

Kensington Enrichment School



Session #4: January 22 - March 1, 2019 (6 weeks)

Kensington Enrichment School offers optional classes in math, science, art, music, literacy and fine and gross motor development for three, four and five-year-olds.

Join us for more fun and learning in Session #4! Enrollment Forms are due by Thursday, January 17th!



Imagination Exploration!

Class #1: "Digging for Dinosaurs" (for 3s, 4s, 5s)

As tall as a house and as heavy as five elephants... with big feet that shook the earth and made noise like thunder... What fascinating facts will we unearth about these giant creatures that lived so long ago? Using small paint brushes to gently dig for dinosaurs hidden in shaving cream, and making playdough fossils - our young paleontologists have many discoveries in store for them! Characteristics, sizes and categories, habitats, and abilities - our vocabularies will soar and our creativity blossom as we design our own dinosaur. What would it eat? Where would it live? Let's make our own dinosaur feet, move like dinosaurs and do the Dinosaur Stomp! How many of our feet can fit into a life size dinosaur footprint? We'll sit and close our eyes and imagine our classroom has become a dinosaur habitat! Instead of birds, we see Pterodactyls flying in the sky and instead of dogs and cats, we'll see Brontosaurs and Stegosauruses, as we walk with the dinosaurs!

Class #2: "Tinkering by the Books: Creations Inspired by Stories" _(for 3s, 4s and 5s)



"Creativity is intelligence having fun." Albert Einstein Reading a story can give children a different point of view. Books have a way of motivating children to think differently. Our Kensington Tinkerlabs are stocked with fantastic books that encourage outside the box thinking. We will read Beautiful Oops, If I Built a Car, Bitty Bot and more.

In this enrichment class, we will be reading books then using our Tinkerlabs materials to create. The materials are items like washers, balsa wood, fabric swatches, dot markers, and more. Children can create something from the story or something that they think of

themselves. Each week the children will bring home their creation to share with you. Have your child join us for this extra time in the Kensington Tinkerlab!

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Mathematics

Class #3: "It Makes Cents" (for3s, 4s, 5s)

Money is all around us and it's important to understand what it is. In this new enrichment class, we will conduct "coin studies" and learn about the purpose of money. Our young bankers will also combine

art (coin rubbings and aluminum foil imprints), coin science (What cleans a penny best, soap or vinegar?) and math (comparing, counting and patterning many coins, coin bingo). We'll also use our creativity to make our own version of money and enjoy exchanging our money with our friends. Our grocery store dramatic play will be complete with cash registers and coins! How much does everything cost? Have your child join us to introduce him or her to the important concept of money. It makes cents!



Early Literacy

Class #4: "Ready to Read" (for 4s and 5s)

Readers emerge in this kindergarten readiness class! During the formative pre-kindergarten year, parents often wish to complement their child's pre-reading instruction. Addressing concepts of print in this small enrichment class is a great way to do this! Children will enjoy letter and sound games, incorporating skills such as rhyming, alliteration, phonological/phonemic awareness and practicing sight words. Whether it be for one enrichment session or every session through the year, this popular class will expand upon each child's foundation as an emerging reader!



Physical Fitness

Class #5: "Shake Your Tail Feathers"

(3s, 4s, 5s)

Everybody shake your tail feather! This energetic class will help develop your child's large muscles that help move their bodies. We will dance, play games and use the parachute as we keep our bodies in motion. From classic games, like 'Duck, Duck, Goose' and 'Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes,' to snowflake relays and more, we'll keep warm this session. We'll also enjoy practicing our patterning skills as we make patterns in our movements - jump, clap, jump, clap (AB pattern) or jump, jump clap (AAB). Large motor skills are so important for young bodies; give your child additional motor movement mid-day with this class!

<u>Class Offerings</u>	<u>Ages</u>	<u>Day/Time</u>
Class #1 - Digging for Dinosaurs	3s, 4s, and5s	Thursday/1:00-1:45
Class #2— Tinkering by the Books	3s, 4s, and 5s	Monday/1:00-1:45
Class #3- It Makes Cents	3s,4s and 5s	Tuesday/1:00-1:45 Wednesday/2:00-2:45
Class #4 - Ready to Read	4s and 5s	Wednesday/1:00-1:45 Thursday/2:00-2:00
Class #5 - Shake Your Tail Feathers	3s, 4s, 5s	Friday/1:00-1:45

- ◆ Classes begin Tuesday, 1/22 and continue through Friday, 3/1. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday classes meet 6 times. Monday classes meet 4 times. Classes will not be held Monday, 1/21 and 2/18.
- ♦ Enrollment forms may be turned in by Thursday, 1/17.
- Enrollment is on a first come, first served basis. Classes are subject to change or cancellation due to enrollment. Parents will be notified if a class they enrolled their child in is canceled or changed. Once enrichment closes, there will be no changing classes.
- ◆ Tuition for enrichment classes is \$9 per class. Classes meet 1:00-1:45pm, 2:00-2:45pm.
- A child may not participate in enrichment if his/her account is past due. Tuition for Enrichment will be charged to your Tuition Express account. Checks are not accepted. There is no refund for absence for enrichment classes or Lunch Bunch. There is no refund once classes have begun.
- Children must be toilet trained to attend enrichment classes.



Kensington Enrichment School Enrichment Enrollment Form

Child's Name		Birth Date _	
Phone #	E	mail	
Class/Teacher Please indicate any food aller	rgies:		
I'd like to enroll my chi	ild for the following enrichment	<u>classes</u> : (\$9.00	per class, per day)
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