

Class Brochure

American Sign Language (Grades 3-5)	In this course, students will learn the basics of American Sign Language including the alphabet, numbers, family and animal signs.
Animation (Grades 4-8)	Animation and technology is becoming a new visual art and is being used in many different professional venues. Students will get an amazing experience and creative outlet to learn to use animation skills.
Coding (Grades 1-3)	The 1-3 Coding course will introduce fundamental components of computer programming to students using exciting game based programs. The students will explore new skills through hands on and creative play.
Coding (Grades 4-5)	This class will teach basic coding in a fun and engaging environment. Students will be able to develop programming code with many options to provide a variety of challenges for all levels of programming.
Coding (Grades 6-8)	In this course students will learn the basics of coding through interactive and digital activities. Then they will have an opportunity to showcase what they've learned by designing a video game or app.
Cooking (Grades 4-6)	This course is designed for the young chef that appreciates the creative side of cooking. This interactive cooking experience will include lessons on safe food preparation, recipe use and development, creative use of spices and herbs, and to ultimately development a lifelong love of the culinary arts.
Creative Writing (Grades 3-5)	This Creative Writing course will teach your child how to release their creativity into all different types of writing. We will focus on reading/discussing different examples of excellent creative writing pieces, brainstorming to make a piece of writing more creative, and students will be encouraged to bring their writing to life through creativity.
Creative Writing (Grades 6-8)	Students will learn new ways of expressing themselves through writing. This course will also offer the opportunity to explore different types of writing and other tools used to become a better writer.
Cursive (Grades 3-5)	Learn the art of cursive writing this summer! This course will not only teach the basics of the cursive alphabet, but will also integrate this learning through art, movement, and deciphering "secret messages" during each meeting.

Debate (Grades 4-5)	Debating to win 101! Learn the ins and outs of debating from start to finish. Want to become a more confident speaker? Do you like working as a team? Are you competitive? Then this class is for you.
Debate (Grades 6-8)	Using written components to prepare their debates, students will focus on the articulation of their debates through speaking and listening. Topics will range from "What if" scenarios to pop culture (Should cell phones be allowed at the dinner table?).
Drama/Performing Arts (Grades 1-3)	Drama for Grades 1-3 will explore all aspects of theater; voice, movement, and how to build a story. Students will work together to create, write and perform a play. This course will end with a student performance on the last day of class.
Drama/Performing Arts (Grade 4-5)	This drama camp is a fun-filled experience that teaches kids age-appropriate theater basics while emphasizing creativity and discovery. This may include story writing, voice and music, acting, and movement. The camp will include a culminating showcase on the last day.
Drama/Performing Arts (Grades 6-8)	In this course students will experience a variety of theatre exercises and games in order to build an understanding of acting techniques. The course will culminate with a performance showcasing what the students have learned.
Game Strategy (Grades 2-7)	Students will have the opportunity to learn the finer points of strategic games, such as chess, as well as other games where they can hone their thinking skills. They will be interacting with peers in a fun, structured, caring environment.
Healthy Living (Grades 3-5)	In this session, students will learn and practice strategies for healthy living. We will practice yoga and mindfulness techniques, stress relief, positive thinking and other skills for healthy living to increase resilience and build healthy lifelong habits. Please bring a yoga mat to class if you have one.
Healthy Living (Grades 6-8)	Giving students exciting new ways to explore fitness, wellness and nutrition by exploring meditation, yoga and fun ways to move and cook. Please bring a yoga mat to class if you have one.
Nature Survival (Grades 2-4)	Have you ever wondered how our ancestors lived off of the land? Join us as we immerse ourselves in nature and learn the secrets of survival! This course will take place at Deer Haven Preserve Visitors Center Classroom.

OLSD Ninja (Grades 3-4)	Students will practice and learn the skills, obstacles, and strategies that it takes to tackle "ninja warrior" courses.
OLSD Ninja (Grades 5-6)	Students will practice and learn the skills, obstacles, and strategies that it takes to tackle "ninja warrior" courses.
Visual Arts (Grades 1-3)	The artwork and discussions in this course will be centered around individual and community identity both within Olentangy and on a national scale. Students will create a portfolio of artwork that showcases our discussions and their learning of the artistic process, which includes developing meaningful ideas and translating them into aesthetically pleasing artworks.
Visual Arts (Grades 4-6)	Get ready to create art! Students learn about artworks of current and past artists. Students will grow their art skills and techniques with knowledge to explore and create art. They will be exposed to a variety of artmaking techniques, medias, and projects.
Webpage Design (Grades 5-8)	Do you have a passion you want to share with others? Webpages are an excellent way to do just that! Come and have fun designing a website that you can share with all your friends and family.