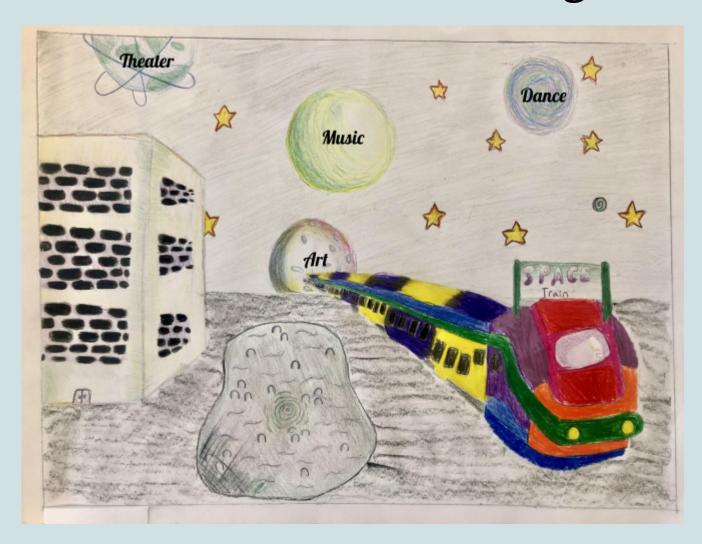
All Aboard for this year's

Madison Summer Arts Program



Arriving at the Madison Junior School

June 20th - July 15th 2022

Registration Link!

Summer Arts Program Information

June 20 to July 15, 2022

The Department of Visual and Performing Arts is excited to announce the details for the upcoming 2022 Summer Arts In-Person Program. All classes will be given at Madison Junior School and will be held between 9:00 a.m. and 12:15 p.m., Monday-Friday. Our program will include instrumental music, musical theater classes, art and dance!

Class Descriptions

- 1. **Beginning Strings, Brass and Woodwinds** (entering grades 4–6)
 This class is for students who have NEVER played their chosen instrument before or for those with limited experience. Students who have had at least 6 months of instruction should consult their music teacher to confirm they are ready to participate in the intermediate band or orchestra. All classes will meet from 9:00–9:45 a.m. Monday through Friday.
- 2. **Intermediate Band/Orchestra** (entering grades 5–6)
 This class is for students who have experience on their instrument for at least 6 months and are ready to work on their skills in a larger ensemble setting. Students will participate in band or orchestra and also receive pullout small group lessons once or twice a week during their large ensemble time block. This class meets from 9:50–10:35 Monday through Friday.
- 3. Advanced Band/Orchestra (entering grades 7-9)
 This class is for students who have had a few years prior experience playing in band and orchestra and are ready for more advanced repertoire. Diverse musical styles will be presented during rehearsal as well as more challenging ensemble techniques.
 Students will also receive at least one pullout small group lesson during their class time. This class meets from 10:40-11:25 Monday through Friday.
- 4. Advanced Band Technique (entering grades 9-12)
 This class will focus on improving instrumental performance on a more individual level. Students will work on solo repertoire masterclass style, chamber music pieces as well as other musical genres of interest. This class meets from 11:30-12:15 Monday through Friday.
- 5. Advanced String Technique (entering grades 9-12)
 This class will have a dual focus: performance and pedagogy. On the performance side, students will work as a small ensemble to rehearse as a true chamber music group to perfect a chosen piece appropriate for their level. On the pedagogy side, students will receive training and guidance on how to teach a beginning string student so that upon successful completion of the class they will be recommended to families as a potential instructor for a beginning string student. This class will meet from 11:30-12:15 Monday through Friday.

- **6.** Flute Ensemble (entering grades 6-8)
 - This class will focus on specific flute techniques as well as playing together in a chamber music setting. A variety of repertoire will be used to improve students' individual performance ability as well as that of the group. This class will meet from 11:30-12:15 Monday through Friday.
- 7. "Time Off" Summer Music Jazz Ensemble (entering grades 7-12)
 "Time Off" is our Summer Music Jazz Ensemble. This ensemble will focus on the unique skills needed to be successful in a Jazz Ensemble. Emphasis will be placed on style, improvisation, balance, blend, tone quality, rhythmic accuracy and interpretation. Repertoire studied will include but is not limited to, Swing, Big Band, and Funk. This class will meet 11:30-12:15 Monday through Friday.
- 8. **Musical Theater** (entering grades 1-9)
 - Do you love the stage or dream of being in the spotlight? Students will learn the basics of being in a show. Using fun games and activities, students will learn about the audition process, how to feel comfortable on the stage, and sing and project their voice. Students will create their own simple costumes, props and scenery for an overall complete musical theater experience.
 - A. Entering Grades 1-3 This class will meet daily from 9:00-9:45 a.m.
 - B. <u>Entering Grades 4-6</u> This class will meet daily from 11:30-12:15 a.m.
 - C. Entering Grades 7-9 This class will meet daily from 9:50-10:35 a.m.

Enrollment for musical theater class is limited, so please enroll promptly.

- 9. **Dance** (entering grades 1-9)
 - Lessons will be centered around the style of "Broadway Jazz". The students will spend each class warming up their bodies, learning proper body placement to ensure technique when singing simultaneously, and steps and combinations to different broadway dance styles. From classic Broadway jazz, to Fosse, to lyrical/modern movement, students will learn what they need to be successful in a musical theatre setting. The final weeks, students will work on a fully choreographed dance number from a popular Broadway show! Practice music will be emailed home for the students to practice outside of class.

Recommended class attire: Jazz shoes, no jeans, jean shorts or baggy clothing

- A. Entering Grades 1-3 This class will meet daily from 9:50-10:35 a.m.
- B. Entering Grade 4-6 This class will meet daily from 10:40-11:25 a.m.
- C. Entering Grades 7-9 This class will meet daily from 9:00-9:45

Enrollment for each dance class is limited, so please enroll promptly.

10. **Guitar** (entering grades 6-12)

- A. <u>Beginning Guitar</u> (entering Grades 6-8) This class is intended for beginners or students that have some experience playing the guitar but have not read guitar music before. This class will meet from 9:00-9:45.
- B. <u>Guitar Ensemble</u> (entering Grades 6-8) This class is intended for students who have experience playing/reading guitar music and want to further their ability. Student will learn to play in higher positions with different scale forms and moveable chord forms. This class will meet from 9:50-10:35.
- C. <u>Guitar Ensemble</u> (entering Grades 9-12) This class is intended for the experienced student who reads guitar music and plays moveable chords in lower and upper positions. Material will concentrate on increasing their overall technique and skills of improvisation. This class will meet from 10:40-11:25.

11. **Visual Art Class** (entering grades 1-9)

The classes will be taught with the following themes for 2022.

Wildlife Around the World! (Grades 1-4)

Do you like to travel? Are you an animal lover? This course offers students the chance to explore each of the 7 continents through works of art! Students will examine different cultures & artists from around the world and the wildlife that is important to them. Students will draw, paint, and collage using a variety of materials.

- A. Entering Grades 1-3 This class will meet daily from 10:40-11:25 a.m.
- B. Entering Grade 4 This class will meet daily from 9:50-10:35 a.m.

Recycled and Repurposed Art (Grades 5-9)

Have recyclable materials lying around? Students will have the opportunity to turn recyclable materials into unique works of art! They will examine contemporary sculpture artists & explore concepts of 3D design. Students will be working with familiar materials such as cardboard, plastic bottles, found materials & paper to construct eco-friendly art.

- C. <u>Entering Grades 5-6</u> This class will meet daily from 9:00-9:45 a.m.
- D. Entering Grade 7-9 This class will meet daily from 11:30-12:15 a.m.

Enrollment for each visual arts class is limited, so please enroll promptly.

<u>Summer Arts Class Schedules by Grade Level</u> Choose up to 4 classes for an Arts filled morning! Register for 3 or more classes to receive a multi-class discount! Each class meets Monday through Friday during the designated time.

<u>Please note that supervision is not provided for students with breaks in their schedules so registering for</u> consecutive classes is recommended to avoid multiple drop off and pick up times.

<u>Grade</u>	9:00-9:45	9:50-10:35	10:40-11:25	11:30-12:15
Grades 1-3	Music Theater	Dance	Art	
Grade 4	Beginning Instrumental Lessons	Art	Dance	Music Theater
Grade 5	Beginning Instrumental Lessons or Art	Intermediate Band or Orchestra	Dance	Music Theater
Grade 6	Beginning Instrumental Lessons, Art or Beginning Guitar	Intermediate Band, Orchestra or Guitar Ensemble	Dance	Music Theater or Flute Ensemble
Grades 7-8	Dance or Beginning Guitar	Music Theater or Guitar Ensemble	Advanced Band or Orchestra	Art, Flute Ensemble or Jazz Band
Grade 9	Dance	Music Theater	Advanced Band, Orchestra or Guitar Ensemble	Jazz Band, Art, Advanced Band Technique, or Advanced String Technique
Grades 10-12			Guitar Ensemble	Jazz Band, Advanced Band Technique or Advanced String Technique

* * * GENERAL INFORMATION * * *

<u>Link to register for the 2022 Summer Arts Program</u>

1. Program cost Early Bird Registration for March and April:

The fee is \$210.00 for each class registered along with a one-time \$25.00 registration fee per family. There is an additional \$20.00 supply fee for the visual arts classes. We hope that you will take advantage of our multi-class discount. Register for 3 or more classes per family and each class is \$190.00! A \$10.00 per class discount will be applied to any payments made by check.

Program cost <u>Registration from May - June 3rd:</u>

The fee is \$230.00 for each class registered along with a one-time \$25.00 registration fee per family. There is an additional \$20.00 supply fee for the visual arts classes. We hope that you will take advantage of our multi-class discount. Register for 3 or more classes per family and each class is \$210.00! A \$10.00 per class discount will be applied to any payments made by check.

- 2. All registrations must <u>be received by June 3rd</u>. Any registrations received after this date must be completed using PayPal and will only be accepted if space allows. **Schedules will be sent via email on or before Friday, June 10th.** All classes are subject to sufficient enrollment. Any class cancellations will be made by June 6th. Payments must be completed before the start of the program. **No refunds will be issued after June 6**th.
- 3. Staff and student safety remains a priority. All staff and students will follow the recommended health guidelines put forth by the Madison School District in cooperation with the local Health Department.

Failure to comply will result in dismissal from the program.

- 4. Upon completing the online registration form, an email confirmation will be sent to you along with an invoice and directions for payment. Payment may be made via PayPal or by check. Payments made by check will receive a \$10.00 discount per class. Checks should be made payable to Madison Music and Arts. Your child's registration and place in the program will not be finalized until payment has been received.
- 5. Madison Music & Arts will host two Zoom Q&A sessions about MMA and the Summer Arts Program on Wednesday, March 30th @7pm and Tuesday, April 14th @7pm. For links or more information visit: summer-arts.madisonmusicarts.org.
- 6. For additional information or questions, please email Kathleen McCormick at mccormickk@madisonnjps.org.

Please note: There will be no Summer Arts classes on Monday, July 4th in observance of Independence Day.