

Pierce School Enrichment Program

WINTER 2019 ENRICHMENT



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GENERAL INFORMATION AND POLICIES

Registration

Registration for winter enrichment classes will begin on Monday December 3rd at 7am. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** We will be going to a new online registration system which allows parents to create an account online. Please make sure to read the last page of this brochure to familiarize yourself with the new registration procedures. Incomplete registrations will not be processed. We encourage families to enroll ASAP, as most of you know many of our most popular classes fill up in a matter of hours!

Program Dates

Fall classes begin on January 14th and run for 8 weeks. There are no classes on school holidays, school vacation days, or snow days. Please note that classes DO meet during early release days at their normally scheduled time. Classes may be canceled due to inclement weather. Due to the scheduling of enrichment classes, we can't offer more than one make-up class due to inclement weather or snow days. In the event of instructor absence, a substitute teacher will fill in for the class, or the instructor may opt to schedule a make up class at the end of the session. Please see the class schedule for a list of class meeting dates.

Course Cancellation

We reserve the right to to cancel courses due to low or no enrollment. If we do cancel a course you have already registered for, we will contact you and offer you a full refund for the canceled course, or make arrangements for your child to take another class of his or her choosing.

Arrival and Departure

Please be informed that PSED does not accept responsibility for locating children who do not show up for enrichment class. Due to the large number of children participating in the classes, the PSED Enrichment Coordinator is unable to track children who do not arrive at their class. Children who attend PSED on the day of their enrichment class will be tracked by their PSED teachers. Please be aware that Enrichment teachers are not required to stay with children beyond the class end time to wait for late parents or pick up people. Please make sure to be on time if you choose to pick your child up from class.

Contact:

All additional contact including reminders, class cancellations, and schedule changes will be done via email. We will send all email messages the "Parent I email address) that you provide on your registration form. Please be sure to add pierceenrichment@gmail.com to your "email safe list" to ensure that our emails arrive in your inbox. We encourage families to share additional information about their child's needs so it can be shared with the enrichment instructor and enrichment coordinator.

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Discipline:

In order to maintain a healthy, productive environment for students enrolled in classes, all children will be required to exhibit appropriate behavior. If an instructor believes that a child is disruptive to the program, he or she will be temporarily removed from the class and the enrichment coordinator will notify his or her parent. If the situation recurs, the child may be excluded from future classes. We ask for your cooperation by communicating these expectations to your child and by enrolling your child only in those classes, which are of interest to him or her.

Payment Options:

We are pleased to now offer online payment options! You can choose to pay for classes using the following payment methods (Visa, MasterCard, or by check). If you choose to pay online, your child's class registration will be fully reserved as soon as you submit the online payment. If you prefer to pay by check, you still have that option. However, please be aware that your child's spot will not be secured until we receive your check payment. We encourage families to register early as classes have limited space and will be filled on a first-come first-serve basis.

Scholarships:

Partial scholarships are available for qualifying families. Please contact Jen Proulx at 617-730-2589 or e-mail pierceenrichment@gmail.com if you would like more information about this. You need to contact us before you register online to request scholarships.

Feedback, Suggestions, and Ideas:

We welcome your feedback, ideas, and suggestions for strengthening the Enrichment Program. Please contact Jen Proulx at 617-730-2589 or e-mail pierceenrichment@gmail.com

PLEASE NOTE:

There are no refunds for classes once your child has been registered and we receive payment. Refunds will only be issued if the class is cancelled. Enrichment is ONLY for students in 1st grade and up. If you sign-up your kindergartener for classes you will be asked to leave the class and will NOT be refunded for the class.

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Master Fall 2018 Course Offerings-Registration begins Monday December 3rd at 7am

Log onto www.psedbrookline.org for more information

Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays	Fridays
"Martial Arts" [Korean Church] (1-3rd) [2:40-3:30]	"Fencing" [Korean Church] (1st-4th) [2:40-3:30]	"Dodgeball" [2:40-3:30] (Korean Church) [1st-4th]	"Archery" [Korean Church] (2nd-6th) [2:30-3:30]	"Curious Creatures" [IA Room] (1st-4th) [1:50-2:40]
"Yoga" [Korean Church] (1st-4th) [3:40-4:30]	"Puddlestompers" [Rm 27] (1st-2nd) [2:40-3:40]	"Intermediate Piano" [Room 113] (2:40-3:30) [1st-3rd]	"Superstar Soccer" [Korean Church] (1st-4th) [3:40-4:30]	"Girls Chemistry Lab" [Back of cafeteria] (1st-3rd) [1:50-2:50]
"Dessert Chefs" [Learning Center] (1st-2nd) [2:40-3:30]	"Beginning Piano" [Room 113] (1st-2nd) [3:40-4:30]	"Piano Club" [Room 113] [3:40-4:30] (3rd-5th)	"Parkour" [The Pitt] (1st-5th) [2:40-4:00]	"Hip Hop" [Korean Church] (1st-5th) [1:50-2:40]
"Top Chef" [Learning Center] (3rd-6th) [3:40-4:30]	"Continuing Piano" [Room 113] (1st-2nd) [2:40-3:30]	"Chess Beginners" [IA Room] (2:40-3:30) [1st-2nd]	"Scratch" [KD] (2nd-6th) [2:40-3:40]	"DEILAB" [Back of the cafeteria] (1st-4th) [1:50-2:50]
"Jewelry Making" [KKT] (1st-4th) [2:40-3:30]	"Ballet" [Korean Church] (1st-4th) [3:40-4:30]	"Chess Intermediate" [IA Room] (3:40-4:30) [2nd-4th]	"Digital Animation" [KD] (2nd-6th) [3:45-4:45]	
"Sewing" [KM] (2nd-5th) [2:40-4:00]	"Theater Games" [KWI] (1st-4th) [2:40-3:30]	"Gymnastics" [3:45-4:30] (Korean Church) (1st-4th)	"Wham! Pow! Art!" [IA Room] (1st-2nd) [2:40-3:30]	
"Parkour" [The Pitt] (1st-5th) [2:40-4:00]	"Lego Stop Motion" [Computer Lab] (3rd-5th) [2:40-3:30]	"Power Rowing" [2:40-3:40] Power Rowing Gym (6th-8th)	"Characters and Comics" [IA Room] (3rd-5th) [3:40-4:30]	
"Creative Electronics and Coding" (3rd-6th) [2:40-4:10]		"Puppetry" [2:40-4:00] (TBA) (1st-3rd)	"Knitting" [TBA] (2nd-5th) [3:40-4:30]	

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THURS

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Jan 14	Jan 15	Jan 16	Jan 17	Jan 18
Jan 28	Jan 22	Jan 23	Jan 24	Jan 25
Feb 4	Jan 29	Jan 30	Jan 31	Feb 1
Feb 11	Feb 5	Feb 6	Feb 7	Feb 8
Feb 25	Feb 12	Feb 13	Feb 14	Feb 15
Mar 4	Feb 26	Feb 27	Feb 28	Mar 1
Mar 11	Mar 5	Mar 6	Mar 7	Mar 8
Mar 18	Mar 12	Mar 13	Mar 14	Mar 15

Registration: Starting December 3rd
log onto www.psedbrookline.org for full class
descriptions

MONDAY CLASSES

“Jewelry Making” Mondays (2:40-3:30]

In this beading classes, we will work with all kinds and sizes of beads. Let your inner creative jewelry designer jump in to your artistic expression. From the box of beads, we can make necklaces, bracelets, bookmarks, and more.

Instructor: Margaux Skalecki
Grades: 1st-4th
Cost:\$125

“Sewing” Mondays (2:40-4:00)

Come and get creative this Fall and learn to Sew! Learn how to hand sew, as well as how to use a sewing machine. Create some cute pillows, stuffies and fall accessories, scarves, bags or make your own clothes, leggings sweatshirt and lots of other fun projects!

Instructor: Hipstitch
Grades:2nd-5th
Cost:\$225

“Dessert Chefs” Mondays (2:40-3:30)

Do you like to cook and try different recipes? Then this class is for you. Get out your aprons, spoons and learn recipes from scratch. Share ideas about what you like to cook and create a class cookbook.

Instructor: Tereza Guzman
Grades: 1st-2nd
Cost: \$125

“Yoga” Mondays (3:40-4:30)

Yoga is not just for adults! This class will explore foundational yoga poses, breathing exercises, visual imagery and relaxation techniques that will foster lessons in self-expression, body image, social skills, positive thinking, and environmental awareness. Your child will also experience working with props, cooperative games, theme activities, storytelling, and music.

Located in Korean Church
Instructor: Margaux Skalecki
Grades: 1st-4th
Cost:\$135

“Top Chef” Mondays (3:40-4:30)

Do you want to learn how to follow a recipe and create different meals? Do you like to try different foods? The get ready to whip up some different meals from breakfast, to dinner and even dessert! Make your own apron, hat, and cookbook to bring home with you.

Instructor: Tereza Guzman
Grades: 2nd-5th
Cost: \$ 125 (8 weeks)

“Martial Arts-All” Monday (2:40-3:30)

This course helps kids develop self-confidence by teaching the discipline, self-respect, self-defense, and physical conditioning that are hallmarks of the martial arts. The karate class consists of learning the basics of karate which include punches, kicks, blocks. Games are used to incorporate and practice skills learned. Stranger danger skills including basic self defense skills such as verbal boundary setting and physical self defense against hand grabs, pushes, etc.

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: Marisa Cimino
Grades: Open to grades 1st-5th
Cost: \$150

“Creative Electronics and Coding” Monday (2:40-4:10)

Are your kids obsessed with electronics? Are they playing video games? We have just the right program for them to get started with spending their time more productively with computer screens. Growth Plan is designed with the initiative in mind that will help equip students with these 21st century skills in a fun and exciting manner.

Instructor: Butterfly Coding
Grades: 3rd - 6th
Cost: \$ 250

TUESDAY CLASSES

“Fencing ” Tuesdays (2:40-3:40)

Join The International Fencing Club (IFC) to learn the sport of fencing! Fencing is becoming more and more popular with the young people of this country. The IFC offers one of the best fencing programs in New England. The IFC provides students the highest quality fencing instruction available. They provide a safe and positive learning environment that people of all ages can enjoy. This class is for all levels of fencers, from the casual recreational fencer to the serious national and international competitor. Cesar Morales and the coaching staff remain interested in the complete personal development of each student. Individual attention is a feature of each and every class, allowing all students to progress quickly and confidently toward their personal goals.

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: Cesar Morales
Grades: Open to Grades 1st-4th
Cost: \$150 for 8 weeks

“Puddlestompers” Tuesdays (2:40-3:40)

Come explore nature after school! Follow animal tracks in the snow and search for animal evidence! Build hibernation dens and learn who is still out and about! Practice sneaking and pouncing like a fox! Collect pinecones for hungry squirrels! Touch fur, feathers and bones and dissect owl pellets! Join us and discover new and amazing creatures and plants with hands on exploration, active investigations, crafts and games.

Instructor: Outdoor Explorers
Grades: Open 1st-2nd
Cost: \$150

“Ballet” Tuesdays 3:40-4:30

In this class we enjoy creativity and expressive movement in the world of ballet. The student will learn fundamental aspects of ballet, the 5 basic dance positions, ballet barre, across the floor dance combinations and center floor adagio.

Margaux encourages her students to explore the freedom of dance, while paying attention to time, spacial awareness and improvisational fun.

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: Margaux Skalecki
Grades: 1st-4th
Cost: \$135

“Theater Games” Tuesdays 2:40-3:30

A class for those who want to learn about everything that goes into acting and the stage! We will engage in theater games and skits, scene creations, improvisation, technique, voice projection, movement on stage, and more. This experiential class is designed for both those with some theater experience as well as those who are new to the art. All are welcome!

Instructor: Margaux Skalecki
Grades: 1st-4th
Cost: \$125

“Lego Sop Motion” Tuesdays (2:40-3:30)

In Lego Stop Motion, you will be creating a stop motion animation with your favorite Lego characters and sets! You will brainstorm, write, and storyboard a story and then use Legos and a stop motion app on iPads to bring it to life as a stop motion animation.

Instructor: BIG Interactive
Grades: 3rd-5th
Cost: \$200

“Beginning Piano” Tuesday (3:40-4:30)

What has 88 keys but opens no locks? The Piano of course! In this Beginning Piano class the students will be introduced to the Piano. They will learn the names of all of the notes, and learn to play several songs. This is a super class for the beginning student!

Instructor: Eileen Goldfless
Grades: Open to grades 1st—3rd
Cost: \$125

“Continuing Piano” Tuesday (2:40-3:30)

This is a class for students who know the notes and can already can play three songs! If you took beginning piano before then this is the class for you.

Instructor: Eileen Goldfless
Grades: Open to grades 1st—3rd
Cost: \$125

WEDNESDAY CLASSES

“Chess Beginners” Wednesday 2:40-3:30

In this class we will discover the potential of chess; how we can use it to develop problem-solving skills, how to be patient, respect the game and participants, and how to improve our chess skills. This class is designed for children who have never learned how to play chess as well as those who have just started learning. If your child has never taken chess before, we recommended this class to help them continue to learn about the game.

Instructor: Chess Wizards
Grades: Open to All grades
Cost: \$150

“Chess Intermediate” Wednesday 3:40-4:40

Chess is a game which combines creative thinking, logic and analytical skills, spatial relations and pattern recognition, as well as strategic and tactical planning. Making use of all these skills is what makes chess so fascinating as well as challenging. In Advanced Chess we will delve into the concepts of methods of center control, learning classic and modern openings, the strategies of gambits and sacrifices, as well as long range planning and decision making. Chess is a game which involves making sound choices and judgments while also allowing for individual style. To be a good chess player requires the development of focus, patience, and careful planning while also emphasizing the ability to handle challenges with respect, skill, and sportsmanship. Advanced Chess is designed for students who already play chess with proficiency.

Instructor: Chess Wizards
Grades: Open to All grades
Cost: \$150

“Dodgeball” (Wednesday 2:40-3:30)

The most intense and exciting program you have ever seen. The students will learn how to work together, strategize and exercise without even knowing it! There are tons of creative and competitive dodgeball games incorporated into this program – there will never be a dull moment!!! Gatorskin dodgeball will be used which are proven to be the safest dodgeball out there! Safety rules and regulations will be enforced before each class.

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: F.A.S.T Athletics
Grades: 1st-4th
Cost: \$150

“Puppetry” Wednesday 2:40-4:00

Puppetry is exercise for your imagination! Kids will explore the ancient and wildly creative art of puppetry with a professional puppeteer as their guide. We'll create original characters in a variety of puppet styles and learn how to bring them to life using movement, sound, and other theatrical techniques.

Instructor: Honey Goodenough: Puppet Showplace Theater
Resident Artist
Grades: 1st-3rd
Cost: \$200

“Intermediate Piano” Wednesday 2:40-3:30

If your child has already taken beginning piano, or is already familiar with the piano keyboard, and can play three songs, this is the right class for them! In this class we will continue to learn to play lots of fun songs!

Instructor: Eileen Goldfless
Grades: Open to grades 1st-3rd
Cost: \$125

“Gymnastics” Wednesdays (3:45-4:30)

Learn the fundamentals of gymnastics with our East Coast staff gymnasts. Mats, balance beam, horse, rolls and more!

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: East Coast Gymnastics
Grades: Open to grades 1st-4th
Cost: \$150 (8 weeks)

“Piano Club” Wednesday (2:40-3:30)

This is a wonderful class for all levels of students in grades 3-5! Each student in this class will work at their own speed. In addition, each student will have the chance to share with the other students in the class.

Instructor: Eileen Goldfless
Open to Grades: 3rd-5th
Cost: \$125

“Power Rowing” Wednesday (2:40-3:40)

Our goal isn't to get you sweaty and kick you out the door. Our goal is to make you healthier, make your heart, bones, and muscles stronger and to sustain that health over your lifetime. These may seem like lofty goals, but they should be the baseline goals of any fitness studio. The paradigm needs to change from working out today to becoming sustainably fit for life.

Instructor: Brookline Power Rowing
Open to Grades: 6th-8th
Cost: \$150

THURSDAY CLASSES

“Wham Pow Art” Thursdays 2:40-3:30

In this class students will explore the world of comic book art through a variety of projects involving drawing, painting and mixed media. We will bring our own characters to life, create heroes and villains and learn about storytelling, paneling and animation!

Instructor: Brookline Arts Center
Grades: 1st and 2nd
Cost: \$140

“SuperStar Soccer” Thursdays (3:40-4:30)

At Super Soccer Stars, it is our goal to teach soccer skills in a fun, non-competitive, educational environment. Our philosophy is to use soccer to nurture, to build self-confidence, and to develop teamwork in every class. Our specially designed curricula use positive reinforcement and a low child-to-coach ratio to ensure that each child improves at his or her own rate while having endless fun. In this class experienced coaches will use specially developed curricula to introduce skills-tactical elements and team concepts in a challenging and fun environment.

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: Superstar Soccer
Grades: Open to 1st-4th
Cost : \$150

“Parkour” Thursdays 2:40-4:00

Parkour, also known as freerunning or l'art du déplacement originally started outside of Paris in the late 1980's and has since become one of the fastest growing sports in the world. Parkour practitioners learn to navigate their environment and overcome mental and physical challenges in a safe and progressive manner in order to be able to move through any environment. Practitioners, known as traceurs, learn to look at their world through the unique lens of "parkour vision" to turn any environment into a playground for creative expression through movement and physical challenge. Classes are designed to accommodate a wide range of fitness and ability levels, and are all taught by ADAPT-certified instructors.

Instructor: Parkour Generations
Grades: 1st-5th
Costs: 180 for 8 weeks

“Digital Animation” Thursdays 3:45-4:45

Students will learn to use digital animation software, such as Stykz and OpenToonz, to create their own short animated films. Stykz makes it easy for beginners by incorporating pre-made figures while OpenToonz allows for more experienced artists to explore the powerful tools used by Studio Ghibli to bring their ideas to life. This class shows students how to animate step-by-step, allowing them to explore their creativity while learning about storytelling, time-management, and the 12 principals of animation. This class is great for all levels of experience.

Instructor: Empow Studios
Grades: 2nd-6th
Cost: \$200

“Archery” Thursdays 2:40-3:30

Archery should be safe and fun. This balance is critical to make the experience in our programs exciting for all who want to explore the way of the bow. Our 'learn by playing' philosophy enables us to integrate key concepts of the shot process with unique challenges that engage students and give them a goal to work towards.

Instructor: On the Mark Archery
Grades: 2nd-5th
Cost: \$240

“Characters and Comics” Thursdays 3:40-4:30

"This class will focus on character development and storytelling. Over the session, we will experiment with different illustration techniques and design a cast of characters. Through drawing and writing exercises, we will develop our characters' personalities, backstories and create the world they live in."

Instructor: Brookline Arts Center
Grades: 3rd-5th
Cost: \$140

“Knitting Group” Thursdays 3:40-4:30

This class is for students who want to learn or continue knitting. Students will continue to work on their knitting skills by practicing stitches, increasing, decreasing, casting on, and binding off. Each child will have the opportunity to work on a project while learning new knitting skills. A large skein of yarn and a pair of needles will be provided.

Instructor: Roylene Hunte
Grades: Open to grades 2nd-6th
Cost: \$125 for 8 weeks

“Scratch” Thursdays 2:40-3:40

Scratch the surface of programming with Scratch! Developed by M.I.T, the Scratch platform is one of the most engaging ways to teach kids to code. Students learn the basics of computer programming by arranging puzzle-like blocks into lines of code in a drag-&-drop graphical interface. Possible projects include video games, animations, simulators, and even role-playing games. After the class, projects are shared with family and friends, and kids can continue to work on their projects from home. Internet access desired. Learn more about Empow Studios at <https://empow.me>

Instructor: Empow Studios
Grades: 2nd-6th
Cost: \$200

FRIDAY CLASSES

“Hip Hop” **Friday’s (1:50-2:40)**

Hip Hop is an upbeat exercise and dance class for everyone! We play pop music and keep children active by moving to fast music and choreographing simple routines that everyone can learn. No dance experience required. This class is a great first-time exposure to dance and counting beats. A fun time will be had by all.

Located in the Korean Church
Instructor: H2K Fitness
Grades: Open to grades 1st-4th
Cost: \$150 for 8 weeks

“Girls Chemistry Lab **Fridays (1:50-2:50)**

Chemistry is cool! Engaging hands-on projects will transform you into a junior scientist. Unlock the secrets of the lab to create soaps, lip balms, and customized concoctions. Explore chemistry formulas to create your own products to take home. Learn about chemical properties and reactions while making fizzing potions and smell good lotions!

Instructor: Wicked Cool For Kids
Grades: 1st-3rd
Cost: \$150 for 6 weeks
Note: This class only runs for 6 weeks

“Curious Creatures” **Fridays (1:50-2:40)**

Over the 8 week course, live animals will be visiting Pierce - with discussions focusing on how each animal affects our environment, how we as a population can preserve each creature for the future, and any special characteristics that allow the animals to survive in our ever changing environment. One of our Curious Creatures staff members will bring a variety of animals for the program. We always bring a baby alligator and a big snake! We will bring approximately 10- 12 different species. Discussion will focus on how the animals presented effect our environment and how we as a population can preserve them for the future. Discussion will also cover each animal’s special characteristics that allow them to survive in our ever changing environment.

NOTE: NO snacks allowed in Curious Creatures

Instructor: Curious Creatures
Grades: Open to grades 1st-4th
Cost: \$180 8 weeks

“DEILAB-Lego Innovation” **(Fridays (1:50-2:50))**

Deilab unlocks the power of innovation through LEGO based design, engineering projects and challenges. If you love legos and want to learn through building then this class is for you as you will explore form, function and scale through hands-on project based learning and testing with LEGO. Some things that we will be building are soap box racers, sky scrappers, and airplanes. Kids will build self-confidence and develop critical thinking and most importantly have fun.

For more information see www.deilab.com

Instructor: Deilab
Grades: 1st-4th
Cost: \$160

Registration Information

1. To Register for classes go to the website:

<http://register.asapconnected.com/default.aspx?org=3344>

or log onto the psed website at www.psedbrookline.org (under enrichment registration)

If you have previously registered for a class you just need to click on the login button and enter in your username and password

2. Choose the classes that you would like to register your child for

3. Once you pick a class click on the register now link

4. If you would like to register for more than one class then click continue shopping if not click on the link to create an account

5. Enter your child's name (If you are registering for more than one child click on the add another registrant link) and then create a log in name and password

6. Fill out the required registration information such as you contact information, your child's grade, etc.

7. Select a payment method (Either credit card or check)

8. Once your payment is processed you will receive a confirmation e-mail saying that your child is registered.