

Miami-Dade County Public Schools
Primary Learning Center
Parent Teacher Association 2011-2012
“TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE”
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After School Care Program
2012 Spring Classes

Chorus

Class Description: This class will combine music appreciation and understanding with vocal technique and choral singing. Children will listen to traditional American songs as well as those from other cultures, and from various periods in history. Students will receive vocalizing and ear training, learn to sing in rounds and other choral forms, and will participate in mid-year holiday and end of the year performances.

Karate

Class Description: This class is tailored for young children with no experience in karate. Class will teach basic physical skills and moves, and introduce basic karate technique and movements including punches, kicks, and simple movement sequences. This class will also teach the respect and discipline so integral to this martial art form.

Creative Movement

Class Description: This class for pre-k students will foster children’s physical, spatial, rhythmic, musical and expressive awareness through structured physical activities, and creative and expressive exercises. Children will gain physical confidence, increased coordination and knowledge of their bodies, and a greater sense of expressiveness. This class will also teach respect for others, self-control, and good behavior in a group setting.

Dance

Class Description: Dance class for kindergarten to second grade students will combine elements of ballet, modern and jazz/Afro-Caribbean dance to teach basic dance technique including posture, coordination, basic steps and movement sequences; following music and rhythm; awareness of their bodies, space and each other. Besides being excellent exercise, dance fosters creativity, confidence, discipline, memory and self-awareness.

French

Class Description: This introduction to French class will incorporate stories, songs, conversation, games, writing and drawing to teach the French language and French culture. Students will learn by speaking and otherwise expressing themselves in French, and hearing the language in contexts that helps them to understand and learn in an experiential and organic way, rather than by rote repetition.

Multisport

Class Description: This class will provide a wide range of educational opportunities through physical education for students in grades K-2. It will also provide a varied activity program that will include: Intro to Jump Rope, Intro to Gymnastics, Intro to Yoga, and Intro to other Sports e.g., Soccer (fundamentals).

For information about the After School Care Program, please contact the school office at 305 523-8390.