian McAvoy
Location Community Center Main Room
Thursday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 8-20
Cost \$340 (materials provided) 13 weeks

If you can think it, you can build it! Off the Block S.T.E.M. classes will help your child explore fundamental STEM concepts using LEGO® as a part of a fun, engaging environment in which they learn as they play. This class aims to provide a dynamic and interactive learning experience, combining hands-on building with the principles of STEM education. Each class is a new adventure and every build is accompanied by a sense of accomplishment that directly fuels your child's self-esteem.

Pastel Art for Grades 1-3

Instructor Jeanne Rehrig
Location Recreation Building Room C
Wednesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$340 (materials provided) 12 weeks

Pastel Art for Grades 4-6

Instructor Jeanne Rehrig
Location Recreation Building Room C
Wednesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-7
Cost \$325 (materials provided) 12 weeks

This young Rembrandts class is full of possibilities. Join Jeanne for pastel fun as we learn about a new medium and explore art history by studying different artists and their work. We will create wonderful artwork while being inspired by Van Gogh, Monet and other master artists. Through this class, students will learn color blending, drawing techniques and shading with oil pastels and other media. The results will be truly framable.

Skyhawks Basketball Fun and Fundamentals for Grades 1-3

Location Basketball Court
Wednesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-16
Cost \$360 (12 weeks)

Skyhawks Basketball Fun and Fundamentals for Grades 4-6

Wednesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-16
Cost \$360 (12 weeks)

This program was designed to teach young athletes the fundamentals of basketball through play. Each week, participants will be broken into teams to compete in a series of skill-based games that focus on developing their skills, confidence, and passion for the game. Our primary development objectives include dribbling, passing, shooting, defense, strategy, agility, self-esteem, teamwork, and sportsmanship. Skyhawks coaches provide a

positive environment where players of all ages and abilities can participate in friendly competition with lots of encouragement and a big focus on fun!

Skyhawks Flag Football for Grade 1-3

Location Grassy Field near Recreation Center
Tuesday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 5-10
Cost \$375 (13 weeks)

Skyhawks Flag Football for Grade 4-6

Location Grassy Field near Recreation Center
Tuesday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 5-10
Cost \$375 (13 weeks)

This skill-based clinic was designed to give players a competitive advantage on the field. Through interactive drills, skill reinforcement games, and simulated scrimmages, young athletes develop the skills, strategy, confidence, and passion, to take the next step in their football career. Our development objectives include passing, rushing, receiving, route running, flag pulling, game rules/strategy, confidence, teamwork, sportsmanship, and self-esteem. Your child will leave with new friends, new skills, and a new love for sports.

Skyhawks Olympics for Grades 1-3

Instructor Skyhawks Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Monday 2:30-3:40
Class Size 6-12
Cost \$330 (11 weeks)

This multi-sport program combines all your favorite Skyhawks sports & games into one action-packed enrichment\ class. Participants will learn and play fun Skyhawks variations of Baseball, Basketball, Capture the Flag, Flag Football, Soccer, Track & Field, Volleyball as well as adding in favorite camp games like Tag, Dodgeball, and Wall Ball. By adding just the right amount of friendly competition, this program teaches boys and girls skill development, teamwork, sportsmanship, leadership, and strategy.

Skyhawks Volleyball for Grades 4-6

Instructor Skyhawks Staff
Location Grassy Field near Recreation Building
Monday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-12
Cost \$330 (11 weeks)

Age-appropriate curriculum and modified equipment, allow participants to embrace the fundamentals of volleyball and develop social skills through dynamic instructional circuits and engaging games. Participants explore balance, body movement, coordination, self-esteem, teamwork, sportsmanship, and skill development, all fueled by encouragement and a focus on fun! Development objectives include passing, setting, hitting, spiking, serving, positions, and rotations. Coaches foster a safe, interactive environment that not only builds skills but also empowers confidence.

Tennis

Instructor Dan Seguin

Location Tennis Courts

Beginning and Intermediate Tennis for Grades 1-3

Monday 2:30-3:40

Class size 5-8

Cost \$300 (equipment provided) 11 weeks

Beginning and Intermediate Tennis for Grades 1-3

Wednesday 2:30-3:40

Class size 5-8

Cost \$325 (equipment provided) 12 weeks

Intermediate Tennis for Grades 1-3

Friday 2:30-3:40

Class size 5-8

Cost \$350 (equipment provided) 13 weeks

Beginning and Intermediate Tennis for Grades 4-6

Monday 3:50-5:00

Class size 5-8

Cost \$300 (equipment provided) 11 weeks

Intermediate and Advanced Tennis for Grades 2-6

Wednesday 3:50-5:00

Class size 5-8

Cost \$325 (equipment provided) 12 weeks

Advanced Tennis for Grades 4-6

Friday 3:50-5:00

Class size 5-8

Cost \$350 (equipment provided) 13 weeks

The World of Tabletop Role Playing Games for Grades 3-6

Instructor Sean Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room A
Thursday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$325 (materials provided) 12 weeks

The World of Tabletop Role Playing Games for Grades 3-6

Instructor Sean Brodt
Location Recreation Building Room A
Friday 3:50-5:00
Class Size 6-8
Cost \$350 (materials provided) 13 weeks

Kids will get to use their imagination and creativity as we adventure through the miniature world of Mausritter, the Forgotten Realms of Dungeons and Dragons, and more! (We might even test our math and reading skills along the way.)