

# Winter/Spring SEMESTER SCHEDULE 2019



are year-long classes. Students will need a 21, 23 or 25-inch racket, available from any sporting goods outlet or discount store. If you do not have a racket or do not know what size your child needs, the instructor will provide a sample for your child to try before you make a purchase.

**Instructor:** Linda Sun  
**Location:** Carver Elementary School Multi-Purpose room  
**Costs:** \$60 per month or \$505 per year  
**Grade level:** K-5  
**Schedule:** Tuesdays | September – May  
Classes begin September 4, 2018  
Grades K-2: 4:30 - 5:15 pm  
Grades 3-5: 5:30 - 6:15 pm

## Introduction to Spanish

This class offers students a great opportunity to learn some basic Spanish. Students will be introduced to the culture of Latin America and Spain through games, videos and songs. Students will learn introductions, numbers, letters, telling time, age and much more! This class is taught by Brandi Guzman, a certified P-12 Spanish teacher.

**Instructor:** Brandi Guzman  
**Location:** Wednesdays- McAllister Elementary School  
**Costs:** \$120 per 8-week session  
**Grade Level:** 2-5 (Maximum 12 students)  
**Wednesdays – 3:00 - 3:45 pm for McAllister Elementary Students**  
Session 3: Feb. 27, March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10 & 17.

## Dance-Ballet, Tap and Jazz

Instructor Cheryl Brett returns to teach the ballet, tap and jazz dance program again this year. Mrs. Brett is a long-time Community Education teacher who owns a successful studio in Hinesville. She has studied and performed with numerous artists including the Pittsburgh Ballet. Ms. Brett is certified and affiliated with the Dance Makers of America, Professional Dance Teachers of America, and Dance Educators of America. Placement in class will be determined at time of registration.

**Instructor:** Cheryl Brett  
**Location:** Carver Elementary Multi-Purpose room  
**Costs:** \$60 per month or \$505 per year  
**Grade level:** Pre-K and up  
**Schedule:** Wednesdays | August - May  
Grades Pre-K-1: 4:30 - 5:30 pm  
Grades 2 and up: 5:30 - 6:30 pm

## Driver's Education for Teens

Georgia law requires mandatory driver education before teens can obtain their Class D license. All 16 year olds applying for a Class D driver's license must complete an approved driver education course that includes 30-hours classroom or virtual instruction and six hours of instruction behind the wheel with training by a qualified instructor. Parents who live in the Pembroke/Ellabell area must transport students to Richmond Hill Community Education Center. Driving times will be scheduled after the first class session. All registration forms will be timed and dated to assure placement of students. A copy of the student's learner's license is required prior to beginning the class. For additional questions call 912-459-5116.  
**Instructor:** Jimmy Hires, Certified Instructor  
**Location:** Community Education Center  
**Costs:** \$385  
**Age:** 15 years old (Must have learner's permit)  
**Schedule:** 8:00 am – 6:00 pm for three Saturdays with 6-hour driving time scheduled for each student. Tentative Class Dates:  
**2019 dates:** Jan. 12, 19, 26, Feb. 2, 9, 16, Mar. 2, 9, 16, Apr. 6, 13, 20, May 4, 11, 18

## Kid's Kitchen - Nutrition & Skills

These cooking sessions are a great way for kids to learn about proper nutrition and kitchen skills. Each class will focus on a nutrition component or a cooking skill and include at least two recipes prepared in class. Some recipes will be done as a group and some will be done individually. Appliances such as a

toaster oven, hot plate and griddle will be used. Depending on the age and maturity level, students will be allowed to help use these devices with close monitoring by the instructor. Each session will include 4 classes. This class is taught by Brandice Guzman. (Note: Classes are limited to 10 students per class.)

**Instructor:** Brandice Guzman  
**Location:** Community Education Center  
**Cost:** \$65 fee per session  
**Grade level:** 2-5  
**Schedule:** Monday – 4:30-5:30 pm  
Session 4: Jan. 14, 28, Feb. 4, 11  
Session 5: Feb. 25, Mar. 4, 11, 25  
Session 6: Apr. 2, 8, 15, 29  
**Schedule:** Tuesdays 5:30-6:30pm  
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Session 4: Jan. 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5  
Session 5: Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 12, 19  
Session 6: Apr. 2, 9, 16, 30  
**Schedule:** Wednesdays 4:30 - 5:30 pm  
Session 4: Jan. 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6  
Session 5: Feb. 27, Mar. 6, 13, 20  
Session 6: Apr. 3, 10, 17, May 1  
An accident waiver/allergy acknowledgment must be signed before students can participate in these classes.

## Science for Kids

The popular Science for Kids class returns this semester to Community Education. These classes open up a new world of learning and experiences for students in grades K-5. The instructor for these classes is Cynthia Youmans, who is an 8<sup>th</sup> grade physical science teacher at RHMS. Mrs. Youmans has a B.S. in Biology from Presbyterian College and Masters of Education degree from Armstrong University. Early registration is suggested. Class is limited to 18 students per session.

**Instructor:** Cynthia Youmans  
**Location:** Community Education Center  
**Cost:** \$75 per session (6 weeks)  
**Grade level:** K-5 (Maximum 18 students)  
**Schedule:** Thursdays 4:30 – 5:30 pm  
Session 2: Feb: 7, 14, 21, 28, Mar. 7, 14

## Taekwondo

Taekwondo is translated into “the way of the hands and feet” and is designed to enhance balance, agility and flexibility. Courtesy, respect, perseverance, self-control and positive thinking are the foundations for achieving success in martial arts training. Instructor Bradd Flemmings has 40 years’ experience in martial arts instruction. Master Flemmings is a 6<sup>th</sup> degree black belt and he has additional martial arts instruction in Karate, Mudukwan, Hapkido, Jujitsu, Krav Maga (Israeli Self Defense) and Hwa Rang Do. Placement in the class will be determined at time of registration. Uniforms and belt testing are available through the instructor. Uniforms must be worn.

**Instructor:** Master Bradd Flemmings  
**Location:** Richmond Hill Primary School multipurpose room.  
**Costs:** \$60 per month, plus \$25 registration fee  
**Grade level:** K-12  
**Schedule:** Mondays and Thursdays - classes ends May 2  
K-1: 4:45 - 5:30 pm  
Grades 2-3: 5:30 - 6:15 pm  
Grades 4 and up: 6:15 - 7 pm

## Piano (Classes full-wait list only)

Private piano lessons are offered to children and adults. Lessons are offered on a weekly basis for 30 minutes and are available for beginners as well as those who have piano experience. Minimum age requirements for enrolling in piano lessons will be determined by each instructor. Three qualified instructors will be teaching piano for the Community Education program. Piano lessons take place in the after school hours. Class times and locations will be assigned individually.

**Instructor:** Myong Namias is a certified teacher with a degree in music and piano from Armstrong Atlantic State University.  
**Location:** Richmond Hill Primary School music room  
**Cost:** \$60 per month plus one-time \$25 registration fee  
**Grade level:** 1 and up  
**Schedule:** Monday – Wednesday – Friday

## Art Adventures (Class Full)

Art Adventures is a year-round approach to the popular art classes taught by local artist Carol Hartley. Students are introduced to a wide variety of media including drawing, weaving, sculpture, oil pastels, batik, crafts, paper making, painting and many other artistic techniques. Instructor Carol Hartley is a local artist and has served on the Jepson Center for the Arts Education Committee. She is also a retired art teacher in Bryan County Schools. Students will:

- Study famous artists, their works and unique techniques.
- Use their unique creativity while learning how to use certain techniques and tools.
- Be encouraged to develop their talents as well as learn new skills through a variety of age-appropriate projects. Some projects may require more than one week of instruction to complete.

**Instructor:** Carol Hartley  
**Location:** Community Education Ctr. Room 7  
**Costs:** \$60 per month or \$505 per year  
**Grade level:** K- 5  
**Schedule:** Tuesdays | September – May  
Grades K-1: 4:30 - 5:30 pm  
Grade 2-5: 5:30 - 6:30 pm

## Drawing and Acrylics

Discover the world of color with artist Carol Hartley in this combination class of drawing and acrylic paint. Students will experience the joy of sketching their own creative ideas and then completing their artwork using acrylic paints with all new projects this year. Students will complete four finished paintings. This class lasts one and a half hours with plenty of time to relax and work on projects.

**Instructor:** Carol Hartley  
**Location:** Community Education Ctr. – Room 7  
**Costs:** \$65 per session  
**Grade level:** 2- 5  
**Schedule:** Mondays – 4:30 – 6:00 pm  
Session 3: Jan. 28, Feb. 4, 11, 25

## Gymnastics and Tumbling

Gymnastics is a sport that requires balance, strength, flexibility, agility, coordination and endurance. The skills and movements required in gymnastics contribute to the development of all muscle groups. Movement Education gives students an understanding of anatomy combined with effort and spatial awareness. The accomplishments of their goals/skills promotes self confidence in a fun learning environment. Safety is always a top priority when teaching skill progression. The classes are taught by Deborah Hager-Luebbert, an experienced gymnastics teacher who has coached gymnastics/tumbling in the Bryan County Community Education program for over 30 years.

**Gymnastics** classes include instruction on the balance beam, uneven bars, floor, vault and parallel bars. Classes are for boys and girls. **Tumbling** classes specialize in perfecting floor skills. At least one year of gymnastics classes is required unless approved by instructor. All classes are one hour with the option to take more than once a week.

**Instructor:** Deborah Hager-Luebbert  
**Location:** Community Education Auditorium  
**Grade level:** Gymnastics: Ages 2 through grade 12. Tumbling: Grades 3-12. (Students are grouped according to age/ability levels.)  
**Schedule:** Classes offered Monday – Friday  
Session 3: Week of Jan.14-March 8 (\$80)  
Session 4: Week of Mar.11-May 10 (\$80)  
Gymnastics class fee for the year is \$365  
**NOTE: Last chance to register for Gymnastics is week of January 21**

## Tennis

This is an introduction to tennis class, designed to bring kids into the game by utilizing specialized equipment, shorter court dimensions and modified scoring, all tailored to age and size. It's the fast, fun way to get kids into tennis and keep them playing. The instructor is Linda Sun, a member of the Richmond Hill Area Tennis Association, where she serves as an instructor. A maximum of 10 students can be accepted for each class. These

Classes will be scheduled after registration is complete. Classes begin Aug. 27.  
**Instructor:** Jennifer Jeffers has an extensive background in music education. Mrs. Jeffers has a BA in Music Performance, Shenandoah College and Conservatory of Music, Army School of Music, Naval Amphibious Base, Norfolk, VA, and she attended Rutgers University Graduate School.  
**Location:** Community Education Center  
**Cost:** \$60 per month plus one-time \$25 registration fee  
**Grade level:** K and up  
**Schedule:** Thursday - Friday  
Classes will be scheduled after registration is complete. Classes begin Aug. 30.  
**Instructor:** Mrs. Jung Ju Cha graduated from Silla University, Busan South Korea in 1993 with a Music Education degree, first major in Piano and a second major in Percussion and Violin.  
**Location:** Community Education Center  
**Cost:** \$60 per month plus one-time \$25 registration fee  
**Grade level:** K and up  
**Schedule:** Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday  
Classes will be scheduled after registration is complete. Classes begin Aug. 27.

Group Beginner Guitar

Would you like to encourage your child to play the guitar? Group Beginner Guitar is a 3-session course that will give your child what they need to play for fun and entertainment. Each of the 3 sessions builds on the previous session. You'll be amazed what your child can accomplish by learning basic cords and how to play and practice the guitar. They'll be learning easy songs to play and sing. All students will need their own guitar or baritone ukulele with strings in good condition. Sign-up now; class size is limited. Group guitar times will be assigned when registrations are complete.  
**Instructor:** Jo Hart  
**Location:** Carver music room  
**Cost:** \$65.00 per session  
**Grade level:** 2-5  
**Schedule:** Tuesdays beginning Jan. 8  
Session 1: Jan. 8, 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5  
Session 2: Feb. 12, 26, Mar. 5, 12, 26  
Session 3: Apr. 2, 9, 16, 30, May 7

Basic Mandarin (Class Full)

This class offers a great opportunity to learn the basics of the Mandarin language. Students will be introduced to this basic Chinese language and Chinese culture through games, videos and songs. Students will learn and appreciate the Chinese culture, introduce themselves in Chinese, know the names of family members and learn about different Chinese holidays.  
**Instructor:** Alice Huang  
**Location:** Community Education Center, Portable #5  
**Cost:** \$54 per month for 7 months  
**Grade level:** K-2  
**Schedule:** Tuesdays 5:00 – 6:00 pm  
Class begins Sept. 4 and ends Apr. 2.

Basic Mandarin (Class Full)

This course is for students ready to get basic exposure to the Chinese language in order to help them build a strong foundation for learning the language in the future. Students will focus on writing, speaking and listening. Students will learn around 200 Chinese characters, read simple Chinese articles, learn more about the Chinese culture, describe their hobbies and body parts, know family member names and more. There will be homework for this class. Alice Huang is an excellent language teacher and will use support materials in class that will help students learn more quickly. This is a 30-week class. Maximum 15 students accepted for this class. Required books may be purchased through the instructor.

**Instructor:** Alice Huang  
**Location:** Community Education Center, Portable #5  
**Cost:** \$55 per month for 8 installments  
**Grade level:** 6 to Adult  
**Schedule:** Thursdays 6:15 – 7:30 pm  
Class begins Aug. 9 and ends Apr. 4.

Advanced Mandarin (Class Full)

This course is for students who have finished Basic Mandarin II. New students who know about 300 Chinese characters and can understand basic Chinese, even if they cannot speak it, are welcome! Students will learn 300 more characters, learn to write short essays and speak Chinese sentences. This is a 30-week class. There will be homework in this class. Required books may be purchased through the instructor.  
**Instructor:** Alice Huang  
**Location:** Community Education Center, Portable #5  
**Cost:** \$55 per month for 8 installments  
**Grade level:** 6 to Adult  
**Schedule:** Thursdays 4:45 – 6:00 pm  
Class begins Aug. 9 and ends Apr. 4.

**Exciting news for Mandarin students:**  
*HSK Testing is available for students who have completed Advanced Mandarin. See below for the opportunities open to those who pass the exam:* HSK is an international standardized test of Chinese language proficiency. The test assesses non-native Chinese speakers' abilities in using the Chinese language in their daily, academic and professional lives. The examination certificate can be used as a language level proof for those wishing to work in China. HSK level 3 and oral test takers, who are able to pass the exam, may apply for scholarships to study Chinese or Chinese Culture or related majors in China. Well- educated and talented students may take part in the Chinese Bridge competition where winners can go to China for free and receive scholarships to study in China. Students may also have a chance to apply for a tour-guided camping trip with all costs, except travel, included. Basic Mandarin I is the first step in achieving this goal.

Basketball Fundamentals

This class is designed to teach kids the fundamentals of basketball. Lessons will focus on shooting form, dribbling skills and passing. **NEW!** Class is taught by Mario Anderson, an experienced basketball coach and former player. Mr. Anderson has coached basketball at the middle school, high school and college levels. Beginners and experienced students are welcome. Students will have the opportunity to play five on five against each other. Developing a positive culture that promotes self-confidence, teamwork and fun will be our foundation. Students will be engaged in various drills and games to help improve their basketball fundamentals.  
**Instructor:** Mario Anderson  
**Location:** McAllister Gymnasium  
**NOTE PARENTS: NO TRANSPORT AVAILABLE FOR THIS CLASS. PARENTS MUST DELIVER AND PICKUP STUDENTS. NEW!**  
**Costs:** \$85 classes;  
**Grade level:** 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade boys  
**Schedule:** Wednesdays – 5:00-6:00 pm  
Session dates: January 9, 16, 23, 30, February 6, 13, 20, 27

Kidz Hip Hop Dance Class

Get ready for Community Education's **Kidz Hip Hop Dance Class!** Kidz Hip Hop is an hour movement class designed for kids to exercise and have fun! Hip Hop Dance is introduced in a routine, along with learning positive affirmations, growing self-confidence and learning to think creatively.  
**Instructor:** Cherish Davis

**Location:** Carver Elementary Multipurpose Room  
**Costs:** \$60 classes;  
**Grade level:** Grades 1-5  
**Schedule:** Grades 1-2 meet Mondays – Grades 3-5 meet Fridays 4:45-5:45 pm  
Session dates: Monday classes: Jan 7,14, 28 and Feb 4  
Friday classes: January 11,18, 25 and Feb 1<sup>st</sup>

Karate

Pembroke Karate classes are offered through Force One Karate School in Statesboro. Brett Hise, owner of Force One, holds a third degree black belt in Korean Hapkido and first degree black belt in Tang Soo Do.  
**Instructor:** Master Brett Hise  
**Location:** Lanier Primary Multi-Purpose room  
**Costs:** \$60 per month, plus \$25 registration fee  
**Grade level:** K and up  
**Schedule:** Wednesday 4-5 pm | Friday 4-5 pm  
Classes end May 10.

Babysitting & First Aid/CPR Works

This course teaches students to meet the basic needs of children in a care-taking environment with a focus on safety. The training will help students develop leadership skills, start a babysitting business and learn how to communicate with parents while keeping themselves and others safe. Students will also learn child feeding and diapering techniques. Students who successfully complete this course will receive a certification card. This class also incorporates a Pediatric First Aid Course that instructs students on how to deal with first aid issues to include medical emergencies, the use of an Epi-pen injector, injury emergencies, and how to handle environmental emergencies. Also covered are adult/child and infant CPR procedures as well as how to react to a child or infant who is choking. The course will be taught by Linda Vaccaro, owner of CprAed Training in Richmond Hill. She is a certified instructor with the American Health & Safety Institute. Only 16 students are accepted for this course, so early registration is encouraged. NOTE: Students must attend all classes in order to receive certification.  
**Instructor:** Linda Vaccaro  
**Location:** Community Education Center  
**Costs:** \$70 per session  
**Grade level:** 11 years – 15 years  
**Schedule:** Mondays or Tuesdays 6:00 - 8:30pm  
Session 2: Feb. 5, 12, 26, March 5, 12

Snapology

We are so excited to welcome back our Pre-K to 8<sup>th</sup> graders, as well as adding 2s, 3s and 4-year-old classes! If you like Lego bricks, you'll LOVE this! Snapology provides a fun environment for children to learn science, technology, engineering, art and math using Lego bricks and other similar building toys. We want to inspire your children to be creators and innovators for life! Your child is sure to have a blast whether learning about sensors while building drills and magic wands, or discovering how to think in new and creative ways to self-monitor plans, generate solutions to problems, and construct innovative builds all on their own! Shhh... don't tell them it's educational!  
**Instructors:** Cindy George and Jennifer Edgar  
**Location:** Community Education Center Room #10  
**Costs:** \$90 for classes Pre-K and up.  
**Grade level:** Pre-K through 8th grade  
**Schedule:** There are 5 6-week sessions:  
Session 3: Week of Dec. 5 – Jan. 25  
Session 4: Week of Jan. 30 – Mar. 8  
Session 5: Week of Mar. 13 – Apr. 19  
**PK-K –** Wednesdays 4:30 – 5:30 pm  
**PK-K at MES –** Thursdays 3:15 – 4:15 pm  
**K-2nd –** Thursdays – 4:30 – 5:30 pm  
**1st-3rd –** Wednesdays 5:30 – 6:30 pm  
**3rd and up –** Thursdays 5:30 – 6:30 pm