

Attached is the list of clubs being offered for the 2nd semester for students in Kindergarten-5th grade. Please review the list, **making note of the grade range**, to see what your child is interested in. Students will be placed in one club each semester. Please read the descriptions below for any important information prior to signing up.

Student selection for clubs will be a lottery. All club sign-up sheets are due Wednesday, January 8. Student names will be chosen randomly and you will receive club confirmation on Friday, January 10. Clubs start the week of January 13, 2020.

We invite all GSA students (Kindergarten-5th) to take part in the clubs that we are offering! Clubs will run on Monday and Thursday from 3:25-3:55. <u>THE ONLY CLUBS OFFERED ON TUESDAY ARE ROBOTICS AND GOTR.</u> Students are to be picked up promptly at the end of clubs (3:55). Students not picked up by 4:05 will be sent to Aftercare at the expense of the parents.

Tutoring is the focus for Tuesdays and some additional tutoring will also be offered on Mondays and Thursdays. Tutoring times are the same as clubs – 3:25-3:55. Your child's teacher will confirm tutoring recommendations with you.

Please know that clubs are a privilege. If a student receives discipline referrals, failing grades or is chronically absent/tardy or has missing assignments, they will not be able to participate in clubs until grades, behavior, assignments and attendance improves. Students who miss 3 days of clubs will be removed from said club.

If you have any questions, please contact Ms. McCann (kmccann@gsastl.org)

Monday Clubs

BOWLING

SPONSORS: MS. WOLF & MRS. McENANEY, MEET IN ROOM 103

GRADE LEVEL: KINDERGARTEN-5TH

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

THERE IS A \$12.00 FEE FOR THIS CLUB. PAYMENTS ARE CASH ONLY AND ARE TO BE GIVEN TO THE SPONSORS BY THE 2ND WEEK OF CLUBS.

Students will have the opportunity to learn beginning bowling skills and bowl using a "real" bowling ball. Parents may pick up directly from the bowling alley at 3:55p.m.

HOMEWORK HELP

SPONSOR: MRS. SCHMOELE, ROOM 208

GRADE LEVEL: KINDERGARTEN-2ND

MAXIMUM: 6 STUDENTS

Students will have the opportunity to receive help with homework or class assignments.

DANCE CLUB

SPONSORS: MRS. PARK & MS. WINSCHEL, MEET IN ROOM 110

GRADE LEVEL: 1ST-5TH

MAXIMUM: 30 STUDENTS

THIS CLUB RUNS FOR BOTH SEMESTERS. STUDENTS MUST AUDITION FOR THIS CLUB. CLUB MEMBERS ARE REQUIRED TO BUY A DANCE TEAM SHIRT. DANCERS DO NEED TO COMMIT TO ATTENDING CLUB EVERY MONDAY AND THURSDAY.

THIS CLUB IS NOT OPEN FOR NEW PARTICIPANTS. THE DANCERS WILL CONTINUE FROM 1ST SEMESTER.

READ-RIGHT-RUN

SPONSORS: MRS. SHAFFER & MS. GOLUBSKI, MEET IN ROOM 202

GRADE LEVEL: 1ST-5TH

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

THIS CLUB RUNS FOR BOTH SEMESTERS. THERE IS A FEE \$25 FOR THIS CLUB AND YOU MUST SIGN UP ON-LINE TO PARTICIPATE. YOU ONLY NEED TO REGISTER ONLINE ONE TIME.

The GO! St. Louis Read, Right, & Run Marathon® (RRRM) was launched in 2001 and quickly gained national recognition, most recently recognized by RUNNING USA as the "2013 Youth Program of the Year." The program's goal is to develop reading-proficient, community-minded and physically fit children in grades K-8 by challenging them to **READ** 26 books, **RIGHT** the community with 26 good deeds, and **RUN** 26.2 miles over a 26 week period. It is a standards-based, sustainable, enrichment program that endorses and supports existing school curriculum. The big race is scheduled for March 28, 2020.

https://gostlouis.org/read-right-run-marathon/

MINDFUL MONDAYS

SPONSOR: MS. NEW, ROOM 201

GRADE LEVEL: 1ST-5TH

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

This is a yoga and meditation club that also incorporates other activities to help enhance attention span.

CARING KIDS

SPONSOR: MRS. GUNN, ROOM 212

GRADE LEVEL: 2nd & 3rd

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will have the opportunity to do community service both in our school and in our community.

HOMEWORK CLUB

SPONSOR: MRS. LEVEQUE, ROOM 102

GRADE LEVEL: 2ND-5TH

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

Students will receive help on any homework that they have. Students will be required to work on IReady or IXL if they do not have an assignment on club day.

TEAM SPORTS

SPONSORS: COACH HENDERSON, MEET IN ROOM 306

GRADE LEVEL: 3RD-5TH

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will play different team sports while learning sportsmanship.

GIRLS ON THE RUN (GOTR)

SPONSORS: MRS. RONZIO & MS. BELOBRAYDIC, MEET IN ROOM 209

GRADE LEVEL: 3RD-5TH

THERE IS A FEE FOR THIS CLUB AND YOU MUST SIGN UP ON-LINE TO PARTICIPATE.

THIS CLUB GOES UNTIL 4:30 EACH TIME DAY.

GIRLS DO NEED TO COMMIT TO ATTENDING EVERY MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

The 20-lesson Girls on the Run curriculum combines training for a 5K (3.1 miles) running event with lessons that inspire girls to become independent thinkers, enhance their problem solving skills and make healthy decisions. All of this is accomplished through an active collaboration with girls and their parents, schools, volunteers, staff, and the community.

https://girlsontherunstlouis.org/about-us/who-we-are

ART CLUB

SPONSOR: MS. CASHEL, ROOM 111

GRADE LEVEL: 3RD-5TH

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

Explore new materials, plan independent projects, or collaborate with friends during this open studio time.

4TH GRADE HOMEWORK HELP

SPONSOR: MRS. WINTER, ROOM 210

GRADE LEVEL: 4TH

Students will have the opportunity to finish homework and get extra help if needed. **STUDENTS WITH MISSING ASSIGNMENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THIS CLUB TO GET CAUGHT UP. PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED THROUGH SIS OR EMAIL IF ASSIGNMENTS ARE MISSING.**

ROBOTICS

SPONSORS: MR. ROYAL & MS. RAE, ROOM 301

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH GRADE

THIS CLUB IS NOT OPEN FOR NEW PARTICIPANTS. THE TEAMS WILL CONTINUE FROM 1ST SEMESTER.

https://www.vexrobotics.com/vexig

HOMEWORK CLUB

SPONSOR: MRS. KEY, ROOM 307

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH

Students will have the opportunity to finish homework and get extra help if needed. STUDENTS WITH MISSING ASSIGNMENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THIS CLUB TO GET CAUGHT UP. PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED THROUGH SIS OR EMAIL IF ASSIGNMENTS ARE MISSING.

STAR GATORS

SPONSOR: MS. BEHRENS, ROOM 205

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH GRADE CYSP STUDENTS

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

Students who are involved in the CYSP Program will have the opportunity to complete different tasks for their medal! Students should bring their CYSP folder to club each week.

MATH CLUB/TUTORING

SPONSOR: MS. FATMA & MR. STEKETEE, ROOM 308

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH

Students will have the opportunity to finish homework as well as receive tutoring.



Thursday Clubs

LEGO CLUB

SPONSOR: MR. OZTURK, ROOM 211
GRADE LEVEL: KINDERGARTEN-2ND

MAXIMUM: 18 STUDENTS

Students will have the opportunity to share their creative side as they construct buildings, vehicles and more. Students may participate in challenges with others in the club during the session.

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MAKERS CLUB

SPONSOR: MS. BEHRENS, ROOM 205
GRADE LEVEL: KINDERGARTEN-2ND

MAXIMUM: 12 STUDENTS

This club is for students to come together to share resources and knowledge, work on projects, connect, and create. We will have some whole group STEM activities sometimes; we have the following "free choice' games, Legos, Magnetic shapes building sets, and others.

ZUMBA

SPONSOR: MRS. HAMILTON, ROOM 104

GRADE LEVEL: 1ST-3RD

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will enjoy dancing "Zumba style".

GATOR CHOIR/MUSIC CLUB

SPONSOR: DR. BURK, ROOM 306

GRADE LEVEL: 1ST-5TH

MAXIMUM: UNLIMITED

Students will have the chance to learn new songs and music games while working on their vocal technique. Gator Choir will perform at assemblies and concerts throughout the year. Students will learn musical games and activities as well.

HOMEWORK CLUB

SPONSOR: MRS. BESMER, ROOM 101

GRADE LEVEL: 2ND-3RD

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

Students will receive help on any homework that they have. Students will be required to work on IREADY or IXL if they do not have an assignment on club day.

SCIENCE CLUB

SPONSOR: MRS. MORGAN, ROOM 204

GRADE LEVEL: 2ND-3RD

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will have the opportunity to do hands-on projects and experiments.

TEAM SPORTS

SPONSORS: COACH HENDERSON, MEET IN ROOM 109

GRADE LEVEL: 3rd-5th

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will play different team sports while learning sportsmanship.

ROBOTICS

SPONSORS: MR. ROYAL, ROOM 301

GRADE LEVEL: 4th **GRADE MAXIMUM:** 6 **STUDENTS**

The aim of the club is to prepare the team for the VEX IQ ROBOTICS. Qualifiers take place nationwide and then, worldwide. Students will learn about and work with robots in this club. **THIS CLUB GOES UNTIL 5:00 EVERY WEEK.**

https://www.vexrobotics.com/vexig

READING CLUB

SPONSOR: MRS. YOL, ROOM 212

GRADE LEVEL: 4TH

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will be given time and a quiet place to catch up on reading.

4TH GRADE HOMEWORK HELP

SPONSOR: MRS. WINTER, ROOM 210

GRADE LEVEL: 4TH

Students will have the opportunity to finish homework and get extra help if needed. **STUDENTS WITH MISSING ASSIGNMENTS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THIS CLUB TO GET CAUGHT UP. PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED THROUGH SIS OR EMAIL IF ASSIGNMENTS ARE MISSING.**

CARING KIDS

SPONSOR: MRS. GUNN,

GRADE LEVEL: 4TH & 5TH **GRADE**

MAXIMUM: 15 STUDENTS

Students will have the opportunity to do community service both in our school and in our community.

THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR CYSP STUDENTS TO EARN COMMUNITY SERVICE AND CHARACTER EDUCATION HOURS.

MATH CONTEST PREP CLUB

SPONSOR: MR. TURAN, ROOM 309

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH ELITE MATH STUDENTS ONLY

Students will practice for math contest and cover some middle school topics.

STAR GATORS

SPONSOR: MRS. LEVEQUE, ROOM 102

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH GRADE CYSP STUDENTS

MAXIMUM: 20 STUDENTS

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SCIENCE FAIR PREPARATIONS

SPONSOR: MR. K

GRADE LEVEL: 5TH GRADE, ROOM 212

Fifth grade students will be able to make an appointment to work with Mr. K on Science Fair Projects. Students do not need to sign up for this as a club but do need to let Mr. K when they plan on working with him. Students may be assigned a time to work with Mr. K if they don't request an appointment.

CREATIVE WRITING

SPONSOR: MS. NEISWANDER, ROOM 203

GRADE LEVEL: 3RD-5TH

MAXIMUM: 10 STUDENTS

This will be a time for the students to work on any creative writing projects that they may have. This can be anything like plays, poetry, and short stories. They will get a chance to receive feedback from a teacher, edit with their peers, have a quiet place to work, and illustrate their writing. Prompts will be given to students who don't already have a piece they are working on.



2nd Semester Club Choices

Student's Name		
Homeroom Teacher		_
Please choose 3 club choices from the attached booklet. Students will be selected for clubs by lottery if the maximum number has been reached. Students will be placed in one club each semester.		
1 st Choice:		
Day the club meets: MONDAY	THURSDAY	
2 nd Choice:		
Day the club meets: MONDAY	THURSDAY	
3 rd Choice:		
Day the club meets: MONDAY	THURSDAY	

All club choices are due on Wednesday, January 8, 2020.

The lottery for clubs will be held and placements will be sent home on Friday, January 10.

Clubs begin the week of January 13, 2020.