# GDRH Family Communication

September 20, 2021

### Monthly Newsletters

Welcome to monthly newsletters from District Office. Communication will typically happen on the second Tuesday of each month, so look for the next newsletter on Tuesday Oct 12th!

### We LOVED seeing students back!



### Riteway

It is not too late to sign your child up for bussing. If you are interested in simplifying your morning routine call Riteway to get your children on the bus!

Riteway is working through beginning of the year kinks and will contact the district if a bus is running more than 10 min late.

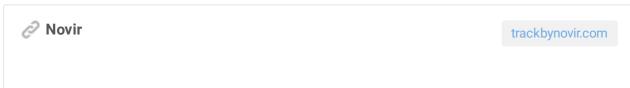
If you are interested or know someone who is interested in becoming a driver see the flyer attached <u>here</u>.



### Optional Covid Testing

If you are interested in signing your child up for the optional Covid testing please sign up using the NOVIR app. If you would also like your child to participate in weekly screenings please call your schools health office so that they can be added to the list. Thank you!





### Student Services and Special Education

The student services mission is to promote academic, personal, and social/emotional development. We empower students to become responsible citizens and life-long learners so

decision-making skills, career exploration, and academic achievement for students. We encourage personal, academic, and social/emotional growth by helping students build strong relationships with teachers, administrators, and other school personnel, as well as bridge communication and student support between home and school.

'Equity' can have a lot of different definitions, depending on the context but, at its core, the concept involves giving everyone in a situation the specific tools that they need to be successful. In the classroom, promoting equity is about educators choosing to embrace rather than shy away from the unique backgrounds, identities, and experiences that their individual students bring to the table.

-4 Practices to Promote Equity in the Classroom, Ashley DiFranza, June 24, 2019

If you are having concerns around services for your child please reach out to your classroom teacher and/or building principal. If you cannot reach a resolution contact Dr. Rodriguez and/or Mrs. Weiss for additional support.

### Welcome our new District Nurse!

If you haven't met her yet please welcome out new nurse Kimberly Hess (<a href="mailto:kimberly.hess@glendale.k12.wi.us">kimberly.hess@glendale.k12.wi.us</a>). She has been invaluable supporting our start this year. Thanks Kim!



### STAR Testing

<u>Star Assessments</u> are short tests that provide teachers with learning data. Star tests are computer adaptive, which means they adjust to each answer your child provides. This helps teachers get the best data to help your child in the shortest amount of testing time (about one-third of the time other tests take).

Teachers analyze the data they get from Star Assessments to learn what students already know and what they are ready to learn next, to monitor student growth, and to determine which students may need additional help. Star Assessments are heavily researched and scientifically proven to help teachers guide each student on his or her unique path to mastery.

By pinpointing exactly what your child knows, teachers can personalize your child's practice to keep them growing.

### Technology Handbook: Glen Hills Students only

Beginning with this school year students will receive a new chromebook when entering fourth grade. This will be their chromebook for the duration of their school career at Glen Hills. Students will then be able to keep those chromebooks when they leave the district after 8th grade.

Just a reminder that all families have received a copy of the technology 1:1 Handbook. Please reference this for information on fees and other student responsibilities when it comes to their chromebook responsibilities.



Facilities: Building and Grounds 10 Year Plan (link below)



Buildings & Grounds - Glendale-...

www.glendale.k12.wi.us

### News from the Business Office

Optional Fees Added to Infinite Campus-\$15 YAC \$25 Cross-country fees

# Over the Hills and Through the Park Fun Run

When

Friday, Sep. 24th, 6pm

Where

5910 North Milwaukee River Parkway Glendale, WI

More information

Please see the <u>flyer</u> for more information!



Policy Committee 5:15 pm. Communications Committee 6pm

When

Wednesday, Sep. 22nd, 5-7pm

Where

zoom

More information

Zoom Link



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September 2021

Dear Glen Hills Families,

We use the STAR Assessment to help understand student learning growth and achievement around grade level standards as students progress throughout the school year. This information is used to make instructional decisions to both support and challenge students academically.

The testing window is **September 20th-28th** for students in grades 4-8.

Please review the resource below regarding the STAR test for families.

• A Parent's Guide to Star Assessments

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns you may have around this assessment.

Willie Williams
Associate Principal Glen Hills Middle School

Anna M. Young Principal Glen Hills Middle School



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH, 2021

ARRIVAL/RAFFLES

5:15-5:45PM

**RUN START TIME** 

6:00 PM

### COME FOR THE RUN, STAY FOR THE FUN!

We will have complimentary food and drinks post race, along with music and fun on the playground!



Parkway Elementary School 5910 N Milwaukee River Parkway

### Fun and valuable raffle items! Drawings at 7:00 sharp!



Didn't pre-register? No worries! Register for the run at the event, \$20 for adults, \$15 for kids - you can still get a t-shirt and swag bag while supplies last.

Don't want to run? No worries! Come for the raffles, dancing, and friendship!

### OVER THE HILLS AND THROUGH THE PARK 5K RUN/WALK

### BUCKET RAFFLE

These goodies will be raffled off at the Run/Walk on Friday, September 24, 2021. Thank you to the companies and individuals who donated these items to the Foundation!





Tickets are \$1 each. Purchase in cash at the event, from 5:15 to 6:50. Drawings begin at 7:00 p.m., after the run.

Buy as many tickets as you like, drop them in the bucket(s) for the item(s) you're interested in winning. Keep your stubs so you know your winning numbers!

Item	Donor	Value (approx., if known)
Outdoor rocker and ottoman	Amish Craftsmen Guild II	\$1400
Tomlinson pizza and snack oven	Boelter	\$160
Coach bag	Mallory Umar	\$248
Kate Spade bag	Mallory Umar	\$248
Marquette girl's basketball gear	Shari Tucker	\$150
Lego collection	Parkway/Glen Hills PTO	\$50 or more
Another Lego collection	Parkway/Glen Hills PTO	\$50 or more
Rockin'Jump - 4 free passes	Rockin' Jump	\$65
Fun Milwaukee merch	Orange Pops	
Packout goody bag	Milwaukee Tools	\$800
Football signed by 2018 Packers	??	
Flowered tote bag	Matilda Jane Co.	

## **GDRH Grab & Go Breakfast**

October 2021

Cereal **Applesauce** Graham Crackers Milk 100% Fruit Juice 5 4 6 8 **Double Chocolate** Cereal Granola Bar Cereal Bar Cereal Oat Bar Craisins Applesauce Raisins Fresh Apple **Graham Crackers** Cheez Its Scooby Doo Crackers **Graham Crackers** Goldfish Crackers Applesauce Milk Milk Milk 100% Fruit Juice Milk 100% Fruit Juice Milk 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 11 12 13 14 15 Nutri Grain Bar Cereal Bar Cereal Muffin Granola Bar Craisins Fresh Orange Craisins **Applesauce** Raisins **Graham Crackers** Cheez Its **Graham Crackers** Goldfish Crackers Scooby Doo Crackers Milk Milk 100% Fruit Juice Milk Milk Milk 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 18 19 20 21 22 **Double Chocolate Oat** Cereal Bar Granola Bar Cereal Muffin Bar Craisins Raisins Raisins Applesauce **Graham Crackers** Cheez Its Goldfish Crackers **Graham Crackers** Scooby Doo Crackers Milk **Applesauce** Milk Milk 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice Milk Milk 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 25 26 27 28 Nutri Grain Bar Cereal Bar Cereal Cereal Bar **NO SCHOOL** Fresh Apple Craisins **Graham Crackers** Raisins Cheez Its Goldfish Crackers Scooby Doo Crackers Craisins Milk Milk Milk Milk 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice 100% Fruit Juice

Please note: The USDA approved the waiver extension allowing all children 18 and under to eat a complete lunch at no cost, regardless of eligibility status, through June 2022.

If you have any questions, please contact Aramark at (414) 351-7160 x 2145 or Maritato-meagan@aramark.com

Menu is subject to change.





### **Parkway Lunch Menu**

October 2021



**National Taco Day!** 

Apple Slices Corn

Soft Beef Tacos Cheesy Pull Aparts w/ Sun Butter & Jelly Sandwich

Sliced Tomatoes Kickin' Pinto Beans Pears Applesauce

**Turkey Hot Dog** 

Crackers

Broccoli

carrots

Peaches

Apple Slices

Chicken Fajita

**Chicken Patty** 

Sandwich

Parmesan Melt

Romaine Salad

Apple Slices

Pears

Sun Butter & jelly

Kickin' Pinto Beans

Granola & Graham

Orange day! Baby

Peach Yogurt Parfait w/

13

**Dinner Roll Baked Beans** 

Celery Sticks

**BBQ Chicken Sandwich** 

**Applesauce** 

Cheese Pizza

Sandwich

French Fries

Fresh Apple

Peaches

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Sandwich

**Baked Beans** 

Strawberries

Applesauce

**Smile Potatoes** 

**Turkey & Cheese** 

**Red Pepper Strips** 

National Potato

Chicken Drumstick **BBQ Pork Rib Sub** 

Sun Butter & jelly

Green day! Green **Beans** 

14

French Toast Sticks w/ Hamburger w/ Dinner Roll

**Tater Tots** Orange Juice Green Beans Mixed Fruit

Pancakes w/ Egg Omelet Chicken Rach Wrap

Orange Juice Corn Cucumber Slices

**Chicken Nuggets** Turkev Hot Dog Muffin, Cheese, & Yogurt Pack

> 100% Fruit Juice Mixed Fruit Waffle Fries **Baby Carrots**

Walking Taco Pizza Sticks w/ Marinara Muffin, Cheese, & Yogurt Pack 100% Fruit Juice

Garbanzo Beans

11 NATIONAL SCHOOL 12 \*Chicken Nachos **LUNCH WEEK!** 

\*Chicken Nuggets Hamburger Muffin, Cheese, & Yogurt Pack

Mashed Potatoes Corn 100% Fruit Juice

Red Day! Strawberries

Pizza Sticks w/ Marinara **Grilled Cheese** Muffin, Cheese, & **Yogurt Pack** 

Celery Sticks Sliced Carrots 100% Fruit Juice Mixed Fruit

**Chicken Tenders Beef Nachos** Salsa

> Sliced Tomatoes Peaches Apple Slices

**Cheese Pizza** Hamburger Chicken Ranch Wrap

Green Peas Romaine Salad w/ Ranch Peaches Fresh Orange

Pancakes w/ Sausage **Turkey & Cheese Melt** Taco Salad w/ Dinner Roll

Waffles w/ Egg Omelet

Popcorn Chicken Salad

\*Mini Corn Dogs

w/ Dinner Roll

Smile Potatoes

Orange Juice

Orange Juice **Tater Tots** Broccoli **Applesauce** 

Fish Sticks w/ Tartar Sauce Cheeseburger Muffin, Cheese, & **Yogurt Pack** 

Mixed Fruit 100% Fruit Juice **Baby Carrots** Baked Beans

BBQ Pork Rib Sub Popcorn Chicken w/ Turkey & Cheese Sub

Yellow Day! Fresh

**Banana** 

21

Pears

Syrup & Sausage Patties Chicken & Cheese Salad

15 Fish Patty Melt Grilled Chicken Sandwich Pretzel, Cheese, & Yogurt

Pack 100% Fruit Juice

Blue day! Blueberries Baby Carrots Green Peas

**Dessert: Rainbow** Sprinkle Cookie!

Spicy Chicken Patty Meatball sub Make-Your-Own Cheese Pizza Bagel

Fruit Juice Fresh Orange Broccoli **Baby Carrots** 

25

Hamburger Muffin, Cheese, & **Yogurt Pack** 

Mashed Potatoes 100% Fruit Juice **Baby Carrots** Mixed Fruit

26

Cheesy Pull Aparts w/ Turkey & Cheese Sub

Romaine Salad w/ Ranch

28

**Turkey & Cheese Melt** 

Pears



**NO SCHOOL** 

Celebrate National School Lunch Week with us October 11-15th! Our event "Taste the Rainbow" will feature a different color daily for fruits and vegetables and a fun educational opportunity for students to learn about the nutrition of fruit and vegetables and try something new!

\*We will also be serving some of our favorite school lunch entrees!

Looking for a part-time position? Work for Aramark! No nights, weekends, or holidays!

Contact Aramark at 414.351.7160 x 2145 or maritato-

meagan@aramark.com

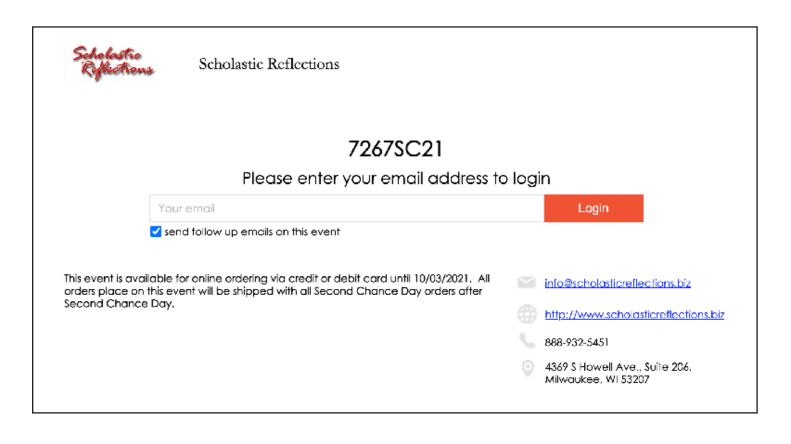
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# Parkway Picture Retake Day is **October 6th**

To order, click on the link below to preview your event landing page: http://scholastic-reflections.hhimagehost.com/7267SC21





Dear Parkway and Glen Hills Families,

The PTO is back! Well, honestly, we never left. We weren't able to hold any of our fun activities last year, but we kept busy getting school masks for all the students, organizing teacher dinners at conference times, raising money for a Gaga pit at Parkway, and coordinating the school supply pack sale.

But this year, case numbers are down in our area, our volunteers are vaccinated, and we are so excited to do things together, as a community. Here are some things you should know:

- We need your directory information! To create a school directory, we need your help! The school cannot give us student information. We will not publish any information you do not want us to publish, but if you want your kid invited to play-dates and birthday parties, please fill out the online form here: <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSff3GGtqElErfx-oBs8yMRJoGw-Pscr6AUae7BOgdARWDMAQ/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0&usp=mail">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSff3GGtqElErfx-oBs8yMRJoGw-Pscr6AUae7BOgdARWDMAQ/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0&usp=mail</a> form link
- We're doing less fundraising. The wrapping paper/cookie dough fundraiser has not been a huge success, so we are letting it go. You will have a chance to fundraise later in the year when we sell Coffee and Pretzels again. Otherwise, you are always welcome to make a tax-deductible donation to the PTO.
- We're planning events again! We want to bring back Fall Fest for Parkway students, and Family
  Activity Nights for Glen Hills students but we need help! Please email
  glendale.riverhills.pto@gmail.com if you would like to join a planning committee for either event.
- We have a lot of opportunities to make a difference. It doesn't matter if you want to spend all day volunteering at the school, or you have ten minutes to make a call over your lunch break, or you just want to send a check and forget it the PTO is grateful for whatever support you give us.

Please join us at our meetings on the second Monday of every month in the Glen Hills Commons, from 6:15 PM to 7:00 PM to learn about all the great opportunities we have. There will be a play area for children. Masks and social distancing are required. Our first meeting is next week, September 13<sup>th</sup>.

You can also follow us on Facebook and read all our announcements in the Thursday Folders.

Sincerely,

Melanie Hinchey

Parkway/Glen Hills PTO President



# GLEN HILLS/PARKWAY PTO DIRECTORY INFORMATION & MEMBERSHIP FORM

OUR MISSION: To make a difference in our children's education through involvement at home, in school and in the community!

### Parent/Guardian Information:

Last name	Fi	rst Name	
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Address			
City	Se	ate	Zip
Primary phone	Primary email		
Secondary phone	Secondary email		
Children Enrolled at Parkway an	d Glen Hills:		
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PTO Membership costs \$10 and includes for \$5 each.	1 free copy of the School Directory	Additional Directories are available
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Contact me if you need someone to	);	
☐ Join a committee organizing large	e events (email and phone only, unle	ess the committee decides to meet)
Show up and help out (usually a '	hour commitment, there are many	opportunities throughout the year)
☐ Coordinate vendors (for example	ordering teacher conference dinner	s or organizing fundraising)
You are not committing to anything, just le more information.	etting us know what opportunities int	erest you. We will contact you with
PTO meetings are held at 6:15 pm on the	second Monday of the month in the	Glen Hills Library.

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### **Nicolet Recreation**

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Instructor: Mad Science Staff

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### **Topics covered** in this session's classes:

- ★ Chemistry!
- Adhesives!
- States of Matter!
- Glow in the Dark Technology!

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- ★ Meet national and state science curriculum standards.
- dynamic instructors.
- ★ Follow professional lesson plans.
- ★ Use unique equipment and original materials.

**Details:** Wednesdays 2:40 – 3:40 pm

Class Dates: 6 week program – Oct. 6, 13, 20, Nov. 3, 10, 17, 2021

No class on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>!!

Cost: \$110.00R/\$130.00NR per student - Section 112140-02

- Appropriate for students in K 3<sup>rd</sup> grade
- All classes held at Parkway Elementary School
- All classes include cool take home items.
- Registration Deadline: Monday, October 4, 2021

See the back page for complete class descriptions and policies at your child's school!

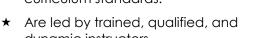
\*Please do not return forms or payment to the school.\*

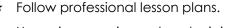
To register visit the **Nicolet Recreation Website** Or call directly at 414-351-7566

For Virtual or other Programming Options, please visit our website at milwaukee.madscience.org









### Mad Science Crazy Chemworks After-School Program Registration Information





Register online at the Nicolet Recreation Website or call 414-351-7566

### Important Details –

We recognize our responsibility in helping to stop the spread of Covid-19, so we have updated our in-person protocols to include enhanced equipment sanitizing, frequent hand washing/sanitizing for both instructors and kiddos, and requiring our Mad Scientists to be vaccinated and/or use PPE (including face masks and/or face shields and gloves) while conducting programs.

We are constantly monitoring local, state, and national health agencies and are ready to comply with all governmental mandates and any mandates specific to your location.

PLEASE DO NOT RETURN REGISTRATION FORMS TO YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL. Forms returned to the school do not quarantee enrollment in Mad Science.

Registration is limited and on a first come, first served basis. Avoid disappointment and register early! Please return registrations directly to MAD SCIENCE. Registrations MUST be postmarked or completed by phone at 262-330-5029, or online at milwaukee.madscience.org prior to the registration deadline. Please consult the front of this form for specific enrollment information.

Mad Science is held onsite at your child's school. Students will be grouped by like grades when possible

All supplies and materials are included in the class fee. Each week the kids will receive a take-home item and take-home card that will enable them to continue the fun and learning at home!

You will not receive a confirmation letter. You will be contacted only if there is a problem with enrollment.

### Any questions?????

### Feel free to call Nicolet Recreation at 414-351-7566

To avoid any mix-ups, please remind your child to go to Mad Science after school on class days. It's also a good idea to send the teacher a note instructing the child where to go. Our instructors are not able to leave the classroom to look for absent children

An announcement will be made on the first day of class directing the children where to meet

Mad Science is not responsible for children before or after the stated class times.

Please pick your child up promptly after Mad Science at the school designated location at dismissal. If you are going to be late, please make arrangements to have your child picked up by someone else or attend after school care if available.

Late pickup will be charged after a 5 minute grace period at the rate of \$1.00 per minute and must be paid to the Mad Science office prior to the start of the next class for your child to continue.

If your child attends after school care, they will be walked there at the end of class.

For refund requests made more than one week prior to the start of the program, a \$25 processing fee will be deducted. No refunds or credits will be issued with less than one week's notice. No refunds or prorated fees for missed classes for any reason. There is a \$30 fee for all returned checks.

If a class is cancelled due to inclement weather or an unexpected school closing, we will attempt to schedule a make-up class. We are unable to offer a refund for classes missed due to unforeseen circumstances. Refunds or credits will not be issued for school closures due to Covid-19; any remaining classes may be offered on our virtual platform.

An alternate topic for a particular class may be substituted without notice if necessary.

Please retain the bottom copy of this form for session dates and times.

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Mad Science of Milwaukee 2855 S. 160<sup>th</sup> St. New Berlin, WI 53151 262-330-5029

# Jr. Chemists in Training will experience the following classes:

#### **Lab Works**

Use your hands as a real Mad Scientist in this whirlwind class on how a lab works! Learn to manipulate laboratory equipment at your personal lab bench, and take home you very own **Graduated Gear** to continue your research!

#### **Junior Reactors**

Create a tiny world of atoms with your very own set of **Atomic Coins!** Learn to recognize chemical reactions and mix up a few reactive ingredients for some sensational results!

### **pH Phactor**

Slide down the colorful pH scale and dip into the world of acids and bases! Explore the pH extremes with your **Reaction Tubes** in what is sure to be a popping experience! Discover whether liquids found in your home are acids or bases using your personal pH paper!

### Chem in a Flash

Hop on board the chemistry express for a high-speed science experience! Perform instantaneous experiments in this fast-paced class on split-second reactions that go like mad! Pick up an **Action Flask** and have a blast!

### **The Glow Show**

Discover amazing things that glow bright in the dark and come to light! Probe the properties of light and explore some unusual applications of glow-in-the-dark technology! Take home a **Glow Sheet** to observe this technology on your own.

### Super Sticky Stuff

Stick it to the walls, and push the power of tape to the limits in this adhesive hour on things that cling! Build a bond with glue and get attached to **Professor Beakerdude**!



Students learn best when the topic is interesting or applicable to their everyday lives!

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- **Increase Your Child's Cultural Sensitivity**
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Full Year tuition: \$240R/\$270NR Fall Semester only tuition: \$145R/\$165NR

**Register for** the full year and save on tuition!

**Indian Hill Elementary** (K4-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade) Day/Time: Tuesdays, 3:35pm - 4:35pm

Fall Dates: 10/12, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16,

11/23, 11/30

**Spring Dates**: 2/8, 2/15, 2/22, 3/1, 3/8, 3/15,

(skip 3/22), 3/29, 4/5

**Program#:** Fall (110221-01) - Optional Full Year (110221-02)

Parkway Elementary (K4-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade) Day/Time: Mondays, 2:40pm - 3:40pm

Fall Dates: 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, (skip11/1), 11/8,

11/15, 11/22, 11/29, 12/6

**Spring Dates:** 2/7, 2/14, (skip 2/21), 2/28, 3/7,

3/14, (skip 3/21), 3/28, 4/4, 4/11

**Program#:** Fall (110220-01) - Optional Full Year (110220-02)

- ► Appropriate for students with or without previous Spanish experience.
- ➤ Space is limited! Deadline to register: One week prior to first class.
- ► Parent Portal: Newsletters and Optional Homework available online for immediate access (included with tuition). Password will be email with class confirmation about 24-48hrs before 1st class.
- ► Tuition is non-refundable. No refunds/credits will be given on or after the first day of class. Questions contact us at 262-719-9332.