



24-25 Parkside Elementary Clubs

Application



Each club may have different requirements. Please make sure you look at the grade level and eligibility requirements. Clubs may also have specific fees attached, as well as competition dates.

It is important to make sure your student knows the time commitment before signing up to participate in a club. **Students may participate in more than one club as long as the times do not conflict. If a student applies for more than one club that meets at the same time they will not be accepted into EITHER club. Both club applications will be denied. It is up to parents/guardians to ensure times do not conflict.** A few clubs have limited spots available. Please see which activities may fit your student's interest and family's schedule.

Many clubs have fees to provide materials, shirts and awards. Teachers nor Parkside receive monetary gain from the fees. If your family has a financial hardship that negatively impacts your student's opportunity for a club, please contact the club lead.

<https://bit.ly/24-25clubapp>

All club applications are due Thursday, Oct. 24th by 5:00pm. Late applications will not be accepted.

Acceptance notices will be provided to families in Thursday folders on October 31st.

Club: Art: K-2 Pottery Club	Contact person: Mr. Diaz	Meeting dates/times: Thursdays 3:30-4:15 November-January
Description: Pottery is the process of forming vessels and other objects with clay and other ceramic materials. Students will learn the art of pottery making and walk away with their own creations.		
Eligibility requirements: Kindergarten-2nd grade (15 students max)	Fee: \$10 for materials	Competition: n/a

Club: Art: 3-5 Ceramic Sculpture Club	Contact person: Mr. Diaz	Meeting dates/times: Thursdays 3:30-4:15 February- April
Description: Students will learn ceramic techniques and explore sculpture. Sculptures will be created from wood with materials such as metal added in for color and texture.		
Eligibility requirements: 3rd-5th grade (15 students max)	Fee: \$10 for materials	Competition: n/a

Club: Basketball	Contact person: Ms. Blaire	Meeting dates/times: Tuesdays 3:30-5:00
Description: Our Co-ed Intramural Basketball Team will consist of 4th and 5th grade students who make the final cut of Tryouts. These student-athletes will be held to a high standard on and off of the court. They will use their basketball skills and prior knowledge of the game to play against opposing schools in the Northeast Learning Community. During Playoffs, we will play the top teams in each division. This commitment will consist of, but not limited to parents transporting their child to and from games, ensuring their child attends after school practices and is picked up on time, paying game entry fees, and paying uniform fees.		
Eligibility requirements: 4th-5th grade Max 10 athletes and 2 managers	Fee: game entry fee and uniform fee	Competition: January-April

Club: Cheerleading	Contact person: Ms. Wellman	Meeting dates/times: Thursdays 3:30-4:15 November-March
Description: Our Co-ed Cheerleading Team will consist of 4th and 5th students who make the final cut of Tryouts. These student-athletes will be held to a high standard on and off of the court. This commitment will consist of, but not limited to, parents transporting their child to and from games, ensuring their child attends after school practices and is picked up on time, paying game entry fees, and paying uniform fees.		
Eligibility requirements: 4th and 5th grade	Fee: uniform fee TBD	Competition: Games January- April

Club: Chess	Contact person: Ms. Ross	Meeting dates/times: Thursdays 7:15-8:05 November-May
Description: The club will meet to learn and develop chess playing skills and strategies. CMSCA Leader Mr. Oats will lead the club practices and in school tournaments.		

Eligibility requirements: 2nd-5th grade	Fee: \$45 for all tournaments and practices	Competition: (tentatively) Nov. 7th, Jan. 23rd, March 18th, and potential of additional tournaments.
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Club: Choir	Contact person: Ms. G	Meeting dates/times: Tuesdays 3:30-4:45 November-May
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Description: In choir, we will spend time learning how to sing the correct way and we will make music together. The choir at Parkside will be helping with the performance of “Annie” by performing the music.

Eligibility requirements: 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade	Fee: \$20 (if only in choir and not also in Drama)	Show date: Thursday, May 1st (Tentative)
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Club: Drama	Contact person: Ms. Perry	Meeting dates/times: Tuesdays 3:30-4:45 (possible additional days in spring) November-May
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Description: Students will learn basics of theater, retell/act out stories, public speaking, create props/costumes, culminating in a performance of Annie.

Eligibility requirements: 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade	Fee: \$40 (t-shirt, script, rights to show, props, set pieces) Parents provide basic costume (if student is in Choir as well they only pay the Drama fee)	Show date: Thursday, May 1st (Tentative)
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Club: Fit To Win	Contact person: Coach K	Meeting dates/times: Monday 7:15-8:00am November-May Break in December and January(No Practice)
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Description:Fit To Win is our Fitness Club here at Parkside. This club is for students in 4th and 5th grade. Our students will create fitness videos that will be used for Warm Up instruction and activity during Physical Education class for grades K-5. Fit To Win is a club for students

who would like to exercise more and encourage others to do the same. Members will also assist with coordinating our Fun Runs, March Madness, and Field Day for this school year.

Eligibility requirements: 4th-5th grade

Fee: T-shirt fee TBD

Competition: n/a

Club: Gardening

Contact person: Ms. Bryant

Meeting dates/times: Tuesdays 3:30-4:15
March-April

Description: Students will learn basic gardening skills. We will plan for a spring garden., We will plant flowers and vegetables in Parkside's garden area.

Eligibility requirements: Kindergarten- 1st grade

Fee: n/a

Competition: n/a

Club: Mathapalooza

Contact person: Mr. Starling

Meeting dates/times: Tuesdays 3:30-4:15
November-February

Description: District wide math competition for 3rd grade high ability students. Students participate in individual problem solving, team problem solving, and team STEM building competition. Students compete against more than 500 other CMS 3rd graders.

Eligibility requirements: 3rd grade invitation only
based on Fall iReady Math percentiles

Fee: \$20 fee

Competition: Saturday, February 8th

Club: National Elementary Honor Society (WASOMI Tribe)

Contact person: Ms. Ross

Meeting dates/times: Every other Friday
7:15-8:00am
January-May

Description: NEHS promotes a positive school climate and provides opportunities to motivate all students to reach their greatest potential in school and in life. Opportunities to strengthen our school's reputation in the community as outstanding ambassadors for your school and undertake meaningful community service projects.

Eligibility requirements: 4th and 5th grade by invitation only
based on overall GPA of 3.5 or higher for 4th quarter

Fee: \$20 annual dues for enrollment

Competition: n/a

of 23-24 school year and 1st quarter of 24-25 school year as well as no negative behavior reports or referrals.		
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Club: News Crew	Contact person: Ms. Robinson	Meeting dates/times: Daily 8:00-8:15 October-June
Description: Provides the opportunity for students to learn the behind the scenes work of the morning news as well as serve as weather reporter, anchor, etc. Students get to work as a team to share updates and announcements with the Parkside staff and students.		
Eligibility requirements: 4th grade and 5th grade	Fee: \$15 for shirt	Competition: n/a

Club: Reading Rumble JUNIOR	Contact person: Ms. Johnson	Meeting dates/times: Tuesdays 7:15-8:05am January-April
Description: Reading Rumble JUNIOR students read common books and meet to share their knowledge of the books. Students will read 6 assigned books and then compete in a question and answer style competition against other CMS schools. *quiz given at first meeting in Jan. top 16 scores (at least 50%) make the team.		
Eligibility requirements: 2nd and 3rd grade (max 16 students)	Fee: \$20 for shirt and awards	Competition: Saturday April 5th

Club: Safety Patrol	Contact person: Ms. Proctor	Meeting dates/times: Daily 7:45-8:00 November-May (7:30 meetings to check in with students scheduled occasionally)
Description: AAA School Safety Patrol members are school-sponsored student volunteers from 4th and 5th grades. Patrollers direct children, not traffic. As they are school-age leaders in safety on a peer-to-peer basis. They also serve as models for younger children, who look up to them.		
Eligibility requirements: 4th and 5th grade	Fee: n/a	Competition: n/a

Club: Scrabble	Contact person: Ms. Davis	Meeting dates/times: Mondays 3:30-4:15 December-February
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Description: Scrabble Club is an opportunity for students to learn the word game Scrabble. They practice problem solving, vocabulary and math skills for scoring.		
Eligibility requirements: 2nd and 3rd grade	Fee: n/a	Competition: n/a

Club: Soccer	Contact person: Ally Bower (American Youth Soccer Organization)	Meeting dates/times: Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 Winter Program: Jan. 8th-Feb. 26th Spring Program: Mar. 19th-May 14th
Description: AYSO invites you to our AYSO PLAY+! afterschool school soccer program at Parkside Elementary School! This is a child-centered soccer program, designed to improve important motor skills and tie in social-emotional learning. All programs are delivered by our trained and professional AYSO coaches.		
Eligibility requirements: Kindergarten- 2nd and 3rd-5th (30 students max K-2 and 30 students max 3-5)	Fee: 8 weeks: \$80 entire 8 weeks 4 weeks: \$45 entire 4 weeks	Competition: n/a

Club: Student Council	Contact person: TBD	Meeting dates/times: Wednesdays 7:15-8:00am November-May
Description: 2nd through 5th grade students have an opportunity to develop leadership by organizing and carrying out school activities and service projects. In addition to planning events that contribute to school spirit and community welfare, the student council is the voice of the student body.		
Eligibility requirements: (1) 2-5 grade level representative for each grade and officer positions (3-5 only)	Fee: n/a	Competition: n/a

Club: Volleyball	Contact person: Caliah Hicklin (Player Sports Academy)	Meeting dates/times: Mondays 3:30-4:30 Nov. 18th- Dec. 5th
Description: Player Sports Academy (PSA) is a nationally recognized nonprofit organization that offers a variety of athletic programs after-school options for elementary aged students. Students will learn and practice volleyball skills. They will also participate in small-side games, as well as scrimmages.		
Eligibility requirements: Kindergarten- 5th grade (max	Fee: \$75 entire 5 weeks	Competition: n/a

30 students)		
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