



HAH - Hatch After Hours



- Spring 2023 Session -

-- April 10 through June 2, 2023 --

Hatch After Hours is a PTO-run after school enrichment program offering fun, creative, and educational classes at Hatch School immediately following dismissal. Check out the Spring Session catalog to find even more class options for your Tiger!

Registration will open Wednesday March 22 at 7am and will close Wednesday April 5. The link to register is: <https://www.homeroom.com/sites/hatch-elementary-oak-park/>

Days	# of classes	Time	Class Name	Grades	Total Class Cost
Monday	7 <i>No class 5/29</i>	3:15 - 4:15	Chess Club	K-5	\$120
			NEW!!! Under the Sea	K-5	\$128
			Creative Writing	1-5	\$128
			NEW!!! Ceramics with Slowfire	2-5	\$219
			Play-Doh Masterpiece	K-2	\$128
Tuesday	8	3:15 - 4:15	Grandmaster Game Club	K-5	\$145
			The Little Bits Workshop	1-5	\$181
			Knitting Club	2-5	\$181
			NEW!!! We've Got Chemistry!	3-5	\$164
			Sticky Fingers Cooking 'Coolinary	K-5	\$210
Wednesday	8	2:45 - 5:30	Infinity Arts Academy "OZ! The Musical!"	K-5	\$360
		2:45 - 3:45	Buddha Belly Yoga, Gr K-3	K-3	\$164
			NEW!!! Legacy Soccer	3-5	\$147
Thursday	8	3:15 - 4:15	NEW!!! Zumba Kids!	K-5	\$164
			World Building with Lego	K-5	\$155
			NEW!!! Jewelry and Craft-making	K-5	\$191
			NEW!!! Calligraphy	3-5	\$145
			Lights Camera Action	3-5	\$136
Friday	8	3:15 - 4:15	Multi-Sport Madness Gr K-2	K-2	\$147
			Sticky Fingers Cooking, 'Cool'inary Cooking Club	K-5	\$210
			NEW!!! Painting and Drawing w Slowfire	2-5	\$193

All prices subject to change until online registration is open. Pricing includes homeroom, vendor and supplies fees.

CLASS DETAILS

Day	Class Name	Grades	Descriptions
Monday	Chess Club	K-5	Join the Hatch Chess Club to make new friends while you learn and play the game of Chess. The format will alternate between structured learning and free play.
Monday	Under the Sea	K-5	NEW!!! There is so much to discover under the sea including some of the wildest coolest animals on Earth. Each week students will explore and learn about fascinating creatures and phenomena followed by games and craft projects.
Monday	Creative Writing	1-5	In the class, students will explore different types of creative writing: stories, poetry, plays, songs, speeches, and more! Students will also learn how to find creativity, hold onto creativity, and express their creativity through many different creative writing formats.
Monday	Ceramics with Slowfire	2-5	NEW!!! This class will explore the foundational techniques of ceramic handbuilding with Slowfire teacher Ms. Salma! Students will have fun learning all the ways they can build functional and sculptural items out of water based clay. We will then underglaze with a wide variety of colors and add a clear glass coat to their pieces. We will be firing and glazing their works, which requires time for the clay to dry, and the kilns to fire, so please note students will be bringing their work home at the end of the session! All materials, plus outside labor and kiln fees, are included in the cost of the class.
Monday	Playdoh Masterpiece	K-2	Playdoh welcomes K-2 Tigers! In this club we will work on creating, building, and designing all types of creations. We'll explore sensory stations with themed objects to incorporate into our playdoh. Students will have an opportunity to work together and problem solve as a group. Students will even make their own playdoh to take home!
Day	Class Name	Grades	Descriptions
Tuesday	Grandmaster Game Club	K-5	Do you love family game nights?! Develop your strategy skills or try your luck at old favorites and learn new games you've never played before! A fun engaging class for all grade levels.
Tuesday	The Little Bits Workshop	1-5	The Little Bits Workshop is a cozy DIY maker-space tucked away in the heart of River Forest where kids learn to use their hands, hearts and heads simultaneously to become skilled makers. Our first project of the year will be our famous Little Bits Cottage, a miniature house that kids will fully decorate while learning to sew, measure, sculpt and imagine. Throughout our program, we will teach a wide variety of skills such as sewing, knitting, crochet, building with small tools, art appreciation and fiber/paper arts. Check out our website: thelittlebitsworkshop.com
Tuesday	Knitting Club	2-5	Beginners and advanced knitters grades 2 and above are welcome to join us. Learn to knit a wide variety of delightful projects from bunnies to hats and everything in between! Materials are provided!
Tuesday	Sticky Fingers Cooking, 'Cool'inary Cooking Club	K-5	Second class added! Your kids can have a blast every week discovering how easy and fun it is to cook (and gobble-up!) tasty, healthy globally-inspired recipes! Our interactive cooking classes incorporate S.T.E.A.M., culture, language, geography, history and more. Sticky Fingers Cooking offers young chefs the chance to explore exciting tastes (all seasonal and as local as possible!), master culinary skills (that they can put to use in family kitchens!), and nourish their bodies and minds. Our talented and experienced Chef Instructors bring all of the ingredients, district approved equipment and supplies to lead an engaging, fun, and interactive cooking class with your young chefs in training. Our cooking classes are a BLAST for all ages!

Tuesday	We've Got Chemistry!!	3-5	NEW!!! Experiment, learn, ask questions and have a blast. Each week, young scientists will work on a new project together. Perfect for young scientists who love asking questions and making cool things happen!
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Wednesday	Infinity Arts Academy Presents "Oz The Musical!"	K-5	Through IAA at Hatch students get the opportunity to learn a multitude of skills while working together towards the performance of Oz The Musical! Each student receives a part in the show, no experience required. Students will have rotations in Dance, Drama, and Music in preparation for their production, as well as play theatre games, and learn foundational skills for performing on stage. Each student will perform in a fully produced production with costumes, sets, props, etc! The kids will work hard and get to feel so proud when they see all their hard work pay off on show day.
Wednesday	Buddha Belly Yoga Gr K-3	K-3	Expanded to third graders! Buddha Belly Kids Yoga is a mobile yoga + mindfulness company founded by educators and dedicated to nurturing kids' innate desire for movement and play. At this age, yoga is about building confidence, self-awareness, and having fun. We explore yoga through traditional poses, co-created poses, breathing techniques, guided relaxation, and mindfulness. This practice helps to move around stuck energy and decompress our busy minds. We discover what our bodies are capable of doing through body awareness, strength building, flexibility, and personal expression.
Wednesday	Legacy Soccer	3-5	"Look, Ma-no hands!" Legacy soccer features a variety of contests, games, and scrimmages to help players develop and improve their soccer skills. Our coaches are dedicated to providing a supportive and fun atmosphere that promotes teamwork, good sportsmanship, exercise, and a love of the game of soccer.
Day	Class Name	Grades	Descriptions
Thursday	Zumba Kids!	K-5	NEW!!! Love to move and groove? Zumba® Kids Hatch After Hours is a great way to be active and jam out to your favorite music. The class will feature kid-friendly routines based on original Zumba® choreography. We will break down the steps, add games, activities and cultural exploration elements into the class structure.
Thursday	Lego Club	K-5	Expanded to more grade levels! Fun collaborative class for both master lego builders and those students just getting started! Each week will bring challenges for students to attempt using creative and critical thinking strategies. Using lego to promote STEM engagement this class will be all about innovating with lego in a fun AND educational environment.
Thursday	Arts, Crafts and Jewelry Making	K-5	NEW!!! In Arts & Crafts Club, students will make hands-on art crafts such as designing jewelry with aqua and iron beads, creating friendship bracelets, key chains, buttons, book marks and more!
Thursday	Lights Camera Action	3-5	Have you ever thought about becoming a filmmaker? Join us on an adventure that teaches students the different parts necessary in making a movie. Students will learn how to write, act, film, direct, design, and edit a movie. You will learn how to use iMovie and other applications to create an original film that will premiere at Hatch
Thursday	Calligraphy	3-5	Put your keyboards and phones away! In this class, students will learn the art of beautiful writing. This class is intended for 3rd-5th graders, and is designed to enhance a student's already exceptional handwriting skills.
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Friday	Multi-Sport Madness Gr K-2	K-2	Join the thousands of kids that have made Multi-Sport Madness our most popular program! MSM features variations of traditional gym games like relay races, tag, capture the flag, dodgeball, soccer as well as our popular Legacy games like Hand Hockey, Illinois Jones and Battleship. Space is limited, enroll today!

Friday	Sticky Fingers Cooking, 'Cool'inary Cooking Club	K-5	<p>Second class added! Your kids can have a blast every week discovering how easy and fun it is to cook (and gobble-up!) tasty, healthy globally-inspired recipes! Our interactive cooking classes incorporate S.T.E.A.M., culture, language, geography, history and more. Sticky Fingers Cooking offers young chefs the chance to explore exciting tastes (all seasonal and as local as possible!), master culinary skills (that they can put to use in family kitchens!), and nourish their bodies and minds. Our talented and experienced Chef Instructors bring all of the ingredients, district approved equipment and supplies to lead an engaging, fun, and interactive cooking class with your young chefs in training. Our cooking classes are a BLAST for all ages!</p>
Friday	Painting & Drawing	2-5	<p>NEW!!! In this class, Slowfire offers a comprehensive class on the fundamentals of painting and drawing! This series of 8 classes works on creativity and imagination as well as building fundamental skills. Materials used include pencil, colored pencil, oil pastels, water color, acrylic paint and ink.</p> <p>No previous experience necessary and students with established skill sets will be able to progress and build on their work with guidance from an experienced instructor.</p>

FAQS

Outside vendors

- This session's offerings include classes from businesses in Oak Park and surrounding communities that offer educational, art, theater and sports programming for young people.
- All vendor businesses must provide a certificate of insurance and teachers must submit to a background check.
- All outside vendors must follow the most current district97 and Hatch Elementary health and safety measures

Logistics

- On class days, please send a healthy, NUT-FREE (no peanuts, coconuts or tree nuts) after-school snack for your child.
- HAH students will be supervised by staff for 10-15 minutes following dismissal. Students are then escorted to their classes. You may pick up your child outside the school by the front office (on Harvey) when class is finished. All teachers have been instructed to accompany students to the exit and wait with them until parents arrive.
- Students in after school programs on the Hatch campus such as Apollo or Hepzibah will be escorted to the appropriate room after the HAH classes.
- Students with permission from their parent or guardian will be allowed to walk home.
- If your child will be absent from a class please notify Ms. Winfield pwinfield@op97.org as well as the HAH teacher if you have their contact info.
- All COVID-19 precautions followed during the school day will also be maintained during the HAH programs.
- We are asking all teachers to provide an email address and/or phone number where they can be reached in case of emergency.

Have a recommendation for a local class or community partner that you think might be a good addition to HAH? If so, please reach out to HAHquestions@gmail.com!

Registration

- **Registration is ONLY available online at: <https://www.homerroom.com/sites/hatch-elementary-oak-park/>**
- No registrations will be accepted after the deadline.
- Sorry, no refunds after classes have begun, unless due to cancellation of class.
- All classes are eligible for cancellation due to low registration.
- Price includes any materials fee.
- Any unregistered students who show up for classes will be directed to the main office, and parents will be contacted.

HAVE QUESTIONS? Our email is: HAHquestions@gmail.com

Please note: Emails sent to the PTO's HAH volunteer team MIGHT TAKE AT LEAST 48 HOURS to generate a response, regardless of the issue.

Once classes are under way, the mailbox will be checked less frequently. If you have any immediate concerns please contact the appropriate HAH teacher.

INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING ON THE HAH COMMITTEE? EMAIL Kmlorden99@yahoo.com or HAHquestions@gmail.com

Scholarships and Donating to Hatch PTO

SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS UPDATE! Please read the information below carefully for how to apply for a Hatch After Hours scholarship.

Scholarships are available to Hatch Families. Eligible families may apply by following the steps below. **One scholarship per child per session will be granted.**

Step 1: If you are interested in a scholarship for our Hatch After Hours (HAH) programs, please fill out this google form!

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScW5tCX9vd_Yey_2A-iEO9EiqbGbK4JyyNijj0S6dRtUHb2iw/viewform

IMPORTANT NOTE: It's best to submit this form BEFORE registration begins so that you will be able to access your scholarship as soon as registration opens! Classes fill up quickly so get your scholarship application in as soon as possible!

Please submit one form for EACH student you are requesting a scholarship for.

Step 2: Once your application is approved you will be sent a discount code good for one class for each student.

Step 3: On the day of registration, go to <https://www.homerom.com/sites/hatch-elementary-oak-park/> to select your classes.

Step 4: Add in your scholarship code for your class in order to register. You will not be required to pay for that class in Homerom.

Step 5: Go to hatchpto.com by April 7 to pay the \$25 rate for the class.

No scholarships will be awarded after Friday, April 7 so please submit your forms by no later than Wednesday April 5 to make sure you receive a code.

If you have any questions, our team is here to help! Just email HatchScholarships@gmail.com.

Contributions

In addition to Hatch After Hours, the Hatch PTO helps fund school events and assemblies, teacher appreciation, field trip costs, special resources and classroom amenities, scholarships, and supporting the Oak Park Educational Foundation. Any and all donations are welcome and greatly appreciated. Donate at <https://www.hatchpto.org/>.