



NEW SEMESTER, BIG POSSIBILITIES

SEMESTER TWO 2025–2026



THE SECOND HALF OF THE SCHOOL YEAR IS FULL OF DISCOVERY!

Discover all of our live class offerings for Semester 2 of the 2025–2026 school year!

With fresh classes and dynamic learning pods, Spark Learning Pals offers a space for every curious mind to explore, connect, and thrive.



ALL STAR LEARNING PODS



Enrollment in our All Star Learning Pod Program includes access to one learning pod of your choice.

Our team will use the information you provide in the enrollment form to place your child and share our pod recommendations. If you'd like your child to participate in more than one learning pod, you'll need to purchase the *Two Student Plan*, which reserves two spots in the program—even if both are for the same child.

Class Title	Class Description	Age Range	Teacher	Schedule
<p>All Star Learning Pod-Orton-Gillingham Level 1</p> <p><i>Formerly known as Reading & Writing for Exceptional Learners</i></p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This welcoming and supportive learning pod is designed for students with dyslexia, dysgraphia, or those struggling with reading who have had little to no prior Orton-Gillingham instruction. Using the proven, research-based Orton-Gillingham approach, this pod provides a structured, multisensory foundation for reading and writing success.</p> <p>Students will build confidence as they develop essential literacy skills through explicit instruction, hands-on activities, and consistent routines. With a focus on phonological awareness, sound-symbol relationships, and proper letter formation, students will begin to make meaningful connections between spoken and written language in a low-pressure, nurturing environment.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Phonological & Phonemic Awareness ● Letter-Sound Correspondence (phonics) ● Blending & Segmenting CVC Words ● Reading High-Frequency Words ● Handwriting & Letter Formation ● Basic Spelling Rules ● Simple Sentence Writing ● Listening Comprehension ● Confidence & Engagement with Reading 	Ages 5-12	Mrs. Beckman	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 2x week for 60 minutes per session</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>

<p>All Star Learning Pod-Orton-Gillingham Level 2</p> <p><i>Formerly known as Reading & Writing for Exceptional Learners</i></p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This structured and supportive learning pod is designed specifically for students with dyslexia and/or dysgraphia who have already received at least 6 months of Orton-Gillingham instruction. Building on the foundational rules and principles of the OG method, this Level 2 pod helps students strengthen and apply their skills across reading, writing, and spelling.</p> <p>Through targeted lessons, interactive activities, and consistent multisensory strategies, students will gain confidence as they move beyond decoding into fluency, comprehension, and written expression. Whether writing paragraphs, reading short passages, or mastering more complex spelling patterns, learners will continue to grow at their own pace in a highly structured, encouraging environment.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Advanced Phonemic Awareness ● Decoding Multisyllabic Words ● Spelling with OG-Based Patterns ● Reading Fluency & Comprehension ● Structured Paragraph Writing ● Grammar & Sentence Structure ● Vocabulary Building & Word Study ● Self-Editing & Proofreading Strategies ● Confidence in Reading and Writing Tasks 	<p>Ages 8-13+</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 2x a week for 60 minutes per session</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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<p>All Star Learning Pod- Imaginopolis: The Build-It & Beyond Project</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Welcome to Imaginopolis, where creativity, storytelling, and real-world skills come together! In the first semester, students build their own dream town from scratch—designing buildings, creating characters, and solving town-building challenges using math and writing. In the second semester, students travel through time to explore their town's past and future. They'll create time capsules, write historical and futuristic stories, and use math to track changes through time. This highly engaging project-based pod supports students with ADHD by blending structure, movement, and imagination to make learning stick.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Creative Writing & Narrative Development● Basic Geometry, Measurement & Graphing● Mapmaking & Spatial Reasoning● Time Management & Project Planning● Collaboration & Communication● Historical Inquiry & Futuristic Thinking● Critical Thinking & Problem-Solving● Artistic Design & Visual Storytelling● Emotional Regulation through Creative Expression	<p>Ages 9-11</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 1x a week for 60 minutes</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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<p>All Star Learning Pod- BizWiz: From Idea to Empire</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>BizWiz is the ultimate creative business adventure for entrepreneurial tweens and teens! In the first semester, students become young innovators—brainstorming business ideas, developing products, writing ads, and pitching their startup to the class. In the second semester, they run their business in a simulated marketplace where they manage “sales,” respond to customer feedback, and use mock currency to grow their empires. Through real-world math, reading, and writing tasks, this pod transforms creative energy into confidence, collaboration, and academic growth—especially for students who learn best through doing.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Entrepreneurial Thinking & Innovation ● Persuasive Writing & Advertising ● Public Speaking & Presentation ● Budgeting, Pricing & Financial Literacy ● Critical Thinking & Decision Making ● Customer Service & Problem Solving ● Product Development & Market Research ● Goal Setting & Time Management ● Teamwork & Leadership 	<p>Ages 12-14</p>	<p>Mrs. Sheree</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 1x a week for 60 minutes</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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<p>All Star Learning Pod-Building Math Success for Students with Dyscalculia</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This compassionate and confidence-boosting learning pod is designed specifically for students with dyscalculia or persistent difficulties with math. Using a highly structured, multisensory, and visual approach, this class helps students understand numbers in a way that makes sense to them—without pressure or shame.</p> <p>With consistent routines, plenty of repetition, and real-life math connections, students will build a strong foundation in number sense and problem-solving. Small group instruction allows for individualized support and targeted intervention in a safe, encouraging online environment.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Number Sense & Place Value ● Visualizing Quantities & Part-Whole Relationships ● Addition & Subtraction Strategies with Manipulatives ● Understanding Multiplication as Groups ● Fractions Using Visual Models ● Math Vocabulary & Language Development ● Word Problem Solving with Graphic Organizers ● Strategies for Math Anxiety & Self-Advocacy ● Confidence & Independence with Math Tasks 	<p>Ages 8–12</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 1x a week for 60 minutes</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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<p>All Star Learning Pod- Early Primary</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This playful and nurturing online pod is designed for young learners who are building the foundation of their academic journey. Through interactive lessons, multisensory activities, and engaging games, students will explore core reading, writing, and math concepts in a developmentally appropriate way. Small group instruction allows for individualized attention and plenty of opportunities to build confidence and community.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Phonemic Awareness ● Phonics & Decoding (CVC & basic blends) ● Reading Fluency ● High-Frequency Sight Words ● Reading Comprehension Strategies <p>Writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Letter Formation & Handwriting ● Sentence Structure (capitalization, punctuation) ● Writing Simple Sentences ● Beginning Spelling Patterns ● Oral Storytelling to Written Expression <p>Math:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Number Sense & Counting ● Addition & Subtraction Strategies ● Place Value Understanding ● Shapes & Measurement ● Introduction to Word Problems 	<p>Ages 6–8</p>	<p>TBD</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 2x a week for 60 minutes per session</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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<p>All Star Learning Pod-Primary</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>In this dynamic and supportive pod, students will deepen their understanding of core academic subjects while developing independence and critical thinking skills. With a focus on reading comprehension, clear written expression, and practical math applications, students will participate in hands-on activities, group discussions, and structured skill-building that keeps learning both fun and meaningful.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Comprehension of Fiction & Nonfiction Texts ● Identifying Main Idea & Supporting Details ● Vocabulary Development ● Reading Fluency & Expression ● Analyzing Characters, Setting, and Plot <p>Writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Paragraph Writing (Topic, Details, Closing) ● Grammar & Sentence Structure ● Organizing Ideas for Writing ● Editing & Revising for Clarity ● Writing for a Variety of Purposes <p>Math:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Multi-Digit Addition & Subtraction ● Multiplication & Division Foundations ● Fractions & Decimals (Introductory) ● Word Problem Strategies ● Data, Graphing & Measurement Concepts 	<p>Ages 9-11</p>	<p>TBD</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 2x a week for 60 minutes per session</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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<p>All Star Learning Pod-Intermediate</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This pod is built for middle school learners who are ready to expand their academic abilities and apply them to real-world challenges. Students will strengthen critical reading skills, sharpen writing techniques, and deepen their understanding of math concepts through collaborative discussions, problem-solving tasks, and project-based learning.</p> <p>Skills Students Will Build:</p> <p>Reading:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analyzing Theme, Tone, & Author's Purpose Interpreting Figurative Language Reading for Evidence & Inference Understanding Text Structure in Fiction & Informational Texts Comparing Multiple Texts & Perspectives <p>Writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multi-Paragraph Essay Writing Argumentative & Informative Writing Research & Citing Sources Grammar, Punctuation, & Sentence Variety Revising for Style & Clarity <p>Math:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Operations with Fractions & Decimals Ratios, Percent & Proportional Reasoning Pre-Algebraic Thinking Geometry & Measurement Concepts Multi-Step Problem Solving & Application 	<p>Ages 12-15</p>	<p>TBD</p>	<p>Semester 1 & 2</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>Meets 2x a week for 60 minutes per session</p> <p><i>*Limited spots available</i></p>
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LIVE CLASSES



Explore our full lineup of live, teacher-led classes for Semester Two of the 2025-2026 school year!

Browse each class to see what's being offered, including detailed descriptions, the skills your child will develop, recommended age ranges, teacher information, and scheduling details.

Be sure to check which program enrollment is required to access each class—this will help you register for the plan that's the best fit.

If a class is marked "TBD" for date and time, don't worry—those details will be shared in the coming weeks.

We can't wait to continue this exciting school year with the Spark Learning Pals community!

Class Title	Class Description	Age Range	Teacher	Schedule
Confidence Campfire Social Club <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i>	<p>Gather 'round our virtual campfire for a fun, supportive journey into building confidence! Each week introduces a new skill, with breakout rooms to make new friends and practice in a safe space.</p> <p>Skills: self-expression, public speaking, active listening, empathy, teamwork, social confidence</p>	All Ages	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January-May Mondays, 11-11:30am EST 1x a week for 30 minutes
Sugar & Spice Baking Squad <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>Get ready to bake up some fun with the Sugar & Spice Baking Squad! In this sweet and savory semester-long class, kids of all ages will learn to make delicious treats—from cookies and cakes to pies and pastries. Each week, we'll explore new recipes, baking techniques, and creative decorating tips. It's the perfect blend of fun, flavor, and learning, where everyone can join the squad and create tasty masterpieces together!</p> <p>Skills: measuring, following directions, kitchen safety, creativity, patience, fine motor skills</p>	All Ages	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January-May Mondays, 11:45am-12:30pm EST 1x a week for 45 minutes
Sticky Business: DIY Sticker Magic <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>Get ready for some sticker fun! In this creative 6-week class, kids will design and make their own custom stickers. Each week, we'll learn new techniques to create unique stickers. It's a perfect way to unleash creativity, craft something special, and add a little magic to your world with DIY stickers!</p> <p>Skills: design thinking, digital art, fine motor skills, creativity, self-expression</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January-February Mondays, 12:45-1:15pm EST 1x a week for 30 minutes

Fit & Fun Adventures <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i>	<p>Get moving with high-energy adventures that make fitness fun! Each week brings a new physical activity designed to keep kids active and engaged.</p> <p>Skills: gross motor skills, coordination, endurance, teamwork, healthy habits</p>	All Ages	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 February–April Mondays, 12:45–1:15pm EST 1x a week for 30 minutes
Secret Agent Academy: Crack the Clues <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i>	<p>Calling all future secret agents! In this thrilling 8-week class, kids will sharpen their problem-solving skills and work together to crack clues, decode messages, and complete fun missions. Each week, we'll dive into new spy tactics, puzzles, and challenges that will test their detective abilities. It's the perfect class for young minds ready to crack the case and become top agents!</p> <p>Skills: critical thinking, logic, collaboration, observation, communication</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January–February Mondays, 1:30–2pm EST 1x a week for 30 minutes
Magic Tricks 101 <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i>	<p>Learn basic tricks, sleight of hand, and illusions to amaze friends and family. Each week focuses on new skills and the secrets behind classic magic tricks.</p> <p>Skills: manual dexterity, presentation, confidence, creativity, focus</p>	Ages 10+	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 February–March Mondays, 1:30–2pm EST 1x a week for 30 minutes

<p>Vision Board Makers</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Dream big and make it happen! In this inspiring 4-week class, students will create their own vision boards, filled with images, words, and goals that represent their dreams and aspirations. Each week, we'll explore ways to set intentions, stay motivated, and visualize success. It's a fun, creative way to focus on the future and turn dreams into reality!</p> <p>Skills: goal setting, visualization, self-reflection, creativity, planning</p>	Ages 10+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Mondays, 2:10-2:50pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 40 minutes</p>
<p>Poetry & Me: Words That Shine</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Let your words sparkle! In this creative 8-week class, young poets will explore the art of poetry—writing, reading, and sharing their own verses. Each week, we'll dive into different styles of poetry, from rhymes to free verse, and discover how to express feelings, stories, and imaginations through words. Perfect for budding poets ready to craft poems that truly shine!</p> <p>Skills: creative writing, literary analysis, self-expression, vocabulary, public speaking</p>	Ages 10+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 February-April</p> <p>Mondays, 2:10-2:50pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 40 minutes</p>
<p>Show & Tell Pals</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Time to shine and share! In this interactive semester class, kids will have the chance to show off their favorite items, tell stories, and express their ideas in a fun and supportive environment. Each week, we'll focus on building confidence, speaking skills, and listening to others through creative presentations and group activities. It's a perfect way for kids to connect, be proud of what they love, and become confident communicators!</p> <p>Skills: public speaking, listening, storytelling, confidence, social interaction</p>	Ages 4-10	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Mondays, 3-3:30pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Wander & Wonder: Virtual Field Trip Adventures</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i></p>	<p>Embark on exciting journeys from the comfort of home! In this virtual field trip class, kids of all ages will explore amazing places around the world—museums, nature parks, historical sites, and more. Each week, we'll visit a new destination, learn fascinating facts, and engage in fun activities related to our adventure. It's the perfect way to satisfy curiosity, learn about different cultures, and spark a love for exploration!</p> <p>Skills: cultural awareness, geography, curiosity, critical thinking, observation</p>	Ages 7-13	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 11-11:30am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Grammar Gurus</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Become a grammar pro in this fun and interactive class! Over the semester, students will learn the rules of grammar in an engaging way—covering everything from punctuation and sentence structure to parts of speech. Each week, we'll practice through activities, games, and examples that make grammar easy to understand and fun to use. Perfect for young learners who want to improve their writing and communication skills!</p> <p>Skills: grammar, writing mechanics, reading comprehension, editing, communication</p>	Ages 9-13	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 11:45am- 12:15pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Algebra Basics</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Ready to dive into the world of algebra? In this semester-long class, students will learn foundational algebra skills, including solving equations, working with variables, and understanding expressions. Each week, we'll break down concepts step by step, making algebra easy to grasp through fun examples and practice problems. Perfect for students looking to build confidence and prepare for more advanced math!</p> <p>Skills: problem-solving, logical reasoning, mathematical operations, critical thinking</p>	Ages 11+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 12:30-1pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Air Fryer Chefs: Quick & Tasty</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Get ready to cook up some delicious meals with the magic of the air fryer! In this hands-on 8-week class, young chefs will learn how to make quick, tasty, and healthy dishes using the air fryer. From crispy snacks to full meals, each week we'll explore a new recipe while learning cooking techniques, kitchen safety, and how to make meals that are both fun and nutritious. Perfect for kids eager to become air fryer experts!</p> <p>Skills: cooking, kitchen safety, nutrition, time management, creativity</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-March</p> <p>Wednesdays, 1:15pm-1:55pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 40 minutes</p>
<p>Write it Right: Paragraph Pro!</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Ready to master the art of paragraph writing? In this 8-week class, students will learn how to organize their thoughts, create clear topics, and write strong supporting details to craft well-structured paragraphs. Each week, we'll practice writing skills with fun prompts, peer feedback, and tips for improving writing flow. Perfect for young writers looking to boost their writing confidence and become paragraph pros!</p> <p>Skills: writing structure, coherence, editing, critical thinking, communication</p>	Ages 9-12	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 March-May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 1:45-2:15pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Game Time: Brain Boost & Fun</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i></p>	<p>Get ready for a fun-filled, brain-boosting adventure! In this 6-week class, kids will challenge their minds with games that improve critical thinking, problem-solving, and memory. From strategy games to logic puzzles, each week we'll dive into a new activity that's both fun and educational. Perfect for kids who love a good challenge while having tons of fun!</p> <p>Skills: strategic thinking, logic, memory, collaboration, focus</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Wednesdays, 3-3:30pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

Intermediate Sketch Club <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>Ready to take your sketching skills to the next level? In this semester-long class, young artists will explore intermediate drawing techniques, from shading and texture to perspective and composition. Each week, we'll work on a new project to improve skills and creativity, focusing on both fine details and big-picture concepts. Perfect for kids who want to deepen their artistic abilities and bring their sketches to life!</p> <p>Skills: Shading techniques, adding texture, perspective drawing, composition and layout, sketching accuracy, attention to detail, visual planning, artistic expression, creative development, observational drawing</p>	Ages 9-18	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January-May Thursdays, 11-11:40am EST 1x a week for 40 minutes
Memory Makers: DIY Scrapbooking <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i>	<p>Capture your memories in the most creative way! In this semester-long class, students will dive into the world of scrapbooking, learning how to design personalized pages using photos, stickers, stamps, and other fun embellishments. Each week, we'll focus on different themes and techniques to create beautiful scrapbooks that tell unique stories. Perfect for kids who love crafting and want to preserve their favorite memories in a special, artistic way!</p> <p>Skills: crafting, storytelling, design, organization, creativity</p>	Ages 8-14	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January-May Thursdays, 12-12:40pm EST 1x a week for 40 minutes
Roblox Lab <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i>	<p>Join us for a fun-filled Roblox adventure! In this class, kids will play their favorite Roblox games, team up with new friends, and explore different virtual worlds. Each session is a chance to have a blast, make new connections, and enjoy a safe and supportive environment. Perfect for Roblox lovers looking to have fun and socialize with others who share the same passion! (Sign up required)</p> <p>Skills: digital literacy, collaboration, problem-solving, creativity</p>	Ages 8+	Mrs. Sheree	Semester 2 January-May Thursdays, 1-1:40pm EST 1x a week for 40 minutes

<p>Prodigy Math Challenge</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Gear up for an exciting math adventure! In this semester-long class, kids will join the Prodigy Math Challenge, where they'll work through engaging math missions, solve problems, and level up their skills—all while having fun. Each week, we'll focus on different math concepts, using the Prodigy platform to make learning feel like a game. Perfect for students looking to boost their math confidence and compete in a friendly, interactive environment!</p> <p>Skills: mathematical reasoning, problem-solving, critical thinking, perseverance</p>	<p>Ages 8-12</p>	<p>Mrs. Sheree</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Thursdays, 2-2:30pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Multi-Age Learning Pals</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Make learning a family affair! In this playful, hands-on class designed for multi-age siblings, students will dive into seasonal themes through engaging crafts, science activities, and group games. Whether building a fall-themed craft, exploring nature, or collaborating on creative projects, learners will bond with peers of all ages and build a love for learning. Perfect for families with multiple children looking for a shared educational experience!</p> <p>Skills: Creative thinking, cooperation, social-emotional development, fine motor skills, curiosity, teamwork</p>	<p>Ages 4-12+</p>	<p>Mrs. Christy</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p>
<p>Cursive Creators: Sentences in Style</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Take your cursive writing to the next level! In this 6-week class, students will practice writing full sentences in cursive, focusing on smooth, stylish handwriting. Each week, we'll introduce new sentence structures and practice writing with clarity and flair. Perfect for kids who want to improve their cursive skills and add a personal touch to their writing!</p> <p>Skills: handwriting, fine motor skills, attention to detail, writing fluency</p>	<p>Ages 8+</p>	<p>Mrs. Sheree</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Thursdays, 2:45-3:15pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Readers Theater Script Squad</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Lights, camera, action! In this 8-week class, kids will dive into the world of readers theater, bringing stories to life through dramatic reading and performance. Each week, students will read and act out a new script, developing their voice, expression, and teamwork skills. It's a fun and creative way to boost confidence, improve reading fluency, and perform in a supportive environment!</p> <p>Skills: reading fluency, oral expression, character interpretation, public speaking, teamwork, confidence, listening skill</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 February-March</p> <p>Thursdays, 2:45-3:15pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Mood Monsters: Big Feelings, Brave Hearts</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Join us on a fun and emotional adventure as we explore the world of feelings with our friendly Mood Monsters! In this class, kids will learn to identify and express their emotions in a safe and supportive environment. Through games, stories, and creative activities, children will discover how to manage big feelings, build empathy, and develop emotional resilience. It's the perfect way to help young learners navigate their emotions with bravery and kindness!</p> <p>Skills: emotional awareness, self-regulation, empathy, communication, resilience, mindfulness, social-emotional learning</p>	Ages 7-12	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 March-April</p> <p>Thursdays, 2:45-3:15pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Myth Busters: Fact or Fiction?</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Ready to bust some myths? In this 6-week class, kids will dive into some of the most popular myths and explore whether they're fact or fiction. Through hands-on experiments, research, and critical thinking, students will uncover the truth behind common beliefs in science, history, and pop culture. Perfect for curious minds who love solving mysteries and testing what they know!</p> <p>Skills: critical thinking, research, scientific inquiry, logic, observation, evaluating evidence, curiosity</p>	Ages 10+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 April-May</p> <p>Thursdays, 2:45-3:15pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Graphic Novel: The Bad Guys Book Club</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Join the club and dive into the hilarious adventures of <i>The Bad Guys</i>! In this semester-long book club, kids will explore the action-packed graphic novel series by Aaron Blabey, following a group of misunderstood "bad guys" on their quest to do good. Each week, we'll read and discuss new chapters, talk about characters, plot twists, and even create our own comic-style artwork. Perfect for graphic novel lovers looking to have fun, share ideas, and connect with fellow readers!</p> <p>Skills: reading comprehension, discussion skills, character analysis, storytelling, visual literacy, creative expression, connection-building</p>	<p>Ages 8-13</p>	<p>Mrs. Sheree</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Thursdays, 3:30-4pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Arctic Adventures: Science & Stories from the Ice</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program.</i></p>	<p>In this engaging science and storytelling class, students will explore the fascinating world of the Arctic. Each week features a blend of hands-on science experiments, learning about polar animals and ecosystems, and discovering traditional folklore from northern cultures. Through interactive activities and guided discussions, learners will build scientific understanding while strengthening listening and comprehension skills.</p> <p>Skills: science knowledge, geography, listening comprehension, cultural awareness, scientific observation, vocabulary development</p>	<p>Ages 8-12</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Tuesdays, 9:30-10am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Cozy Winter Book Club</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This cozy winter book club is designed to foster a love of reading in a relaxed and supportive environment. Students will read a seasonal novel or a selection of short stories and participate in weekly discussions to deepen their understanding of character, plot, and theme. Creative response activities will help students express their interpretations and connect personally with the text.</p> <p>Skills: reading comprehension, literary analysis, discussion skills, inferencing, text connections, critical thinking</p>	<p>Ages 10-13</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Tuesdays, 10-10:30am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Read to Learn: Weird Winter Facts</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Perfect for curious minds, this nonfiction reading class helps students build comprehension and analytical skills through fascinating winter-themed facts. Each lesson includes reading short informational texts, identifying key text features, and using strategies to summarize and analyze new information. This class strengthens informational reading skills in an engaging, real-world context.</p> <p>Skills: nonfiction reading comprehension, identifying text features, summarizing, making inferences, citing evidence, vocabulary development</p>	<p>Ages 11-14</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Tuesdays, 10:30-11am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Persuasive Pollen: Opinion Writing with Spring Topics</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Students will learn how to take a stand and support their opinions with evidence in this engaging writing class. Whether arguing to protect pollinators or debating the best spring dessert, students will craft persuasive essays and short pieces using hooks, strong claims, and structured reasoning.</p> <p>Skills: opinion writing, persuasive techniques, organizing arguments, supporting evidence, transitions, editing</p>	<p>Ages 10-13</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 March-May</p> <p>Tuesdays, 12:30-1pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>ABC Explorers</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Each week, young learners set off on a new alphabet adventure! We'll explore a different letter through crafts, songs, stories, and interactive games designed to teach letter recognition, sounds, and early phonics. This playful class lays the foundation for strong pre-reading skills while encouraging curiosity and creativity in early learners.</p> <p>Skills: letter recognition, phonemic awareness, fine motor development, listening comprehension, vocabulary building, early literacy</p>	<p>Ages 3-7</p>	<p>Mrs. Christy</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Budget Builders: Real-Life Math for Kids</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>In this practical and fun math class, students will explore real-life budgeting through hands-on scenarios such as planning a trip, comparing costs, and managing a weekly allowance. They'll develop financial literacy and sharpen their math skills while solving realistic problems. This class helps connect academic math to life outside the classroom.</p> <p>Skills: financial literacy, addition, subtraction, multiplication, decimals, budgeting, real-world problem-solving</p>	<p>Ages 11-14</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Tuesdays, 12:30-1pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Paragraph Power</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Strong writing starts with strong paragraphs! This writing-focused class helps students master the structure of a clear and complete paragraph. Using graphic organizers and visual examples, students will learn to write topic sentences, add supporting details, and use transitions for clarity and flow.</p> <p>Skills: paragraph writing, topic sentences, organizing ideas, transitions, editing, sentence structure</p>	<p>Ages 8-12</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Tuesdays, 1-1:30pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Student Newspaper Club</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>This collaborative class is perfect for budding writers who want to publish their work! Students will research topics of interest, write articles, and edit content for a group newspaper. They'll explore the roles of journalist, editor, and designer while building confidence in nonfiction writing and teamwork.</p> <p>Skills: research, nonfiction writing, editing, revising, collaboration, publishing, time management</p>	<p>Ages 10+</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 9:30-10am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Write Your Own Winter Adventure</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>This imaginative writing class gives students the tools to create their own winter-themed short stories. Using story maps, visual prompts, and guided brainstorming, learners will develop characters, build suspenseful plots, and write with descriptive language. Each student will leave the class with a complete and original story.</p> <p>Skills: narrative writing, story structure, character development, sequencing, descriptive language, creativity</p>	<p>Ages 9-13</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Wednesdays, 10-10:30am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

Debating Club: Speak Up! <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>Designed for students who enjoy speaking and thinking critically, this club teaches the basics of debate in a respectful and structured format. Each week, students will explore relevant topics, build arguments, and practice public speaking while learning to listen and respond thoughtfully to different viewpoints.</p> <p>Skills: persuasive speaking, organizing arguments, critical thinking, public speaking, respectful listening, collaboration</p>	Ages 11-14	Mrs. Beckman	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Wednesdays, 10:30-11am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
Orton-Gillingham Word Work <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i>	<p>This structured literacy class uses the Orton-Gillingham approach to help students improve phonics, reading, and spelling. Lessons are multisensory, cumulative, and individualized—ideal for students with dyslexia or language-based learning challenges.</p> <p>Skills: phonemic awareness, decoding, encoding, spelling, reading fluency, syllable types, phonics</p>	Ages 6-12	Mrs. Beckman	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 12:30-1pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
Data Detectives <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i>	<p>In this math and data exploration class, students will analyze fun, winter-themed data sets. Each week, they'll collect and interpret information, create graphs, and discover trends. This hands-on approach makes math meaningful and builds skills in data literacy and visual analysis.</p> <p>Skills: data collection, graphing, reading bar and line graphs, analysis, drawing conclusions, interpreting information</p>	Ages 10-13	Mrs. Beckman	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Wednesdays, 1-1:30pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
Fairy Tale Remix <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i>	<p>Let's flip the script! In this creative writing class, students will reimagine classic fairy tales by changing characters, settings, or plot twists. With the support of writing prompts and brainstorming activities, students will craft original stories full of humor, imagination, and unexpected endings.</p> <p>Skills: creative writing, plot development, character creation, point of view, imaginative thinking, writing with voice</p>	Ages 8-11	Mrs. Beckman	<p>Semester 2 January-February</p> <p>Wednesdays, 1:30-2pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>The Bug Report: Writing with a Journalist's Eye</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>In this journalism-inspired writing class, students become young reporters investigating the fascinating world of bugs, weather patterns, and springtime science. Each week, they'll research a topic of interest, conduct mini-interviews or gather facts, and write short articles using journalistic techniques such as headlines, bylines, quotes, and attention-grabbing leads. This class nurtures curiosity and clear nonfiction writing.</p> <p>Skills: research, informational writing, summarizing, using quotes, headline writing, editing, organization</p>	<p>Ages 10-13</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 March-May</p> <p>Tuesdays, 9:30-10am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Google Slides Pet Project</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Perfect for creative minds, this digital presentation class allows students to choose a real or imaginary pet and design a slideshow to showcase their pet's life. They'll use Google Slides to combine simple writing, photos, and animations while learning to organize information and present it clearly. Great for both tech beginners and young writers!</p> <p>Skills: digital presentation, basic writing, sequencing, creativity, tech skills (Google Slides), organization</p>	<p>Ages 9-13</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 March-May</p> <p>Tuesdays, 10-10:30am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Reading Escape Room: Decodable Clues Edition</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>This fun and fast-paced class turns reading practice into an adventure! Students will work together to solve weekly escape room puzzles by reading short texts, decoding clues, and using phonics-based strategies. Designed especially for emerging or struggling readers, each session builds confidence through repetition and play.</p> <p>Skills: phonics, decoding, reading comprehension, collaboration, critical thinking, attention to detail</p>	<p>Ages 8-11</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 March-May</p> <p>Tuesdays, 10:30-11am EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

Weather Math: Rainfall, Temperature & Storm Stats <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program & Rockets Program</i>	<p>Bring math to life with real spring weather data! Students will track local weather patterns, graph rainfall and temperatures, calculate averages, and explore storm statistics through hands-on math modeling. This class connects math concepts with real-world applications and seasonal science.</p> <p>Skills: graphing, data analysis, averages, addition, subtraction, interpreting charts, applied math</p>	Ages 10-13	Mrs. Beckman	Semester 2 March-May Tuesdays, 1-1:30pm EST 1x a week for 30 minutes
Build-A-Story Lab <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>In this creative storytelling class, students will use drawing prompts, dice, maps, and character cards to build story ideas from the ground up. Less focus on grammar, more on thinking like an author. It's perfect for students who love to imagine but get stuck when it's time to write.</p> <p>Skills: creative thinking, character development, plot structure, oral storytelling, idea generation, visual planning</p>	Ages 8-12	Mrs. Beckman	Semester 2 March-May Wednesdays, 10-10:30am EST 1x a week for 30 minutes
Design a Spring Festival <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>In this interdisciplinary project-based class, students will design their own spring festival! They'll create event themes, write up schedules and descriptions, plan food and activities, and use math and design thinking to bring their ideas to life. A blend of writing, organization, and creativity.</p> <p>Skills: creative writing, project planning, design thinking, organizing information, basic math, cultural exploration</p>	Ages 10-13	Mrs. Beckman	Semester 2 March-May Wednesdays, 10:30-11am EST 1x a week for 30 minutes
Draw & Write Story Adventures <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i>	<p>Designed for students who benefit from visual thinking, this class begins with drawing and builds into story writing. Using step-by-step scaffolds like sentence starters and sequencing visuals, students will create characters and write short stories or paragraphs. Great for reluctant writers or those with dysgraphia.</p> <p>Skills: visual storytelling, sequencing, sentence construction, paragraph writing, written expression, creative thinking</p>	Ages 8-11	Mrs. Beckman	Semester 2 March-May Wednesdays, 1-1:30pm EST 1x a week for 30 minutes

<p>Create Your Own Digital Picture Book</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Young authors will bring their stories to life in digital form! Students will write, illustrate, and publish their own picture books using Google Slides or Canva. This class combines storytelling, artistic expression, and technology to produce a finished digital book to share with family and friends.</p> <p>Skills: narrative writing, digital design, storytelling, visual literacy, sequencing, creativity</p>	<p>Ages 9–14</p>	<p>Mrs. Beckman</p>	<p>Semester 2 March–May</p> <p>Wednesdays, 1:30–2pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Seasonal STEM Challenges</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>This exciting hands-on class combines science, technology, engineering, and math with the changing seasons! Each week, students will engage in themed experiments, design challenges, and creative problem-solving activities. From building a rain shelter to experimenting with melting snow, this class helps learners make real-world STEM connections while strengthening their critical thinking skills.</p> <p>Skills: critical thinking, problem-solving, engineering design, scientific observation, teamwork, early math concepts, creativity</p>	<p>Ages 5–9</p>	<p>Mrs. Christy</p>	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Messy Art Mondays</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Get ready for creative fun and a little bit of mess! In this joyful art class, young learners will dive into hands-on projects like splatter painting, clay sculpting, and shaving cream art. We'll explore textures, colors, and shapes while focusing on the process—not perfection. It's a welcoming space for kids to express themselves, explore their senses, and build confidence through messy, magical art.</p> <p>Skills: sensory exploration, creative expression, fine motor skills, color recognition, art techniques, confidence building</p>	<p>Ages 3–7</p>	<p>Mrs. Christy</p>	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

Tasty Tales <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i>	<p>In this sweet and silly class, stories and snacks come together! Each week, we'll read a children's book and then create a simple, story-themed treat. Kids will learn basic cooking or crafting skills like measuring and following directions, while deepening their love for reading and hands-on learning. A perfect blend of literacy, creativity, and fun!</p> <p>Skills: listening comprehension, early cooking skills, sequencing, following directions, creativity, text-to-life connections</p>	Ages 3-7	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes
Baking with Books <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i>	<p>Books meet baking in this imaginative and interactive class! Each week, students will read and discuss a short story or book excerpt, then bake a delicious treat inspired by the story. Along the way, they'll practice measuring, mixing, and decorating—while also analyzing characters, setting, and plot. A great way to make reading fun and delicious!</p> <p>Skills: reading comprehension, baking basics, critical thinking, literary analysis, sequencing, creativity, following multi-step instructions</p>	Ages 9-14	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes
Nursery Rhyme Time Fun <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i>	<p>Classic rhymes come to life through movement, music, crafts, and playful learning! In this lively class, children will explore familiar rhymes like "Humpty Dumpty" and "Hey Diddle Diddle" with interactive games, songs, and themed crafts. It's a joyful way to develop rhythm, coordination, language skills, and a love for early literacy through fun, familiar verses.</p> <p>Skills: rhyming, rhythm, coordination, early literacy, language development, creativity, listening and movement</p>	Ages 3-8	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes

Art With the Masters <i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for access</i>	<p>Step into the studios of the world's greatest artists! Students will explore the styles, techniques, and stories behind legendary masters like Van Gogh, Picasso, Monet, and more. Each week, learners will study a famous artist, learn about their artistic legacy, and create original pieces inspired by that artist's signature style.</p> <p>Skills: Artistic technique, art history, creative expression, observation skills, critical thinking</p>	Ages 10-14	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes
Read, Think, and Understand: Comprehension Skills for Beginning Readers <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i>	<p>Young readers will build confidence and strengthen their understanding of stories in this fun and supportive reading class. Using engaging books, discussion, games, and interactive activities, students will learn how to think deeply about what they read. We'll practice key comprehension skills that help readers become more thoughtful and independent. Both fiction and nonfiction texts will be used to spark imagination and curiosity.</p> <p>Skills: Main idea and key details, making predictions and inferences, summarizing, asking and answering questions, visualizing and making connections</p>	Ages 6-9	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes
History's Famous Places <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i>	<p>Travel the globe and explore fascinating landmarks from ancient wonders to modern marvels! Each class highlights a new historical site – such as the Great Wall of China or the Eiffel Tower – and blends learning with creativity. Students will learn about each place's cultural and historical significance and create detailed drawings to reflect what they've learned. It's a fun way to connect history, geography, and art.</p> <p>Skills: World geography and history, artistic expression, research and synthesis, note-taking and observation, cultural awareness</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes

<p>Wonderful and Wild: Who Would Win?</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i></p>	<p>Get ready for an exciting science-based showdown! In each class, students will compare two amazing animals and decide which would win in a wild face-off – based on facts, not just guesses. Using real animal data and adaptations, students will explore survival traits, make predictions, and defend their reasoning. This is an energetic class full of fascinating creatures and friendly debates.</p> <p>Skills: Animal science, comparing and contrasting, critical thinking, prediction and justification, ecosystems and adaptations</p>	Ages 8+	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Nature Journaling</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i></p>	<p>Encourage observation, creativity, and a love of the outdoors in this hands-on class. Each week, students will explore a topic in nature – such as habitats, weather, insects, or plants – and document their learning in a personalized journal. Students will draw, label, and write to record their discoveries, gaining valuable scientific and artistic skills while deepening their connection to the natural world.</p> <p>Skills: Scientific observation, artistic expression, journaling and labeling, environmental awareness, attention to detail</p>	Ages 8+	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Math With Friends</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Math becomes an adventure in this joyful, hands-on class for young learners. Students will explore foundational math skills through playful games, songs, and group activities. With a focus on fun and friendship, this class helps children build confidence and a strong early number sense in an encouraging environment.</p> <p>Skills: Counting and comparing, pattern recognition, basic operations, time and measurement, understanding money</p>	Ages 4-6	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

Story Crafters <i>*Must be enrolled in All Stars Learning Pod Program for access</i>	<p>Let imagination take the lead! Each week, students will create a seasonal or holiday-themed craft using simple materials and then write a creative story inspired by their creation. This class combines visual art with expressive writing, encouraging students to explore new ideas while developing both fine motor and storytelling skills.</p> <p>Skills: Crafting and fine motor skills, creative writing, imaginative thinking, story structure, seasonal knowledge</p>	Ages 7-11	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes
Seasonal Art Studio <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i>	<p>Celebrate the beauty of the seasons through art! In this cheerful and colorful class, students will use a variety of techniques to create artwork inspired by nature and seasonal themes. From wintery snow scenes to springtime blooms, students will explore materials and methods to express their creativity and appreciation for the world around them.</p> <p>Skills: Artistic expression, crafting techniques, seasonal awareness, fine motor skills, creativity</p>	Ages 5-13	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes
See It, Say It, Spell It: A Sight Words Adventure <i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i>	<p>Turn reading into a playful adventure as students master sight words through music, movement, and fun activities. Sight words often don't follow regular spelling rules, so quick recognition is key to fluent reading. In this class, students will learn sight words through chants, clapping, games, and sentence-building exercises — all while building confidence and having fun.</p> <p>Skills: Sight word recognition, reading fluency, phonemic awareness, kinesthetic learning, spelling</p>	Ages 5-8	Mrs. Christy	Semester 2 January-May Day & Time TBD 1x a week for 30 minutes

<p>Math Mosaics</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Practice math with a creative twist! Each week, students will solve multiplication and division problems that gradually reveal a colorful mosaic picture. This class is designed to sharpen computation skills while adding an artistic reward at the end of each challenge – a great way to motivate learners through multi-step math.</p> <p>Skills: 2-digit multiplication, long division, visual pattern recognition, math fluency and accuracy, multi-step problem solving</p>	Ages 8–11	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Middle School Math Mystery Pictures</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Uncover hidden images while solving challenging middle school math problems! This fast-paced and engaging class provides students with a wide variety of topics, from exponents to elapsed time. As they work through the problems, correct answers fill in colorful pictures, turning math practice into a fun and rewarding experience.</p> <p>Skills: Multi-topic math review, precision and accuracy, problem-solving, visual-spatial reasoning, time and measurement concepts</p>	Ages 11–14	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>History's AMAZING Stories</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program, Rockets, & Launch Pad Program</i></p>	<p>Experience the most fascinating moments from the past through lively storytelling! Each week, students will explore a captivating historical event or figure, diving into true tales of bravery, invention, discovery, and more. This class brings history to life with interactive discussions and activities that encourage curiosity and critical thinking.</p> <p>Skills: Historical understanding, listening comprehension, narrative structure, discussion and reflection, creative interpretation</p>	Ages 8+	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Perler Bead Craft and Chat</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>This relaxed and creative class combines hands-on crafting with friendly conversation. Each week, students will design colorful Perler bead creations — from simple shapes to intricate designs — while chatting and socializing with classmates. It's a fun, low-pressure space where kids can express themselves through art, practice focus and fine motor control, and connect with others in a supportive environment.</p> <p>Skills: Fine motor skills, pattern recognition, creative expression, focus and patience, social communication</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Watercolor Wonders</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Discover the joy of painting in this playful and encouraging watercolor class designed for young artists. Students will experiment with a variety of watercolor techniques — such as blending, splattering, and layering — while creating imaginative artwork featuring animals, nature scenes, and abstract designs. With a focus on creativity and self-expression, this class helps budding artists gain confidence and explore the magic of watercolor without pressure or perfectionism.</p> <p>Skills: Watercolor painting techniques, artistic creativity, color mixing, self-expression, visual composition</p>	Ages 8+	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Logic and Critical Thinking 2</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>This advanced-level course helps students strengthen essential thinking skills by exploring logic, reasoning, and problem-solving techniques. Through interactive lessons, role-plays, and group challenges, students will learn how to identify logical fallacies, analyze arguments, and make well-informed decisions. This class provides valuable tools for academic success and everyday life.</p> <p>Skills: Logical reasoning, analyzing arguments, problem-solving, objective thinking, decision-making</p>	Ages 12-17	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January-May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>

<p>Math Makeover: Add, Subtract, and Regroup</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Strengthen math skills and gain confidence with addition, subtraction, and regrouping in this upbeat and supportive class. Students will practice place value, build fluency, and use hands-on strategies to solve problems. With games and clear visuals, learners will break down tricky math into easy steps and enjoy every moment of the challenge.</p> <p>Skills: Addition and subtraction, regrouping/borrowing, place value, problem-solving strategies, math fluency</p>	Ages 6–8	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Nutrition Basics: Food Facts & Fun</p> <p><i>*Available to students in the All Star Learning Pod Program and Rockets Program</i></p>	<p>Let's learn to fuel our bodies the healthy way! In this fun and informative 6-week class, kids will explore the basics of nutrition, from understanding food groups to making smart food choices. Each week, we'll dive into how different foods affect our health, energy, and growth, while also enjoying interactive activities and challenges. Perfect for young learners eager to make healthy, informed decisions about what they eat!</p> <p>Skills: nutrition knowledge, healthy habits, critical thinking, decision-making</p>	Ages 9+	Mrs. Sheree	<p>Semester 2 March–April</p> <p>Wednesdays, 3–3:30pm EST</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>
<p>Cooking and Crafting Your Way Around the World</p> <p><i>*Must be enrolled in All Star Learning Pod Program for Access</i></p>	<p>Travel the globe from your kitchen table! In this cultural adventure class, students will explore a different country each week by preparing a traditional recipe or creating a cultural craft. Alongside hands-on activities, we'll discuss geography, customs, and traditions, helping students understand and appreciate cultures around the world through food and art.</p> <p>Skills: geography, cultural awareness, basic cooking or crafting skills, following directions, creative expression, global citizenship, critical thinking</p>	Ages 10+	Mrs. Christy	<p>Semester 2 January–May</p> <p>Day & Time TBD</p> <p>1x a week for 30 minutes</p>