

Spring/Summer 2024 Community Education Offerings

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Hello Central Community,

Soon the days get longer and the temperatures rise signaling the beginning of Community Education's spring and summer enrichment opportunities.

At Community Education, we provide enriching and educational experiences for learners of all ages, and we're thrilled to announce a few updates.

We heard you say through participant surveys that more communication is needed about our programs and activities. We added more social media posts and a monthly Community Education newsletter. We continue to improve our systems and will aim to provide better communication. Please let us know how we are doing.

Another notable change is the renaming of our preschool program.

We are now Central Public Preschool, home of little Raiders! This partnership with Central Public Schools enables us to bring you even more high-quality programs and enhance our commitment to an E - 12 school. Together, we will provide an educational environment that fosters curiosity, growth, and success for all learners in our community. We are proud to elevate our teaching practices and focus on an evidence-based preschool program, informed by rigorous research and best practices. Our partnership also ensures that our curriculum aligns with state standards, guaranteeing that every learner receives a quality education that prepares them for a seamless transition to kindergarten.

As we dive into this new chapter, we want to express our sincere gratitude to the community for your continued support and trust in our programs.

It's through your participation and feedback that our Community Education programs remain vibrant and responsive to the needs of our community.

Our Spring and Summer programs are designed to ignite imagination, inspire discovery, and foster a love of lifelong learning. Whether you're an adult looking to acquire new skills, a parent seeking engaging activities for your child, or a youth eager to explore new horizons, our diverse range of offerings has something for everyone.

Exciting times lie ahead, and we cannot wait to embark on this journey with you. Join us as we explore, learn, and thrive together this Spring and Summer.

Visit our website or contact our dedicated team to discover the numerous opportunities waiting for you!

Ready, Set, Thrive!

Sue Forster
Director of Community Education



Community Education Advisory Council

The core of Community Ed is our Advisory Council. Members of the community serve on this advisory board to give direction to all the programs offered by Community Ed. The council meets four to five times per year in the evenings. If you are interested in joining this council, please contact Sue Forster at sforster@isd108.org for more information.

See page 34 for more details.



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Information

What is ECFE?

Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is a program for all Minnesota families with children between the ages of birth to kindergarten entrance. We offer weekly classes and special events designed especially for families. The program is offered through Minnesota public school districts. It is based on the idea that the family provides a child's first and most significant learning environment and parents are a child's first and most important teachers. ECFE works to strengthen families. ECFE's goal is to enhance the ability of all parents and other family members to provide the best possible environment for their child's learning and growth.

Who is it for?

ECFE is for all moms, dads, grandparents, foster parents, etc. and their children from infancy up to kindergarten. You attend this program WITH your child.

Why should I come?

Being a parent is one of the most important jobs you will ever have. Come and learn more about your child and more about you. Come meet other parents, and learn that you are not alone in this challenging, heart-filling, and sometimes frustrating job of raising children.

Did you miss the registration deadline for any of our ECFE classes?
Register at any time online.



Is there a cost?

All fees are for adults and one child. Additional children may be registered at 50% of the regular class fee.

ECFE offers reduced tuition and sliding fee scales to qualifying families. No family will be denied an opportunity to participate because of an inability to pay.

Can I bring siblings?

Non-registered siblings are welcome to attend class, but please note, there is a separate charge for non-registered children who remain in the children's classroom during parent separation. There is no charge for infants who remain with their caregiver during parent discussion time.

What is a home visit?

Early Childhood Family Education offers one on one coaching sessions to answer your parenting questions or help you develop specific strategies to support your parenting. Contact us at 952-467-7366 for more details or to set up a live or virtual meeting.

This service is free to ISD 108 families with children ages birth through 3 years.

Early Childhood Family Education Staff

Jenny Hoernemann, ECFE Teacher/Early Childhood Screening Coordinator

Carol Lagergren, Parent Educator

Andrea Goetze, Assistant Teacher

ECFE Week at a Glance (Spring 2024)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	Terrific Toddlers (Ages 12 - 30 months) 8:15 - 9:15 am February - April	Preschool Preview (Ages 2½ - 5 years) 8:30 - 10:30 am January - May	Marvelous Mix (Ages 2 - 5 years) 8:15 - 9:45 am February - May	Marvelous Mix (Ages 2 - 5 years) 9:00 - 10:30 am February - May
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			Drop In and Play (Ages birth - 5 years) 10:00 - 11:00 am February - April	
			Marvelous Mix Evening Edition (Ages 18 mo. - 5 years) 5:45 - 7:15 pm February - April	

ECFE Classes

Baby and Me (Birth - 11 months)

Bring your new bundle of joy to ECFE! Get out of the house and play with your baby in a new setting with new and different toys. Learn new songs and finger plays and visit with other parents about valuable topics about your new babies. Older siblings will have supervised play in another room, allowing you to concentrate on your little one. Come and join the fun!

Thursdays 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 January 25, 2024
 February 22, 2024
 March 21, 2024
 April 25, 2024

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom

No fee but please register online to let us know you'll be attending.



Drop In and Play (Birth - 5 years)

If you are looking for something extra to do each week or just want to spend some "together time" without separating from your child, then this class is for you. We'll have sensory and play experiences available for you to explore, and you and your child will have opportunities to socialize and meet new friends. (A teacher will be present for questions, but there is no formal parent discussion or separation time.)

Thursdays 10:00 am - 11:00 am
 February 8 - April 18, 2024
 (No class February 22, March 14, 21)

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom

\$16

ECFE on Wheels (Birth - 5 years)

Early Childhood Family Education Staff will be providing a free ECFE experience for families, caregivers, and children from age birth to age 5 to share together. Come for circle time, songs, an art activity and a literacy project. The last session will be held at Central Elementary in the ECFE classroom. If Central Schools have a snow day or late start day, ECFE on Wheels will be canceled.

Fridays 11:30 am - 12:15 pm
 January 19 and 26, 2024
 February 9, 16 and 23, 2024

Registration required at <https://carverlib.libcal.com/calendar/>



SCAN TO SIGN UP



Marvelous Mix
(Ages 2 - 5 years)

Mix it up! This class has a little something for everyone. Parents and children spend the first half of class together on developmentally appropriate activities such as sensory experiences, making art projects, and other activities that build preschool skills. After enjoying a short circle time, parents and children separate. While parents have time to visit with others about relevant parenting topics, children will have time to practice social skills during snack and a time of free play that is monitored by a licensed ECFE teacher.

Tuesdays 9:30 am - 11:00 am
February 6 - May 7, 2024
(No class March 12, 26)

Thursdays 8:15 am - 9:45 am
February 8 - May 9, 2024
(No class March 14, 28)

Fridays 9:00 am - 10:30 am
February 2 - May 10, 2024
(No class March 15, 29, April 26)

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom
\$72 per class offering



Marvelous Mix — Shortened Version
(Ages 2 - 5 years)

Want to be a part of the fun but can't commit to a 12-week class? Sign up for 6 weeks instead. (These classes will be joined with the 12-week Spring Marvelous Mix classes.)

Tuesdays 9:30 am - 11:00 am
February 6 - March 19, 2024
(No class March 12)

Tuesdays 9:30 am - 11:00 am
April 2 - May 7, 2024

Thursdays 8:15 am - 9:45 am
February 8 - March 21, 2024
(No class March 14)

Thursdays 8:15 am - 9:45 am
April 4 - May 9, 2024

Fridays 9:00 am - 10:30 am
February 2 - March 8, 2024

Fridays 9:00 am - 10:30 am
March 22 - May 10, 2024
(No class March 29, April 26)

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom
\$42 per class offering



Marvelous Mix — Evening Edition
(Ages 18 months - 5 years)

Attention working parents, this class is for you! Expect a little something for everyone. Parents and children spend the first half of class together on developmentally appropriate activities such as sensory experiences, making art projects, and other activities that build preschool skills. After enjoying a short circle time, parents and children separate. While parents have time to visit with others about relevant parenting topics, children will have time to practice social skills during snack and a time of free play that is monitored by a licensed ECFE teacher.

Thursdays 5:45 pm - 7:15 pm
February 8 - April 11, 2024
(No class March 14, 28)

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom
\$48

Welcome Baby Gift!



Every family in the Central Public School District with a new baby ages birth - 12 months can receive a free gift, courtesy of Central Public Schools and local community partners. One of our ECFE teachers will come to your home to drop off the gift and give you more information about parenting resources and programs that are available in our district. We would love the opportunity to get to know you and your family!



SCAN TO SIGN UP



Terrific Toddlers
(Ages 12 - 30 months)

Toddlers can be adventurous, shy, independent, clingy, strong-willed, and charming. Although these descriptions seem to be opposites, any one toddler can be all of the above ... and on the same day! One thing is for certain, toddlers are learning by leaps and bounds! Come and join us as we offer sensory experiences, simple art, music, movement, finger plays, stories and age-appropriate activities for you to enjoy with your child. Parents will have time to meet and discuss relevant parenting topics. Based on the needs of the child, the discussions may happen in the ECFE classroom.

*Tuesdays 8:15 am - 9:15 am
February 13 - April 30, 2024
(No class March 12, 26)*

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom
\$50



Preschool Preview
(Child must be 29 months by February 1, 2024 to attend this class)

Preschool Preview helps support the transition to preschool by providing an introductory school experience. Children and parents attend the first class together, first playing and working on preschool skills, and then separating to allow children to have peer interaction while parents have parent discussion time. The remainder of the session consists of child-only classes where children will experience a two hour "preschool day." Their day will include developmentally appropriate large and small group activities which introduce them to preschool skills, a snack time, and a time of free play where they have opportunities to meet other children and develop social skills.

*Wednesdays 8:30 am - 10:30 am
March 20 - May 8, 2024*

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom
\$65



Sweetheart Dance
(Birth - 5 years)

Grab your Valentine and get dressed in your finest for this special night. The evening will include music, dancing, crafts, refreshments, photo opportunities, and quality time with your special little sweetheart.

*6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Tuesday, February 13, 2024*

Central Elementary School Gym
\$5 per child or \$10 per family

Did you miss the registration deadline for any of our ECFE classes?



Register at any time online.

Early Childhood Screening

Screening is a simple, careful check of your child's physical development, thinking skills, speech and language, and social/emotional health. It is designed to ensure the healthy growth of students to be successful in any educational setting, and if needed, connect them to resources that will support their development.

It is FREE through the school district. Children should be screened between the ages of 3 - 5 (before kindergarten entrance). We at ECFE feel the best time to screen is from 3 years 2 months to before your child's 4th birthday.

UPCOMING SCREENING DATES:

Monday, March 25, Tuesday, March 26, 2024

Thursday, May 16, Friday, May 17, 2024

Wednesday, August 14, Thursday, August 15, 2024

Visit isd108.ce.eleyo.com to register and view available screening dates and times.





Lazy Loon Bowling
(Ages 2 - 5 years)

Join your friends at Lazy Loon Lanes for a night of bowling! We'll have the bumpers up where needed, the ball ramps ready to go, and pizza to fill your bellies for a night of fun!

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Tuesday, March 19, 2024

Lazy Loons Lanes
305 E. Wilson St. NYA

\$16 Cost is for one child and one adult (1 game of bowling, 2 pairs of shoes, 2 pieces of pizza)

\$5 per additional person



For the Birds
(Ages 2 - 5 years)

Grab a favorite grown up and join us for an activity that's "For the Birds!" We'll mix and scoop as we make a treat the birds are sure to enjoy. Since the birds will need a place to feast, we'll build and decorate a birdhouse too. What a fun way to get ready for spring! (Allergy alert: Bird seed may contain nuts)

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Tuesday, April 16, 2023

Central Elementary ECFE Classroom
\$20 per child



Party in the Park
(All ages welcome with a child age 0 - 5 years)

Our year is coming to an end, and we've decided to celebrate with a party. Come join our ECFE families as we welcome spring with some outdoor activities. We'll bring the parachute, hula hoops, bean bag toss and bubbles. Little ones might also want to try a craft, scavenger hunt, or sidewalk chalk. Let's Party! (Tables are available if you choose to bring lunch to eat at the park.)

10:30 am - 12:00 pm
Monday, May 20, 2024

NYA Legion (Pool) Park

No fee but please register online to let us know you'll be attending.

Meet Up & Play — Summer Park Get-Togethers



(All Ages)

Stay in touch with old friends and meet some new ones during these free summer gatherings. ECFE staff will be there with freezies to hear about your exciting summer. Staff will end each session with a few songs. Join us for any or all of these get-togethers. All ages are welcome to attend. Come and have some fun with friends!

Wednesdays 10:30 am - 11:30 am

June 26, 2024 Cologne Lions Park

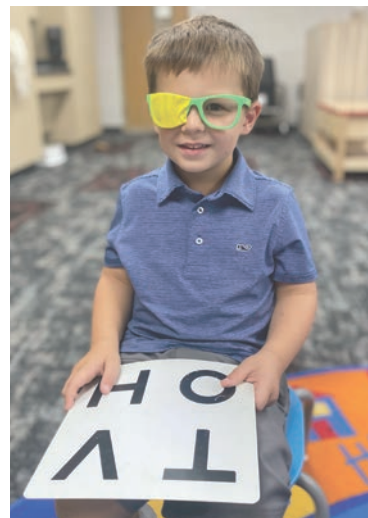
July 17, 2024 Plato Park

August 7, 2024 Hamburg Park

No cost, but please sign up online to indicate that you will be attending at least one of these sessions. This will allow us to communicate any schedule changes with you.

Connections

Introducing Minnesota innovative programs “Help Me Grow and Help Me Connect,” vital initiatives designed to link parents with resources fostering positive early childhood development. These programs aim to empower parents by providing access to early intervention, support networks, and expert guidance, ensuring every child receives a strong foundation for a healthy and successful future. Help Me Grow and Help Me Connect are your partners in nurturing the early years of your child’s life.



help me
GROW **Help Me Grow Connects Families to Early Intervention Services**

If you have concerns about a child’s development and think they might need extra help to learn and grow, don’t hesitate to refer.

If you are concerned about a child’s development, you can refer the child through Help Me Grow for a free screening or evaluation. Services are free to eligible children ages birth-5, regardless of income or immigrant status.

To refer a child, visit HelpMeGrowMN.org or call (866) 693-GROW (4769). Interpretation services are available for referrals by phone.

help me **CONNECT**

Help Me Connect

A navigator connecting expectant families, families with young children (birth – 8 years old) and those working with families to services in their local communities that support healthy child development and family well-being.

For more information visit: HelpMeConnectMN.org

Early Childhood Family Education Advisory Council

We are looking for individuals to join our Early Childhood Family Education Advisory Council. This group helps provide recommendations and direction to Central Schools Early Childhood Programs and meets four times per year.



Scan to learn more



Community Needs Assessment

We are looking to ensure that our local Early Childhood Family Education programming fits the needs of our community members. Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) is for children ages birth-5 years and their caretakers. We offer weekly classes and special events designed especially for families.

If you are a parent, grandparent, foster parent, etc. of a child ages birth-5, or if you are expecting, please take a moment to fill out this survey.

We appreciate your feedback.

This survey will close May 10, 2024.



Scan for survey

Central Public Preschool

New Name. Same Quality Programming. Same Exceptional Staff.

Introducing Central Public Preschool, home of Little Raiders. Our preschool is the only place you will find curriculum aligned with Central Public Schools. We offer a quality preschool with professional staff who genuinely care about providing your child with an age-appropriate experience full of hands-on learning and an emphasis on foundational skills for future success academically and socially. Our staff have specialized training in social/emotional development, standardized curriculum, and assessment with a four-star Parent Aware rating. We invite you to join us for the 2024/2025 school year.



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Visit our website for more information and attend our Preschool Preview Night on Monday, February 12.



SCAN FOR PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

Preschool Registration

Current families January 29, 2024 at 8:00 am.

New preschool families February 13, 2024 at 8:00 am.

Children must be three, four, or five years old by September 1, 2024 and not yet in kindergarten to attend preschool. A variety of options are available for two, three, four, and five days a week. Contact us for scholarships for eligible families.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Preschool Preview Night: All Aboard the Preschool Express

Monday, February 12, 2024
Central Elementary School
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm (come and go)
Parent Meeting at 6:00 pm

This is an event you will want to attend to create a lasting memory of your child's first formal school experience. With a passport to adventure you and your child will enjoy meeting our staff, classroom activities, a snack in the cafeteria, bounce house, and a short parent meeting with time for Q&A. Every child who attends will go home with a FREE book.

Kids Company

Summer Kids Company

Join us this summer for a fun filled, action packed program. We are open Monday through Friday from 6:00 am - 5:30 pm.

Program will begin on Monday, June 10, 2024 and August 23, 2024 will be our last day. Registration opens on Friday, March 1, 2024 and we encourage you to register by Monday, April 1, 2024 to ensure your spot.

\$38 per a day

\$100 Registration Fee (\$125 after April 1 if space is available)



School Year Kids Company

Join us before and/or after school or on days when school is not in session. The school year program will begin when school starts and continue through the school year. We have program options available for both preschool and Kindergarten through 5th Grade.

Registration is available online at isd108.ce.eleyo.com

Preschool registration opens on February 13, 2024 at 8:00 am.

School Age registration opens on May 1, 2024 at 8:00 am.



YOUTH



Summer Ball Opportunities

Grades for summer ball are based on the 2023/2024 school year. **Early registration deadline is February 28, 2024 and the final registration deadline is March 29, 2024. Save \$10 with early registration.**

Parent coaches are needed for all teams. If you are able to help coach, please indicate it on your child's registration. Each player will receive a t-shirt with their name on it. When registering please indicate your child's t-shirt size and name for the back. Teams will be emailed to parents after the deadline. Players may not switch teams or leagues after the teams are set. Once practice dates are determined you will be notified by your child's coach. Practices will start in mid-May. Games will start in June. When registering Section A is Cologne, Section B is Hamburg, Section C is NYA. If there are not enough players in one town the teams will be combined.



Preschool T-Ball

(Ages 3 - 4)

For boys and girls who are currently 3 or 4 years old and will be returning to preschool in the fall. This program is designed to spend more time developing skills in players and less time on games. Teams will practice in May and games will be on Wednesday nights from June to late July. After a few weeks of just practice, teams will then practice to start the game followed up with a game.

Wednesdays
Mid-May to late July

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$38 by February 28, 2024
\$48 after February 28, 2024



Preschool T-Ball
(Ages 4 -5)

For boys and girls who are currently 4 and 5 years old and will be starting kindergarten in the fall. This program is designed to spend more time developing skills in players and less time on games. Teams will practice in May and games will be on Monday nights from June to late July. After a few weeks of just practice, teams will then practice to start the game followed up with a game.

Mondays
Mid-May to late July

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$38 by February 28, 2024
\$48 after February 28, 2024



Instructional League
(Kindergarten - Grade 2)

Instructional league will be a coach pitch league for boys and girls who are currently in Kindergarten - Grade 2. For players in Kindergarten - Grade 1, games will be on Tuesday nights. For players in grades 1 - 2, games will be on Thursday nights, and this will be a more advanced level.

Practices will start in May and games will be played in June through late July.

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$48 by February 28, 2024
\$58 after February 28, 2024



Boys Machine Pitch Baseball
(Grades 3 - 4)

For boys who are currently in grades 3 and 4. Games will be Tuesdays and Thursdays, June to mid-July. Games will be played in and against teams from neighboring communities. A second season of player pitch may also be played within the league.

Tuesdays and Thursdays
Early June to mid-July

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$58 by February 28, 2024
\$68 after February 28, 2024



Boys Player Pitch Baseball
(Grades 3 - 4)

For boys who are currently in grades 3 and 4. Games will be Tuesdays and Thursdays, June to mid-July. Games may be adjusted based on the number of teams in the league. Games will be played in and against teams from neighboring communities.

Tuesday and Thursdays
Early June to mid-July

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$68 by February 28, 2024
\$78 after February 28, 2024



Girls Machine Pitch Softball
(Grades 3 - 4)

For girls who are currently in grades 3 and 4. Games will be on Mondays and Wednesdays from early June to mid-July. Games will be played in and against teams from neighboring communities. A second season of player pitch may also be played within the league.

Mondays and Wednesdays
Early June to mid-July

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$58 by February 28, 2024
\$68 after February 28, 2024



Boys Little League Baseball
(Grades 5 - 6)

For boys who are currently in grades 5 and 6. Games will be Tuesdays and Thursdays, June to mid-July. Games will be played in and against teams from neighboring communities. The season will end with a league tournament.

Tuesdays and Thursdays
Early June to mid-July

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$68 by February 28, 2024
\$78 after February 28, 2024



Crow River Baseball
(Grades 3 - 8, Ages 10 - 14)

The Crow River League is offered for boys in grades 3 - 4 (10U) through grade 8 (14U). One or two teams will be formed per age level with an AA and A format with an average of 12 players on a team. Games are played against teams from Glencoe Silver Lake, Watertown-Mayer, Hutchinson, Rockford and others. Teams are formed according to the age guidelines set by the league and the results of evaluations. Evaluation date to be determined. An informational parent and player meeting will be held on February 6, 2024 at 6:00 pm at Central High School Auditorium. Every player receives a jersey this season. Registration deadline is February 28, 2024.

Section A: 10U, Section B: 11U, Section C: 12U, Section D: 13U. Section E: 14U

Central Public Schools Ballfields

\$185

Party Crashers RC Racing Event

(Grades Kindergarten - 8)

Interested in RC Cars? Want to try racing them on a track? Then come join us for some fun as we explore what makes them work and then get to try them out. Participants will leave with a better understanding of the hobby, and get some time testing out their driving skills on a few different types of RC Cars and Trucks. Participants can bring their own RC Cars on approval. Registration Deadline: April 8, 2024

Thursday, April 18, 2024
Session 1: 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Session 2: 7:15 pm - 8:15 pm

Central Elementary School Gym

\$23 per session

Spring Baseball Camp

(Grades 3 - 8)

Join the Varsity Coaches and players for a camp that will be working on fundamentals in the areas of fielding, base running and also hitting. Requirements for the camp: (1) Come with a great attitude, we will expect the best from you. (2) Athletes should bring their gloves, bats, and batting gloves. (3) Athletes should wear long pants (baseball pants or sweatpants).

Grades 3 - 5: 6:00 pm - 7:15 pm
Grades 6 - 8: 7:15 pm - 8:30 pm

February 29, March 1, March 4, March 7, and March 8, 2024

Central Elementary School Gym

\$60



Spring Soccer

(Age 5 - Grade 6)

Students will work on fundamentals such as passing, hitting, goalie skills, and sportsmanship during practice. Games will be played on Saturday mornings in various communities including Glencoe, Waconia, Arlington. Please indicate when registering if you are willing to coach. Players will be purchasing and keeping their soccer jerseys and they can be worn for several seasons. Registration Deadline: March 7, 2024.

Thursday Practices: 5:30 pm - 6:45 pm

Practice times may change due to number of teams and coaches.

Saturday Games: Times and locations to be determined.

April 4 - May 18, 2024

Friendship Park, Norwood Young America

\$42 (Plus \$20 jersey fee if one is needed)



NFL Flag Football
(Grades Kindergarten - 4)

Grab your cleats and do your stretches – NFL FLAG Football is here.



NFL FLAG is bringing FUNdamentals to your school, sponsoring co-ed teams for boys and girls in grades K - 4.

Teams will be determined on the number of players that are registered. Once the number of teams is determined practice and game times will be set. Parent coaches are needed for this program. Please indicate in your registration if you would like to help coach.

Each player receives an NFL team jersey and flag belt. Additional gear will be available for purchase. Details online.

Spring Session:

Tuesdays 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
April 16 - May 21, 2024
Registration Deadline: April 4, 2024

Summer Session:

Wednesdays 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
June 5 - July 17, 2024
(No June 19 or July 3)
Registration Deadline: May 23, 2024

Central High School Football Field

\$47 per session

Registration for Summer Camps
opens on April 1, 2024



Summer Baseball Camp (Entering Grades 3 - 8)

There is never enough time during team practices to work on skill development. During this camp, coaches will have players develop the proper techniques of hitting, fielding, base running, and pitching. This is a great opportunity to improve your baseball skills and have fun with your friends.

Grades 3 - 5: 9:00 am - 10:15 am

Grades 6 - 8: 10:30 am - 11:45 am

June 10 - 13, 2024

Central Elementary Ball Fields

\$50

Raiders Track and Field Camp (Entering Grades 1 - 6)

Join our Varsity Track and Field Coach and athletes to learn all the aspects of Track and Field including training for events, rules of the sport, and competitive strategies. Athletes will work on distance events, jumping events, throwing events, hurdles, sprints and relays.

Grades 1 - 3: 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Grades 4 - 6: 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm

June 10 - 13, 2024

Central High School Track

\$50



Summer Basketball Camp (Entering Grades 1 - 8)

Join Coach Evenski and Coach Schrupp for four fun days of basketball. They will teach both offensive and defensive skills, along with playing games.

Grades 1 - 2: 12:45 pm - 2:00 pm

June 17, 18, 20, 21, 2024

Grades 3 - 4: 2:15 pm - 3:30 pm

June 17, 18, 20, 21, 2024

Grades 5 - 6: 12:45 pm - 2:00 pm

June 24 - 27, 2024

Grades 7 - 8: 2:15 pm - 3:30 pm

June 24 - 27, 2024

Central High School Gyms

\$75



Raiders Cross Country Running Club

(Entering Grades 3 - 6)

This is a great opportunity for youth who would like to develop their running skills. Join the Cross Country Varsity Coaches this summer to learn proper stretching, running form and develop more endurance. The session will end with a cross-country meet.

Tuesdays and Thursdays

9:00 am - 10:30 am

June 11 - 27, 2024

Central High School Track

\$43



Central Raiders Speed and Strength Program

(Entering Grades 3 - 12)

Speed and Strength is a comprehensive sports performance program open to all Central athletes. This summer the speed and strength program will be held in our new weight room and facilities. Provided by Training HAUS powered by TCO. Sports performance training is a platform for athletic achievement. Our strength and conditioning team is committed to building a total athlete and will focus on improving athlete acceleration, speed, agility, mobility, and injury prevention. All participants will receive a Raiders Speed and Strength t-shirt.

High School Students

Entering Grades 9 - 12:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday Strength,
Wednesday Speed

Option 1: 6:30 am - 7:30 am

Option 2: 7:40 am - 8:40 am

Option 3: 8:50 am - 9:50 am

\$240 per option

Middle School Students:

Entering Grades 6 - 8:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

10:00 am - 11:20 am

\$216

Elementary Students

Entering Grades 3 - 5:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

11:30 am - 12:30 pm

\$138

June 3, 2024 - August 2, 2024

(No June 19 or July 1-5)

Central High School Fitness Center



Babysitter Training

(Ages 11+)

Girls and boys ages 11+ will learn the skills and information necessary for caring for infants and children in this American Health & Safety Institute accredited program. This program will teach attendees how to be responsible, prepare for emergencies, take care of an infant/child, respond to an unconscious victim, as well as CPR, choking management, and basic first aid. Upon successful completion, participants will earn a Babysitting Safety Training certification card. Please bring a pen, paper, snack, and beverage.

8:00 am - 11:00 am
Tuesday, June 11, 2024

Central Elementary School Media Center

\$58



4-H Engineering Camp

(Entering Grades K - 2)

Join 4-H as we explore the world of engineering. This camp will introduce youth to the experiential learning process to explore engineering. Through hands-on discovery using the Engineering Design Process, youth develop a greater understanding of how objects can be developed, changed, or improved through engineering. Lessons follow the Engineering Design Process of: Ask, Explore, Plan, Create and Test and Make it Better.

8:30 am - 11:30 am
June 17, 18, 20, 21, 2024

Central Elementary School

\$60



4-H Plant Science Camp

(Entering Grades 3 - 6)

This 4-H plant science camp provides an exciting curriculum that transforms young learners into budding life scientists. Through interactive lessons and age-appropriate experiments, students explore the wonders of plant life, from seed germination to pollination. This engaging camp is not only educational, but also sparks curiosity, nurturing a lifelong appreciation for the vital role plants play in our ecosystem.

12:30 pm - 3:30 pm
June 17, 18, 20, 21, 2024

Central Elementary School

\$60



Safe Kids 101

(Entering Grades 2 - 6)

This course will prepare students to stay safe at home and in the community. Course highlights include: Fun and safe activities to do while at home alone, answering the door or the telephone, basic first aid, storm and fire emergency training, dog emergencies, stranger danger. Students will also create fun, healthy and safe snacks.

11:15 am - 1:15 pm
Tuesday, June 11, 2024

Central Elementary School Media Center

\$40



Summer Volleyball Camp
(Entering Grades K - 12)

Volleyball camp is designed to introduce the basic skills of volleyball for the novice and challenge the skills of the experienced players. Camp will be run by Central High School coaching staff.

Entering Grades K - 4:
Monday - Wednesday
8:30 am - 9:45 am
\$36

Entering Grades 5 - 8:
Monday - Wednesday
10:00 am - 12:00 pm
\$72

Entering Grades 8 - 12 (for more experienced 8th Graders):
Monday - Wednesday
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
\$108

July 22 - 24, 2024

Central High School Gyms



Flag Football Camp
(Entering Grades 1 - 4)

Join us for an immersive experience in the world of football. Designed for aspiring athletes, our camp will focus on essential skills and techniques. Engage in drills tailored to enhance your game play while learning from Coach Evenski and High School Football players. The excitement doesn't end there; dive into thrilling games where you can showcase your newfound abilities. Get ready for an unforgettable journey where you'll hone your skills, make friends, and ignite your passion for the game!

Grades 1 - 2: 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm

Grades 3 - 4: 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

July 29 - August 1, 2024

Central High School Football Field
\$50



Baylor Adventure Camp
(Ages 8 - 12)

Get outside and connected with other kids at our Baylor Adventure Camp! This camp will provide opportunities to try outdoor recreation activities like archery, slackline, outdoor cooking, canoeing and more! This camp is focused on the outdoors, experiential adventure learning and all-around summer fun! Offered in partnership with Carver County Parks.

9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Tuesday, July 23 - Thursday, July 25, 2024

Baylor Regional Park
\$106



Firearms Safety
(Ages 11+)

Gun training classes will be offered to anyone interested, who is at least 11 years old on the first day of class. One parent must be present on the first day of class to fill out paperwork. The Friday class will include the field experience. The field day will be held at a to-be-determined location.

1:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Sunday, August 11, 2024 (Parent must attend)

5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Monday, August 12 and Wednesday, August 14, 2024

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Friday, August 16, 2024 (Field Day weather permitting)

Roy Clay Building, Norwood Young America (Field Day location TBD)
\$23

Kidcreate

Kidcreate Studio's award winning art classes allow kids to explore art in an environment full of giggles and grins. Kids create fridge-worthy masterpieces while learning art concepts and experimenting with different art materials. The curriculum is age appropriate and designed to inspire. Classes provide a fun, self-esteem building atmosphere full of "I did it" moments. Making a mess is the best with Kidcreate Studio!



Claylicious with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

Sculpt, slab, coil, and carve...roll up your sleeves, because this camp is all clay, all the time! We'll sculpt silly puppies, fuzzy hedgehogs, a chocolate layer cake that looks good enough to eat, and more. This is your chance to use tons of air-dry clay, Model Magic, and so much more as you have a totally claylicious time! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child each day.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 2024
 Registration Deadline: February 29, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$102



Slime-Tastic Art with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

It's a slime takeover! In this class, slime is the main event. We'll explore different slime recipes as we create tons of gooey, sparkly, stretchy, messy goo. From an out-of-this-world glitter solar system slime, confetti cake slime and bubblegum scented slime, we'll make a different slime each day of class. We'll even throw a little painting and sculpting on the side, too! Roll up your sleeves, and get ready for the Slime-Tastic you've been waiting for! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child each day.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Monday, March 11 and Tuesday, March 12, 2024
 Registration Deadline: February 29, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$102



Dino Day! with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 3 - 6 years)

Hip hip hooray, it's Dino Day! If you love dinosaurs as much as we do, this is the class for you. Artists will explore several different mediums as they tear, paint, glue and more; it'll be dino-riffic!!! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Wednesday, March 13, 2024
 Registration Deadline: March 3, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$44



Party with a Unicorn with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

Calling all unicorn lovers! In this class, we'll create a sparkly unicorn sculpture using clay, paint, glitter, and more. Best of all, we'll do it all while wearing our pajamas. Sorry, grown-ups; this magical class is for kids and unicorns only!!! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Wednesday, March 13, 2024
 Registration Deadline: March 3, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$46



April Fool's Day Fun with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

We'll get simply silly as we get ready to celebrate April Fool's Day by creating some unbelievably hilarious craft pranks. Get ready for a good time, this class is sure to tickle your funny bone! This is a popular class, register early before it fills up! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Thursday, March 28, 2024

Registration Deadline: March 18, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$39



Bluey with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 3 - 6 years)

"Mum... Dad... Bingo... BLUEY!" Your Bluey fan will love getting messy as they paint, cut and collage a portrait of Bluey, all on a real canvas board! Come to create a Bluey mixed-media masterpiece; stay for the tail-shaking dance!

9:00 am - 10:30 am

Monday, April 1, 2024

Registration Deadline: March 22, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$26



Sensational Slime with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

We think slime is sensational! Once you've mixed up a batch of our fabulous fluffy slime, then tried your hand at our special Bubblegum-scented silly putty slime, we're sure you'll think slime is sensational too! Sorry grown-ups; this class is for KIDS ONLY!!! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Friday, April 26, 2024

Registration Deadline: April 16, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$44



Roblox with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

Calling all Robloxians! Take a step out of the virtual world and into the coolest art class ever! We'll create with clay, paint, and more as we sculpt a classic Roblox Noob. Whether you're a hardcore gamer or more of a Noob, this is the perfect class for you. Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Friday, April 26, 2024

Registration Deadline: April 16, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$46



Pink, Purple & Cute as Can Be with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

Is your child passionate about pink? Positively possessed with purple? Then this camp is for them! We'll create all things pink, purple and as cute as can be like cupcakes piled high with pink frosting, a basket full of lovely lavender, a butterfly surrounded by fuchsia flowers, and so much more. We'll paint, draw and sculpt our way through every shade of pink and purple. The kids will be tickled pink by the projects in this camp! Not so crazy about pink and purple? Just love art and still want to take this camp? No problem! We'll have other color options available for all those who aren't so tickled pink. Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child each day.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Tuesday, June 4 - Thursday,

June 6, 2024

Registration Deadline: May 25, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$144



The How To's of Drawing with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

Back by popular demand! Does your young artist love to draw? This introductory drawing camp teaches kids the basic techniques and principles of drawing. We'll encourage creativity and imagination, while experimenting with a variety of drawing materials and techniques. The kids will even receive their own sketchbook that they will get to keep and draw in throughout the camp! In Kidcreate's fun and supportive environment, your young artist will be eager to get drawing! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Tuesday, June 4 - Thursday, June 6, 2024

Registration Deadline: May 25, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$144



Lions & Tigers & Bears, Oh My! with Kidcreate Studio

(Age 3 - 6 years)

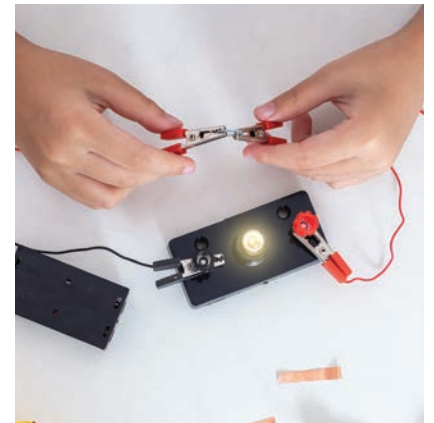
Scribble, paint, sculpt... ROAR! Come join us as we create adorable artwork inspired by some of our favorite zoo animals. Budding Picassos and future zoologists alike will love painting on real canvas boards, sculpting with air-dry clay and scribbling with oil pastels as they create animal-themed artwork that is totally WILD! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child each day.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Monday, June 17 and Tuesday, June 18, 2024

Registration Deadline: June 7, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$105



LED's, Circuits & Conductivity with KidScientific

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

Spark up curiosity in our illuminating science camp! Dive into the world of circuits, conductivity, and LEDs as young scientists embark on a journey of discovery. In this electrifying camp, kids will craft their own light-up greeting cards and fireflies as they bring their creations to life with the magic of LEDs. Explore the captivating realm of electromagnets, learning the principles that power many everyday devices, and conduct hands-on experiments to unravel the mysteries of magnetism. Please pack a nut free snack and drink with your child each day.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Monday, June 17 and Tuesday, June 18, 2024

Registration Deadline: June 7, 2024

Central Elementary Music Room

\$105



Tie Dye Party with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

This is NOT a project you want your kids doing at home! Send your kids to class to make a tie-dyed shirt that they will wear all summer long. Children must bring their own white t-shirt to class. Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Wednesday, July 10, 2024
Registration Deadline: June 30, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$46 per class

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Tuesday, August 20, 2024
Registration Deadline: August 10, 2024



IlluminART with Kidcreate Studio

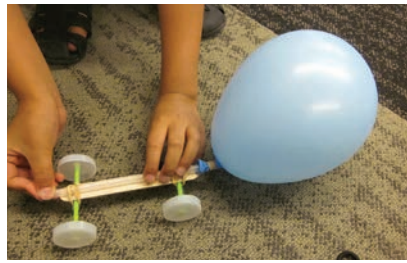
(Ages 4 - 9 years)

Get ready to light up the night with art! Our ultra-cool camp creations will shine, shimmer and glow for their big debut in the dark. Join us as we use clay, paint and other luminescent materials to craft extraordinary pieces of art that really glow-in-the-dark. Your child's creative imagination is sure to illuminate like never before! Please pack a nut free snack and drink with your child each day.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Monday, June 17 and Tuesday,
 June 18, 2024
 Registration Deadline: June 7, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$105



Science Fun & Games with KidScientific

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

Join us as we transform complex scientific concepts into thrilling games and activities. Brace yourself as we create your very own roller coaster using straws. Race against your friends with engineer race cars powered by balloons. Dive into a world of hands-on experiments that will turn learning into pure play. We guarantee non-stop fun and excitement as we unravel the mysteries of science through interactive games. Get ready to unleash your creativity and critical thinking skills in a dynamic environment. Prepare yourself for laughter, challenges, and amazing discoveries. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to play your way through fascinating scientific concepts! Please pack a nut free snack and drink for your child each day.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Monday, July 1 and Tuesday,
 July 2, 2024
 Registration Deadline: June 21, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$105



Mini Mania with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

When in doubt, make it mini! Teeny and tiny is all the rage, so come create a series of microscopic masterpieces! We'll sculpt an itty bitty bowling set, a magnificent mini cake, and all kinds of other teeny tiny creations. It's total mini mania!!! Please pack a nut free snack, lunch and a drink with your child.

9:00 am - 3:00 pm
 Tuesday, July 9, 2024
 Registration Deadline: June 29, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$108

YOUTH



Slime Time with Mickey & Minnie with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

Get ready, Disney Fans! This slime-tastic activity is the perfect way to create a memory that's sure to stick. "Hey there," "Hi there" and last but not least, "Ho There!" — be prepared for your mini Mouseketeer to have some ooey gooey fun as they make their own Mickey or Minnie Mouse slime with a themed jar to hold it all together.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Monday, July 15, 2024
 Registration Deadline: July 5, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$46



Reveal Candle Making with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 9 - 14 years)

Welcome to our magical art class where we will be exploring the world of reveal candles! We will be crafting unique candles, infused with your favorite scents, colors, and hidden surprises. With the addition of delightful charms into the warm wax, your child's reveal candle will transform into a stunning masterpiece as the flame slowly burns down and reveals the secret treasures waiting to be discovered within. The possibilities are endless, from sparkling jewels and glittery gems to adorable animals! At the end of this class, your child will have a one-of-a-kind candle!

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
 Monday, July 15, 2024
 Registration Deadline: July 5, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab
\$48



Back-to-School Art Camp with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 3 - 6 years)

This art camp is a celebration of all the incredible things your child is learning right now: the colors of the rainbow, shapes, ABC's, and 1-2-3s. Each day will involve a magnificently messy sensory encounter and art projects that are sure to lay the foundation for a lifelong love of art and learning. Please pack a nut free snack and drink with your child each day.

9:00 am - 12:00 pm
 Monday, August 12 and Tuesday, August 13, 2024
 Registration Deadline: August 2, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab
\$105



End of Summer Bash with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 4 - 9 years)

The end of summer is just around the corner, so let's go out with a bang! We'll celebrate all things summer as we sculpt yummy treats, create tropical works of art and more; we'll even make a beach scene out of real candy! This camp is one awesome artsy party you don't want to miss. Please pack a nut free snack and drink with your child each day.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Monday, August 12 and Tuesday, August 13, 2024
 Registration Deadline: August 2, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab
\$105



State Fair Food with Kidcreate Studio

(Ages 5 - 12 years)

What's the best thing about the State Fair? The food of course! In this fun-filled class your young artist will create the most delicious looking art project around! It will be yumminess on a stick! The kids will be creating, not eating this art project. Please pack a nut free snack and a drink for your child.

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
 Tuesday, August 20, 2024
 Registration Deadline: August 10, 2024

Central Elementary STEAM Lab
\$46



Fall Volleyball League
(Grades 5 - 6)

Players will practice one night a week (days to be determined by coaches) and play games in neighboring communities on Saturday mornings. The first practice will be Wednesday, August 21 at 6:30 pm. Once the game schedule is set by the league it will be emailed out. Parents are needed to help coach these teams. Please indicate if you are willing to coach.

Registration Deadline: August 1st. After this point we will determine how many teams we will have and players will only be added if there is room on a team and a \$10 late fee will be charged.

Evening practices: 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm (Practice schedule will be sent out after registration closes)

Games: September 7 - November 2, 2024

Practices will be held at Central High School Gyms

\$55



Fall Soccer
(Grades Kindergarten - 6)

Students will have the opportunity to develop individual and team soccer skills as well as sportsmanship on Thursdays and games are played on Saturday mornings in various communities. Please indicate on your registration if you are willing to coach for your child's team. **JERSEY:** If your child has not previously bought a jersey or needs a new one, there is an additional \$20 fee. Please indicate the size needed. Players must wear shin guards and can wear tennis, soccer, or plastic cleat shoes.

The first day of practice will be August 29th.

Registration Deadline: August 1st.

Thursday Practices: 5:30 pm - 6:45 pm (Practice times may change due to number of teams and coaches)

Saturday Games: Times and locations to be determined

August 29 - October 12, 2024

Friendship Park, Norwood Young America

\$42 (Plus \$20 jersey fee if one is needed)



Tackle Football
(Grades 3 - 6)

This is an introduction to the tackle football program. Players must purchase their own helmet and shoulder pads. Community Ed will provide each player with a jersey and pants. The 3rd and 4th grade program will teach beginning tackling skills, ball handling, and plays. The 3rd grade and 4th grade will be divided based on how many players are registered whether by grade or splitting into multiple teams. The 5th and 6th grade program will teach controlled tackling, more advanced plays, defense, and will play some Saturday games against other towns. No rough housing will be allowed! Parent coaches are needed for this program. Please indicate on your registration form if you would like to help coach. The program meets twice a week. Practice times may change depending on sunset time.

Registration deadline is August 1st.

Grades 5 and 6 Practices:

Tuesday and Thursday
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
August 20 - October 10, 2024
(No practice Thursday, August 22)

Saturday Games: September 7 - October 12, 2024 at various locations

Grades 3 and 4 Practices:

Tuesday and Thursday
6:00 pm - 7:15 pm
August 20 - October 10, 2024
September 3 - October 10, 2024

Central High School Football Field

\$79

ADULTS



Maple Syrup Tour

(All Ages)

Experience a true northern tradition through tour and taste! Our informational walking tour through Baylor Regional Park's maple forest provides an in-depth history of this seasonal tradition. Experience the entire maple syruping process, from tapping the tree to boiling down the syrup. Participants even get to take home sample bottles!

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm
Tuesday, April 2, 2024

Baylor Regional Park

\$10



Romance for Two Dance Workshop

(Adults)

Valentine's Day is just around the corner, so why not start the romance early? This workshop takes your old "Swing and Sway" and spices it up with simple, easy, romantic moves. You'll be spinning, turning and twirling together before you know it and you'll feel comfortable in any setting! By the end of the session... you won't want to let go! Couples only please.

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Tuesday, February 6, 2024

La Academia School Gym
1800 N Chestnut St., #1492, Chaska

\$28 per couple



Line Dance to Barbie's "Dance the Night"

(All Ages - Family Class)

Love the movie? Learn those fun Barbie and Ken moves to this inspiring dance with its upbeat disco track by Dua Lipa and "Dance the Night" away. No partner needed for a night of fun. All ages are welcome to this family friendly activity! If registering a family, please register each family participant.

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Monday, March 18, 2024

La Academia School Gym
1800 N Chestnut St., #1492, Chaska

\$12 per person



Swing Dance — One Night of Fun

(Adults)

An Evening of Swing Dancing for Beginners. One day! One Dance! A lifetime of fun! Now is a perfect time to try swing dancing! Monica Mohn uses her competitive dance experience to make the swing easy, with patterns you can use for years to come. Couples only please.

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Monday, March 18, 2024

La Academia School Gym
1800 N Chestnut St., #1492, Chaska

\$28 per couple



2-Left Feet Social Dance (Adults)

Convinced that you have 2-left feet, and that dancing is not meant for you? Or someone you know? But still, it would be helpful to know a few steps. Geared to beginners and guided by a dance champion. Learn fun moves and simple tips to ease you into the joy of dancing together. You'll be out on the dance floor in no time! Couples only please.

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Wednesday, April 24, 2024

La Academia School Gym
1800 N Chestnut St., #1492, Chaska

\$28 per couple



Magnifying abilities is a social/recreational program for persons with intellectual and physical disabilities. The program is designed to enhance community involvement and life long learning of adults with disabilities. Adults as well as teens ages 16 & 17 (when accompanied by an adult) are welcome to attend our programs, so older high school students or students in a transition program (18-21) are ideal. Included are craft and informational classes, tours, sporting events as well as other outings. Events are held throughout Carver and Scott Counties and are available to Carver and Scott County residents.

Cards, Games & Conversation

(Ages 16+)

Ready for game night? Get together with your Magnifying Abilities friends for an evening of games and conversation! We will divide into groups and play some old favorites like UNO, Yahtzee, and Dominoes and we'll try some new ones, too. Snacks and drinks will be provided! Caregivers should accompany participants needing support and are invited to play too! Caregivers do not need to register for this event

6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Thursday, April 4, 2024

Register at ce4all.org/programs/adults/magnifying-abilities/

Registration & Cancellation Deadline:
March 28, 2024

Central High School Flexible Learning Classroom (531 Morse St. Norwood Young America)

\$6



Gentle Yoga for Beginners (Adults)

Take some time for yourself while you practice yoga. Yoga improves your flexibility, strength, balance, and range of motion. Please bring your own yoga mat to class.

Instructor: Laura Forst

*Tuesdays 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
April 2 - May 21, 2024*

Central Elementary Gym

\$72



Bob Ross Painting Class (For all levels Ages 13+)

Enjoy the relaxed and fun approach to create your own 20x16 landscape oil painting. Learn to use all the equipment provided as you learn to paint mountains, trees, lakes, rivers, bushes, and sunsets.

*5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Tuesday, April 23, 2024*

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$65



Garden Gnome with Kidcreate Studio (Ages 18 - 99 years)

They're taking over your gardens, and they couldn't be cuter! Come explore the art of contour-line drawing while creating an adorable gnome on canvas. Best of all, these cute little guys will be drawn and painted all on a real canvas board!

*6:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Tuesday, May 7, 2024*

Central Elementary STEAM Lab

\$32

Photo Organization— Print & Digital (Adults)

Have a photo mess...are your photographs in a box, drawer, suitcase, phone, camera chip, external hard drive, or all the above? Is your goal to SAVE, ORGANIZE, and SHARE your photos? Discover alternatives to get every printed/digital photo, movie, and memorabilia in one location permanently and safely. Learn about scanners, digitizing old photos, cloud storage and organization. You'll leave with options to easily access every photo on your own!

*7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Tuesday, April 9, 2024*

Central High School Flexible Learning Room

\$15



Defensive Driving (8 - Hour Class) (Ages 55+)

This class is designed for participants who need the full 8-hour Driver Improvement course. After completion, drivers may qualify for a discount on their auto insurance. Bring your driver's license.

*8:30 am - 12:30 pm
Wednesday, May 15, Thursday, May 16, 2024 or
Wednesday, October 16, Thursday, October 17, 2024
(2-Session course - must attend both)*

Central Elementary School

\$28 per course

Driver Safety Program (4 - Hour Refresher) (Ages 55+)

This class is designed for participants who have already taken the 8-Hour Driver Safety Program. The law allows you to take this refresher course to keep up with your auto insurance discounts. Bring your driver's license.

*Thursdays 8:30 am - 12:30 pm
March 14, 2024
April 25, 2024
June 6, 2024
July 11, 2024
August 22, 2024
November 21, 2024*

Central Elementary School

\$24

Online Technology Classes (Adults)



Taught by Nickie Welsh, Social Club Simple

Nickie Welsh is an experienced instructor who is passionate about helping all Adults use technology to improve their lives in a positive way. Through live online training, she provides practical and fun classes for you on using popular social media platforms, ride sharing apps, and more to help eliminate technology overwhelm. Her goal is to empower adults through technology independence, so that you don't have to ask a teenager for tech help again. All live online classes are also recorded, so that if you're unable to make the exact time, you can watch it again at your convenience.

Please note that each class is taught live online through zoom. If a student is unable to attend the live online training time, they can still register and watch the recording of the training at their convenience. Follow-up support is also included from the instructor and students are encouraged to reach out with questions at any time before or after the class has concluded. Zoom links will be sent via email before class.

Classes meet from 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

\$18 per class

How to Create Your Own YouTube Channel

Does your child dream of having their own YouTube channel? Eliminate the worry with this helpful class as we walk you through the steps on how to set up a YouTube channel, safety settings, and consideration for kids having their own channel. Parents will learn the basic guidelines of being able to help manage and monitor their activity, all while incorporating practical business skills when it comes to managing your own channel. You'll learn how this hobby can become a practical career, safety practices, and even create fun videos! Parents will leave the class with helpful guidelines to get their kid's channel started safely and a solid foundation for their child's new creative outlet in 2024. Please note, children must be age 13 and have parental permission to start a YouTube channel.

Thursday, February 1, 2024

How to Use Venmo Safely in 2024

Stay up to date by expanding your technology knowledge and learn what you need to know about the mobile payment service called Venmo. Learn how to pay friends, businesses or receive money without using cash or checks. You'll leave this class with a confident understanding of how to set up Venmo safely, fees to avoid, and real world scenarios you or your family and friends may use with this mobile payment option.

Thursday, February 15, 2024

Social Media for Business

Driving new customer traffic to your website and promoting your business is imperative in today's technology world. Don't let your skillset or company get left behind by missing the key social media rules you need to know! In this class, you'll learn how to craft a simple but effective social media marketing strategy,

listen directly to customers and implement tips to grow your business all while staying organized without technology overwhelm.

Tuesday, May 7, 2024

A Parent's Guide to TikTok

Have you heard about the latest new app called TikTok? Learn how it's used and how parents can also help their kids stay safe while on it. You'll leave the class with helpful action items to share with your family to help gain a better understanding on what to do/what not to do within the app. The class will help set up a healthy foundation for technology habits your family members can use for the rest of their life whether in school or in their professional careers.

Thursday, May 16, 2024

Grow Your Business with Instagram

What can you do on Instagram that can result in huge growth for your customer base and sales? We've got the answers you need in this fun beginner level class to grow your business with Instagram. You'll learn the key steps needed in order to improve your company bottom line and also gain more followers. Plus, you'll learn to make your content irresistible and have fun in the process!

Tuesday, July 16, 2024

Cell Phones & Parenting — Oh My!

When your child has a Smartphone there are key things you should know in order to keep them safe and secure. In this class you'll understand recommended safety settings on popular social media apps, parental apps for your child's Smartphone, and more! You will leave this class with a confident plan to simplify the technology so that you and your child can use the phone safely without worry.

Tuesday, August 13, 2024



Winter Dance Party

(Adults)

We'll begin with an included buffet lunch at the Coyote Moon Grille and then head for the St. Cloud Paramount Theatre for the Winter Dance Party. John Mueller's "Winter Dance Party"® is the official live and authentic re-creation of Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens and the Big Bopper's final tour and the only show endorsed by the Holly, Valens and Richardson estates. Each performance includes over two hours of unbridled, high voltage entertainment featuring all the hit songs of the 50's era: "That'll Be The Day," "Peggy Sue," "Oh Boy," "Rave On," "La Bamba," "Chantilly Lace," and many, many more.

Thursday, January 25, 2024
9:15 am - 5:30 pm

St. Cloud Paramount Theatre

**Bus Pick Up at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$97



Love Will Keep Us Together

(Adults)

Happy Valentine's Day! We're headed for the Ives Auditorium in Bloomington where we'll begin with an included lunch of chicken marsala, buttered egg noodles, garlic smashed potatoes, roasted green beans, winter salad, dinner rolls, assorted dessert, coffee, decaffeinated coffee and hot tea. (Special dietary meals available by request ahead of time.) Then we'll head to the theater for "Love Will Keep Us Together," an array of classic romantic love songs from the 60s and 70s. Featuring hits from Elvis Presley, The Righteous Brothers, Barry Manilow, The Bee Gees, Carole King, The Carpenters, Billy Joel and more. Love Will Keep Us Together showcases your favorite Sidekick Theatre musicians with some of the Twin Cities best vocalists performing such songs as "My Girl," "Can't Help Falling in Love," "Ain't No Sunshine," "Can't Take My Eyes off You" and of course "Love Will Keep Us Together." Enjoy an atmosphere of fun and romance at Sidekick Theatre this Valentine's Day!

Wednesday, February 14, 2024
10:15 am - 4:15 pm

Ives Auditorium in Bloomington

**Bus Pick Up at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$98



Hank and My Honky Tonk Heroes

(Adults)

We'll begin with an included buffet lunch at the Coyote Moon Grille and then head for the St. Cloud Paramount Theatre for Hank and My Honky Tonk Heroes. There is only one Hank Williams and only one actor who can bring him to life, Jason Petty. Jason is the only actor to portray Hank Williams in New York City's hit Off Broadway musical "Lost Highway" where he won an Obie and multiple nominations for his performance. Only Jason has portrayed Hank in "Lost Highway" at Nashville's world-famous Ryman Auditorium.

Jason Petty re-creates such Williams' hits as "I'm So Lonesome I Could Cry," "Your Cheatin' Heart," "Hey Good Lookin'," "Kaw-Liga," "Cold Cold Heart," "Lovesick Blues" and many more. Jason pays tribute to stars that influenced Hank and those stars that Hank influenced.

9:15 am - 5:30 pm
Tuesday, March 5, 2024

St. Cloud Paramount Theatre

**Bus pickup at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$95

FUN OUTINGS



'Til Beth Do Us Part

(Adults)

DayTrippers Dinner Theatre is at it again...in one of my favorite venues, the Plymouth Playhouse! Get ready to laugh! After an included pulled pork with Jim Beam barbecue sauce, baked beans with bacon, potato buns, creamy coleslaw, pickles, buttered sweet corn, house made kettle chips, chocolate chunk brownies, coffee and iced tea lunch (*There is a vegetarian option available – fettuccine alfredo – but you MUST request this option when you register.*), it's time for "'Til Beth Do Us Part" from the creators of "The Dixie Swim Club" and "Always a Bridesmaid." This side-splitting romp about marriage and career introduces us to the Haydens – Suzannah and her husband Gibby, a local TV weatherman. They are a couple who both work and decide an assistant is needed to help put the house in order. So they hire a highly motivated, gregarious Southerner named Beth. Little do they know, Beth is after Suzanne's job. Throw in a couple of wise-cracking best friends and a British boss lady, and you discover that the hazards of hiring a personal assistant can be hilarious.

10:45 am - 4:15 pm
Wednesday, April 24, 2024

Plymouth Playhouse

**Bus pickup at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$98

The Fabulous Lipitones

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(Adults)

Once again we're headed for the Ives Auditorium in Bloomington where we'll begin with an included lunch of creamy chicken breast, roasted red potatoes, glazed carrots, coleslaw, dinner rolls, assorted dessert, coffee, hot tea. (Special dietary meals available by request ahead of time.) Then we'll head to the theater for "The Fabulous Lipitones." What happens when an a cappella quartet loses a key member to a heart-stopping high "B flat?" The three surviving members suddenly find themselves scrambling to find a tenor before the national competition. When the golden tones of "Bob" are heard through the phone the Lipitones are all ears... but when they meet him in person, he's not quite what they expected. An uproarious comedy of misunderstanding, stereotypes and the path to perfect harmony.

10:15 am - 4:15 pm
Wednesday, May 8, 2024

Ives Auditorium in Bloomington

**Bus pickup at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$98



The Kingston Trio

(Adults)

We'll begin with an included buffet lunch at the Coyote Moon Grille and then head for the St. Cloud Paramount Theatre for "The Kingston Trio." In 1957, The Kingston Trio emerged from San Francisco's North Beach club scene to take the country by storm, bringing the rich tradition of American folk music into the mainstream for the first time. During the late 50s and early 60s, the Trio enjoyed unprecedented record sales and worldwide fame, while influencing the musical tastes of a generation. Through changing times, the Trio has played on, remaining popular for a simple reason... great songs that sound as good today as the first time you heard them. Over forty years after the song "Tom Doolley" shot to the top of the charts, the Trio is still on the road 30 weeks out of the year, bringing back all the great memories and making new ones.

9:15 am - 5:30 pm
Thursday, June 13, 2024

St. Cloud Paramount Theatre

**Bus pickup at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$97

ADULTS



Endless Summer: The Story of The Beach Boys — Featuring The Throwbacks

(Adults)

We'll begin with an included buffet lunch at the Coyote Moon Grille and then head for the St. Cloud Paramount Theatre for "Endless Summer: The Story of The Beach Boys" – featuring The Throwbacks. This "family" group created magic using the soaring, definitive harmonies as the staple to twenty-two Top 10 hits. Their career spanned over two decades and would place them with Rock 'n Roll royalty as they were inducted into the Hall of Fame in 1988. Among groups of the '60's, the "California quintet" placed second only to The Beatles in overall impact on the Top 40. Surf, sand, sun, and fun! America's Beach Boys are the "sound" of summer and summer begins here! Featuring Classics: "Surfin' USA," "Surfer Girl," "Little Deuce Coupe," "Fun, Fun, Fun," "I Get Around," "Help Me Rhonda," "California Girls," "Sloop John B," "God Only Knows," "Good Vibrations" and many, many more!

9:15 am - 5:30 pm
Thursday, July 11, 2024

St. Cloud Paramount Theatre

**Bus pickup at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

\$99



Take Me Home: The Music of John Denver

(Adults)

We'll begin with an included buffet lunch at the Coyote Moon Grille and then head for the St. Cloud Paramount Theatre for "Take Me Home: The Music of John Denver." Jim Curry has created the ultimate tribute experience, emerging as the top performer of John Denver's music today. This tribute is the only full-length John Denver tribute to headline in Las Vegas and has been celebrated nationally and internationally. Curry's heartfelt delivery envelops the crowd as hits such as "Rocky Mountain High," "Annie's Song," and "Country Roads" fill the atmosphere. Superimposed with multimedia images of wildlife photos and videos, this show truly fills your senses.

9:15 am - 5:30 pm
Tuesday, August 13, 2024

St. Cloud Paramount Theatre

**Bus pickup at Central High School
(arrive 15 minutes early)**

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MUSIC IN THE PARK SERIES

**Legion Pool Park in
Norwood Young America**

**JUNE 13
Traveled Ground**

**JUNE 20
Czech Area Concertina Club**

**JUNE 27
The Castaways**

**JULY 11
Jolly Pops — Children's
Music Entertainment**

**JULY 18
Jolly Ramblers**

**JULY 25
Rich and Friends**

**FREE for all, join us at 6:30 pm
for a night of music.**



FUN OUTINGS

Cooking & Baking



Tess Georgakopoulos, also known as “Chef Tess—Culinary Artist,” has been cooking and baking for well over 45 years since she was roughly 6 years old. Tess’s cooking classes will take place on Zoom, or on Microsoft TEAMS; free on-line software. Make it a date night or a family night as you create lasting memories in your kitchen! Participants will receive instructions on how to access the class prior to it starting. As an added bonus, the instructor has created a private group and a public group on Facebook for participants of her cooking classes. Everyone will receive an invite to the groups although joining is optional. Come join the fun! Note: One registration fee for this online, virtual class can include participants from the same household only. If children are participating, adult supervision is required. NO REFUNDS given after the initial ingredient lists have been provided.



Kick-Off Kitchen! Soft Pretzels with Beer Cheese Dip & Italian Meatball Slider Sammies Made from SCRATCH!

(All Ages)

No one will even care about the game with these TOUCHDOWN scoring snacks on the table! YOU will be the MVP of the party regardless of who wins! Learn to make SOFT Pretzels with Beer Cheese Dip & Italian Meatball Slider Sammies from SCRATCH! EVERYTHING from the dough for the pretzels and rolls, beer cheese and meatballs will be made fresh! NO store bought rolls or frozen meatballs are included in the instructors’ personal recipes being used for the class! Crowd pleasing goodness during the game or any time of year HANDS-DOWN!

6:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Friday, February 2, 2024

Cook-Along Class through Zoom

\$36



Soups & Bread Bowls! Creamy Chicken & Wild Rice Soup, Creamy Broccoli Cheddar Soup, & Italian Bread BOWLS! (Instant Pot® or Stove Top)

(All Ages)

Warm, delicious, soothing, satisfying soups are such a welcome treat for dinner any time of year. All the stresses of the day seem to melt away with the smell of freshly made soup that brings smiles to the entire family. Have some fun participating in this virtual COOK-ALONG class, expand your family’s soup rotation and your culinary repertoire as you learn to create two wonderful soups in addition to homemade Italian Bread BOWLS! Choose one soup for your cook-along, and watch a demonstration of the other or choose to make both! It’s up to you! Both will pair perfectly served IN the amazing Italian Bread BOWLS we will be making from scratch! You will feel so accomplished!

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm
Saturday, February 24, 2024

Cook-Along Class through Zoom

\$36

ADULTS

COOKING & BAKING



Dim Sum Dumpling Dynasty: Pot Stickers with Homemade Wrappers & Dipping Sauce from SCRATCH!

(All Ages)

Dim Sum refers to a Chinese or Cantonese meal consisting of numerous small appetizers or finger foods traditionally enjoyed in restaurants. It is considered a shared dining and social experience that can last for hours. Dim Sum often includes some sort of dumpling, and one of the most popular dumpling options is Pot Stickers! Join Tess for one of her newest classes as she guides you through the step-by-step process of creating the most wonderful pot stickers with homemade wrappers that will take you to culinary heights you never knew you could reach. A wonderful dipping sauce will also be created! Participants will have the option of making a pork-based filling or a chicken-based filling. Participants will also have the option of learning to make homemade wrappers, but of course store bought can be used as well. Freezing tips will also be shared. The experience will possibly make store bought pot stickers a thing of the past! Have your questions answered by the instructor, and interact with other participants as you cook-along with Tess to create some of the most wonderful Dim Sum you have ever tasted.

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm
Saturday, March 23, 2024

Cook-Along Class through Zoom

\$36



Focaccia, Stromboli, & Calzones! OH MY!

(All Ages)

Stromboli (rolled / filled pizza), Calzones (stuffed pizza), wonderful Focaccia Bread, and an OUT-OF-THIS-WORLD Pizza Sauce. TWO different homemade doughs will be used. One will be for the pizza options, the other for the focaccia. The instructor will provide step-by-step guidance and instruction help to ensure the process is as simple as can be. Participants can personalize their pizzas and focaccia bread with toppings and fillings of their choosing. All recipes have been created by the instructor, and tested time and time again over the years, to ensure maximum flavor and ease.

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm
Saturday, April 20, 2024

Bake-Along / Cook-Along through Zoom

\$36



Spring Roll Symphony! Crafting Crispy & Fresh Spring Roll Delights

(All Ages)

No need to look beyond your own kitchen for RESTAURANT QUALITY spring rolls! Whether you are looking to host a memorable Dim Sum get-together or simply want to create something FRESH and BRIGHT to welcome in the spring, this is the class you have been looking for! Join Tess as she walks you through the process of creating two types of spring rolls bursting with a SYMPHONY of flavors bold and bright enough to wake up any and all taste buds. Choice of meat (chicken or pork) & veggies will fill the CRISPY spring rolls, and fresh veggie and precooked protein of choice will fill the FRESH spring rolls. Two types of wrappers will be used. Participants will be able to customize filling ingredients and seasonings according to their taste or dietary preferences. Join in the fun as we dive into the world of spring rolls learning the techniques to create fillings, and how to wrap, roll, and cook these delightful packets of bright deliciousness! Freezing and reheating tips will also be shared! Come join the FUN!

4:00 pm - 6:30 pm
Saturday, May 18, 2024

Cook-Along Class through Zoom

\$30

FOSTERING LIFELONG LEARNING INSTILLS A LOVE OF EDUCATION THAT LASTS A LIFETIME!

Dear Community Members,

As we embrace the new year, I am thrilled to share the incredible array of opportunities available at our school that cater to diverse interests and age groups. Our commitment to fostering lifelong learning begins with our early learning programs, designed to nurture young minds and instill a love for education from the outset. Additionally, we offer classes tailored for parents to further support their involvement in their child's educational journey.



Our school-aged childcare services provide a safe and engaging environment for students outside of regular school hours, ensuring their continued growth and development. Our preschool curriculum aligns with state standards, guaranteeing that every learner receives a quality education that prepares them for a seamless transition to kindergarten.



Furthermore, our school-aged sports programs aim to instill values of teamwork, discipline, and health in our students. We take pride in our specialized classes for both students and adults, covering an array of subjects that cater to varied interests and skill levels. We have expanded our Community Education catalog with great care, curating offerings to align with the interests and needs of our community members. Our hope is that you'll find something within these offerings that excites and engages you. We encourage everyone to explore our diverse programs and join us in this journey of exploration, discovery, and growth.

I am thrilled to announce the upcoming opening of our new field house this spring/summer—a state-of-the-art facility that will serve as a hub for athletic events, community gatherings, and fitness activities. This new addition to our campus will provide unprecedented opportunities for our community members to engage in sports, wellness activities, and various events. We cannot contain our excitement to see the community utilize and benefit from this fantastic resource. The field house stands as a testament to our commitment to providing top-notch facilities that enhance the overall experience for all members of our community. We eagerly anticipate the day when its doors open, welcoming everyone to enjoy its amenities and contribute to the vibrant community spirit we cherish.



In Partnership,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Timothy Schochenmaier".

Tim Schochenmaier
Superintendent, Central Public Schools

ADVISORY COUNCIL

MISSION

Educate, Enrich, and Support all Community Members through accessible and diverse learning opportunities.

VISION

Foster growth, empowerment, and unity of community members through lifelong learning.

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Learn About The Community Education Advisory Council

The Community Education Advisory Council is mandated by Minnesota law and serves to advise the Administration and the Board of Education about issues relating to Community Education.

- The Council serves as liaison between the community and the school district in evaluating Community Education needs and providing input to promote and foster new programs.
- Members advise, guide, advocate and serve as ambassadors for the development and delivery of Community Education programs and act as key communicators to connect the community to Central Public Schools.
- The Advisory Council helps shape the future direction of Community Education and provides leadership opportunities for members to connect on a regional and national level.
- The Advisory Council will meet four times per year with new officers selected annually at the October meeting.

Remaining Meeting Schedule: April 8, 2024

REGISTRATION



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PO Box 367

Norwood Young America, MN 55368



IN PERSON

Visit our office located inside Central Elementary School.

Enter through the Community Ed entrance. Central Elementary School is located at 655 7th Street SW, Norwood Young America, MN 55368



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Confirmation

You will receive an email confirmation when you register online and you may receive additional emails from the instructor, Community Education staff or coach.

Email Notifications and Announcements

Fill out your email and cell phone number on your online user profile so we can send a confirmation, instructor or weather cancellation message. We will never give your information to any other agency, it is strictly for the use by ISD 108 Community Education.

Sign Up Today!

Many classes fill quickly. If classes have insufficient enrollments, the class will be canceled, so please sign up early.

Cancellations

You will be notified via email or phone using the information provided on your User Profile. Please make sure your profile information is current. Community Education reserves the right to cancel any activity, and will make every effort to contact participants via email or phone.

Refund Policy

Refunds will not be given for cancellations after the registration deadline or less than five working days before the class starts if no deadline was given for the class. Refunds will not be issued for missed classes. A \$5 processing fee will be withheld from all refunds.

Photos in Classes

ISD 108 Community Education periodically takes pictures of participants in classes and during sponsored activities for use in promotional materials. If you do not wish to have your, or your children's picture taken or published you must fill out the Photo Opt-out form.



Inclement Weather

If Central Public Schools are closed for the day, or close early, Community Education programs will be canceled and may be rescheduled. Information about Community Education will be included in announcements from the school district.

Reduced Fees

Please let us know if you are in need of financial assistance. Every effort will be made to reduce the cost of the class.

Accessibility

Community Education is accessible to all individuals. To better serve you, please let us know if you require assistance and we will make every effort to accommodate you.

UCare Minnesota Members

UCare members may take up to a \$15 discount per class on most classes. Members must be on UCare at the time of registration and must include their UCare ID number when registering.

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Introducing Central Public Preschool, home of Little Raiders. Our preschool is the only place you will find curriculum aligned with Central Public Schools.

Why Central Public Preschool?

- Linked to Central Elementary for a seamless transition to kindergarten
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- Inclusion-based classrooms
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"Central Public Preschool is where the adventure of learning begins, igniting young minds to explore, create and thrive!"

– Sue Forster, Director Community Education

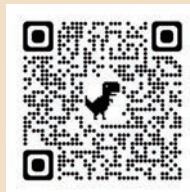
Join us for Preschool Preview Night

Monday, February 12, 2024 at Central Elementary School

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm (come and go) — Parent Meeting at 6:00 pm

- Enjoy meeting our staff
- Sample classroom activities
- Try a snack in the cafeteria
- Play in the bounce house
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