

WEDNESDAY ELECTIVES

Session 4

Feb. 21, 28; Mar. 6, 13, 20

Parkour-Class Fee \$94. Join instructors at MoveFree Academy in Woodinville for this fun and active, 1 hour, 15 min, 6 Week, Parkour class. Parkour is the functional art of movement, characterized by efficient use of power, speed, agility, spatial awareness, balance, reflexes, and thinking in the moment in order to overcome obstacles within one's environment. Parkour incorporates running, climbing, jumping and swinging. The instructors work with students at their level and comfort and assist them in developing appropriate, achievable goals. Foremost at MoveFree is the emphasis on safety while still having fun. Class size limited and dependent on sufficient carpool drivers. **Parent Drivers Required each week.**

Team Sports at Arena Sports - Class Fee \$75. Join coach Bryan for Team Sports - Indoors! We are taking coach Bryan's popular sports electives to Arena Sports this session where students will enjoy a variety of field games - soccer, kickball, ultimate frisbee, capture the flag, dodge ball, and more. All skill levels welcome. Coach Bryan is a local fitness enthusiast and athletic trainer and is a favorite among EAS students. Class size limited and dependent on sufficient carpool drivers. **Parent Drivers Required each week.**

Board Games/Magic The Gathering- Class Fee \$30. Come play a variety of strategy board games or join other in the Magic the Gathering card game craze. Each week there will be a large selection of fun board games available to learn and play as well Magic cards to borrow if new to the game and want to learn. This class is suited for all levels of Magic players as well as those who are new to board games or consider themselves board game enthusiasts. Class taught by Eric Battisti of Tolarian Scholars Northwest. Eric has been a part of our enrichment classes at EAS for several years. Eric is a Magic the Gathering expert as well as provides a variety of new and fun board games for students. **Class taught at EAS - Parent chaperones needed.**

Escape Room In A Box- No Class Fee. Do you enjoy solving puzzles, clues, and ciphers? This elective gives you an opportunity to work in small groups as you wind your way through exciting narratives by solving puzzles. Part escape room and part choose-your-own-adventure, you will work to solve mysteries, escape the bad guys, and have fun with your friends. We will spend the first class working through a mini game to familiarize ourselves with the puzzling process. The following weeks will be spent working through more advanced puzzles. Don't worry, clues will be provided for those tougher challenges to solve. **Parent chaperones needed.**

Fly Fishing - No Class Fee. In this unique elective opportunity students will learn the skills of fly fishing over 5 weeks. Students will be exposed to many aspects of fly fishing including safety, equipment, bugs & flies, knots, fly tying, casting, fishing etiquette and some environmental awareness. Classes will be taught by volunteer instructors from the Overlake Fly Fishing Club. All classes take place at EAS, students will not be fishing on open water. **Parent chaperones needed.**

Yearbook. No Class Fee. - Persistence, passion, patience, and teamwork are key when putting together a yearbook that will be loved for years to come. The EAS Yearbook Committee is looking for interested students to join our 8th grade editors in creating the 2023-2024 yearbook. Students will learn to develop page layouts, copy write, photo edit and collaborate to create the final yearbook. The majority of work will occur within the elective class, however, additional tasks may be required to ensure deadlines are met. Join the yearbook team and help to create the best yearbook ever! 7th grade students interested in being editors next year are encouraged to sign up for the yearbook elective!! Class enrollment limited. Class taught by EAS parent at EAS - **Parent Chaperones Needed.**

Pottery - Class Fee \$10. This is a self-directed course in the creation and appreciation of the ceramic vessel. Students will explore basic hand-building, including pinch pots, slab building, and coil building. Students may also get the opportunity to work with slip casting and wheel throwing. Class taught by Finn Hill librarian, Mr. Strong. **Parent Chaperone needed each week.**

Graphic Design Series 4: Package Design. Class Fee \$15

In this session, you will come up with an imaginary food product and then design and construct an actual-size box, carton, or label for the packaging. Basic instruction in Adobe InDesign, Illustrator, and Photoshop will be provided, but will not be required. If you want some ideas for how to make your class assignments and presentations (and end-of-year boards and portfolios!) look more organized and compelling or think you might want to pursue a design career in the future, these Graphic Design electives are for you! Class taught by EAS parent at EAS. **Parent Chaperone needed each week.**

Fencing- Class Fee \$150. Zorro, D'Artagnan, Skywalker. Ever wanted to play with swords? This new elective is for the student looking to learn the fast-paced and exciting sport of fencing in a fun and social environment. Students will learn the basics of offense, defense and movement of fencing while improving their fitness and agility. Class takes place at Kaizen Fencing Academy in Redmond. Class size limited and dependent on sufficient carpool drivers. **Parent Drivers Required each week.**

Disaster Island- Class FEE \$85- Disaster Island takes STEAM Teams on a thrilling adventure through some of the most famous disasters in history! From the eruption of Mount Vesuvius to the sinking of the Titanic to the Great San Francisco earthquake, you and your STEAM teammates will work together to overcome epic challenges using only the materials in your treasure chest and the power of your imagination! Class led by Instructors from Challenge Island, a STEAM based organization that encourages problem solving, critical thinking, creativity, communication and leadership skills in youth. **Parent Chaperone needed each week AND Parent Drivers needed on January 10th.**