



WINTER 2020 EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITY GUIDE

Please consider an after school activity for your child. Each session is designed to offer different opportunities for our students and no classes have overlapping schedules. *Students who go to after school care when their extra-curricular class is over will not be charged for after care.*

All sessions with days off due to school breaks are indicated and adjusted. **Early Bird Registration and payment is due January 1st. Regular registration and payment is due January 10th** to allow time for planning. Please go to <https://forms.diamondmindinc.com/jms/afterschool> or the school's website, www.jolietmontessorischool.org/why-montessori/extra-curricular-activities page to submit registration and payment. **In order to participate in a club, families must be current with their child's school year tuition.**

Some of the classes require a minimum number of participants. If the number is not met, class will be cancelled and all paid registration fees will be returned.

Please note that some classes have a maximum number of participants.

If your child is registered in the monthly aftercare program, they are eligible to sign up for one extra-curricular activity at the discounted rate of \$100.00 with the exception of Lego,Fit and CODEMOJI Clubs (limit 1 club at discounted rate, early bird discount does not apply).

Enroll early to avoid being placed on a wait list!

If you have any questions, please contact the office.



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Dessert Masters Club: 8 Week Session

Mondays: January 27 — March 23 (No Class on February 17th).

Cost: \$120.00 (Early Bird Registration Discount Rate- \$110.00)

Grades: Primary thru Lower Elementary*

Class time: 3:00-4:00

Has your student been preparing food since they were 3 years old? Hear your child talking of snack preparation in the classroom? Your child can put those skills to work outside the classroom as well. Please join Mrs. Wolf as she assists the children in creating delicious vegan desserts and snacks created in our very own kitchen. The focus will be on utilizing wholesome, healthy ingredients in the recipes. Just think, soon they will be cooking up delicious recipes at home for your family!

Dessert Making Club will require a minimum of 4 and maximum of 8 students to begin. If the minimum number is not met, all money will be refunded and class will be cancelled.

* Eligibility is at the discretion of the club facilitator.

Lego Club: 7 Week Session

Tuesdays: January 28 — March 17 (No Class on March 3rd– 1/2 Day For School Improvement Day).

Cost: \$105.00 (Early Bird Registration Discount Rate- \$95.00)

Grades: 5 Years Old & Up*

Class time: 3:00-4:00

Calling all young Lego Building Extraordinaires! Please join Mr. Owens for some Lego building fun. Each week there will be a new Lego challenge. Build a catapult for the castle siege and learn about tension. Have a blast with baking soda science as we build a Lego volcano. Can you set up a Lego zip line and see how well it holds up when in motion? Find out when you join Lego Club! All of the challenges can be as complicated or simple as you wish depending on your skillset.

Lego Club will have a minimum of 5 students to begin and a maximum of 10.

* Eligibility is at the discretion of the club facilitator.



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Fit Club: 6 Week Session

Tuesdays: March 24 — May 5 (No Class on April 14th).

Cost: \$100.00 which includes a "Fit Club" t-shirt that also serves as entrance fee to Montessori Mile event and will be distributed prior to May 7th.

(Early Bird Registration Discount Rate- \$90.00)

Grades: 5 Years Old & Up*

Class time: 3:00-4:00

It's not just running anymore! Children will learn basic bodyweight exercises, including squats, lunges, push-ups, planks, etc. with Ms. Reid. Each week will be a different workout including these movements plus running outside. Children will also learn about stretching, muscles used, proper nutrition, and how to live a healthy lifestyle. Weather will not be an obstacle for Fit Club. If inclement weather, Fit Club will be held indoors.

Fit Club will require a minimum of 8 students to begin. If the minimum number is not met, all money will be refunded and class will be cancelled.

* Eligibility is at the discretion of the club facilitator.

Scrapbook Club: 8 Week Session

Wednesdays: January 29 — March 18.

Cost: \$120.00 (Early Bird Registration Discount Rate- \$110.00)

Grades: Lower Elementary through Adolescents*

Class time: 3:00 - 4:00

We hope to welcome back our Fall Semester Scrapbookers for another session of scrapbooking. If your child is new to scrapbooking, Ms. Jackie would like to invite them to learn how to preserve those special photos in their lives in a fun and crafty way. Students will learn scrapbooking techniques and tips along the way to create beautiful designs. Scrapbook Club will have four themes (two weeks for each theme) and students will need to bring in 5-6 photos based on those themes. All finished pages will be put into a scrapbook for the student to take home at the end of the 8 week session.

Scrapbook Club does not have a minimum or maximum number of students for class to begin.

* Eligibility is at the discretion of the club facilitator.



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CODEMOJI Club: 8 Week Session

Thursdays: January 30 — March 19.

Cost: \$160.00

Grades: Lower Elementary — Upper Elementary

Class time: 3:00 - 4:00

Does your student love navigating how things work on a computer? CODEMOJI's computer science programs teach students to enjoy all things related to coding and the web while building problem solving and creative thinking skills. Their instructors deliver clear and entertaining ways to ensure that children have fun while learning complex coding skills using popularized emojis that represent HTML text. Students will create STEM-based projects both on and offline to share at home. Your children will also work with circuit boards to understand the basics of currents and work with their instructors to build a handful of fun projects.

CODEMOJI Club will require a minimum of 7 students to begin. If the minimum number is not met, all money will be refunded and class will be cancelled.

* Eligibility is at the discretion of the club facilitator.

Chess Club: 8 Week Session

Fridays: January 31 — April 3 (No Class on February 14th or March 13th).

Cost: \$120.00 (Early Bird Registration Discount Rate- \$110.00)

Grades: Kindergarten thru Adolescents*

Class time: 3:00 - 4:00

The Chess Wizards curriculum is designed to impart the many benefits of learning chess- such as critical thinking, sportsmanship, and learning from our mistakes in a challenging and exciting way. In addition to our lessons and "regular" chess, they incorporate a number of chess variation games that build teamwork and foster a genuine enjoyment of a game that is over a thousand years old!

Chess Wizards will require a minimum of 10 students to begin and a maximum of 14. If the minimum number is not met, all money will be refunded and class will be cancelled.

* Eligibility is at the discretion of the club facilitator.