



Floral After School Activities Program (ASAP) January 2016 Course Selections

- Classes meet at Floral from 3:30-4:30 for 5 weeks
- Classes start the week of January 11th and end the week of February 8th
 - The cost of each course is \$30
- Space is limited, registration will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis
 - Do not send payment until you receive a confirmation email
- If accepted, payment and permission slip will be due by Wednesday, January 6th
 - Financial assistance is available upon request
- Please register for ONE CLASS ONLY to allow as many students as possible to participate in the programs. If there are still openings the week of January 4th you will be given the opportunity to register for another class on a different day

Click here to pre-register: <http://goo.gl/forms/EcrWUyqhPf>

ASAP course: The Ultimate Puppet Club

Dates: Wednesdays – January 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10

Instructor: Mr. Wilson

Open to students in grades: 3 & 4

Course Description: Puppets are so much fun! Students will create a very animated puppet from cloth, yarn, wood and plaster cloth. This puppet will be a joy for many years to come.

ASAP Course: MakerSpace Club

Dates: Wednesdays – January 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10

Instructor: Ms. Crowell

Open to students in grades: 1-4

Course description: MakerSpaces foster and encourage hands on learning and provide opportunities for students to design, experiment and invent as they interact with a variety of supplies and materials. Students will be using critical thinking and problem solving skills as they explore and discover new ideas. Each child will work at their own pace and will choose what they would like to work on. Legos, marble runs, dominoes and craft materials are just some examples of what will be included in our space. So, bring your imagination and join us for some MakerSpace fun!

ASAP course: Calm Kids Club: Yoga and Coloring

Dates: Wednesdays – January 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10

Instructor: Ms. Demoga and Dr. Margiano

Open to students in grades: 1-4

Course Description: In the “Calm Kids Club” students will engage in calm down activities that will help them to unwind after a busy school day. Each class will begin with practicing basic yoga poses and breathing techniques suitable for school aged children. The remainder of the class will be spent using mandala coloring books to promote relaxation and self-expression.

ASAP course: YES! Young Environmental Stewards

Dates: Wednesdays – January 13, 20, 27, February 3, 10

Instructor: Mrs. Frankian

Open to students in grades: 1-4

Course Description: Join me out on the trail and in the classroom to learn more about nature in our backyard. Together we will explore the reasons why our environment is critical to our health and well being as well as ways we can work together to protect it.

ASAP course: The Art of Poster Making

Dates: Thursdays - January 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11

Instructor: Mrs. Beall

Open to students in grades: 3 & 4

Course Description: Whether it's for a school project, in support of a fundraiser or as a bedroom decoration, posters are a fun and creative way to share information and express one's self. Learn how to design and create a poster that is visually appealing and informative. Students will learn helpful tips and techniques while creating a poster about themselves that shares their unique personality.

ASAP course: Art & Poetry Connections

Dates: Thursdays - January 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11

Instructor: Ms. McGrail

Open to students in grades: 1, 2 & 3

Course Description: Warm up with Creative Dramatics exercises to get our imaginations fired up and encourage group dynamics. Shared reading of poetry with music connections followed by an art connection. Students will use a variety of art media to express their connection to particular poems. Finally during a quiet writing time students will work on their own poems and wrap up with sharing of poetry.

ASAP course: Cribbage & Cards

Dates: Thursdays - January 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11

Instructor: Ms. Spangenberg

Open to students in grades: 3 & 4

Course Description: Would you like to grow your brain by learning a traditional card game? Cribbage is an exciting race to the finish between partners. It uses mental math strategies to find combinations of points. Cribbage was invented by the British over 300 years ago. You don't need to know how to play card games to sign up for this course. If you're a current third or fourth grader at Floral Street School, join in the fun with Mrs. Spangenberg and build your math skills in the process.

ASAP course: Reader's Theater & Performance

Dates: Thursdays - January 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11

Instructor: Ms. Ushinski

Open to students in grades: 3 & 4

Course Description: Everyone loves the stage! This program offers students the chance to choose different reading selections and bring them to life through expression of voice and body. Reader's Theatre promotes working partnerships, strengthens comprehension, and increases fluency. Furthermore... IT'S FUN! Participants will perform their piece for an audience on *Literacy Night*, April 8, 2015.

ASAP Course: Team Sports Club

Dates: Thursdays - January 14, 21, 28, February 4, 11

Instructor: Ms. Smith

Open to students in grades: 3 & 4

Course Description: "I Like to Move It, Move It, Move It". Let's play! Team Sports Club is geared for the kids who just want to get some exercise by playing sports games afterschool with their friends. Each week we will break up into teams and just play. Sports such as floor hockey, basketball, volleyball, kickball, whiffleball and indoor soccer will be offered.

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