



Fall 2023

Classes, Programs, and Events for All Ages



A place to belong

Fall Registration
Opens at 8:00 am
on August 15th



Connect and Thrive This Fall

As I complete my first year with Edina Community Education and Strategic Partnerships, I want to take a moment to thank our team and highly engaged community for their dedication to young people, families, and community members. Our thoughtful community education leaders have created opportunities for you to participate in purposeful learning and intentional activities. Recognizing that our community wants to feel connected, the experiences we are extending to you in this catalog are filled with ways to discover your possibilities and thrive.

The graphic below highlights our high levels of engagement in our after school programs at elementary sites. This is just a glimpse into the ways we are connecting with youth and families.

We are unveiling a new format for our seasonal catalog, including more stories and ways to engage. We hope you find value in this publication and look forward to hearing your feedback.

Anne Marie Leland
Director of Community Ed and Strategic Partnerships
Edina Public Schools

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Engagement in After School Programs at Elementary Sites

	FALL 2022			WINTER/SPRING 2023		
	Enrichment Individual Participants	Kids Club Individual Participants	% of School Site Population Served	Enrichment Individual Participants	Kids Club Individual Participants	% of School Site Population Served
Concord	258	171	59%	349	211	77%
Cornelia	116	135	42%	140	159	50%
Countryside	137	140	46%	158	177	55%
Creek Valley	123	128	41%	138	158	48%
Normandale	206	152	55%	234	173	62%
Highlands	209	129	60%	186	153	56%
Average			53%			56%



Edina High School students receiving their Community Service Awards and Letters.



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Registration opens 8am on August 15 at edina.ce.eleyo.com

Edina Community Ed offrece clases, programas, y eventos para todas las edades. Si necesita ayuda para registrarse en español llame al 952-848-4064.

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Fall 2023 Overview

Program	Description	Ages	Location(s)	Questions?
Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) and Parent Education	Caregivers and children learn and grow together with licensed parent educators.	Birth – Age 5, Adults	Early Learning Center	Edina Early Learning Center 952-848-3908 early.learning@edinaschools.org
Preschool: Classes, Childcare, and Enrichment	Play-based, developmentally appropriate classes to help young learners develop emergent academic skills.	Ages 3 - 5	Early Learning Center	Edina Early Learning Center 952-848-3908 early.learning@edinaschools.org
Kids Club	School age care offering a balance of structured and choice activities.	Grades K - 5	Elementary schools	Kids Club Team 952-848-3947 ecc.kidsclub@edinaschools.org
Elementary Enrichment	Classes nurture a love of learning, support academics, and grow skills in technology, the arts, sports, and more. After school, evening, weekends, and non-school day options.	Grades K - 5	Elementary schools, Edina Community Center	Enrichment Team 952-848-3952 communityed@edinaschools.org
Middle School Programs	Early arrival, clubs, and Unified programs to provide learning and social opportunities where students feel welcome, connected, and valued.	Grades 6 - 8	Middle schools, Edina Community Center	Enrichment Team 952-848-3952 communityed@edinaschools.org
High School Programs	Opportunities to support students as they enter the community as young adults and plan their next steps.	Grades 9 - 12	Edina High School	Enrichment Team 952-848-3952 communityed@edinaschools.org
Adult Programs	A full slate of offerings from art, fitness, yoga, and lifelong learning.	Adults, all ages	Edina Community Center, Edinborough Park Pool	Enrichment Team 952-848-3952 communityed@edinaschools.org



“Our offerings this fall provide the community opportunities to tap into their creativity, explore their curiosities, and spark their learning. From our earliest to our lifelong learners, we can’t wait to have you join us this season!”

BRANDON SIECK
ENRICHMENT PROGRAM SUPERVISOR





After School Enrichment

Our enrichment classes provide inclusive and safe spaces for students to engage, explore, and grow their academic, social, emotional, and physical skills. After school classes aim to inspire, spark creativity, and foster new friendships.

Concord Elementary

Learn Spanish with Language Sprout: Gr. K-5

Mon/Wed, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$559

Sept 18-Dec 20
918-L3202

Harry Potter Art: Gr. 3-5

Mon, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225

Oct 2-Oct 30
1002-L3218

Mon, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225

Nov 6-Dec 4
1106-L3229

PE Games: Gr. K-5

Mon/Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$150

Sept 18-Oct 16
918-B2215

Mon/Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$150

Oct 23-Nov 16
1023-B2216

Mon/Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$150

Nov 27-Dec 21
1127-B2217

Aladdin Musical Theater: Gr. 1-5

Tue, 2:25-3:50 pm
\$173

Oct 3-Dec 12
1003-L3207

Concord Junior Choir

Gr. K-2

Wed, 2:25-4:30 pm
\$175

Sept 13-Nov 8
913-L3224

Gr. 3-5

Wed, 2:25-4:30 pm
\$175

Sept 13-Nov 8
913-L3225

Robotics and STEM: Gr. 3-5

Thu, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235

Oct 12-Dec 14
1012-K4236

Mikkonen Music Lessons: Gr. 1-12

Fri, 2:30-6:00 pm
\$258

Sept 15-May 3
911-B2285

Chess Club: Gr. 1-5

Fri, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$182

Sept 15-Dec 22
915-K4242

STEAM Team Club: Gr. K-2

Fri, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235

Oct 13-Dec 15
1013-K4230

Cornelia Elementary

Mikkonen Music Lessons: Gr. 1-12

Mon, 2:30-6:00 pm
\$258

Sept 11-Apr 29
911-B2286

Sports of All Sorts!

Gr. 3-5

Mon, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$115

Oct 2-Nov 6
1002-B2225

Gr. K-2

Mon, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$115

Nov 13-Dec 18
1113-B2226

Chess Club: Gr. 1-5

Mon, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$196

Sept 11-Dec 18
911-K4244

Wonder Art Studio: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225

Oct 3-Oct 31
1003-L3217

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225

Nov 14-Dec 12
1114-L3228

Learn Spanish with Language Sprout: Gr. K-5

Tue/Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$539

Sept 19-Dec 21
919-L3203

Robotics and STEM: Gr. 3-5

Wed, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235

Oct 11-Dec 6
1011-K4238

Cornelia Choir: Gr. 3-5

Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$195

Sept 21-Dec 7
921-L3223

STEAM Team Club: Gr. K-2

Thu, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235

Oct 12-Dec 14
1009-K4232

Aladdin Musical Theater: Gr. 1-5

Fri, 2:25-3:50 pm
\$173

Sept 29-Dec 15
929-L3208

Countryside Elementary

Learn Spanish with Language Sprout: Gr. K-5

Mon/Wed, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$559
Sept 18-Dec 20
918-L3204

Aladdin Musical Theater: Gr. 1-5

Mon, 2:25-3:50 pm
\$173
Oct 2-Dec 4
1002-L3209

Robotics and STEM: Gr. 3-5

Mon, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235
Oct 9-Nov 27
1009-K4233

Mikkonen Music Lessons: Gr. 1-12

Tue, 3:30-6:00 pm
\$258
Sept 12-Apr 30
912-B2287

Exploring Interior Design & Architecture: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Oct 3-Oct 31
1003-L3215

Tue, 2:25-3:45 pm
\$225
Nov 14-Dec 12
1114-L3233

STEAM Team Club: Gr. K-2

Tue, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235
Oct 10-Dec 5
1010-K4227

Chess Club: Gr. 1-5

Wed, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$196
Sept 13-Dec 20
913-K4239

Choice Day: Gr. K-2 (Art)

Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Sept 28-Nov 2
928-L3216

Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Nov 9-Dec 14
1109-L3234

Countryside Choir: Gr. 3-5

Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$195
Sept 21-Dec 7
921-L3222

DASH After School Soccer Gr. K-5

Fri, 2:25pm-3:45 pm
\$129
Sept 15-Oct 6
915-B2227

DASH After School Flag Football Gr. K-5

Fri, 2:25-3:45 pm
\$129
Oct 13-Nov 10
1013-B2230

DASH After School PE Games Gr. K-5

Fri, 2:25-3:45 pm
\$149
Nov 17-Dec 22
1117-B2233

Creek Valley Elementary

Learn Spanish with Language Sprout: Gr. K-5

Mon/Wed, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$559
Sept 18-Dec 20
918-L3205

STEAM Team Club: Gr. K-2

Mon, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235
Oct 9-Nov 27
1009-K4228

Art Exploration Studio: Gr. K-2

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Oct 3-Oct 31
1003-L3214

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Nov 14-Dec 12
1114-L3230

Creek Valley Choir: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$195
Sept 26-Dec 5
926-L3227

Robotics and STEM: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$235
Oct 10-Dec 5
1010-K4234

Mikkonen Music Lessons: Gr. 1-12

Wed, 2:30-6:00 pm
\$258
Sept 13-May 1
913-B2288

Aladdin Musical Theater: Gr. 1-5

Wed, 2:25-3:50 pm
\$173
Sept 27-Dec 13
927-L3210

Art Exploration Studio: Gr. 3-5

Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Oct 5-Nov 9
1005-L3213

Thu, 2:25-3:25 pm
\$225
Nov 16-Dec 21
1116-L3231

Chess Club: Gr. 1-5

Thu, 2:25-3:20 pm
\$182
Sept 14-Dec 21
914-K4240

DASH After School Soccer Gr. K-5

Fri, 2:25-3:45 pm
\$129
Sept 15-Oct 6
915-B2228

DASH After School Flag Football Gr. K-5

Fri, 2:25-3:45 pm
\$129
Oct 13-Nov 10
1013-B2231

DASH After School PE Games Gr. K-5

Fri, 2:25-3:45 pm
\$149
Nov 17-Dec 22
1117-B2234



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Highlands Elementary

Highlands Run Club: Gr. 3-5

Mon, 2:25-3:25pm

Sept 11-Oct 16

\$100

911-B2254

Learn Spanish with Language Sprout: Gr. K-5

Mon/Wed, 2:25-3:25pm

Sept 18-Dec 20

\$559

918-L3206

Ceramic Totem Pole: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm

Sept 26-Oct 31

\$270

926-L3100

Tue, 2:25-3:25 pm

Nov 14-Dec 19

\$270

1114-L3232

Chess Club: Gr. 1-5

Tue, 2:25-3:20 pm

Sept 12-Dec 19

\$196

912-K4243

Mikkonen Music Lessons: Gr. 1-12

Wed, 3:30-6:00 pm

Sept 13-May 1

\$258

913-B2289

STEAM Team Club: Gr. K-2

Wed, 2:25-3:20 pm

Oct 11-Dec 6

\$235

11011-K4231

Highlands Choir: Gr. 2-5

Thu, 2:25-3:30 pm

Sept 7-Nov 16

\$195

907-L3226

Aladdin Musical Theater: Gr. 1-5

Thu, 2:25-3:50 pm

Sept 28-Dec 14

\$173

928-L3211

Highlands Run Club: Gr. 1-3

Fri, 2:25-3:25 pm

Sept 8-Oct 13

\$100

908-B2253

Robotics and STEM: Gr. 3-5

Fri, 2:25-3:20 pm

Oct 13-Dec 15

\$235

1013-K4237

Normandale Elementary

Mikkonen Music Lessons: Gr. 1-12

Mon/Thu/Fri, 3:30-7:00 pm

Sept 11-May 3

\$258

911-B2290

Computer Typing Skills: Gr. 3-5

Mon, 3:15-4:15 pm

Oct 2-Nov 20

\$180

1002-K4213

STEAM Team Club: Gr. K-2

Mon, 3:15-4:10 pm

Oct 9-Nov 27

\$235

1009-K4229

Chorale Boréale: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 7:45-8:30 am

Sept 26-Dec 5

\$195

926-L3201

Robotics and STEM: Gr. 3-5

Tue, 3:15-4:10 pm

Oct 10-Dec 5

\$235

1010-K4235

After School Soccer Club: Gr. K-5

Tue, 3:15-4:15 pm

Sept 5-Nov 14

\$458

905-B2252

Aladdin Musical Theater: Gr. 1-5

Wed, 3:15-4:30 pm

Sept 27-Dec 13

\$173

927-L3212

Pokemon Kanto Journey: Gr. 2-5

Wed, 3:15-4:50 pm

Sept 27-Dec 13

\$225

1004-K4258

Art Studio Club: Gr. K-5

Thu, 3:15-4:15 pm

Sept 21-Nov 2

\$155

918-L3219

Thu, 3:15-4:15 pm

Nov 9-Dec 21

\$155

1109-L3220

DASH After School Soccer: Gr. K-5

Thu, 3:15-4:30 pm

Sept 14-Oct 5

\$129

914-B2229

DASH After School Flag Football: Gr. K-5

Thu, 3:15-4:30 pm

Oct 12-Nov 9

\$129

1012-B2232

DASH After School PE Games: Gr. K-5

Thu, 3:15-4:30 pm

Nov 16-Dec 21

\$149

1116-B2235

Chess Club: Gr. 1-5

Fri, 3:15-4:10 pm

Sept 15-Dec 22

\$182

915-K4241





Belonging in Song

In the fall of 2009, Katie Widen began working at Highlands Elementary as a music teacher. She knew from the start that she wanted to continue the legacy of the Highlands choir for 2nd to 5th graders. Fast forward to present day, and the program has blossomed into a large group of over 80 students.

Choir should be for everyone, according to Widen. “The bigger the group, the bigger the sound and the more opportunity for harmonizing, complex music and older kids to lead younger kids. I love the feeling of directing a large group of students,” she explains.

Extending her engagement beyond the school day allows Widen to build deeper relationships with her current and former students through music. Because she teaches kindergarten through 3rd grade music during the day, she says it is great to be able to work with all ages after school.

“Being able to offer choir allows me to stay really connected with those students who have a real spark in music,” says Widen.

Widen is intentional when putting together her choir concert music list and rehearsal time. The concert list ranges from recognizable music to music students may have never heard before. The recognizable music ignites their interest, while the new music gives them musical challenges and a sense of accomplishment.

Not only does Widen love rehearsing the music they are singing for concerts, she also has found her favorite time with the students is during warm up. She sets up a range of exercises involving body percussion, movement and stretching to get the students relaxed and ready to sing. This time allows for the students to get prepared for rehearsal and can be less structured and oftentimes goofy.

“I get overwhelmed with the pride of hearing the students and seeing them sing and knowing how far they have come.”

KATIE WIDEN, MUSIC TEACHER

“You know the students just want to be here,” Widen says. “The students don’t have to be here, they want to be here, which makes it a special environment. They are focused, passionate, motivated and respectful.”

Last spring, the Highlands choir had the opportunity to sing the national anthem at a Minnesota Timberwolves basketball game. Widen says she was the most proud of the way the students represented both the Edina community and their school at the event. Students and their families were excited to participate in a memorable experience.

Seeing how special these types of experiences are for students, Widen hopes to grow the children’s choir community in Edina. She and her colleagues at other Edina elementary sites have a vision to create more opportunities for students.

“I get overwhelmed with the pride of hearing the students and seeing them sing and knowing how far they have come,” Widen shares. The positivity and support for Highlands choir has been remarkable.

Edina Community Ed is excited to offer after school elementary choir programs at every elementary site this fall.



Kids Club Non-School Days

Kids Club offers a fun, stimulating learning environment for your child that will complement and enrich your child’s experience in Edina Public Schools. We provide quality enrichment and care before and after school and on non-school days, giving children a safe place to develop friendships and grow in confidence, independence, and respect for themselves and others.

We provide quality care, a wide range of activities, and fun field trips on non-school days through the year. All elementary schools are paired up on days school is not in session to provide robust programming.

For 2023-24, sites will combine as follows.

- Concord & Cornelia at Concord
- Countryside & Highlands at Highlands
- Creek Valley & Normandale at Creek Valley

Students will build connections with staff and students from other sites across the community.

Program dates:

August 30, 2023 - May 31, 2024

Program hours:

Monday–Friday, 7:00am - 6:00pm

Registration fee:

\$55/contract

Schedule change fee:

\$15/change

Tuition:

\$55.50/day

Non-School Days	Kids Club Status	Register or Cancel By
Sept 4	Closed	
Sept 25	Open	Sept 10
Oct 19-20	Open	Oct 4
Nov 7	Closed	
Nov 22	Open	Nov 7
Nov 23-24	Closed	
Dec 25-26	Closed	
Dec 27-29	Open	Dec 12
Jan 1	Closed	
Jan 2-5	Open	Dec 12
Jan 15	Closed	
Jan 19	Open	Jan 4
Feb 19	Closed	
Feb 20	Open	Feb 5
Mar 8	Open	Feb 22
Mar 18-22	Open	Mar 5
Apr 19	Open	Apr 4
May 27	Closed	

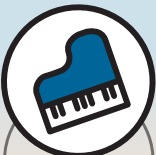


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Above and Beyond

Kids Club staff go above and beyond to create unique, fun, and engaging programming for after school care. Jade Overton, a Kids Club Supervisor, shares how they accomplish this at Cornelia Elementary. Overton meets with her staff monthly to collaborate and plan a well-thought-out month of activities that allow each and every student to be involved and extend their school day the best way.

“The goal is for every student to find something they are interested in,” says Overton. She stresses the importance of inclusion and ensuring that staff consider programming by age and ability of the students attending. While younger students have clubs in which they can participate, the older ones want to move around and do multiple stations of activities each day. Staff are intentional about the student experience every day.

“We don’t want to just send kids home with an arts and crafts project,” Overton shares. “We want them to be actively engaged with the experience they are getting. A lot of our activities aren’t something they are going home with; instead, they are learning a new skill or discovering a passion to explore.”

Kids Club looks for ways to align with the district’s strategic plan. One of which is working on a service learning project each quarter. Overton says Cornelia Kids Club staff feel strongly about involving children in managing each project. For example, last spring Cornelia Kids Club raised over \$1,000 for the Alex’s Lemonade Stand Foundation to support childhood cancer research. Overton explained that every student from kindergarten to 5th grade was involved in helping with the fundraising effort, with students intentionally leading the project.

Students chose to have a carnival to raise money and awareness for the cause. The 4th and 5th graders led the charge, sold lemonade, and assigned duties to the younger kids. The kindergarteners and 1st graders did face painting and ran carnival games. The 2nd and 3rd graders made over 20 bracelets to donate to the children’s hospital. The event was a huge success, and students felt a great sense of pride and accomplishment.

Not only is Kids Club a meaningful place for students, Overton shares how it has become a meaningful place for staff.

“For me, it’s more about finding a purpose in what I do. I don’t want a job where I just go to work every day,” Overton explains. “I want a job where I can make a difference, and I am happy and excited to come to work every day.” Overton stresses the importance of respecting individual differences among staff and celebrating those differences at work so everyone feels supported and valued.

Each staff member takes ownership of the program, planning for the kids in their pod. This process allows staff to tailor the activities to kids’ unique interests. Overton says that between the kids, parents, and staff, “you can feel the enthusiasm around what is going on here at Kids Club.”

Unique and individualized programming is part of what makes Kids Club so special for kids, families, and the staff. Everyone has the ability to leave their mark.

Kids Club hires staff throughout the year. If you or someone you know are interested in making a positive impact on the lives of children, consider applying to work with Kids Club.



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Enrichment Non-School Days

Join on non-school days at the Edina Community Center for connection, fun, and learning.

September

DASH Multi-Sport: Gr. K-5

Monday, September 25 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 925-B2245

Marvelous Munchies: Trail Mixes: Gr. K-5

Monday, September 25 10:00–11:00 am
\$40 925-K4205

Amazing Art Sampler: Gr. K-5

Monday, September 25 9:00 am–12:00 pm
\$29 925-L3235

October

DASH Multi-Sport: Gr. K-5

Thursday, October 19 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 1019-B2246

Friday, October 20 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 1020-B2247

Let's Make Comics!: Gr. K-5

Thursday, October 19 9:00 am–12:00 pm
\$29 1019-L3236

Spooky Snacks: Gr. K-5

Friday, October 20 1:00–2:00 pm
\$40 1020-K4200

Ultimate Holiday Gift Making: Gr. K-5

Friday, October 20 9:00 am–12:00 pm
\$29 1020-L3237



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November

DASH Multi-Sport: Gr. K-5

Wednesday, November 22 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 1122-B2248

Self-Love & Gratitude Workshop: Gr. K-5

Wednesday, November 22 10:30 am–12:00 pm
\$45 1122-K4206

Food for Your Skin: DIY Recipes: Gr. 6-8

Wednesday, November 22 9:00–10:00 am
\$40 1122-K4207

Ultimate Holiday Gift Making: Gr. K-5

Wednesday, November 22 9:00 am–12:00 pm
\$29 1122-L3238

December

DASH Multi-Sport: Gr. K-5

Wednesday, December 27 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 1227-B2249

Thursday, December 28 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 1228-B2250

Friday, December 29 9:00 am–4:00 pm
\$109 1229-B2251

Holiday Chefs: Gr. K-5

Wednesday, December 27 10:30–11:30 am
\$40 1227-K4201

Hot Chocolate is the BOMB!: Gr. K-5

Thursday, December 28 1:00–2:00 pm
\$40 1228-K4202

Let it Snow: Gr. K-3

Thursday, December 28 9:00–10:00 am
\$40 1228-K4204

Grinch Goodies: Gr. K-5

Wednesday, December 27 1:00–2:00 pm
\$40 1227-K4203

CREATE AT HOME

Mandala Painting

Mandalas are traditionally used to help the artist focus and find calm. Back to school is a busy time. Don't forget to set time aside to create!

MATERIALS

Rock, wood slice or any surface approved at home

Acrylic paint

Toothpicks and or Q tips

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Start with a blank clean surface
2. You can use a pattern or feel your way through your design
3. Choose 3-5 different colors of paint
4. Using a toothpick or q tip dab one end in the paint in a color and place in the middle of your surface
5. From there use different size dots to make concentric patterns around your center point
6. Don't be afraid to develop patterns as you go. There are no mistakes—this artwork is originally you!



Pumpkin Pie Parfait

By Community Ed Instructor, Jackie Mart



Makes 2-4 Servings

INGREDIENTS

- 2 cups pumpkin puree
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- ½ tsp nutmeg
- ½ tsp ground cloves
- Pinch of sea salt
- ½ cup pecans, chopped
- 1 tbsp. coconut oil, melted

FOR THE CREAM PORTION

- 1 small container plain yogurt
- 1 tbsp. pure maple syrup
- 1 tsp vanilla
- ½ tsp cinnamon

DIRECTIONS

1. In a medium bowl, mix together the pureed pumpkin, honey, cinnamon, nutmeg, ground cloves, and sea salt. Stir until well combined.
2. In a separate bowl, mix together the ingredients for the cream. Place in the freezer if necessary to chill.
3. Toss the pecans with the coconut oil. To assemble, place some of the nut mixture into the bottom of a jar or cup. Add a thin layer of pumpkin puree, followed by a layer of cream. Continue layering the nut mixture, pumpkin puree, and cream mixture until the top of the dish is reached.

Evening Enrichment

Archery: Gr. 5-12

101: Tue, 6:00–7:00 pm	Sep 5–Oct 17
\$150	905-B2205
Advanced: Tue, 7:05–8:05 pm	Sep 5–Oct 17
\$160	905-B2206

Driver’s Education – Classroom Instruction & Behind the Wheel: Gr. 9-12

Mon-Thu, 3:30–6:30 pm	Sep 11–Sep 27
\$430	911-B2207
Mon-Thu, 3:30–6:30 pm	Oct 9–Oct 25
\$430	1009-B2208
Mon-Thu, 3:30–6:30 pm	Nov 13–Nov 30
\$430	1113-B2209
Mon-Thu, 3:30–6:30 pm	Dec 4–Dec 19
\$430	1204-B2210

Driver’s Education – Classroom Instruction & Behind the Wheel: Gr. 9-12 (Online)

Mon-Thu, 4:00–7:00 pm	Sep 11–Sep 27
\$430	911-B2211
Mon-Thu, 4:00–7:00 pm	Oct 9–Oct 26
\$430	1009-B2212
Mon-Thu, 4:00–7:00 pm	Oct 30–Nov 14
\$430	1030-B2213
Mon-Thu, 4:00–7:00 pm	Nov 27–Dec 12
\$430	1127-B2214

Learn to Dive

Mon, 6:45–7:30 pm	Sep 11–Oct 23
\$105	911-B2256
Wed, 6:45–7:30 pm	Sep 13–Oct 25
\$119	913-B2259
Mon, 6:45–7:30 pm	Oct 30–Dec 11
\$119	1030-B2262
Wed, 6:45–7:30 pm	Nov 1–Dec 13
\$105	1101-B2265

*Please note
all of our
Diving courses
are canceled
for fall 2023

Intermediate Diving

Mon, 7:30–8:15 pm	Sep 11–Oct 23
\$105	911-B2257
Wed, 7:30–8:15 pm	Sep 13–Oct 25
\$119	913-B2260
Mon, 7:30–8:15 pm	Oct 30–Dec 11
\$119	1030-B2263
Wed, 7:30–8:15 pm	Nov 1–Dec 13
\$105	1101-B2266

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Diving courses
are canceled
for fall 2023

Competitive Diving

Mon, 8:15–9:15 pm	Sep 11–Oct 23
\$135	911-B2258
Wed, 8:15–9:15 pm	Sep 13–Oct 25
\$155	913-B2261
Mon, 8:15–9:15 pm	Oct 30–Dec 11
\$155	1030-B2264
Wed, 8:15–9:15 pm	Nov 1–Dec 13
\$135	1101-B2267

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Diving courses
are canceled
for fall 2023

Private Voice Lessons

Tue/Fri, 2:30–4:30 pm	Sept 12–Nov 3
\$175	912-L3238



Classes are offered at a variety of locations.
See the online listing for details.

Private Voice or Piano Lessons: Ages 10+

Tue/Thu, 3:00–6:30 pm	Sept 5–Dec 14
\$171	905-L3200

Edina Gymnastics

Rec Team: Mon/Wed, 4:30–6:00 pm	Sep 11–Nov 1
\$290	911-B2280
Competition Team: Mon/Wed, 5:30–7:30 pm	Sep 11–Nov 1
\$415	911-B2281

Stock Market, Personal Finance, & Business Club (Online): Gr. 6-12

Thu, 6:45–7:30 pm	Sep 14–Dec 21
\$185	914-K4254

Music for Young Children: Music Lessons for Beginning on the Keyboard

Individual: 5:00–7:30 pm	Monday, September 18
\$145	918-A1235
Group: 5:00–7:30 pm	Monday, September 18
\$125	918-A1234

Bicycle Repair and Maintenance: Gr. 8-12

Session 1: 4:30–6:30 pm	Mon, September 25
\$79	925-A1006
Session 2: 4:30–6:30 pm	Mon October 23
\$79	925-A1009
Session 3: 4:30–6:30 pm	Mon, November 13
\$79	925-A1010

Sewing Basics: Gr. 6-12

Basics I: Mon, 4:30–6:00 pm	Oct 2–Oct 23
\$75	1002-1001
Basics III: Mon, 4:30–6:00 pm	Nov 27–Dec 18
\$75	1127-1003

Robotics & Engineering – Flying and Driving Machines: Gr. 1-6

Wed, 6:30–8:00 pm	Nov 1–Nov 29
\$115	1101-K4211

Robotics & Engineering – Military Machines: Gr. 1-6

Wed, 6:30–8:00 pm	Oct 4–Oct 25
\$115	1004-K4210



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for fall class descriptions

Weekend Enrichment



Classes are offered at a variety of locations.
See the online listing for details.

DASH Soccer Skills Camp: Gr. K-2

Gr. K-2: Sat, 10:20-11:05 am	Sep 9-Sept 30
\$99	909-B2236

DASH Sports NFL Flag Football Youth League

Gr. K-1: Sat, 12:30-2:00 pm	Sep 9-Oct 14
\$179	909-B2238
Gr. 2-3: Sat, 1:30-3:00 pm	Sep 9-Oct 14
\$179	909-B2239
Gr. 4-5: Sat, 2:30-4:00 pm	Sep 9-Oct 14
\$179	909-B2240

DASH NFL Flag Cheer Camp

Gr. K-1: Sat, 12:45-2:00 pm	Sep 9-Oct 14
\$145	909-B2282
Gr. 2-3: Sat, 1:45-3:00 pm	Sep 9-Oct 14
\$145	909-B2283
Gr. 4-5: Sat, 2:45-4:00 pm	Sep 9-Oct 14
\$145	909-B2284

UMTYMP Entrance Exam Preparation: Gr. 5-7 (Online)

Sat, 11:00 am-12:00 pm	Sept 9-Feb 17
\$430	909-K4221

Ballet Fundamentals

I/II (Ages 3-5.5): Sat, 9:00-9:50 am	Sep 16-Dec 16
\$209	916-B2202
II/III (Ages 5.5-7): Sat, 10-11:00 am	Sep 16-Dec 16
\$209	916-B2203

Pre-Teen Beginning Ballet: Ages 8-14

Sat, 11:00 am-12:15 pm	Sep 16-Dec 16
\$252	916-B2204

The Passport to Tasty Treats: Gr. 2-5

Sat, 10:00 am-12:00 pm	Sep 16-Oct 21
\$289	916-L3221

Competition Chess Club & Edina Chess Team: Gr. K-12 (Online)

Sat, 8:00-9:30 am	Sep 16-Dec 16
\$255	916-K4245



Comprehensive ACT Prep Course: Gr. 10-12 (Online)

October 28 Exam: Sundays, 2-6:30 pm	Oct 1-Oct 22
\$500	1001-B2218
December 9 Exam: Sundays, 2-6:30 pm	Nov 12-Dec 3
\$500	1112-B2219

Private ACT Tutoring: Gr. 10-12 (Online)

October 28 Exam: Sun-Sat, 3:00-9:00 pm	Sep 15-Oct 27
\$400	915-B2220
December 9 Exam: Sun-Sat, 3:00-9:00 pm	Oct 15-Dec 8
\$400	1015-B2221

Kung Fu—Wu Shu for Self-Defense & Fitness

Beginner: Sat, 9:15-9:45 am	Oct 7-Dec 2
\$90	1007-B2273
White/Yellow/Orange: Sat, 9:50-10:20	Oct 7-Dec 2
\$90	1007-B2274
Green-2nd Purple: Sat, 10:25-10:55	Oct 7-Dec 2
\$90	1007-B2275
Instruments/Sparring: Sat, 11-11:30	Oct 7-Dec 2
\$90	1007-B2276
3rd Purple-Black: Sat, 11:35-12:05 pm	Oct 7-Dec 2
\$90	1007-B2277

Pre-K Cheerleading: Ages 3-5

Sat, 9:30-10:00 am	Nov 4-Dec 16
\$179	1104-B2222

Edina Elementary Cheer

Gr. K-2: Sat, 10:30 am-12:00 pm	Nov 4-Dec 16
\$229	1104-B2223
Gr. 3-5: Sat, 10:30 am-12:00 pm	Nov 4-Dec 16
\$229	1104-B2224

DASH Jr. NBA Basketball Camp

Gr. K-2: Sat, 10:20-11:05 am	Nov 11-Dec 16
\$139	1111-B2241
Gr. 3-5: Sat, 11:15 am-12:15 pm	Nov 11-Dec 16
\$149	1111-B2242

DASH Volleyball Skills Camp

Gr. K-2: Sat, 1:00-1:45 pm	Nov 11-Dec 16
\$119	1111-B2243
Gr. 3-5: Sat, 1:55-2:55 pm	Nov 11-Dec 16
\$129	1111-B2244



Middle School Enrichment

As students move on from elementary school, they discover new interests, ideas, and possibilities. Our middle school programs provide learning and social opportunities beyond the school day, where students feel welcome, connected, and valued.

Cross Country Running Club: Gr. 6

Tue/Thu, 8:00-9:00 am
\$150
Sep 5-Oct 26
905-B2268

Basketball Club - Valley View: Gr. 6-8

Session I: Tue, 8:00-9:00 am
\$75
Session II: Tue, 8:00-9:00 am
\$75
Sep 12-Oct 24
912-A12347
Oct 31-Dec 19
1031-A12348

Retro Game Club - Valley View: Gr. 6-8

Session I: Wed, 8:00-9:00 am
\$75
Session II: Wed, 8:00-9:00 am
\$75
Sep 13-Oct 25
913-A12347
Nov 1-Dec 20
1101-A12348

Dungeons and Dragons: Gr. 6-8

Session I: Wed, 4:10-5:40 pm
\$79
Session II: Wed, 4:10-5:40 pm
\$79
Sep 13-Oct 11
913-A1000
Oct 18-Nov 15
1018-A1001

Dungeons Adventures: Gr. 6-8

Session I: Thu, 4:10-5:40 pm
\$130
Session II: Thu, 4:10-5:40 pm
\$150
Sep 14-Oct 26
914-K4250
Nov 2-Dec 21
1102-K4253

Strategy Game Club: Gr. 6-8

Session I: Wed, 4:10-5:10 pm
\$100
Session II: Wed, 4:10-5:10 pm
\$100
Sep 13-Oct 25
913-K4248
Nov 1-Dec 20
1101-K4251

Your Business, By Design I: Gr. 6-8

Tue, 4:15-5:10 pm
\$110
Sep 12-Oct 26
914-K4249

Your Business, By Design II: Gr. 6-8

Tue, 4:15-5:10 pm
\$110
Oct 31-Dec 19
1102-K4252

Wrestling Team: Gr. 6-8

Valley View: Mon-Fri, 4:15-5:45 pm
\$125
South View: Mon-Fri, 4:15-5:45 pm
\$125
Oct 23-Dec 22
1023-B2278
Oct 23-Dec 22
1023-B2279

Dance Club: Gr. 6

Wed, 7:45-9:00 am
\$110
Nov 1-Dec 20
1101-B2255

Food for Your Skin DIY Recipes: Gr. 6-8

9:00-10:00 am
\$40
Wednesday, November 22
1122-K4207



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An Early Arrival Option for Middle Schoolers

At South View and Valley View Middle Schools for Grades 6-8

Offered from 8:00-9:00am, Hornet Central provides an early arrival option for students and busy families. The program offers a quiet space for students to listen to their headphones, read a book, or finish homework. Students who want a more active start to their day may head to the gym for a friendly game of basketball or other games. Students will also have opportunities to participate in service projects, career exploration, and arts and crafts.

Monthly Program Costs:

\$130 per month. For one monthly fee, students may attend as many days as needed throughout the month. No registration fee.

Full scholarships are available for students who qualify.
Visit edinacommunityed.com/FinancialAssistance.

Details

- All students must be registered for Hornet Central if they will arrive early for school.
- Doors open at 8:00am. Transportation is not provided for this program.
- Students will be dismissed from Hornet Central at 9:00am, allowing ample time for the 9:20am start time.
- For one monthly fee, students may attend any day that the program is in session.
- Hornet Central is open every day school is in session. The program is not offered on non-school days.

For more information visit:

**community.edinaschools.org/youth/
middle-school-activities/hornet-central**

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High School Volunteer Opportunities

High School students regularly volunteer throughout Edina Public Schools. These students offer individual attention to younger students, act as role models, and increase self-esteem and motivation to learn. During the school year, opportunities exist in the Early Learning Center, Kids Club, Success, and more. Summer 2024 opportunities will be posted in our Winter/Spring catalog!

Interested in volunteering with Edina Public Schools?
[Visit edinaschools.org/volunteer](https://edinaschools.org/volunteer)

Community Service Letter Program

Edina High School students in grades 9-12 can earn a letter in Community Service. The letter is earned by students who go above and beyond when it comes to serving others. There are several steps required to earn a Community Service Letter:

1. Attend an orientation (October), join our Schoology page, and complete an application (December).
2. Complete 120 hours of service. At least 60 hours must address a specific community need. Hours must be completed by early April.
3. Secure one letter of recommendation from the supervisor at the organization you are serving.
4. Share your service experiences in a reflection session with your peers (April/May).

For more information, visit community.edinaschools.org/youth and select EHS Community Service Letter from the top menu.



TEDx Edina Youth

Friday, November 17
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Youth speakers will deliver a TEDx talk sharing their big + bold ideas to make our community – and world – a better place.

K-12 Edina Public School students live from the stage for one evening only. Open to everyone to attend. You won’t want to miss it.

For tickets and more information, visit:
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Community Education and Strategic Partnerships

One of the key roles of lighthouse Community Education programs is to act as a convener and connector. Community Education professionals have deep experience in strategically leveraging shared resources in order to co-create programs for healthy, vital communities committed to lifelong learning. While Edina Community Ed has long been a leader for this district-wide work, we have recently added “Strategic Partnerships” to the department’s title in order to acknowledge that expertise and make it more visible to the community.

“We know our community is stronger when mission-aligned people, businesses, and organizations pull together and share a vision,” says Cheryl Gunness, Community Involvement Programs Coordinator. “It’s important we all know what part we can play to support students, families, and the wider community.”

The formal title change to “Edina Community Education and Strategic Partnerships” reflects our district’s intensified work in the area of career pathways exploration. We share a vision that by 2027 every Edina High School student will graduate with an internship, apprenticeship, or job shadow experience and a credential.

Dr. Anne Marie Leland, Community Education and Strategic Partnerships Director, invites you to help us achieve this vision: “Our community has so much to offer in terms of partnerships to help students to discover their possibilities and thrive. We look forward to engaging and connecting with you now and in the future.”



How can you as a community member get involved?

- Join our community member volunteer program
- Join an advisory council
- Develop a meaningful internship for Edina High School students through the Career Pathway Program
- Be involved in special events as they come such as TedxEgina
- Support Edina Resource Center



Early Childhood Family Education

Our hallmark program for infants, toddlers and their parents is “Early Childhood Family Education” or “ECFE.” Unique to Minnesota, ECFE has been supporting families since 1973.

Here’s a preview of what you and your child will experience in ECFE:

- You and your child enjoy time together with developmentally-appropriate activities.
- Join other parents and a licensed Parent Educator for discussion.
- In separating classes children play and learn together with licensed teachers.

Separating/Non-Separating

Classes for the youngest children have the parent component within the classroom, so babies and caregivers stay together. These are our “non-separating” classes. As children get more independent, they remain in their classroom while parents go to a separate room for discussion.

Parent Education

The Parent Education goal is to enhance the ability of all parents to provide the best possible environment for their child’s learning and growth. Parent Ed classes provide a place where all families have people who will walk beside them on their parenting journey. Join us for an ongoing class or one of our stand-alone events!

Sibling Care

Sibling care is available for children ages 6 weeks through pre-K while you are attending an ECFE class. Sibling care is available for all ECFE classes offered between 8:30am and 3:30pm, Monday through Friday. Register for sibling care when you register for your family education class.

Sliding Fee Scale

For classes with a parent education (ECFE) component, tuition is charged on a sliding fee scale based on family household income. The price shown in the catalog is the most a family will pay. Please see our website for full details.

All Caregivers are Welcome

While we use the word “parent”, we recognize that not all family structures look the same. Any and all adults parenting and/or caregiving are welcome in our classes.

Age Specifications

Keep in mind to explore classes based on your child’s age as of 9/1/2023.



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Non-Separating

Baby & Me

Birth–6 Months

Mon, 9:00–10:00 am	Sep 11–May 31
\$86/month	0006-1
Fri, 10:30–11:30 am	Sep 8–May 20
\$86/month	0006-2

Busy Babies

7–11 Months

Mon, 10:30–11:30 am	Sep 11–May 20
\$86/month	0711-1
Fri, 9:00–10:00 am	Sep 8–May 31
\$86/month	0711-2

Baby/Toddler Playtime

6–18 Months

Tue, 12:15–1:15 pm	Sep 5–May 28
\$52/season	PlayPass (Tues)
Thu, 12:15–1:15 pm	Sep 7–May 30
\$52/season	PlayPass (Thurs)

A Breath of Fresh Air

Birth–11 Months

Fri, 12:15–1:15 pm	Sep 8–Oct 13
\$86	Fresh Air–0011

12–24 Months

Wed, 12:45–1:45 pm	Sep 6–Oct 18
\$86	Fresh Air–1224

Toddlin’ Tykes

12–17 Months

Tue, 9:15–10:30 am	Sep 5–May 28
\$102/month	1217-1
Wed, 9:15–10:30 am	Sep 6–May 29
\$102/month	1217-2
Thu, 11:00 am–12:15 pm	Sep 7–May 30
\$102/month	1217-3

12–24 Months

Sat, 9:00–10:00 am	Sep 9–May 11
6 sessions: \$120	S1224-1,2,3,4

Separating

Tender Tots

18–24 Months

Tue, 11:00 am–12:15 pm	Sep 5–May 28
\$102/month	1823-1
Wed, 11:00 am–12:15 pm	Sep 6–May 29
\$102/month	1823-2
Thu, 9:15–10:30 am	Sep 7–May 30
\$102/month	1823-3

FREE CLASS!

ECFE Family Literacy Preschool: Birth–5 Years

Tue/Thu, 8:30 am–11:30 am	Sep 5–May 30
Free	ECFELit-1

Multi-Age Classes

Stay and Play Grandparents

12–36 Months

Tue, 11:45 am–12:45 pm	Sep 5–May 28
\$52/season	GrptsTue–Fall, WinSpr
Thu, 11:45 am–12:45 pm	Sep 7–May 30
\$52/season	GrptsThu–Fall, WinSpr

Saturday Songs and Stories

Birth–5 Years

Sat, 10:30–11:30 am	Sep 9–May 11
6 sessions: \$160	SFamily 1, 2, 3, 4

Ages 2–5 Years

A Taste of Preschool

24–35 Months

Mon, 8:45–10:45 am	Sep 11–May 20
\$165/month	0002-1
Mon, 11:15–1:15 pm	Sep 11–May 20
\$165/month	0002-2

24–35 Months (In Nature)

Wed, 12:00–1:00 pm	Sep 6–May 22
\$140/season	0002–NatureFall, Win, Spr

Older 2s (33–35 Months)

Wed/Fri, 9:30–11:30 am	Sep 6–May 31
\$330/month	0002–Older2

Me and My Dad: 2–5 Years

Wed, 6:00–7:30 pm	Sep 6–May 22
\$86/season	Dad-1, 2, 3

ECFE for Preschoolers

2–5 Years

Wed, 11:30 am–2:00 pm	Sep 6–Dec 20
\$150/month	Enrichment–Fall

3 Years

Mon/Wed/Fri, 8:30–11:30 am	Sep 6–May 31
\$428/month	ECFE3-1

3–5 Years

Fri, 12:30–2:30 pm	Sep 8–May 31
\$165/month	ECFE35-1



Parent Education

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Mindful Parenting

Mon, 6:00–7:00 pm
\$181
Sep 11–Jan 8
Mindful-1

Supporting Your Little Worrier

Mon, 7:00–8:00 pm
\$78
Sep 11–Oct 16
ParentAnx-1

Parenting Middle School Students

Tue, 12:00–1:30 pm
\$225
Sep 5–May 7
BEYOND-6-8

Parenting High School Students

Tue, 12:00–1:30 pm
\$225
Sep 12–May 14
BEYOND-9-12

Parenting Boys

Tue, 12:00–1:30 pm
\$225
Sep 19–May 21
BOYS-1

Parenting Podcast

Tue, 7:00–8:00 pm
\$75
Sep 12–Dec 12
PODCAST-Fall

Trending Topics in Parenting

Wed, 1:00–2:00 pm
\$158
Sep 9–Feb 7
TREND-1

Culturally Competent Parenting

Wed, 6:00–7:00 pm
\$191
Sep 6–Jan 17
Competent-1

Parenting Elementary Students

Thu, 12:00–1:30 pm
\$225
Sep 7–May 2
BEYOND-K-5

Parenting Girls

Thu, 12:00–1:30 pm
\$225
Sep 14–May 9
GIRLS-1

Parenting for Resilience

Thu, 6:00–7:00 pm
\$181
Sep 7–Jan 18
Resilience-1

Welcome to the Community: Parenting Education for Families New to the U.S.

Thu, 6:00–7:00 pm
\$181
Sep 7–Jan 18
NewUSPar-1



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Preschool for 3-5 Year Olds

The Edina Early Learning Center’s preschool program for 3-5 year olds help young learners develop their emergent literacy and math skills through a play-based learning model. Using The Creative Curriculum®, we also provide opportunities to help them develop healthy social skills and learn to advocate appropriately for their needs.

Available Classes

Preschool registration happens in late January, but a few spots remain for school year 2023-24. Call our office at 952-848-3908 for more information.

Childcare for Preschoolers

If you need a little extra care for your child before or after preschool we’ve created a flexible option just for you! Your child will be escorted by classroom staff to/from the childcare space when you add this option to your weekly schedule.

Children must be registered for an Early Learning Center preschool class to be eligible. Childcare follows the Early Learning calendar, so when school is not in session, childcare is closed.

Childcare Blocks: Monday-Friday

Block 1	7:30-8:30am	\$9.00/day
Block 2	8:30am-12:30pm	\$45.00/day
Block 3	11:30am-3:00pm	\$31.50/day
Block 4	3:00-5:30pm	\$22.50/day

Enrichment Classes

Enrichment classes provide children the opportunity to explore their natural gifts, talents and interests. Students extend classroom learning, build additional skills, and make new social connections.



Scan here or visit [communityed.edinaschools.org/fall2023](https://community.edinaschools.org/fall2023) for fall class descriptions

Preschool Enrichment

After School

Book Buddies for Preschoolers

Tue, 11:30 am–2:00 pm
\$330

Sep 5–Dec 19
BookBuddies-Fall

Crafternoons for Preschoolers

Wed, 11:30 am–2:00 pm
\$330

Sep 6–Dec 20
Crafternoons-Fall

Little Chefs for Preschoolers

Thu, 11:30 am–2:00 pm
\$308

Sep 7–Dec 21
LittleChefs-Fall

Nature Exploration for Preschoolers

Fri, 11:30 am–2:00 pm
\$308

Sep 8–Dec 22
Nature-Fall

Music Makers for Preschoolers

Fri, 11:30 am–2:00 pm
\$308

Sep 8–Dec 22
Music-Fall

STEM for Preschoolers

Mon, 11:30 am–2:00 pm
\$330

Sep 11–Dec 18
STEM-Fall

DASH Soccer Tykes

Ages 2–3
Tue, 4:45–5:15 pm
\$85

Sep 12–Oct 3
912-L5100

Ages 4–5
Tue, 5:30–6:00 pm
\$85

Sep 12–Oct 3
912-L5101

DASH Flag Football Tykes

Ages 2–3
Tue, 4:45–5:15 pm
\$85

Oct 10–Oct 31
1010-L5102

Ages 4–5
Tue, 5:30–6:00 pm
\$85

Oct 10–Oct 31
1010-L5103

Weekends

Super Saturdays: Builders

Sat, 9:00–10:00 am
\$67

Sep 9–Sep 30
SS-Builders

DASH NFL Flag Cheer Camp: Ages 4–5

Sat, 11:30 am–1:00 pm
\$179

Sep 9–Oct 14
906-5112

DASH Soccer Tykes

Ages 2–3
Sat, 9:00–9:30 am
\$85

Sep 9–Sep 30
909-L5104

Ages 4–5
Sat, 9:40–10:10 am
\$85

Sep 9–Sep 30
909-L5105

DASH NFL Flag Football League Tykes (includes jersey)

Ages 4–5
Sat, 11:30 am–1:00 pm
\$179

Sep 9–Oct 14
909-L5111

DASH Athleticism Tykes

Ages 2–3
Sat, 9:00–9:30 am
\$85

Oct 7–Nov 4
1007-L5106

Ages 4–5
Sat, 9:40–10:10 am
\$85

Oct 7–Nov 4
1007-L5107

Super Saturdays: Explosions!

Sat, 9:00–10:00 am
\$67

Oct 28–Nov 18
SS-Explosions

DASH Athleticism Development Camp: Gr. K-2

Sat, 10:20–11:05 am
\$99

Oct 7–Nov 4
1007-B2237

DASH Basketball Tykes

Ages 2–3
Sat, 9:00–9:30 am
\$99

Nov 11–Dec 16
1111-L5108

Ages 4–5
Sat, 9:40–10:10 am
\$99

Nov 11–Dec 16
1111-L5109



Girl Scouts.

Girl Scouts explore art in nature, design digital games, and change their communities. They build forever friendships, take on new adventures, and tell their stories to the world. **Girl Scouts know how to dream big and have fun!**



GirlScoutsRV.org/Join.



Join the Edina Education Fund for an
outdoor concert event benefiting
the Heal Together EPS Mental Health Campaign!

SAVE THE DATE:

Wednesday, August 23 6PM-10PM, EHS main parking lot (door 5)

Bring a chair, enjoy a food truck treat and
reconnect for an evening of live music by local bands & community.

FREE EVENT – all donations benefit mental health services in the Edina Public Schools!

Learn more: www.edinaedfund.org



Or Venmo @EdinaEdFund



Hoop Dreams Start Here!

The Edina Basketball Association is your source for hoops in Edina, coordinating programs for boys and girls in grades K-12. No matter what your player's dreams are related to basketball, the EBA has a program for them.

Registration for Boys and Girls Travel begins on Aug 1, 2023
Registration for Boys and Girls House/Rec begins on Sept 1, 2023

For more information or to sign-up your player go to edinabasketball.com.

Get Ready for Kindergarten!

Registration Information Available in Early October



Our kindergarten program exposes our littlest Hornets to a robust kindergarten curriculum while learning through play, fostering social-emotional development and sparking curiosity that sets the foundation for life-long learning.

Choose from our 4 programs:

- Your neighborhood School
- Spanish Dual Language
- French Immersion
- Continuous Progress (multi-age)

Kindergarten Information Nights will be held in late October. Follow us on FB, Instagram and Twitter and watch for your kindergarten mailer in early October.



www.edinaschools.org/enrollment/kindergarten-enrollment



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Adult Fitness

Adult fitness has a full slate of offerings such as aerobics, aquatics, yoga, dance and more. We have partnered with local community members to bring you a variety of fun and collaborative wellness experiences.

Cardio/Strength

Hybrid: Body Shape

Mon, 12:00-12:50 pm	Sep 11-Dec 18
\$150	911-B2016
Wed, 12:00-12:50 pm	Sep 6-Dec 20
\$150	906-B2017
Fri, 12:00-12:50 pm	Sep 8-Dec 22
\$150	908-B2018

Enhance Your Balance *Low Intensity*

Mon/Wed, 4:00-4:45 pm	Sep 6-Oct 25
\$150	906-B2022

Wishful Shrinking *High Intensity*

Mon/Wed, 5:00-5:45 pm	Sep 6-Oct 25
\$150	906-B2023

A Walk in the Park

Tue, 5:00-6:00 pm	Sep 12-Oct 24
\$49	912-B2039

Body Pump Strength Express

Tue, 5:15-6:00 pm	Sep 12-Nov 14
\$128	912-B2026

Move, Stretch, Flex Express

Thu, 5:15-6:00 pm	Sep 12-Nov 2
\$128	914-B2028

Social Dance

Thriller Line Dance

6:00-7:00 pm	Monday, October 9
\$15	1009-B2031

Two Left Feet Dance Workshop

7:00-9:00 pm	Monday, October 9
\$39	1009-B2032

Ballroom Dance

Mon, 6:00-7:00 pm	Nov 6-Nov 27
\$59	1106-B2033

Party Line Dance

6:00-7:00 pm	Wednesday, September 13
\$15	913-B2029

Wedding Dance—It’s Not too Late to Look Great

7:00-9:00 pm	Wednesday, September 13
\$39	913-B2030

Salsa and Cha Cha Dance Workshop

7:00-9:00 pm	Monday, November 27
\$39	1127-B2034

Swing Dance – 1 Night Of Fun

7:00-9:00 pm	Wednesday, December 6
\$39	1206-B2036

Taylor Swift’s “Shake It Off” Line Dance

6:00-7:00 pm	Wednesday, December 6
\$15	1206-B2035



Tai Chi

Tai Chi Ruler and Qigong Combo

Mon, 10:00–11:00 am	Sep 18–Oct 23
\$72	918-B2008
Mon, 10:00–11:00 am	Nov 6–Dec 11
\$72	1106-B2040

Tai Chi for Arthritis, Chronic Pain/Balance

Wed, 1:30–2:30 pm	Sep 20–Oct 25
\$72	920-B2009
Wed, 1:30–2:30 pm	Nov 8–Dec 13
\$72	1108-B2041

Wu Style Tai Chi Chuan

Mon, 11:00 am–12:00 pm	Sep 11–Dec 18
\$142	911-B2010
Wed, 7:00–8:00 pm	Sep 6–Dec 20
\$158	906-B2011

Yoga

Hybrid: Hatha Yoga for Life

Tue, 6:00–7:25 pm	Sep 5–Dec 19
\$210	905-B2012
Thu, 10:00–11:25 am	Sep 7–Dec 21
\$210	907-B2013

Restorative Deep Stretch

Wed, 5:15–6:00 pm	Sep 13–Nov 1
\$128	913-B2027

Aquatics

Water Aerobics

Mon, 7:15–8:15 pm	Sep 11–Dec 18
\$140	911-B2000
Wed, 7:15–8:15 pm	Sep 13–Dec 20
\$140	913-B2001

Water Wellness

Mon, 9:15–10:15 am	Sep 11–Oct 23
\$70	911-B2002
Mon, 9:15–10:15 am	Oct 30–Dec 18
\$70	1030-B2005
Tue, 9:15–10:15 am	Sep 12–Oct 24
\$70	912-B2003
Tue, 9:15–10:15 am	Oct 31–Dec 19
\$70	1031-B2006
Thu, 9:15–10:15 am	Sep 14–Oct 26
\$70	914-B2004
Thu, 9:15–10:15 am	Nov 2–Dec 21
\$70	1102-B2007

Ballet, Barre, Pilates

Hybrid: Fundamentals of Ballet, Beginning I

Tue, 7:00–8:30 pm	Sep 5–Dec 19
\$280	905-B2024

Hybrid: Intermediate Ballet I

Thu, 7:30–9:00 pm	Sep 7–Dec 21
\$257	907-B2021

Beginning II/Intermediate Ballet

Sat, 10:00–11:30 am	Sep 16–Dec 16
\$205	916-B2025

Hybrid: Barre Strength

Fri, 9:30–10:20 am	Sep 8–Dec 22
\$150	908-B2019

Pilates Barre

Tue, 9:15–10:15	Sep 5–Dec 19
\$235	905-B2014

Hybrid: Pilates Plus

Thu, 9:00–10:00 am	Sep 7–Dec 21
\$205	907-B2015

Hybrid: Mat Pilates

Thu, 6:15–7:15 pm	Sep 7–Dec 21
\$257	907-B2020



Going Strong After 30 Years

Since 1987, Kay Zuccaro has been instructing adult water wellness classes with Edina Community Ed. During this time she has gained a strong following of class participants, some of whom have been with her for over 30 years.

Shirley Bowers, Linda Bennettsen, and Marie Rose Lundgren have formed a unique friendship that they attribute to Kay’s dedication and friendly atmosphere.

Lundgren shares she met one of her friends the very first week of class, and since then they have taken class together every week. “Kay promotes the friendly atmosphere and her spirit gives us the feeling that we are comfortable and we bond together,” she says.

What some might not understand is that water wellness is not simply splashing around in the water. Zuccaro teaches a variety of aquatic exercises, adapted to any level and paired with lively music.

“It’s powerful, and it’s really healing for me instead of physical therapy,” says Lundgren who remembers that when they were younger they were more energetic. Kay has always adapted the classes to their level, even as they have aged.

“It’s gentle on the body but it’s a good workout,” Bennettsen adds. “[Kay] keeps it interesting, she’s the best!”

Bowers loves how Zucarro allows for time to get to know the exercises. “Kay keeps it active but yet gives you plenty of time to get to know the exercises and do them properly,” she says.

When Covid hit and forced people to adapt under pressure, Zuccaro showed persistence and only missed one month of classes.



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LINDA BENNETTSEN, STUDENT

“With Covid and the isolation we were in, we stayed distant, but just coming here was such a relief. We were grateful for that,” said Lundgren.

Zuccaro’s classes not only serve as an opportunity for participants to remain active, but as a way to build community and connect—a true reflection of the care Zuccaro has for each and every student she teaches.



Interested in teaching with Community Ed?

Scan the QR code or visit edinacommunityed.com/TeachAClass



Lifelong Learning

Are you interested in learning a new skill? Are you excited to make a new craft? Are you eager to explore new knowledge? Our adult lifelong learning classes are a great place to engage, create, and discover a world of possibility.

September

ENGAGE

Great Decisions: Climate Migration

4:00–5:30 pm
Free
Monday, September 11
911-A1100

Bicycle Repair and Maintenance

3 Hour Class
9:00 am–12:00 pm
\$100
Saturday, September 16
916-A1012

2 Hour Class
6:45–8:45 pm
\$79
Monday, September 25
925-A1007

Finding Your What’s Next: Unlocking Your Purpose, Part I

8:00–10:30 am
\$35
Saturday, September 23
923-A1122

6:00–9:30 pm
\$35
Thursday, September 28
928-A1123

Casual Indoor Basketball

Mon, 6:00–7:30 pm
\$100
Sep 11–Nov 13
911-B2042

Beginning Mah Jongg Session I

Wed, 6:30–9:00 pm
\$135
Sep 13–Oct 4
913-A1126

CREATE

Open Woodshop Fall

Mon–Fri, 8:00 am–12:00 pm
\$95
Sep 11–Dec 22
911-A1112

Mon/Wed/Fri, 12:30–3:30 pm
\$95
Sep 11–Dec 22
911-A1114

Tues/Thu, 6:00–9:00 pm;
Sat, 8:00 am–12:00 pm
\$95
Sep 12–Dec 21
911-A1113

Woodshop Orientation

Mon/Wed/Fri, 6:00–9:00 pm
\$95
Sep 11–15
911-A1116

Box Making

Thu, 6:00–9:00 pm
\$165
Sep 14–Oct 5
918-A1117

Women’s Beginning Woodworking Workshop

Mon, 6:00–9:00 pm
\$107
Sep 18–Nov 13
918-A1115

Maker’s Series: Embroidered Tote Bag

6:00–8:00 pm
\$35
Wednesday, September 20
920-A1105

Women’s Woodworking Workshop Fall

Wed, 6:00–9:00 pm
\$107
Sep 20–Nov 15
913-A1116

Cooking Beans in the Instant Pot

6:30–8:00 pm
\$30
Thursday, September 28
928-K4223



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for fall class descriptions

Level Up Your Genealogy Research 2:
More Ways of Advancing Your Research

6:00–7:30 pm Wednesday, November 8
\$20 1108-L3020

Online: How to be a Smart College Shopper!

6:30–8:30 pm Monday, November 13
Free 1113-L3025

Buying New Construction

7:00–9:00 pm Tuesday, November 14
Free 1114-L3010

Tarot Development

Mon, 7:00–9:00 pm Nov 20–Dec 11
\$175 1111-A1106

Downsizing in the Current Housing Market

7:00–9:00 pm Tuesday, December 11
Free 1121-L3008

December

ENGAGE

Great Decisions: Politics in Latin America

4:00–5:30 pm Monday, December 11
Free 1211-A1103

CREATE

Monthly Meal Planning

3:00–4:00 pm Saturday, December 2
\$55 1202-K4226

Maker’s Series: Salt Dough Feather Ornament

6:00–8:00 pm Wednesday, December 13
\$25 1213-A1110

DISCOVER

Genealogy Methods: Research Skills
Through Case Studies

6:00–7:30 pm Tuesday, December 5
\$20 1205-L3021

Online: How to be a Smart College Shopper!

6:30–8:30 pm Tuesday, December 5
Free 1205-L3026

Introduction to Senior Housing

7:00–9:00 pm Tuesday, December 12
Free 1212-L3009



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Giving Back

As a retired employee of the food purchasing industry, Dave Reitz was looking for a way to give back to the Edina community where he raised his kids and where his grandkids attend school. He found joy relearning his high school math skills and began helping students through the Americorp math program. After experiencing mathcore, Reitz realized that volunteering with Edina Public Schools in a math classroom would be a perfect fit for him.

As an Edina Community Ed volunteer Reitz has been generously donating 15-18 hours of his time weekly with Mr. Nelson’s 8th grade math class at South View Middle School. He works with students one-on-one as they transition from middle school math to more challenging, high school math.

“It is especially great working with a few students at a time in the flex areas around the building to try to help build skills so the students can keep up with the pace of the classroom before moving into high school math,” Reitz says.

Reitz frequently works with students who need extra help on an assignment or a math problem. This allows students to complete their homework and stay on track in class.

As a Community Ed volunteer, Reitz not only enjoys the opportunity to help out in classrooms, he also enjoys the growth experience as well.

“A lot of people wouldn’t believe me but it’s fun to go back and refresh the math you learned in high school or maybe even college,” he shares. “It keeps you on your toes!”

Teachers and school administrators welcome the help Reitz and other volunteers like him provide. Even one hour per week working with students can have a big impact on their academic success!



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DAVE REITZ, VOLUNTEER



Community Ed for All

We're committed to connecting all members of the community with our programming, and to helping them get the most out of it.

Accommodations

Edina Community Ed is “a place to belong.” Every day, strive to make our classes, programs and events welcoming, supportive and inclusive for all learners, including students who may require extra support to participate safely and successfully.

For EPS students:

Support in choice-based, out of school time programs, including school age care, enrichment and early learning programs, may look different from support students receive during the school day.



For more information on inclusion support and programming, visit our website or contact Inclusion Manager Tim Faklis at Tim.Faklis@edinaschools.org

For adults with disabilities:

For accommodations, call Learning Exchange at 952-681-6121 or email jclarke@isd271.org at least 10 business days before your class.

Financial Assistance

We are committed to ensuring that all learners have access to our classes and programs. We regularly offer financial assistance and partner with Edina Give & Go for additional resources. For more information, call 952-848-3952 or go to <https://edinacommunityed.com/FinancialAssistance>.

Non-Discrimination

Policy Edina Public Schools District 273 has a nondiscrimination policy on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, marital status or status with regard to public assistance in its educational programs, activities and employment practices.

Registration Information

Registration opens 8 am August 15.



Register online!
Edina.ce.eleyo.com

Have questions? We're here to help!

Email: communityed@edinaschools.org

Phone: (952) 848-3952

In Person:

M-F, 8am-4pm at the Edina Community Center

Edina Community Center
5701 Normandale Road,
Edina, MN 55424

The Edina Community Center is home to Community Ed, the Early Learning Center, Normandale Elementary School, the District Office, and the District Enrollment Office.

Main Community Entrance:

Door 3 Parking is available in the Red Lot.

Early Learning Center Entrance:

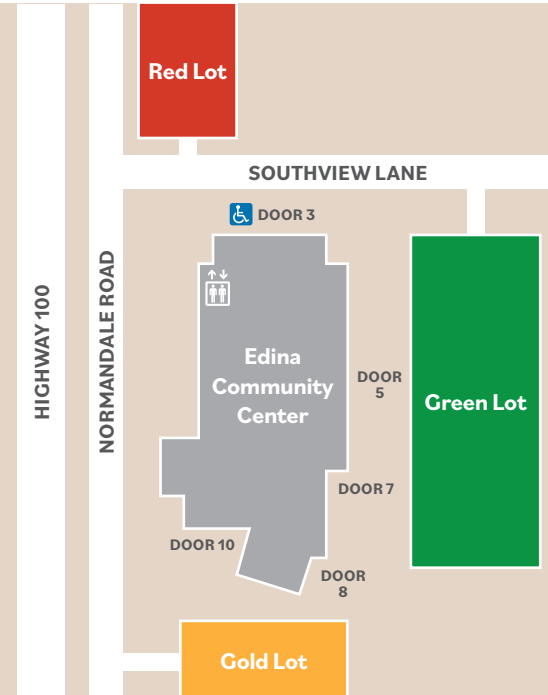
Door 5 Park in the Green Lot.

Normandale Elementary:

Door 10 Park in the Gold Lot.

Gym Entrances:

Doors 7/8 Park in the Green Lot.



Cancellation and Refund Policy

We hate to do it, but sometimes Edina Community Ed has to cancel a class due to weather, low enrollment, or other evolving situations. And sometimes you need to cancel a class. We understand. Schedules and priorities change. Please visit our website at edinacommunityed.com and click on “Register” to learn more about cancellation timelines, refunds, credit slips and fees for all of our programs, in addition to information about weather related cancellations, late pick-up fees and more.

Photo Consent

Unless you notify Edina Community Ed, photos taken within Community Ed classes/programs/activities may be included in Community Ed publications

Data Privacy

Your privacy is important to us. The registration information you provide to Edina Community Ed is considered private data under

state and federal law. We use the information you provide for the purposes of administering the activity and to contact you about upcoming activities. While you may choose to withhold this information, there may be consequences that could limit the distribution of information to the participant (e.g., no team roster or class confirmation). Access to contact information is limited to individuals involved in the activity.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

If for any reason you are not happy with the quality of one of our community education programs, classes or activities, we want to know about it. We work hard to offer high quality programming that meets the needs of learners of all ages, stages, abilities and interests and to recruit dynamic, enthusiastic teachers who care about learning for life and connecting community. Please call us at (952) 848-3952 to offer your constructive feedback, and we will be glad to work with you to make things right.

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Connect with us all year!

Use this calendar of important dates so you don't miss a thing!

Adult Programs

Lifelong learning | Fitness |
Volunteering | Parenting

August 15th

Registration for Fall Classes
& Programs

August

Applications open for
2023-24 School Year
Volunteer Programs

December 5th

Registration for Winter/
Spring Classes & Programs

February 13th

Registration for Summer
Classes & Programs

April-May

Applications Period for
Summer Volunteer Programs

Youth Programs

Elementary Schools | Middle
Schools | Edina High School

August 15th

Registration for Fall Enrichment
Classes & Middle School Programs

October-November

Application Period for EHS
Community Service Letter
Program

December 5th

Registration for Winter/
Spring Classes & Programs

February 13th

Registration for Summer
Enrichment Classes

April-May

Application Period for
Summer Volunteer Programs

Early Learning Center

Early Childhood Family
Education (ECFE) | Preschool

December 5th

Registration for Winter/
Spring Classes & Programs

January 23rd

Registration for School Year
2024-25 ECFE & Preschool

February 13th

Registration for Summer
Enrichment Classes



Scan here
to register

Connect with us on social media!