

LESLEY ELLIS AFTERSCHOOL

2018-2019



ELEMENTARY

Hello Parents,

Welcome to the Lesley Ellis Afterschool program. We are very excited to offer another fun-filled year of classes. Your child can participate in a number of activities, enjoy a snack and hang with their friends.

One of the most exciting things about our program are the activities we offer. Your child will have the opportunity to learn skills in music, language, sports and many more! Each session offers different activities. From Early Childhood to Elementary to Middle School, LES Afterschool is a place for students to connect with their friends in a supportive environment. There is truly something for everyone.

Our faculty and instructors are really excited to share their interests and talents with your child. They have specially designed each activity with fun in mind.

We hope that you will join us this year whether it is for one activity, a couple of activities, or the entire year. Take a look at our brochure and discover what fun awaits.

See you on the playground!
Jeanette Keller
Auxiliary Programs Director
Lesley Ellis School

Elementary Afterschool



SESSION 1

September - October
Thurs. Sept. 6 - Wed. Oct. 31

Monday - Sept.10-Oct. 29

7 weeks

Survivor Junior K-1: These games are fantastic; not only are these activities fun and engaging, they are also an opportunity to learn skills such as teamwork, cooperation and creative thinking.

Survivor w/ Knucklebones, Grades 2-4: Survivor has created some of the greatest challenges on television. Manipulating various challenges, we will work to outwit, outplay and outlast through mental, physical and creative tasks. Working in groups, pairs and individuals, students will be presented with their very own season of Survivor.

Tuesday - Sept. 11-Oct. 30

8 weeks

STOMP, K-Grade 4: Part theater, part movement, part percussion ensemble, "Stomp" is touring group that has been wowing audiences internationally for many years. Join LES after school as we look at some of their performances and create our own dynamic show. Students will learn about "found" percussion instruments (any object can be used to create a sound), simple musical organization and choreography. Using creativity and teamwork, we will move, act, and stomp our way to fun.

Wednesday - Sept.12-Oct. 31

6 weeks

Soccer, K-1 and Grades 2-4: Come join us for soccer skills and friendly games. Work on motor skills, flexibility, eye-foot coordination, and fitness in our class. Soccer also serves as a positive social setting to sharpen the communication, listening, and sportsmanship skills of each student.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

Thursday - Sept. 6-Oct. 25

8 weeks

Storytelling. K-1: Spark your imagination! Use your creative expression to tell your story through simple storytelling games and creative writing.

Let's Make a Podcast!, Grades 2-4: Let's learn about preproduction, recording, postproduction, and publishing. Want to be a great speaker? Join us as we learn about the world of Podcast and create one of our own.

Friday - Sept. 7-Oct. 26

7 weeks

Ball Games, K-Grade 4: If your kid likes to play sports then this is the place to be. Your child will play sports including flag football, soccer, baseball and basketball, as well as games like 4-square, dodgeball, kickball and capture the flag.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

SESSION 2
November - December
Thurs. Nov. 1 - Wed. Dec. 19



Monday - Nov. 5-Dec. 17 *6 weeks*

Chess for Everyone K-Grade 4: Come learn lessons and traditional gameplay with **Chess Wizard Sam**. We will incorporate variations of chess games that build teamwork and foster a genuine enjoyment of the game!

Tuesday - Nov. 6-Dec. 18 *7 weeks*

Weaving K-1: Explore the basics of weaving with simple materials. Create fun patterns and designs. We will use paper, cardboard looms and more to create weaving projects with Arlington Center for the Arts.

Sewing, Grades 2-4: This course will also provide a young designer with basic knowledge of how to use sewing tools, needlework, cutting shapes and patterns, and creating simple projects. This fun and beneficial class not only will teach attention to details and patience, but also pride in creating a project with their own hands! Class taught by Zoya Designs, Somerville, MA.

Wednesday - Nov. 7-Dec. 19 *5 weeks*

Floor Hockey, K-Grade 4: Experience the thrill and challenges of playing hockey even if you don't know how to skate! Come learn to play this face-paced and exciting game.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

Thursday - Nov. 1-Dec. 13 *6 weeks*

Think Tank, K-Grade 1: Find some clues and get to work solving the problem. Use familiar materials and lots of freedom to explore your own ideas.

ImagArena, Grades 2-4: More than a typical building workshop, ImagArena® combines the spirit of an art program, the materials of a building workshop, and the framework of a video game to provide an experience that engages everyone.

Friday - Nov. 9-Dec. 14 *5 weeks*

Dominoes and Dice Games, K-Grade 4: They're easy to play and use many of levels of thinking. Reinforce number skills and learn to work cooperatively all while playing simple games with your friends!

SESSION 3
January - February
Wed. Jan 2- Thurs. Feb 28



Monday - Jan. 7-Feb. 25 *6 weeks*

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Think Tank, Grades 2-4: Find some clues and get to work solving the problem. Use familiar materials and lots of freedom to explore your own ideas.

Tuesday - Jan. 8-Feb. 26 *7 weeks*

Pop Video, K-Grade 4: Let's have some fun and make some memories - a do-it-yourself, choreographed music video! Students will channel their inner rock stars as they pick their favorite song, learn the lyrics, and dance and sing along as it's filmed. Lip synching and dressing-up is encouraged, so a fun time is pretty much guaranteed.

Wednesday - Jan. 2-Feb. 27 *7 weeks*

Cooperative Games, K-Grade 4: Come learn the importance of teamwork, cooperation, trust, and problem solving while participating in some cool games and activities.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

Thursday - Jan. 3-Feb. 28 *8 weeks*

Art-venture: Create your own original ideas with your own unique perception and interpretation of art. You will create your own gallery or "Modern Art" each week.

OR

Ski Club*: Skiing down the slopes with your friends is a fun way to spend your winter days. Learn to ski or just fine tune your skills. After a fun afternoon of skiing, you will return to Lesley Ellis School at 7:00p.m. Lift ticket, lesson and transportation for six weeks are included. *Equipment rental available: \$95 (Fitting for rental equipment will be in September.)*

Friday - Jan. 4-Feb. 15 *7 weeks*

Cartooning, K-Grade 1 and Grades 2-4: Love cartoon characters and want to draw them and design your own? Develop drawing skills and create characters through visual storytelling in this fun class. Explore the technique of drawing for comic books.

SESSION 4
March - April
Fri. Mar. 1 - Tues Apr. 30



Monday - Mar. 4-Apr. 29 *8 weeks*

Chess for Everyone K-Grade 4: Come learn lessons and traditional gameplay with **Chess Wizard Sam**. We will incorporate variations of chess games that build teamwork and foster a genuine enjoyment of the game!

Tuesday - Mar. 5-Apr. 30 *8 weeks*

Art Explorers, K-Grade 4: Explore the world of art with fun, challenging projects that help you see the world in a new way. Mixed media, 3D, portrait murals, lettering and design are just a few of the projects we will embark on with Arlington Center for the Arts!

Wednesday - Mar. 13-Apr. 24 *6 weeks*

Basketball, K-Grade 4: March Madness! You'll be the real champ when you learn basketball skills like dribbling, shooting, passing and working with your teammates. You will be challenged through different games and obstacles on the court to help develop fundamental skills.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

Thursday - Mar. 7-Apr. 25 *7 weeks*

Unusual Art, K-Grade 4: From dreamscapes to the abstract angles of cubist portraits, explore art through the lens of the unusual. Students will learn about and mimic the styles of such visionaries as Picasso, Magritte, Dali and O,Keefe.

Friday - Mar. 1-Apr. 26 *6 weeks*

Classic Card Games and More, K-Grade 4: Come learn traditional card games! Develop skills like strategy, communication, mathematics, and much more. All you really need to have a good time is a traditional deck of 52 playing cards. And while everybody has their favorite game, we will learn some new games too!

SESSION 5
May - June
Wed. May 1 - Tues. Jun. 11



Monday - May 6-June 10 *5 weeks*

Think Tank, K-Grade 1: Find some clues and get to work solving the problem. Use familiar materials and lots of freedom to explore your own ideas.

ImagArena, Grades 2-4: More than a typical building workshop, ImagArena® combines the spirit of an art program, the materials of a building workshop, and the framework of a video game to provide an experience that engages everyone.

Tuesday - May 7-June 11 *6 weeks*

Great Group Games, K-Grades 4: Get up and come play games that build communication, trust and academic skills. Work together as a team to solve challenges.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

Wednesday - May 1-June 5 *6 weeks*

Kickball, K-Grade 4: Learn how to play LES teachers' favorite ball game. See why the game is so popular across all age groups. With just a few basic rules you'll be ready to play.

Groups will be separated by grade when possible.

Thursday - May 2-June 6 *6 weeks*

Strategy Games, K-Grade 4: Meet like-minded friends, play your favorite RPG or learn a new game. Role playing games are a great way to use your imagination and intellect, as well as make new friends.

Friday - May 3-June 7 *5 weeks*

Board Game Design, K-Grade 4: Design your own board game with your own theme. Work alone or in a team to design, plan, make and organize how the game is played. Test your game with the others and play their games too!

LESLEY ELLIS AFTERSCHOOL INFORMATION

Each day in afterschool students will participate in an activity. In addition, there is a homework/quiet reading time and an opportunity to play outside. Snack is not provided.

- Afterschool classes are offered in five, 2-month sessions. Sessions are 5-8 weeks long and meet weekly.
- Enrollment is on a first come-first served basis.
- If enrollment is low we will combine activities.
- * Denotes an additional fee
- When we can we will accommodate drop-ins. Please fill out an Extended Hours form in the office. Some activities are not open to children enrolled on a drop-in basis.
- Vacation Program is available on Early Release days and various non-school days.
- Pick-up time is at 5:30. Parents arriving after 5:30 will be assessed a late fee.

- If you have any questions please contact Jeanette Keller at jkeller@lesleyellis.org or at 781-641-5987.

Afterschool also offers instrumental music lessons through Allegro Music School. Parents must enroll in music lessons directly with Allegro Music School.
allegromusic.org

Registration Form LESLEY ELLIS Elementary Afterschool 2018-2019 (Grade 5-8 optional)

Child's name: _____ Grade: _____

Cost: _____ Parents Signature: _____

SEPT. - OCT.

M: ___ Survivor	\$243
T: ___ STOMP	\$272
W: ___ Soccer	\$174
Th: ___ Story Telling/Podcast	\$232
F: ___ Ball Games	\$203

NOV. - DEC.

M: ___ Chess	\$252
T: ___ Weaving	\$275
___ Sewing	\$275
W: ___ Floor Hockey	\$145
Th: ___ ImagArena/Think Tank	\$252
F: ___ Dominoes	\$145

JAN. - FEB.

M: ___ ImagArena K-1	\$252
___ Think Tank 2,3,4	\$252
T: ___ Pop Video	\$203
W: ___ Cooperative Games	\$203
Th: ___ Art-Venture	\$232
___ Ski Club*	\$485
F: ___ Cartooning	\$203

MAR. - APR.

M: ___ Chess	\$336
T: ___ Art	\$272
W: ___ Basketball	\$174
Th: ___ Unusual Art	\$203
F: ___ Card Games	\$174

MAY - JUN.

M: ___ Think Tank K-1	\$210
___ ImagArena, 2,3,4	\$210
T: ___ Team Building Games	\$174
W: ___ Kickball	\$174
Th: ___ Strategy Games	\$174
F: ___ Board Game Design	\$145