

Herod Enrichment Class Schedule - SPRING 2017

MONDAY

Course Name	Grade	Day	Time	End	Room	Tuition	Fees	Total
Art Mixed Media	K-1	Mon	3:30	4:30	Art Room	200.00	25.00	225.00
Baseball	K-3	Mon	3:30	4:20	Park	210.00	Glove	210.00
Cake Decorating	K-5	Mon	3:30	4:30	Room 158	200.00	30.00	230.00
Fencing	1-5	Mon	3:30	4:30	Cafeteria	240.00	0.00	240.00
Karate	K-5	Mon/Wed	3:30	4:45	MPR	335.00	Uniform	335.00
Mad Science	PK-K	Mon	3:30	4:15	Room 181	210.00	0.00	210.00
Sewing	2-5	Mon	3:30	4:30	Room 194	210.00	30.00	240.00
Spanish	K-5	Mon	3:30	4:30	Room 213	280.00	0.00	280.00

TUESDAY

Course Name	Grade	Day	Time	End	Room	Tuition	Fees	Total
Art Mixed Media	2-5	Tues	3:30	4:30	Art Room	210.00	25.00	235.00
Ballet Folklorico Dance	1-5	Tues	3:30	4:45	5th Grade Pod	210.00	Outfit	210.00
Basketball	2-5	Tues	3:30	4:20	Courts/MPR	220.00	0.00	220.00
Chess – Beg/Int.	K-5	Tues	3:30	4:30	Room 195	210.00	0.00	210.00
Chess- Adv. Tourn.	1-5	Tues	3:30	4:30	Room 188	225.00	0.00	225.00
Computer Coding+	3-5	Tues	3:30	4:40	Computer Lab	210.00	0.00	210.00
Cooking-Tiny Chefs	PK-1	Tues	3:30	4:30	Room 158	220.00	30.00	250.00
Creative Writing	3-5	Tues	3:30	4:30	Room 190	210.00	5.00	215.00
Sewing	2-5	Tues	3:30	4:30	Room 194	210.00	30.00	240.00
Soccer	PK-2	Tues	3:30	4:20	Playground	220.00	0.00	220.00
Soccer	2-5	Tues	3:30	4:30	Playground	220.00	0.00	220.00

WEDNESDAY

Course Name	Grade	Day	Time	End	Room	Tuition	Fees	Total
Club Etiquette	PK-5	Wed	3:30	4:30	Room 212	260.00	25.00	285.00
Engineering	2-5	Wed	3:30	4:30	Room 205	310.00	0.00	310.00
Flag Football	2-5	Wed	3:30	4:20	Playground	220.00	0.00	220.00
Gymnastics	PK-2	Wed	3:30	4:15	Cafeteria	220.00	0.00	220.00
Gymnastics	2-5	Wed	3:30	4:30	Cafeteria	220.00	0.00	220.00
Karate	K-5	Mon/Wed	3:30	4:45	MPR	<i>(continued from Monday)</i>		
Mad Science	1-5	Wed	3:30	4:30	Room 183	240.00	0.00	240.00
Piano Keyboarding(Beg)	K-5	Wed	3:30	4:20	Room 188	250.00	30.00	280.00
Piano Keyboarding(Adv)	3-5	Wed	4:25	5:15	Room 188	250.00	30.00	280.00
Sewing	2-5	Wed	3:30	4:30	Room 194	210.00	30.00	240.00
Zumba	K-5	Wed	3:30	4:20	1 st Grade Pod	210.00	0.00	210.00

THURSDAY

Course Name	Grade	Day	Time	End	Room	Tuition	Fees	Total
Clay Creations	2-5	Thurs	3:30	4:45	Art Room	210.00	30.00	240.00
Cooking-Little Chefs	2-5	Thurs	3:30	4:30	Room 158	230.00	45.00	275.00
Engineering	PK-2	Thurs	3:30	4:30	Room 171	310.00	0.00	310.00
Guitar (Beginner)	1-5	Thurs	3:45	4:30	Room 108	245.00	20.00	265.00
Guitar (Advanced)	2-5	Thurs	4:30	5:15	Room 108	245.00	20.00	265.00
Mad Science	PK-K	Thurs	3:30	4:15	TBA	210.00	0.00	210.00
Mad Science	1-5	Thurs	3:30	4:30	Room 183	240.00	0.00	240.00
Robotics	1-5	Thurs	3:30	5:00	Room 189	300.00	0.00	300.00
Team Games	3-5	Thurs	3:30	4:30	MPR	210.00	0.00	210.00
Theater	K-5	Thurs	3:30	4:30	Room 106	210.00	0.00	210.00
Violin (Beginner)	1-5	Thurs	3:30	4:20	Room 212	245.00	20.00	265.00
Violin (Advanced)	2-5	Thurs	4:25	5:15	Room 212	245.00	20.00	265.00

FRIDAY

Course Name	Grade	Day	Time	End	Room	Tuition	Fees	Total
Ballet Dancing Stars	PK-2	Fri	3:30	4:30	Cafeteria	200.00	50.00	250.00
Crafty Girl Creations	1-5	Fri	3:30	4:30	Room 195	200.00	35.00	235.00
Crafty Tykes Art	PK-K	Fri	3:30	4:30	Room 177	190.00	25.00	215.00
Golf (Little Birdies)	1-5	Fri	3:30	4:30	Playground	200.00	0.00	200.00
Model Building 101	1-3	Fri	3:30	4:30	Room 202	200.00	35.00	235.00
Piano Keyboarding(Adv)	K-5	Fri	3:30	4:20	Room 198	250.00	30.00	280.00
Piano Keyboarding(Beg)	K-5	Fri	4:25	5:15	Room 198	250.00	30.00	280.00
Team Games	K-2	Fri	3:30	4:30	MPR	210.00	0.00	210.00
Tennis	2-5	Fri	3:30	4:30	Courts-Park	190.00	Racquet	190.00

Herod Elementary PTO After-School Enrichment Program
CLASS DESCRIPTIONS
January 9, 2017 – May 12, 2017

Art/Mixed-Media (Grades K-1 Mondays) and (Grades 2-5 Tuesdays) Children will explore new art media, learn new skills, and creatively express themselves as they work with a variety of materials, including: painting, drawing, sculpture, printmaking and mixed media. Children will explore a variety of art media and basic art fundamentals such as line, shape, color and texture while gaining new art skills. (Taught by Ms. Marla Roberson, Herod Art Teacher)

Supply Fee: \$25.00

Maximum: 12 students

Ballet-Dancing Stars (Grades PreK-2) This educational and developmental dance class incorporates ballet techniques, skills and posture; balance; gross and fine motor development; flexibility; grace; and poise. Designed to give students a foundation and appreciation for ballet using age-appropriate music and moves. An on-site recital is put on by the students twice a year, showcasing what the kids have learned. Dancing Stars, it's "tutu" much fun! (Taught by Stretch-n-Grow of Houston)

Supply Fee: \$50 (Includes Performance Outfit, Hair Bow & Bag)

Ballet Folklorico (Grades 1-5) Learn different styles of this traditional Mexican folk dance. Students will also learn about the history of the dance and improve their Spanish language skills. Girls will need low-heeled shoes and a practice skirt; boys will need boots. Students will dance hard in this class and need to practice at home, but the hard work will be rewarded when they perform for family and friends at the end of the semester. (Taught by Ms. Pilar Huitron)

Minimum: 5 students

Baseball & Softball (Grades K-3) This class will teach your son or daughter the correct fundamentals in the three major aspects of baseball or softball. Throwing, fielding and hitting will be emphasized and students should bring their own gloves. Rules of the game will also be taught during in-class scrimmage games. Class will be held on playground. (Taught by Athletes After School)

Basketball (Grades 2-5) Learn the fundamentals of basketball as students play this exciting sport. Students will focus on the basics of the game, as they learn to dribble under control, shoot and pass. Rules of the game will be taught during in-class scrimmage games. Class will be held on the basketball court at Gail Reeves Park (and in the Multi-Purpose Room when available) with warm-up exercises taking place on outside playground. (Taught by Athletes After School)

Cake Decorating (Grades K-5) *Cake, Cupcake and Cookie Decorating* would be a better name for this class! Young bakers will uncover their skill as they put the icing on their cakes, cupcakes and cookies. They will also bring home their treats most weeks. Parents, please note ANY food allergies at registration time. (Taught by Ms. Sally Lewis, Herod Technology Specialist)

Supply Fee: \$30.00

Maximum: 15 students

Chess – Beginner & Intermediate (Grades K-5) Beginners will learn how to play chess and develop a love for the game. Intermediate players are those who know the pieces and rules of the game and are looking to develop game strategy. Studies have shown chess to provide children with higher problem-solving abilities. Skills utilized in chess transfer well to all aspects of school and life! (Taught by Mr. Ron Gelbart)

Maximum: 12 students

Chess – Advanced Tournament Play (Grades 1-5) For those Chess players who are ready to enter the realm of tournament play. Students will become members of the US Chess Federation and become eligible to play in weekend tournaments. Learn notation, use of time clock and advanced strategies. This is competitive Chess. (Taught by Mr. Steve Zarwulkoff)

Clay Creations (Grades 2-5) Its hard to find a medium more fun than clay! This class will instruct students in hand-building and clay sculpture techniques. They will also learn to use special tools and how to create a finished product.

Beginners and advanced students alike will enjoy creating at their level. (Taught by Ms. Marla Roberson, Herod Art Teacher)

Supply Fee: \$30.00

Maximum: 12 students

Club Etiquette -From Alarming to Charming (Grades PreK-5) Join friends for this interactive class with new activities each semester! Students won't even know they are learning the following "Social Graces": table manners, telephone manners, proper introductions, poise & posture, dining graces, greetings, handshakes, plus a whole lot more. Your child will learn to appreciate and understand the importance of proper etiquette in any setting he or she may find themselves in. Positive incentives and parent/child reinforcements are sent home to enhance your child's new skills. (Taught by Club Etiquette)

Supply Fee: \$25.00

Minimum: 7 students

Computer Coding+ (Creative Computing: Coding and More) (Grades 3-5) Class description will come soon. Ms. Lewis is in the process of developing the course curriculum. (Taught by Ms. Sally Lewis, Herod Technology Specialist)

Maximum: 12 students

Cooking- Little Chefs (Grades 2-5) Students will participate in all aspects of the food cooking process to create healthy and delicious meals in a series that will include an assortment of gourmet-style dishes served for breakfast, lunch, dinner and dessert. Students learn to use kitchen utensils, kitchen gadgets, a stove eye and a toaster oven. Students are required to measure, stir, cut, sauté and enjoy a variety of preparation techniques taught to Chefs around the world. (Taught by Valli'er of After-School Enrichment Arts and Crafts Classes)

Supply Fee: \$45.00

Minimum: 6 students

Cooking- Tiny Chefs (Grades PK-1) Hands-on delicious, nutritious, healthy food FUN in preparing a variety of raw, seasonal veggies and fruits for breakfast, lunch, dinner or snack time. This is a 'making and eating' class designed specifically for K-1st graders. (Taught by Valli'er of After-School Enrichment Arts and Crafts Classes)

Supply Fee: \$30.00

Maximum: 7 students

Crafty Girl Creations (Grades 1-5) Students will have a blast creating "crafty projects" they can wear or use, like tutu's, flip flops, purses, notebook covers, decorative clipboards, picture frames and many more! We will work with fabric-oriented pieces and other artsy materials. This is a unique class that will appeal to those with a heart for craft-making. (Taught by Ms. LaTarsha Kelley)

Supply Fee: \$35.00

Crafty Tykes Art (Grades PK-K) The craft craze has come to our youngest students. Our Pre-Ks and Kinders will explore their creativity as they work on weekly arts and crafts projects designed just for them. (Taught by Ms. Krystal Norman of Herod)

Supply Fee: \$25.00

Maximum: 8 students

Creative Writing (Grades 3-5) If you are a student with a love for reading and/or writing, Creative Writing is for you! Join an exciting and imaginative experience where students will explore the many genres of the creative writing world. Students will be introduced to the creative process of writing books, poems, and even movie scripts! At the end of the semester each student will have their very own book to show off and read to others! (Taught by Ms. Arcelia Diaz, Herod Teacher)

Supply Fee: \$5.00

Minimum: 5 students

Engineering (Grades 2-5 Wednesdays-Civil, Chemical & Computer Software Engineering) (PK-2 Thursdays- Civil, Chemical & Robotics Engineering) **WEDNESDAYS:** Apprentice students will put on their **civil engineering** hard hats on for the first half of the semester. As civil engineers, apprentices will learn by designing, building, and testing

their own roads, bridges, skyscrapers, and more! Students use the engineering design process to take their critical thinking skills to the next level, and have a blast building structures out of tasty treats. Our budding engineers turn to **chemical engineering** later on in the semester. Students lead their own chemical experiments to build on their knowledge of chemical properties. Students take ownership of their projects and use their knowledge on fundamental concepts of solids, liquids, and gases to create a range of fun mixtures, polymers, and non-Newtonian fluids! For the final part of the semester we will turn our attention to the exciting world of **computer software engineering**! Students will develop their coding and programming skills by designing and developing simple video games, and learn how to incorporate video sensing into their games, using laptops and MIT's Scratch programming software. **THURSDAYS:** For the first part of the semester, juniors will explore the world of **civil engineering**. One of the oldest disciplines in the vast field of engineering - Our students dive into a world of designing and creating skyscrapers and bridges. Through open and focused exploration, students are able to explore the possibilities of building and construction. Later on in the semester juniors will move onto **chemical engineering**. This program is designed to introduce young engineers to fundamental concepts of solids, liquids, and gases, and mixtures. Students investigate the properties of several crazy concoctions and make their own samples of bubbles, play dough, bouncy balls, and more! We will end the semester with **Lego Robotics Engineering**. Junior Engineers will use LEGO® WeDo Educational kits and software, as they learn how to build and program robots they can relate to (animals, vehicles, etc)! (Taught by Greater Houston Engineering For Kids)
Maximum: 15 students

Fencing (Grades 1-5) Fencing is unique, athletic, mentally stimulating, artistic and above all, FUN! Fencing is a lifetime sport that provides participants with both a physical and mental challenge. Students who take this course improve their reaction time as they learn the fundamental moves and commands of fencing. Students will also learn the history behind this sport of knights and swashbucklers. (Taught by Houston Sword Sports)
Maximum: 24 students

Flag Football/Conditioning (Grades 2-5) Are you ready for some more football? Now your child can learn the basic rules of the game through this non-contact sport. They will enjoy learning stretching techniques and conditioning that can be used in any sport. Class will be held on school playground. (Taught by Athletes After School)
Maximum 20 students

Golf (Little Birdies Golf) (Grades 1-5) Little Birdies' Golfers will learn the concepts, skills and fundamentals of Golf with an emphasis on character development. Golf skills covered include: Golf Terminology; Golf Topography; the Difference between Irons, Woods and Putters; Body Alignment; Ball Contact; Putting and Driving Techniques; and Overall Swing Consistency. Life skills impacted include: Critical Thinking and Social Skills; Comprehension and Estimation Skills; Decision Making Skills, Patience and Focus; Concentration and Self-Esteem; Math Skills; Overall Physical and Mental Health. All equipment necessary will be provided. (Taught by Little Birdies Golf)
Minimum: 5 students

Guitar (Beginner Grades 1-5 and Advanced Grades 2-5) Students will be taught the art of playing classical guitar which includes: technique, sight-reading, chord recognition, and performance etiquette. Students will be able to use the school's guitars during class, but need to have their own guitar to practice with at home. Students should be sized for their guitar prior to purchase. All participants will be encouraged to participate in an end of semester performance. (Taught by Ms. Penny Hoxter-Pershell)
Supply Fee \$20.00
Maximum 8 students per class

Gymnastics With Coach Heather (Grades PreK-2 and 2-5) Your child will enjoy participating in this exciting class once a week. They work in areas of floor tumbling, balance beam, and mini-trampoline. Three goals are set for each student: to have FUN; to control our bodies both physically and mentally; and to learn to work HARD. (Taught by Token Tumblers)
Maximum 25 students per class

Karate/Martial Arts (Grades K-5) This is a self-defense class where students will be taught discipline, respect and self-defense techniques. This class is designed for fun while obtaining a positive learning experience. They will focus on physical and mental development. Some of the topics for this class are: respect, discipline, basic-blocking techniques, and physical fitness; plus games that will teach coordination, balance, flexibility and nutrition. Join us

twice each week to enhance your martial arts skills! (Taught by Soo Bahk Do Moo Duk Kwan Houston)
Supply Fee Optional - \$45 for Karate uniform

Mad Science (PreK-K – Mondays or Thursdays; Grades 1-5 - Wednesdays or Thursdays) Through its innovative concept of “Edu-tainment”, Mad Science has been able to spark the imagination and curiosity of children everywhere. Their goal is to provide fun, entertaining and exciting activities that instill a clearer understanding of what science is really all about and how it affects the world around them. Each semester the Mad Scientists teach new material so you can enroll in the class over and over again. Mad Science offers **Pre-Kinders and Kinders special Monday** classes exclusively for their age group where they can perform experiments, participate in demonstrations and have a take-home item at the end of each class. (Taught by Mad Science of Houston)
Minimum: 8 students per class
Maximum: 18 students per class

Model Building 101 (Grades 1-3) This class is geared toward building things: robots, cars, boats, planes, rockets, and lots of other cool devices. If you love to build things in your spare time; or your imagination is wild and creative, join Mr. Tesch for an awesome adventure in Model Building! (Taught by Mr. David Tesch, Herod Teacher)
Supply Fee: \$35.00
Maximum: 10 students

Piano Keyboarding (Grades K-5) **For Beginners**, the student will be able to learn the basic piano techniques to add expression to their music playing, knowledge of piano playing, note reading, and sight reading ability. Practice at home is recommended. **For the more Advanced student** who has received prior Keyboarding instruction, focus is on further developing their piano techniques. They will continue with their progress on expression, knowledge of piano playing, note reading, sight reading, and the ability to have hand-eye coordination. (Taught by Ms. Rita Martin)
Supply Fee: \$30.00
Maximum: 10 students per class

Robotics (Grades 1-5) Students will learn how to design, build and test remote controlled miniature robots made from LEGO building blocks, including the specialized pieces: axles, gears, beams, wheels, motors, microcomputers, pneumatics and other parts that will enable the student to safely create animated and exciting mechanical movements and other effects. They will understand how things work through hands-on activities that demonstrate the principles of simple and motorized machines, while learning skills of team-work, problem-solving and creative thinking. (Taught by American Robotics Academy)
Minimum: 5 students
Maximum: 15 students

Sewing (Grades 2-5) Revive the skill of sewing in this hands-on sewing class! (Taught by Ms. Audrey St. Germain, Herod Teacher)
Supply Fee: \$30.00
Maximum: 6 students per class

Soccer With Coach Heather (Grades PreK-2 and 2-5) Here’s your child’s opportunity to learn about the great sport of soccer in a fun and exciting environment. We pride ourselves in being flexible enough in our teaching abilities to be able to find a way to reach every student. Our classes are filled with passing and shooting techniques, dribbling drills, goal-keeping skills, proper heading techniques, and basic soccer rules and regulations. Our soccer classes promote Self-Control, Good Sportsmanship and Self-Discipline. Class will be held on the playground. (Taught by Token Tumblers)

Softball (See Baseball & Softball)

Spanish (Grades K-5) Early Language Learners offers foreign language instruction specifically designed for elementary age children. Classes are interactive and fun, exposing students to Spanish through music, visuals, art, games and dance. We use the Natural Approach to second-language instruction, which helps encourage spontaneous response and meaningful communication among students. Numerous activities, lessons and units all work together

to maximize the students' willingness to communicate while providing a language-rich environment. (Taught by Ms. Pilar Huitron)

Team Games (Grades 3-5) Thursdays, (Grades K-2) Fridays. Anyone interested in learning all kinds of new team games? Coach knows them all! As you learn the games, you will also be learning sportsmanship, teamwork, and strategy. Activities will include Capture the Flag, Floor Ball, Ultimate Football and Frisbee, Kickball and much much more! (Taught by Herod's Coach St. Germain)

Maximum: 20 students per class

Tennis (Grades 2-5) Tennis anyone? Learn the fundamentals of tennis; serving, returning and volleying. Students will practice fun drills to develop their skills and understanding the rule of the game of tennis. Classes will be held on the tennis courts at Gail Reeves Park behind Herod. (Taught by Ms. Patricia Brand, Herod Teacher)

Supply Fee: \$0 (but bring your racquet if you have one)

Maximum: 15 students

Theater (Grades K-5) Students will learn basic stage movement, acting, voice control presentation, and set design. Students will start with basic acting techniques, learning to tune in to personal emotions and finding the true actor within. They will move on to learn stage direction and movement, voice and dictation, facial expression as they bring characters to life. Students will present a final production at the end of the semester. (Taught by Main Street Theater)

Maximum: 15 students

Violin (Beginners Grades 1-5, Advanced Grades 2-5) This class will help Herod students to develop their love of music, train patience, and develop dedication for their hobbies at a young age. Beginners will learn basic posture, correct bow grip, open strings, and first position. Within a few classes, students will be able to play songs such as "Mary Had a Little Lamb" and "Twinkle Twinkle Little Star" proficiently. Advanced students will be working on different pieces and techniques according to their personal needs, with special attention to improving tone quality. Students will be encouraged to practice every day at home, and will have opportunities to perform. (Taught by Ms. Rebecca Lo)

Supply Fee: \$20.00

Maximum: 8 students per class

Zumba (Grades 1-5) Zumba for kids! Kids love to crank up the music, shake and wiggle so why not get fit while they're at it? Zumbatomic class is a fun, energizing way for your child to keep fit and healthy. Students will learn many Latin rhythms dancing to kid-friendly songs that promote a healthy lifestyle. (Taught by Ms. Pilar Huitron)