



CLINTON SPRING 2018 AFTER-SCHOOL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

Beyond the Bell is an after-school program created by the South Orange Maplewood School District's Parenting Center. *Beyond the Bell* is designed to help all students stretch and grow by coordinating, deepening and expanding after-school opportunities at the elementary level.

The spring session will begin Monday, April 16th. Students will be introduced to a wide variety of subjects and activities, taught by enthusiastic and experienced instructors in a comfortable and familiar environment. Some of the instructors are Clinton teachers and parents; others come to us from the wider community.

Attached you will find three documents:

- 1) Important General Information about the Program
- 2) Course Offerings and Descriptions
- 3) Registration Form

Register & Pay On-line at www.somds.k12.nj.us

Please make sure that you know your user name/password before spring registration begins on March 13th 7:00 am.

Registration begins Tuesday, March 13 and ends on Tuesday, March 20. Classes fill up very quickly so act fast! If sending in paper registration form and payment, please register early and indicate a 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice.

If you have any questions, please contact Christina Waldon at beyondthebell@somds.k12.nj.us or Jonelle Delk at jonelledelk@hotmail.com





NEW

Please register and pay on line at

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On-Line Registration will open on Tuesday, March 13th at 7:00am!

If you wish to pay by check, complete the attached registration form and return to school with a check payable to "SOMBOE" no later than March 20th. Address envelope to *Beyond the Bell Enrichment Program*. Your child's first choice class may no longer be available by the time paper registrations are received and processed, so it is important to indicate 2nd and 3rd choice options. Classes do fill up quickly as most classes have only 12 available spaces. Paper registrations *will not* be processed until on-line registration is open on Tuesday, March 13th.

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COURSE CATALOG

MONDAYS

CRAZY CHEMISTRY

STEAMWorks Instructor

Practical chemistry is lots of fun! Learn about the chemistry that you encounter every day in your house and at school. Experiment with chemical reactions and test different liquids. Create your own chromatography applied T-shirt to take home! Make and eat exothermic ice cream!

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

CUPCAKE DECORATING 101

Antoinette Gelin, Instructor

Students learn how to decorate cupcakes with basic buttercream icing. Within the eight weeks, students will learn to use different decorating tips to make flowers, grass, shells, swirls, stars, and borders from royal icing.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

WORLD STREET FAIR

Andrea Beck, Instructor

Young adventurers will love learning easy recipes to sample popular dishes from around the world. From Pad Thai in Bangkok to Tapas in Barcelona, we'll explore flavors and cultures from around the globe. If your child has food allergies, please note them when registering.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

GLASS FUSING

ClayArt4kids Instructor

This interactive class teaches the foundation of glass fusing while exploring different techniques to create fun, colorful fused glass projects from transparent, opaque, and iridescent glasses. Learn about the other forms glass can take -- from stringers to noodles to marbles to liquid glass. Students will learn fun history, science and nature facts as they create their masterpieces. Some projects may include night lights, wind-chimes, bowls and jewelry. All glass pieces will be kiln fired outside of class and repeat students will be offered alternate projects.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

"HALF-PINT" FOUR SQUARE CLUB

Megan Hellthaler & Jordyn Lachmund, Instructors

Love the classic playground game of Four Square and can't get enough during recess! Learn the rules of the game in a fun, competitive environment with your classmates.

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

MIXING UP FUN IN THE KITCHEN

Maureen Lilli, Instructor

Children will be introduced to the simple techniques and terminology of cooking by following and preparing recipes for a variety of dishes. By the end of this class you may be surprised with breakfast in bed or a yummy birthday cake. If your child has food allergies, please note them on his/her registration form.

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95



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POETRY & CRAFT CLUB

Jan Wasserman, Instructor

Poetry is everywhere!
At home, at school – it’s in the air.
Let’s read and rhyme,
Create some art.
Explore the pieces
Which touch the heart.
Or maybe imply make us smile,
Giggle, wonder – all the while.

Grades 2-3 Fee: \$95

YOUTUBE SKIT CREATION

Denise Hayden/Funky Fun Art, Instructor

Allow your child the freedom to act and create! We will work on making mini videos of their choice! They will learn how to create an idea and plan it out to make a great mini video! Working in groups or individually or both! Learn amazing skills about planning ahead, problem solving, and practicing all while having fun!

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

WEDNESDAYS

ALL ABOUT CLAY

Clay4Art Instructor

For children who are eager to learn how to build and create with clay. Students create and design with wet clay, paint fired pieces and add creative touches like beads to projects including wind chimes & peace signs. Other projects may include fossils, turtles, fish bowl with sea life, pumpkins and butterfly bowls. Students will learn fun history, science and nature facts as they create their masterpieces. Dress to make a mess and bring your imagination!! Repeat students are offered alternate projects.

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

ART STUDIO

Jan Wasserman, Instructor

Let your creativity soar! Come join the fun and focus on the artistic flair within you. Using a variety of mediums and tools, make masterpieces filled with color, texture and of course, originality.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

BEAD MAKING

Eileen Campos, Instructor

Learn the art of crafting beads made from polymer clay and paper. Students will learn several techniques to create patterns in clay and how to shape clay beads. We will also explore how different shapes of paper can create different bead shapes.

Grades 1-5 Fee: \$95



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COME CODE WITH MRS. LATIMER

Jennifer Latimer, Instructor

Learn the basics of programming or take your current learning to a new level. We will use various tools including Scratch, Dash and Dot robots, Cubelets and Makey Makey.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

FOUR SQUARE CLUB

Jeff Lehman & Jordyn Lachmund, Instructors

Love the classic playground game of Four Square and can't get enough during recess! Learn the rules of the game in a fun, competitive environment with your classmates.

Grades 2-5 Fee: \$95

GAMES! GAMES! GAMES!

Megan Hellthaler, Instructor

Roll, flip, slide, spin – come play games and try to win! Join us as we challenge our minds, playing games of all kinds. Cards, boards, chips and dice – playing with friends is always nice. It will be fun- we can't wait, think of a game for you to create!

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

GARDENING 101

Kate Monagle, Instructor

Come to this enrichment where you will get to be part of the behind the seeds planning and preparation of the Clinton Community Garden. If you liked eating at recess gardening, why not be able to choose what we plant to eat and find out about those worms and caterpillars we discovered!?

Grades 2-5 Fee: \$95

LEGO MANIA

Casey Harrigan, Instructor

Join the LEGO fun! Students will use their creativity to build vehicles, structures, cities and more. They will start as architects, creating and planning first and then using their engineering and building skills to create amazing structures, while gaining confidence using building elements and learning general building practices.

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

MIXING UP FUN IN THE KITCHEN

Dawn Gordon, Instructor

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THURSDAYS

BRAIN BUZZ

Robin Ross, Instructor

Ever been challenged to list famous foods, transport a group blindfolded, or build a catapult? Well you are in luck! Play fun group games that require teamwork and creativity such as telling stories using clay creations and building large structures from marshmallows and toothpicks. Students will be faced with hands-on tasks that will keep them moving, stretch their imagination, and allow them to explore and discover how to think outside of the box. *This class is modeled on Odyssey of the Mind.*

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

CAMPGROUND GAMES

Jan Wasserman, Instructor

Like the laidback days of summer? Enjoy free time playing indoor and outdoor camp games! Spend an afternoon with friends-doing what children do well... learning through play!

Grades 2-3 Fee: \$95

FIBER FUN – FELTING & BEYOND

Josie Dakers-Brathwaite, Instructor

In this fun, free-spirited class students, will use their hands to press merino wool fibers together using water and mild soap to create colorful, one-of-a-kind pieces of art, including landscapes, flowers, wall art and more. Students may also embellish their pieces with beads, fabrics and buttons. This class will surely bring out their creative imaginations. No wool allergies please.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

FUN WITH YARN

Denise Balish/KnitBuds, Instructor

Students will learn to create with yarn and have fun! They will explore finger-knitting, pom poms and the basics of knitting with needles. Students will finish class with a project they are very proud of.

Grades K-2 Fee: \$95

INTRO TO DRAWING ANIMALS

Moss Freedman, Instructor

Embrace your inner animal spirit! This series of classes will teach students the techniques necessary to draw realistic animals. This class will cover the secret to sketching fur and scales, animal anatomy and bone structure, capturing accurate animal gestures and how to depict animals in their environment. Get ready for an art adventure!

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95



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IT'S ALL ABOUT FUN WITH MR. LEHMAN!

Jeff Lehman, Instructor

Students will enjoy all their favorite games with Mr. Lehman in the gym/outside and also spend a couple of classes in the fitness room playing Wii, Dance Fitness Revolution and using the exercise machines.

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

JUNIOR CSI – WHO DONE IT??

Dennis Canella, Instructor

Do you love mysteries and solving puzzles? Then join us as we crack codes, find clues, and play detective. Students will use the same techniques as the pros, analyzing fingerprints, blood and DNA to solve the case. Each week we will discover new techniques on our way to becoming super-sleuths!

Grades 3-5 Fee: \$95

KARATE KIDS

Carmen Puglio, Instructor

This class provides karate instruction centered on building a student's character as well as mental and physical strength. Students will learn the value of focus, discipline, confidence, and respect while they have fun and exercise.

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Grades 1-2 Fee: \$95

MYTHS & FAIRY TALES

Natasha Pomares, Instructor

Extend Fairy tales and myth literature's connection with art and writing activities in Literature Pockets. We'll dive into our favorite stories throughout time and create Projects that are displayed in easy-to-make paper pockets, creating a comprehensive portfolio to take home!

Grades K-3 Fee: \$95

WRITERS' CIRCLE

Paula Diaz Antonopoulos Wolfe/EDUCADEMY, Instructor

Do you or do you not like writing? Show us why or why not and let's make writing fun for all. In Writers' Circle, students can show their talents, discover new strengths and challenge themselves. In this supportive club, students will feel comfortable exploring new directions in their writing and thinking. Pick up a pen and come and join this creative class.

Grades 1-5 Fee: \$95



CLINTON'S AFTER-SCHOOL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

General Information

Classes: Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 2:35-3:45
Students will report to the gym on enrichment days at 2:35 pm dismissal to meet their instructor for attendance-taking.

Dates:

Mondays		Wednesdays		Thursdays	
4/16	5/14	4/18	5/16	4/19	5/17
4/23	5/21	4/25	5/23	4/26	5/24
4/30	6/4	5/2	5/30	5/3	5/31
5/7	6/11	5/9	6/6	5/10	6/7

REGISTRATION NEW REGISTER & PAY ON LINE AT WWW.SOMSD.K12.NJ.US

Deadline: Registration begins on Tuesday, March 13 and ends on Tuesday, March 20

Two ways to register:

1. **Register & pay on-line** to ensure your spot and receive immediate class confirmation. Just go to the District website - www.somsd.k12.nj.us. Beyond the Bell is listed under *Site Shortcuts* on the left-hand side of the screen. You can also register through the Clinton Website.
2. **Send in paper registration** and payment by check via student's backpack in an envelope marked "Beyond the Bell" or bring to school main office. Please make sure if using paper registration, 1st and 2nd choices are filled in.

Note: If minimum enrollment requirement is not met for an individual class, we will have to cancel that class.

Fees: All classes are \$95 per class. Payment accepted by credit card (online) or check (paper) payable to **SOMBOE**.

Scholarships: Available to those students who receive free or reduced-price lunch. Scholarship students who receive a waiver based upon a 'Reduced' meal status will be asked to pay a \$25 fee. If you qualify and would like to request a scholarship, please mark "Scholarship Requested" on the registration form, check off permission to confirm lunch eligibility. Please note that there is a limit of 1 scholarship class per student and that there are a limited number of scholarships per session.

Scholarship Fund: If your family would like to fully or partially fund a child to participate in the Beyond the Bell program, please add additional amount when checking out on line or to your check.

Notification: All registered children will either get immediate notification if registering online or be notified by Wednesday, April 4. If you do not receive confirmation, please email Christina Waldon at beyondthebell@somsd.k12.nj.us or call (201) 736-6750 or Jonelle Delk at jonelledelk@hotmail.com or call (973) 885-4162.

PROGRAM LOGISTICS

YMCA After-School Program at Clinton: Please make sure to follow the YMCA guidelines for late arrival to the After School Program if your child is participating in After School Enrichment.

Dismissal: **3:45 sharp.** Children will be dismissed on the front lawn of the school in a designated spot each week. No parent or caregiver will be allowed inside of the school to pick up their child. If a child needs to be picked up early from enrichment the Clinton office must be notified by calling 973-378-7686 and arrangements will be made to meet at the front door.

If you arrive after 3:55 pm, your child will have been taken to the front hallway to wait with on-site coordinators—please buzz the office using the buzzer located outside the main door and your child will be brought to you to sign him/her out. We recognize that there is an occasional emergency. However, **if you are late two times during a session** your child will be excused from the program. Tuition is non-refundable. Again, please be sure your child is picked up on time.

Attendance/Absences: Children attending enrichment classes will report to the gym on enrichment days at 2:35 pm for attendance. Their enrichment instructor will pick them up there and take them to their classroom. Classroom teachers will have a list of the students in their class who are attending enrichment classes, but it is a good idea for you to remind your child about enrichment on Monday/Wednesday/Thursday mornings.

If you are not sending your child to his/her enrichment class, call Clinton School at (973) 378-7686 and leave a message in the main office. Please specify the child's name and enrichment class.

If you are picking up your child early at school, call the main office and tell the secretary that your child will not be attending enrichment class.

If we have not been so notified and your child doesn't show up for Enrichment, we have to assume that the child forgot to go to class and is on his/her way home. We will then institute our emergency procedures, as described on the registration form. Should your child arrive home, call the school IMMEDIATELY and let us know.

Respect: For the safety and security of all students who participate in the Clinton's Beyond the Bell After-School Enrichment Program we ask parents to please remind your children to be respectful of others and our teaching staff. The proctors and teachers work together diligently to help children learn and have fun together in an encouraging and warm learning environment.



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REGISTRATION INFORMATION		
Child's Name	Teacher	Grade
Address		City
State	Zip	Email Address(es)
Parent/Guardian's Name(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized Pick Up Person		Home Phone Day Phone Cell Phone
Parent/Guardian's Name(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Authorized Pick Up Person		Home Phone Day Phone Cell Phone
Email Address(es)		
Does Child Usually Take Bus Home From School: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		
ALLERGIES: My child is allergic to: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> My child has an epi-pen in Nurse Harrigan's office.		
Other Information that you may want to share to make the class a success		

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

We must have the names and phone number of one person who we can contact during Enrichment hours in case of emergency, illness, or in the event that your child is not picked up on time, other than parents/guardians noted above.

Emergency Contact 1		
Name		Relationship
Cell Phone		Other Phone

DISMISSAL

- My child has my permission to walk home alone. Note: there will be no crossing guards at this time. (this option for 3rd-5th Graders only)*
- My child will go to the YMCA After School Program (ASP) s/he attends at Clinton School.*
- My child will be picked by an authorized Individual as noted below.*
Please list the name of individuals authorized to sign your child out at the dismissal time, other than parents/guardians noted above.

	Pick Up Person 1	Pick Up Person 2	Pick Up Person 3
Name			
Relationship			
Cell Phone			

FILL OUT CLASS SELECTIONS ON OTHER SIDE



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PROGRAM REGISTRATION (Continued)**

I have multiple children enrolling in the program and they must be placed in classes on the same day: Yes No
 Full names of other children: _____

	MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
1st CLASS CHOICE			
2nd CLASS CHOICE			
3rd CLASS CHOICE			

SCHOLARSHIP REQUEST: Eligibility based on Free/Reduced Lunch status

I do give permission for district officials to release my child(ren)s eligibility status for free or reduced price lunch to the Beyond the Bell coordinator or her designee so that my child may be considered for eligibility to receive a waiver for Beyond the Bell programs. I understand that I do not have to sign this form in order for my child to receive free or reduced priced meals under the Child Nutrition Program.

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____