

After-School Enrichment Program

Sponsored by Stevens PTA and Stevens Elementary School

Spring 2011

April 4 – June 2

Classes meet 3:35 - 4:30pm at Stevens - with noted exceptions.

There will be no classes on April 18-21, May 18 or May 30 .

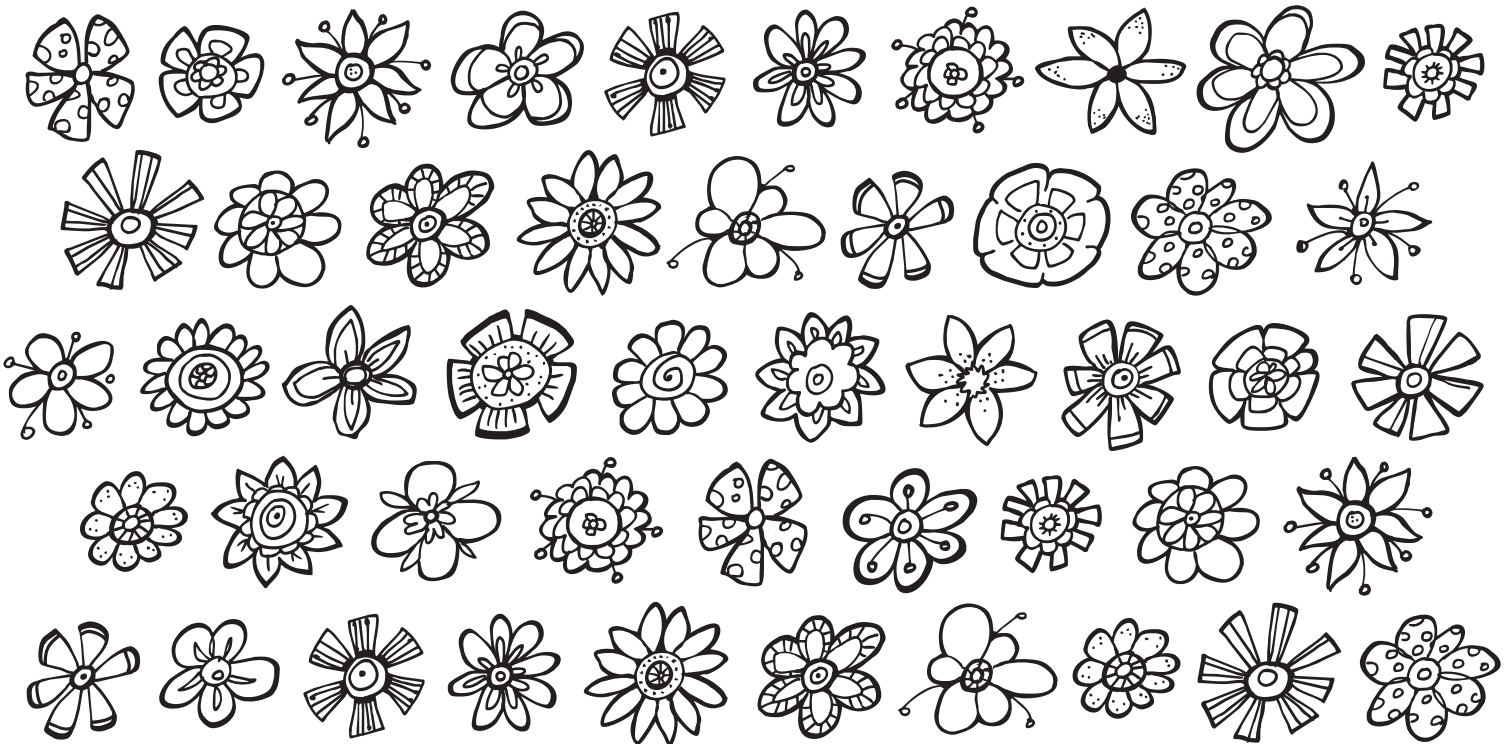
Priority registration for Stevens students ends March 16,
all registration closes March 18.

No changes will be made to bus rosters after March 21.

Limited scholarships are available to Stevens students.

You will be contacted if any classes are full.

Confirmation letters will be sent home on March 30.



Stevens Elementary School

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The Community After School Enrichment Program is a PTA-Stevens School partnership supporting fun and enriching activities for children attending Stevens Elementary and other community schools. This program seeks to provide unique opportunities for your child's development through classes in the arts, sports and other creative topics. Three sessions of these classes will be offered after-school at the Stevens campus: fall, winter and spring

PROGRAM NOTES

Enrollment

- Priority enrollment for Stevens students ends March 16; all registration ends March 18.
- Classes are filled on a first come, first served basis – no exceptions will be made.
- To ensure prompt addition to the class roster, bring your registration and payment to the Stevens office.
- If a class is full, you will be notified. Otherwise, please assume your child is enrolled.
- If a class does not enroll sufficiently, it may be cancelled. You will be notified and your fees refunded.
- A \$5 registration fee will be charged for non-Stevens applicants.
- Please provide your e-mail address if you have one – the program and its instructors need it to communicate with you.

Calendar

- All classes run 3:35 - 4:30pm (unless otherwise indicated) at Stevens April 4 – June 2.
- Classes will not meet during the week of April 18-21 due to spring break.
- Classes will not meet on Wednesday, May 18 due to early dismissal.
- Classes will not meet on May 30 due to the Memorial Day holiday.

Snack and Clothing

- Snack (usually a granola bar) will be provided to each student attending the classes. Please list any food allergies or dietary needs that your children may have.
- Please send your children with clothing appropriate for their classes. Athletics require loose-fitting clothes and closed-toe rubber-soled shoes. Art can be messy! Please bring an old shirt or a smock.

Behavior

- At Stevens, we have the expectation of respect for teachers/instructors and good behavior during classes. Students are expected to maintain the same behavioral standards that they would have during the formal school day. If an instructor determines this is not the case, the following steps will be taken:
 - At the first incident, the instructor will call parents/guardians regarding student behavior.
 - The student will be given one trial class to improve.
 - If the disruptive behavior continues, the student will be removed from the class.
- The program is unable to issue a refund if a student is removed from a class due to a behavior issue. Please discuss enrollment with your child to be sure they want to attend an after-school class.

Transportation

- The Stevens After-School Activity Bus runs Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, during the eight-week activity block for 3:30-4:30 classes and tutoring. **Please note there is no bus on Wednesdays.** The bus route and timing is determined by which students are taking the bus each day. Students must use their regularly assigned bus stop.
- Bus transportation is provided on a space-available basis.
- Due to planning constraints, **no changes will be made to the bus rosters after March 21.**
- All rules and policies for riding the school bus to and from school also apply to the activity bus.
- If your child will be absent or if your transportation plans change, please provide a note in writing.

Tutoring

- If your student is participating in tutoring, remember that tutoring comes first. Wednesday classes are available to students attending tutoring.

Monday Classes

100

Grades K-3

Soccer Skills

Soccer season may be over but you can still learn or practice your skills with Coaches Said & Ridolfi. Rain? What rain? You'll be comfy and dry in the gym!
Instructor: Mohamed Said & Adria Ridolfi

\$50

101

Grades 3-5

Space Station Architecture

There is a lot to be learned about design when studying interior of a space station and how all the parts and pieces go together. We will be learning how the astronauts go about their daily lives and then take our turn at developing a more comfortable environment that would still function for the astronauts who confront a small amount of livable space in a world of weightlessness.

For some fascinating footage of how space is used now by the astronauts, check out www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q4dG9vSyUFQ.

<http://archforkids.blogspot.com/>

Instructor: Instructor: Dora Taylor, Architect

\$65

102

Grade K-2

Creative Carnival Drama

It's Carnival Time! Learn the links between theater and carnival and use your imagination to create your own solstice-related characters. Celebrate in full color - creating masks, headdresses and making costumes for your own characters. It is our plan to end the class with a (yet-to-be-determined) performance or solstice parade!

Instructor: Stone Soup Theatre

\$85

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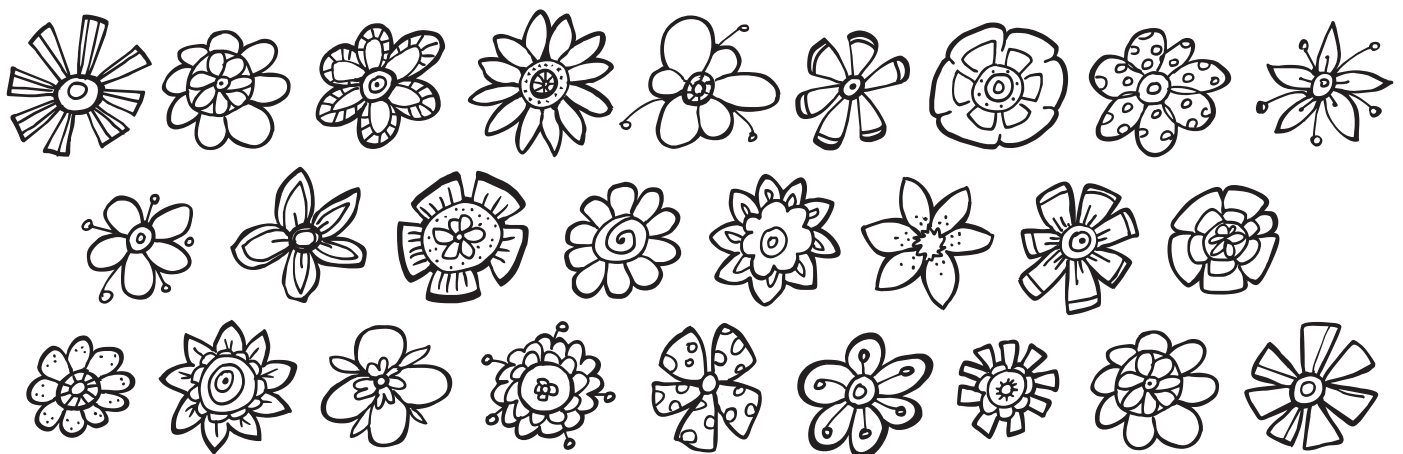
Grades K-4

Art Around the World

Take an imaginary trip around the world and explore different cultures through unique art projects. Students will create Adinkra cloth prints, Serengeti silhouettes, fish kites from Asia, Indian elephant boxes, Hmong story cloth, Indonesian batik prints and more!

Instructor: Glory Wilson, Stevens Teacher

\$80



Tuesday Classes

200

Grades K-5

Jewelrymaking

Make wearable art – in this class you'll create bracelets, key chains, crowns, wands, & necklaces using beads, paper, shrinky dinks, fimo, fabric, found objects, and more!

Instructors: Michelle Martine & Royce MacGinnitie, Stevens Teachers

\$80

201

Grades 3-5

Beginning and Intermediate Knitting

Do you like to knit, or would you like to learn how? Then join us! Make a hat, fingerless mittens, small toy, scarf or make something up if you like. We'll also have fun creating some embellishments for our projects. Join our very popular after-school teacher, Susan Dirk, in exploring this cozy art. Students keep coming back to Ms. Dirk's classes again and again!

Instructor: Susan Dirk, The Big Wooly – www.thebigwooly.com.

\$95

202

Grades 3-5

Collage and Mixed Media Art

Create bold colorful collage art using; paper, recycled material, fabric, paint and more. Learn about design, paper crafts, glazing techniques, painting, and stenciling. Hear stories about famous artists and create your own collage version of their masterpiece in collage.

Instructor: Willow Heath

\$80

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Grades 3-5

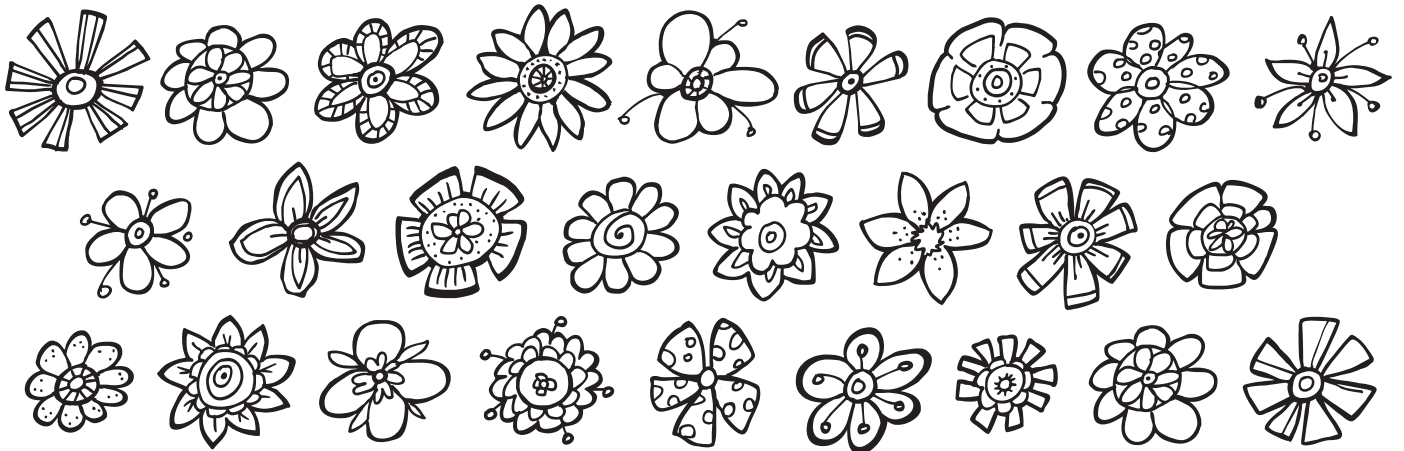
Basketball

Come join Ms. Freeburg (an avid basketball player who has coached all ages, including varsity girls' teams) and Ms. Duane in the gym. You'll develop the skills, balance and strength you need for a top game.

Come dribble, pass and shoot for fun and practice!

Instructors: Brooke Freeburg and Katrina Duane, Stevens Teachers

\$70



Wednesday Classes

Please note: no bus this day!

300 **Mr. Ryan's Music Club** **\$110**

Grades K-2

Each week this class will focus on a specific theme and explore different music genres such as classical, country, pop, reggae, etc. You'll listen and sing through a song related to the week's theme, and explore different instruments. Mr. Ryan (music teacher at Montlake and lead songwriter for local Indie/choir/folk group the Horde and the Harem) will be introducing basic guitar, piano, drum, and percussion technique, with strong emphasis around group and individual singing.

Instructor: Ryan Barber, music teacher and former Kids Club teacher

301 **Gymnastics** **\$80**

Grades K-5

Learn beginning and intermediate skills on tumbling and apparatus in this action-filled class. Coaches will keep the kids moving while they learn techniques for cartwheels, handsprings, pullovers and much more, building strength, coordination and flexibility.

Instructor: Jungle Gym www.junglegymfun.com

302 **Chess** **\$35**

Grades K-3

Come learn to play chess with the Chess Mates Foundation! This program focuses on chess as a teaching tool. Learning and playing chess helps you build future life and work skills. We also will encourage and help students who want to play in local or national scholastic chess tournaments.

Instructor: Victoria Speck, Chess Mates Foundation www.chessmates.org

We need a parent volunteer for this class!

*If you are able to assist at **every** class, we will enroll your child for free!*

If you are interested, please make a note on your registration form.

303 **Mosaics, Mobiles and Bigger-than-Life Paintings** **\$90**

Grades K-3

Build Mosaic stepping stones, create 3-D bug mobiles, paint Georgia O'Keefe inspired watercolors, and make your own stamps! Join us as we spring into art in this three-dimensional art class.

Please note: this class ends at 4:45pm.

Instructor: Alisha Dallost'o

304 **Engineering FUNDamentals** **\$115**

Grades 2-5

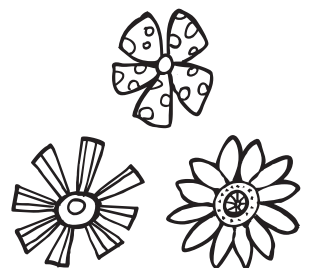
With over 100,000 pieces of LEGO®, take on real-life engineering challenges that explore concepts in physics, architecture, mechanical and structural engineering. From motorized machines to castles & catapults, this is a hands-on and minds-on class suitable for LEGO® novices to "maniacs." Designed by engineers, the curriculum challenges both new and returning students to reach the next level of engineering comprehension all while having fun.

Please note: this class ends at 4:55pm.

Instructor: Play-well TEKnologies

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Thursday Classes

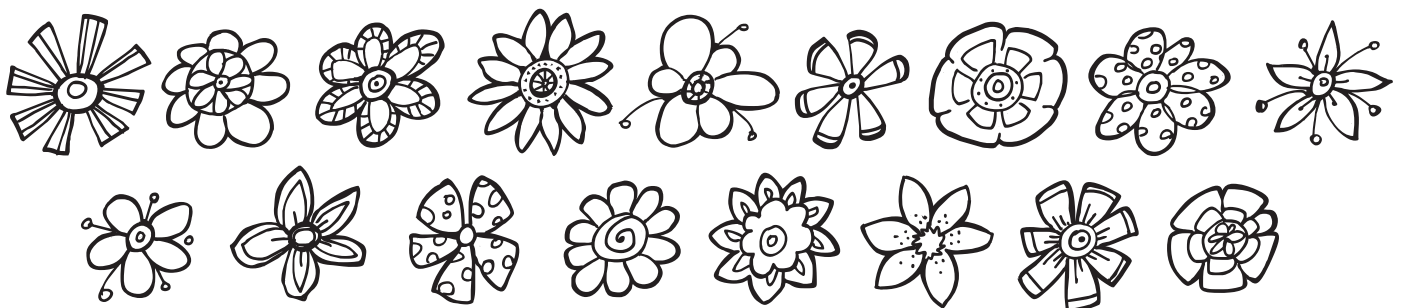
400 **Illustration and Comics** **\$80**
Grades 2-5
Explore illustration and storytelling, learn about children’s book illustrators, develop a comic character, create a comic strip and trading cards, and have your drawings published in an issue of FLUFF Magazine, a mini-publication.
Instructor: Willow Heath

401 **Friendship Bracelets and Beyond** **\$80**
Grades K-5
Become a friendship bracelet expert. Then, learn how to use the same skills to make wall hangings and more! Macramé is a form of textile art that uses different kinds of knotting techniques instead of weaving or knitting. Add colorful beads to the knots and it’s even more beautiful.
Instructor: Kids are Creative (Jaicee Designs)

402 **World Percussion** **\$80**
Grades K-3
Travel the world and learn about the wonderfully diverse music of other cultures. How is music different in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the U.S.A.? Oh, and you get a chance to bang on some drums as well – what could be more fun?
Instructor: Becca Baggenstoss, Seattle Drum School
www.seattledrumschoolgeorgetown.com/rebecca-baggenstoss

403 **Basketball for Girls** **\$70**
Grades 2-3
Be your own Seattle Storm! Come join Ms Einmo for a special hoops class just for girls. You’ll develop the skills, balance and strength you need for a top game. Come dribble, pass and shoot with your friends!
Instructor: Diana Einmo, Stevens Teacher

404 **Out & About in the Neighborhood** **\$70**
Grades 1-4
Let’s get outside and play! Join Mr. P and Ms. Wilkie for games, hikes, and other outdoor activities around our urban neighborhood. We’ll explore nearby parks, learn sidewalk/black top games, race and relay, and enjoy a session of fun. Perfect for the active kid - or for the kid you wish would be more active. Dress for the weather because we will be out and about – rain or shine!
Instructor: Kevin Peterson & Chris Wilkie, Stevens Teachers



REGISTRATION *to ensure prompt registration, please place this form + payment in the box in the Stevens front office.*

student name _____ grade _____ room at Stevens / school _____

address _____ home phone _____

parent/guardian name _____ cell/work phone _____ **parent e-mail – we need this!**

emergency contact _____ phone _____

please list any allergies

please list any additional person(s) authorized to pick-up your child and their phone number(s) - they may be asked for photo ID

if your child will take the bus to a daycare provider, please provide the name, address and phone

Class #	Day	Class Name	Fee
		<i>donation to the Scholarship Fund, thank you!</i>	
		<i>\$5 registration fee for students not enrolled at Stevens</i>	
		Total Due:	

Make checks payable to Stevens PTA and submit with registration form.

We need financial assistance. (Please submit this form and we will contact you – all information is kept confidential.)

After class, my child will be:

- picked up by parent/guardian or other care provider listed above.
- go to Stevens Kids’ Club, if currently enrolled. To register, call 523-6351
- ride the after-school activity bus – students must get off at their regularly assigned bus stop

PLEASE NOTE - We are NOT able to make changes to the bus roster after March 21 – no exceptions!

I give my permission for _____ to participate in Stevens after school activities.

I give my permission for the adult(s) in charge to seek emergency medical treatment and/or transportation for my child.

I have read and I agree with the Program Notes on the inside front cover of this catalog.

parent/guardian signature _____

date _____

You will be contacted ASAP if any classes are full.

*If you do **not** hear from us, please assume your child is in their chosen class(es)*