

FALL 2017 – MURWOOD PTA AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT

Registration

STARTS on August 17 Welcome Back Day

ENDS on [Tuesday, September 5th](#) or by vendor deadline/please see flyers

Classes START the week of [September 18th](#) through the week of [December 11th](#) unless otherwise noted by vendor.

Enrollment for all afterschool classes is directly through the course provider. Instructions for registering for each class are on the PTA website or go directly to the vendors site. SEE BELOW. Go to www.murwoodpta.org, and click on the soccer ball to find the FALL 2017 ASE course offerings. Registration packets are also available in the school office. Register now and secure your spot! Classes fill quickly and class size is limited.

Murwood PTA Afterschool (ASE) policy

>> Courteous and attentive behavior is expected. A student can be withdrawn without a refund at the teacher's discretion, if there is any consistent inappropriate classroom behavior. Do your best to anticipate your child's interest level.

>> All classes begin at 2:40 (except for K only classes), immediately following dismissal from school, except some music lessons.

Students are expected to go to directly to their afterschool classroom when the bell rings.

>> Any student taking a class that starts later than 2:40, like piano lessons, must be supervised by a parent/guardian or Keyspot after school until the class starts.

>> Unattended students will be withdrawn from their ASE classes without a refund.

>> Unregistered siblings are not permitted to attend ASE classes.

>> Keyspot kids are escorted to and from their classrooms. To register for Keyspot, contact the awesome Keyspot staff at (925) 932-8118. Keyspot Director is Garnet Shah.

>> Students must be picked up at the classroom or in front of the school after school enrichment class, if they are not registered for Keyspot.

For other inquiries, contact the ASE coordinators, Pamela Downes or Kori Sanom at murwoodase@gmail.com or leave a message in the school office for us.

Offerings for Kinders

Beginning Choir
Music (piano or guitar)
Toyology
Yoga & Gymnastics

New Classes this term

Sewing for Kids!
Maker Mania Lab!
Mini MBA Inventing for Kids!
Star Wars Drawing Class!
Flag Football
Broom Hockey

COURSE OFFERINGS: **Arts, Craft and Music**

NEW SEWING FOR KIDS 1st-5th Tuesdays by A+ Spanish of The Spanish Academy
Creative kid-friendly environment to teach basic sewing techniques. Great learning skills for all ages!

MURWOOD BEGINNING CHORUS K-1st Monday with Mr. Jones
The program has been designed to help children with following direction and building social skills all while having fun. There are no community performances for these kids.

MURWOOD SHOW CHOIR 2-5th Wednesday with Mr. Jones
The Murwood Show Choir is a well-known and respected vocal performance group. This group performs in a variety of venues in Walnut Creek and for local service organizations.

NEW Star Wars Drawing Class 1st-5th Fridays with Village Music
Learn to draw all your favorite characters from Star Wars! Students learn to build character structure, outlines, and shading techniques.

GITAR, UKULELE OR PIANO LESSONS K-5th Thursday by Village Center for the Arts
We are proud to offer students an essential element of a well-rounded academic education. Each student will learn music notation, music theory, ear training, proper technique, composition and more. Semi or private lessons available.

Academic, Science and Technology

TOYOLOGY K-4TH Wednesday by Sarah's Science
An award-winning science class. Kids build a new toy each week to illustrate basic concepts of science. They have been offering project-based science classes for more than 25 years. New and returning students are welcome. Project highlights include magnetic Gaussian roller coaster, balanced bot, air cannon, and more!

NEW MAKER MANIA! 1st thru 5th Fridays by Joanne Papini Owner of MakerLab Extreme!
Run by a STEM Specialist at WUSD, we bring you the Makers Fair! Each week a mobile makers cart will bring you everything you need to design, build, and create! Toy motors, batteries, bearings, LED's, switches, and much more! Group and individual project making! www.makerlabextreme.com

NEW MINI MBA for Young Inventors 1st thru 5th! Mondays by Joanne Papini Owner of Makerlab Extreme!
Learn how to create a cool new product or business. Make prototypes, play games while learning how to make a business plan, find manufacturing, estimate profits, advertising and more!

CHESS 1ST-5TH Tuesdays by The Berkeley Chess School
The ultimate critical thinking game is fun and easy to learn! Outsmart your opponent while improving reading, science and math skills and develop patience and sportsmanship.

SPANISH 1ST-5TH Tuesdays taught by Reyes Hernandez.
Students will learn vocabulary related to a variety of everyday themes, practice using within sentences and master useful phrases. The program uses a full immersion approach and students learn while singing songs, playing games and doing hands on projects.

COOKING 'ROUND THE WORLD 1ST-5TH Thursdays by Cooking'Round the World

Learn about a different country every week while preparing and sampling their food. Combine culinary skill with culture and end up with delicious and world-welcoming experience.

* * BODY AND MIND * *

Yoga TK-5th Fridays with Suzette Dewan

Yoga helps children build strength and flexibility while improving concentration and relaxation skills. Sun salutations, partner yoga, yoga ball games and more! Each class ends with a spray of rose water during relaxation pose.

Gymnastics TK-5th Tuesdays with Suzette Dewan

Learn basic tumbling and improve body awareness, coordination and strength. We will start with forward rolls, straddle rolls and leaps and move on to cartwheels, handstands and walkovers. Children will get one on one attention as they take turns learning a skill. Wear loose fitting shorts or pants and a snug top. Kinders will be walked to and from Keyspot. Class size is limited.

BROOM HOCKEY 1st-5th Wednesdays by FitKidsAmerica

This is one of our new and exciting classes. This hockey class is no contact and no ice. Your child will learn the basics of Hockey. The kids will play with brooms and whiffle balls. They will learn a variety of skills; such as how to control the ball down the floor and shooting on goal. Come learn how the big boys play on the ice!!

HIP HOP/JAZZ COMBO 1st-5th Mondays by FitkidsAmerica

Your children will learn the style and movement that mixes pop, hip hop and jazz dance to the modern music of today while learning all the latest moves of today. This class will also increase your strength and flexibility. Put on a performance for your family on the last day of class.

FLAG FOOTBALL 1st-5th Tuesdays by FitKidsAmerica

Ready for some football! Learn football basics through drills, obstacle courses and strength training with an emphasis on team work. Increase agility, speed and self-esteem. Intramural games will be played each class. No tackling, just fun! Super Bowl will be played on the last day of the session. Group will be split by age and ability.

GIRLS RUNNING CLUB 3rd-5th Tuesday and Thursday by Girls on the Run of the Bay Area (GOTR)

Build your daughters confidence thru running! A team of 15 girls will make new friends, build leadership skills and celebrate all that makes them unique. Each day consists of a lesson, movement based games, and running work out. Practices are twice a week and the season ends with a 5K run at Golden Gate Park! Whether you run, walk, skip or hop to the finish line, you will do it with your team!

See next page for Cost, Dates and Time

