

# Class Descriptions:

## **STEM Discovery**

In STEM Discovery, young explorers will dive into the exciting worlds of science, technology, engineering, and math through hands-on experiments, creative challenges, and real-world problem solving. Each week brings a new adventure—from building bridges and launching rockets to exploring chemical reactions and designing simple machines.

With an emphasis on Science and Math, this class encourages critical thinking, teamwork, and curiosity while helping kids discover the *how* and *why* behind the world around them. Whether they're stacking, coding, testing, or tinkering—students will have fun, get messy, and grow more confident in their ability to think like scientists and engineers.

## **Ultimate Adventures PE**

In Ultimate Adventures, students will run, climb, jump, and conquer as they move through exciting physical challenges designed to build strength, coordination, and confidence! With access to our indoor ninja obstacle course, rock climbing wall, and specialized equipment unique to our area, every week offers a new adventure in movement.

From relay races to climbing quests to team games, kids will develop gross motor skills, teamwork, and perseverance—all while having a blast. This is so much more than your average PE class!

## **Alphabet Explosion (Pre-K & K)**

In Alphabet Explosion, early learners will dive into the exciting world of letters and sounds through hands-on activities, songs, stories, and play. Each class is bursting with movement, music, and multisensory fun to help students build strong foundations in phonemic awareness, letter recognition, and beginning sounds.

From silly sound games and alphabet adventures to crafts and movement-based learning, kids will stay active and engaged as they lay a foundation for reading.

Designed for Pre-K and Kindergarten\* students who are just beginning their reading journey.

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## **Literature Links (1st-3rd)**

In Literature Links, early elementary students will explore beloved picture books and early chapter books through fun, hands-on activities that bring stories to life. Each class connects reading with creative expression through crafts, dramatic play, storytelling, and simple writing to deepen comprehension and spark imagination.

As students listen, read, and respond to texts, they'll build key literacy skills like story sequencing, character understanding, vocabulary development, and reading fluency—all while developing a lifelong love of reading.

Perfect for 1st\*-3rd grade students ready to read, imagine, and make meaningful connections through books!

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## **Lit Legends (4th–6th)**

In Lit Legends, upper elementary readers will dive into powerful stories, unforgettable characters, and rich discussions that bring books to life. From thrilling adventures to historical fiction, poetry, and real-world nonfiction, students will read a variety of texts that challenge their thinking and stretch their imaginations.

Each week, students will explore literary elements, build comprehension skills, and sharpen their ability to think critically, make connections, and express their ideas confidently. With collaborative activities, creative responses, and meaningful discussions, this class helps students not only understand what they read—but *why* it matters.

## **Art**

In this hands-on art class, students will explore foundational skills through engaging projects that nurture creativity and confidence. Starting with the basics and expanding into more advanced techniques for older students, we will cover the seven elements of art and beyond.

Students will use a variety of tools and materials and gradually transition as the year progresses. Lessons are skill-based and theme-driven, with each month introducing a new focus.

By the end of each month, students will apply what they've learned to complete a finished project, such as a painting or mixed-media piece. Through this process, they'll learn not only how to use art tools properly, but also how to express themselves with creativity and purpose in a structured, respectful environment.