

## A.C.E. Fall 2018 Offerings

### After-School Community Enrichment ~ Co-Sponsored by Ipswich ReCreation

Winthrop School is proud to announce the Fall 2018 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. Sessions will run for 5 weeks and will begin the week of October 29. **Please note: some programs are 4 week programs.** The ACE program is the direct result of community involvement. If you would like to see more sessions offered, please consider volunteering. **Children who have participated in the past are still eligible, but should choose a different program.**

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

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

#### Mondays ~ October 29, November 5, 26, December 3 (4 weeks NO school November 12)

##### Fabric Fun and Yarn Crafts – Grades: 2, 3, 4, 5 – Mondays, 3:00 - 4:00

Let's make things out of yarn and fabric! Each week we will explore a different project including woven coasters, fabric printing, and friendship bracelets. Homemade crafts make great holiday gifts!

#### Tuesdays ~ October 30, November 6, 13, 27, December 4

##### Choose Kind - Grades: 1, 2, 3 - Tuesdays, 3:00 - 4:00

Come and have fun with Winthrop Alumni! This ACE is run by 9th grade IHS students. Come play a game, make a craft and perform an act of kindness. If you want more kindness in the world, help put it there!

##### ¡Ven y Habla Español! – Grades: 2, 3– Tuesdays 3:00-4:00

Come and Speak Spanish from Day One! As the course progresses, kids will develop an improved connection between their self-expression in English and Spanish. They will learn how to apply their new language to everyday situations. We will be exploring basic aspects of the Spanish language, reading short books in Spanish, and speaking Spanish as much as possible. Grab your seat before the class fills up!

##### Creative Crafts – Grades: 3, 4, 5 – Tuesdays 3:00 - 4:00

Are you creative? Do you love to make and create fun crafts? We will do a variety of craft activities each week. Bring your creative spirit and be prepared to get a little messy!

##### Winter Art Projects – Grades: 4, 5 – Tuesdays 3:00 - 4:00

Come have fun as we create winter art projects.

##### High Strung - Grade 5 Orchestra Students & Experienced String Players - Tuesdays 3:00 - 4:00

Can't get enough of school time lessons? Join Mrs. Scarano as we learn fiddle tunes, Christmas and holiday music from around the world.

##### ¡Ven y Habla Español! – Grades: 4, 5 – Tuesdays 4:00-5:00 (please note later start time)

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## Wednesdays ~ November 7, 14, 28, December 5 (4 weeks NO class October 31)

### Fun with Science! - Grades K, 1 - Wednesdays - 3:00 - 4:00

Come explore different materials and have fun with experiments. We will use lots of different types of materials including bubbles, balloons, and magnets. Be prepared to get messy!

### Go Fisheries! - Grades K, 1, 2 - Wednesdays 3:00 - 4:00

Do you love animals and the ocean? Come learn about ocean creatures that live right here in Ipswich. A fisheries biologist will share tools that she uses, tell how scientists learn about ocean animals, and even bring live animals! Shellfish will be present - please consider allergies.

### LEGO-Greek Gods, Goddesses, and Heroes - Grades K, 1, 2 - Wednesdays 4:00 - 5:00 (please note later start time)

Poseidon! Hera! Hercules! Who are these people? Each week we will read a different Greek myth and learn about the Gods, Goddesses, and Heroes of Mount Olympus. After, we will use LEGOS to create our own scene from the story. Each scene will be photographed so that we can make our own book of mythology at the end.

### Harry Potter's World of Witchcraft and Wizardry - Grades 2, 3, 4, 5 - Wednesdays 3:00 - 4:00

Let's explore the wondrous world of Harry Potter! Are you a Gryffindor, Ravenclaw, Hufflepuff, or Slytherin? Let's find out! Join us as we craft our own wands, brew our own butterbeer, and read each other's tea leaves as we explore our magical sides in Harry Potter's World of Witchcraft and Wizardry.

### Backstage Hands – Grades: 3, 4, 5 – Wednesdays 3:00 - 4:00

A pear tree? A party? A phantom? What is going on? Come find out! Help create and craft props and scenery for the Winthrop shows.

### ESCAPE ROOM - Grades: 3, 4, 5 - Wednesdays 3:00-4:00

Do you have what it takes to make the escape? Join us each week for a new Escape Room challenge, where you'll team up with your fellow adventurers to search for clues, solve puzzles, and race against the clock to escape before time runs out!

### Historic Crafts with the Ipswich Museum – Grades: 3, 4, 5 – Wednesdays 3:00 – 4:00

Come have fun exploring Ipswich's history! Each week we will practice a different historic craft, such as weaving and tin work. Kids will take home a project each week. A walking field trip to the Ipswich Museum will also be included to see craft examples from the past.

### Community Connections - Grades 4, 5 – Wednesdays 3:00 – 4:00

What does it mean to be a good citizen? Students will have a chance to serve the Ipswich community through a variety of service projects. We will discuss what it means to be a good citizen and then over the course of a few weeks, experience the joy of helping others and improving our community. Our first stop-The Ipswich Humane Group. Be Good. Do Good.

**Thursdays ~ November 1, 8, 15, 29, December 6**

**¡Ven y Habla Español! – Grades: K, 1 – Thursdays 2:00-3:00**

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**Gym Jam - Grades 3-5- Thursdays 2:00 - 3:00**

Come run and have some fun playing group games like capture the flag, mat ball, kickball, jackpot, pickle and more.

**Radical Riders – Grades: 3, 4, 5 - Thursdays 2:00-3:30 \*Off-site Pick-up at Willowdale State Forest by Marini Farm\***

Bring your bike, helmet, water bottle, and join this fun group for a weekly mountain bike trail ride in Willowdale State Forest. Learn basic map reading skills to keep yourself safe and understand where you are. Get ready to shred the trail! Riding without training wheels is required, and bikes with gears are necessary.

**Fridays ~ November 2, 9, 16, 30 December 7**

**Top Chef Winthrop– Grades: 4, 5 – Fridays 3:00-4:30**

Come put your culinary skills to the test in Season 6 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.



**Tiger Tube - Grades 4, 5 - Fridays 3:00 - 4:30**

Come star in a series of short Winthrop School Infomercial videos! Show off your silly side and sense of humor as you write, produce, and star in these short films. Guidance provided by Winthrop's own theatre star!

**~ SAVE THE DATE ~ Spring ACE 2019 ~**

Tentative dates for the Spring ACE are the weeks of  
March 4, 11, 18, 25, and April 1.

We'd love to have you offer a program!

## A.C.E. After-School Community Enrichment Permission Slip

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Interested in a program? Slips are due by **Wednesday, October 17th**. Send slips to teachers or scan and email this page to [KNorris@ipsk12.net](mailto:KNorris@ipsk12.net).

- **Students will be chosen in a random lottery. It is not first come, first-served.**
- Siblings are NOT guaranteed a spot in the same program or in programs that run simultaneously.
- If you participated in the past, you are welcome again this year, but choose a different program, please!
- You will receive a confirmation letter by Wednesday, October 24th.
- Please check the program below that the **student** is interested in.
- If more than one program is of interest, please label using 1, 2, 3 to show preference.
- Students are eligible to participate in one ACE program per session.
- **PLEASE CHECK YOUR CALENDAR** for potential scheduling conflicts before signing up (for example, **Thursday's EDP schedule, Math Team, I AM and SLC meetings**).
- 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. Please, please consider your child's schedule, interests and stamina when signing up for ACE.

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Student name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Classroom teacher's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Contact Information/Name: \_\_\_\_\_

phone \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

How my student will get home: \_\_\_ walk/ ride bike home \_\_\_ EDP

\_\_\_ will be picked up by \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_