

A.C.E. Spring 2020

~ After-School Community Enrichment ~

Winthrop School is proud to announce the Spring 2020 Session of our A.C.E. after-school program. Volunteers from the community alongside Winthrop School staff volunteers will be leading our enthusiastic learners. There is no cost for the A.C.E. program due to supportive funding by the Ipswich ReCreation Department.

Interested in a program? Form is due by Friday, February 14th. Send form in to teachers or scan and email the last page to KNorris@ipsk12.net or LGouzie@ipsk12.net

- **Students will be chosen in a random lottery (limited spots); it is not first-come, first-served.**
- Siblings are NOT guaranteed a spot in the same program or in a program that runs simultaneously.
- You will receive a letter by Wednesday, February 26th informing you whether or not your child got into a program.

Questions? Email or Call Katie Norris, ext. 318 or Lauren Gouzie, ext. 331.

This information may also be found on the Winthrop School Website.

Mondays ~ March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	
Decorating Sweet Treats Grades: K, 1, 2, 3:00-4:00	We'll show you how to turn cupcakes, cookies and more into clever and unexpected treats. It's like art class and cooking class rolled into one. You will take home your creation each week!
Book Buddies Grades: K, 1, 2, 3, 4 3:00-4:00	Be a buddy! It's always fun to explore books with a buddy. In this ACE, older students will be paired with younger students to read and craft together.
Tuesdays ~ March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31	
¡Ven y Habla Español! Grades: K, 1 - 3:00-4:00	Come and Speak Spanish from Day One! As the course progresses, kids will learn how to apply their new language to everyday situations. We will be exploring basic aspects of the Spanish language, singing songs in Spanish, and speaking Spanish as much as possible. Grab your seat before the class fills up!
Ready, Set...Cook! Grades: K, 1, 2 - 3:00-4:00	Join us in creating easy and fun no bake desserts and snacks. Each week we will whip up a new batch of tasty treats for you to take home. Beginning chefs will learn skills including spreading, chopping techniques (using dull/butter style knives), flavor combination and macro-nutrient balance. Let's get 'cooking'!
Floor Hockey Grades: 1, 2 - 3:00-4:00	Come join Mr. Falconieri for floor hockey. Class will consist of skills and drills to start our class off and then class will finish with modified games. All equipment will be provided.
Girls Softball Spring Training: Skills, Drills & Games! Grades: 1, 2, 3 - 4:00-5:00 please note later start time	Join Ipswich Travel Softball for an hour of skills, drills & games! No glove or experience needed!

***Continued* Tuesdays ~ March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31**

<p align="center">Calling All Crafters! Grades: 3, 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Don't recycle those toilet paper rolls just yet, we've got some projects for you! Join us and have fun cutting, glueing, painting, decorating, and creating fun projects from household items! No experience required, just bring your imagination!</p>
<p align="center">History Hounds Grades: 3, 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Do you love to dig into history and discover treasures and secrets from the past? Do you ever wonder what life was like in the Ipswich area 100, 1000 or even 10,000 years ago? Join us at the Ipswich Museum as we get hands on with the objects, artifacts, art, architecture, and knowledge that provide the keys to understanding our fascinating past.</p>
<p align="center">Puzzle Palooza Grades: 3, 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Do you have a love for puzzles? Do you like finding which pieces fit together perfectly to make a beautiful picture? Come join this ACE program for a relaxing after school time free of technology and full of jigsaw puzzles!</p>
<p align="center">High Strung Grades: 4, 5 Orchestra 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Can't get enough of school time lessons? Join Mrs. Scarano and some high school practice buddies to perfect your pieces, direct duets or finesse your form.</p>
<p align="center">Learn to Knit Grades: 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Come learn to knit in this ACE program. We will start with a washcloth and end with a scarf. We will provide colorful yarns and knitting needles. Go home wearing something you made yourself!</p>
<p align="center">The Sewing Circle Grades: 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Tired of having cold feet all winter? Come relax and craft a pair of cozy slippers! We'll cut and clip and sew and stitch, Transform old sweaters into new slippers!</p>


Wednesdays ~ March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1

<p align="center">Come Tell A Story! Grades: 1, 2, 3 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>You have a story to tell! Develop your storytelling skills as we play with words, think in unique ways and shape stories using an oral storytelling tradition. Come use your voice!</p>
<p align="center">¡Ven y Habla Español! Grades: 2, 3 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Come and Speak Spanish from Day One! As the course progresses, kids will learn how to apply their new language to everyday situations. We will be exploring basic aspects of the Spanish language, singing songs in Spanish, and speaking Spanish as much as possible. Grab your seat before the class fills up!</p>
<p align="center">Curtain Call Grades: 3, 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>A look "backstage" into the life of an actor! Learn what it is like to warm up with theater games, go through an audition, and start your journey to becoming a triple threat (an actor, a singer, and a dancer). The stage beckons!</p>
<p align="center">Basketball Grades: 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Calling all interested basketball players! Come join in the fun and play some energetic basketball scrimmages with friends!</p>

Thursdays ~ March 5, 12, 19, 26, April 2

<p>Junior Police Academy Grades: K, 1, 2, 3 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>Join Officer Joe as you explore the jobs of police officers and other safety personnel. We will use hands-on problem solving and work on developing our detective skills!</p>
<p>Challenge by Choice Grades: K, 1, 2, 3 - 3:00-4:00 please note later start time</p>	<p>Work with old and new friends to complete physical tasks and play games that will challenge your mind, body, and heart. We will be using Outward Bound and Project Adventure curriculum and focusing on fun, respect, and teamwork.</p>
<p>Goo Galore Grades: 1, 2 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>Come and have some fun making slime, play dough, and sculpting clay.</p>
<p>Introduction to Stop Animation Grades: 1, 2 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>We will create our own stories and bring them to life with stop animation!</p>
<p>Aromatherapy & Essential Oils Grades: 3, 4, 5 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>Do you want to increase joy? Reduce stress? Get energized? Have a great sleep? Then come learn how to make aromatherapy and the power of essential oils work for you! We will make our own stress reducing roller bottles, sleep inducing pillow and room sprays, invigorating body washes, seasonally scented reed diffusers and more. Let's explore all that aromatherapy has to offer!</p>
<p>Advertise with Art Grades: 4, 5 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>Calling all budding artists! The FRIES committee will be hosting dining out fundraiser events and we need your help in designing and painting a banner to promote the event not only to the school, but to the community. Creative thinking, teamwork, and passion for art will all come into play.</p>
<p>FEMA Ready Kids Grades: 4, 5 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>Ipswich Emergency Management will be presenting the FEMA Ready Kids. This program empowers children and gives real-world connections, teaching kids what to do before, during, and after an emergency while fostering critical 21st-century skills such as problem solving, teamwork, creativity, leadership, and communication. Students will work individually and in teams to research emergencies that can impact communities locally and nationally, and apply creativity and literacy skills to demonstrate their understanding of emergency preparedness. Students who complete this program will receive a Go Kit to bring to their homes, which will contain a flashlight, radio, first aid kit and other emergency supplies to bring home to further their preparedness efforts.</p>
<p>Ipswich - Doing Old Things the Old Way - ICE – An Early Ipswich industry Grades: 4, 5 - 2:00-3:30</p>	<p>Ice – what is it? Why is ice important? How was ice harvested, stored and delivered to local homes, businesses...AND the world!</p>

<p>Print-Making! Grade 4, 5 - 2:00-3:00</p>	<p>Are you feeling artistic? Do you like to draw and design? Come learn how to make stencil prints with freezer paper and learn how to screen print.</p>
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<p>Fridays ~ March 6, 13, 20, 27, April 3</p>	
<p>Ipswich OAK (Outdoor Adventure Kids) Grades K, 1, 2 - 3:00-4:30</p>	<p>Did you know that nature needs you? There are amazing plants and animals living right in our schoolyard and downtown Ipswich. All you have to do is go outside and you will meet them. Join us for five fun nature walk adventures. The goals of this program are to go outside and learn about nature.</p>
 <p>Tiger Tube Grades: 4, 5 - 3:00-4:00</p>	<p>Kids will produce and star in their own sketch comedy show. Think Saturday Night Live for kids. But on Fridays. And not live. Guidance provided by Winthrop's own theater star!</p>
<p>Top Chef Winthrop Grades: 4, 5 - 3:00-4:30</p>	<p>Come put your culinary skills to the test in Season 9 of Winthrop's Top Chef! In this program students will learn new techniques, taste new flavors, and try new food combinations. Each week students will be presented with cooking challenges as they strive for a chance to wear the coveted Top Chef Winthrop chef jacket. A creative, adventurous, and competitive spirit is a must! Come see how you can make your culinary dreams a reality.</p>

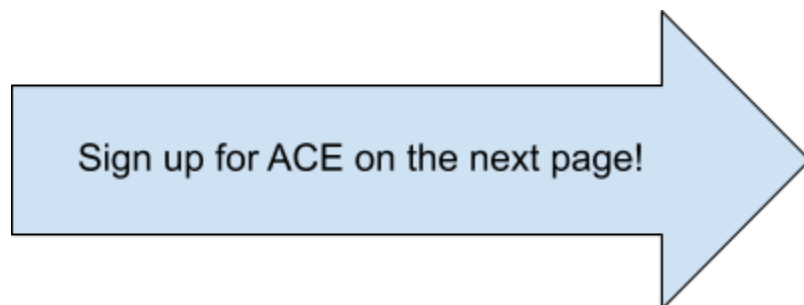
*The ACE program is the direct result of community involvement.
If you would like to see more sessions offered, please consider volunteering.*

~ SAVE THE DATE ~

Tentative dates for the Fall 2020 ACE are the weeks of
October 26, November 2, 9, 16, 30.

We'd love to have you offer a program! Did you know when you volunteer that...

- ❖ We can help you design a program to fit your needs (day, time, age, etc.)
- ❖ Your child automatically gets into a program!



A.C.E. After-School Community Enrichment Lottery & Information Slip

**** THIS FORM IS DUE ON FEBRUARY 14th! ****

PLEASE CHECK YOUR CALENDAR for potential scheduling conflicts before signing up (for example, **Thursday’s EDP schedule, Math Team, I AM and SLC meetings**).

- Please consider your child’s schedule, interests and stamina when signing up for ACE.
- Select the program(s) below that your student is truly interested in.
- Children who have participated in the past should choose a different program
- Remember this is a lottery for placement in programs. If more than one program is of interest, please number to show preference
- We have limited spots and always, sadly, turn students away from ACE programs. It is therefore disheartening if parents withdraw their child from an ACE program when he or she has taken a valuable spot.

Student name: _____ Grade: _____

Classroom teacher’s name(s): _____

Parent/Guardian Contact Information/Name: _____

phone _____ email _____

How my student will get home: ___ walk/ ride bike home ___ EDP
 ___ will be picked up by _____

Allergies: _____

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_____ Curtain Call, Grades 3, 4, 5

_____ Basketball, Grades 4, 5