

Spring 2025

Enrichment Program

Pre-K - Sixth Grade January 6th - March 14th

Register by December 30th

Email Program Director,
Laura Townsend: laurat@willowwind.org
with questions about our program

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Intro to Spanish (Grade Pre-K-3)

Mondays, 4:30 - 5:30 PM with Yesenia Gonzalez

¡Hola! Ready to embark on an exciting journey into the vibrant world of Spanish language and culture? Through engaging games, songs, storytelling, and lively discussions, students will build their vocabulary and learn essential phrases to communicate confidently in everyday situations. This immersive experience encourages students to express themselves while fostering an appreciation for the richness of Hispanic culture.

Cost: \$230



Intro to Cursive (Grade 2-6)

Tuesdays, 3:30 - 4:15 PM with Madelyn Cunningham

In this class, we will introduce you to the basics of cursive writing, starting from scratch. Whether you've never tried cursive before or are looking to improve, we'll guide you step-by-step through each letter, helping you build a strong foundation. You'll learn the essential strokes that form cursive letters and how to connect them smoothly, making your writing both beautiful and easy to read. Throughout the course, we'll take it slow, practice regularly, and focus on developing good habits that will make cursive writing feel natural.

Cost: \$230



Intro to Art (Grade Prek-2) Tuesdays, 3:30 - 4:30 PM with Paige Gerjets

In this class, we're going to have lots of fun exploring the world of art! Whether you love to draw, paint, or create with your hands, this class is all about using your imagination and expressing yourself through art. You'll learn how to mix colors, make cool shapes, and discover new ways to turn your ideas into amazing pictures and sculptures. We'll try out different art materials like crayons, markers, paint, and clay, and you'll get to experiment and create your own masterpieces. No experience is needed —just bring your creativity and excitement to the class! Get ready to have fun, be inspired, and discover the artist inside you!

Cost: S230

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Junior Scientists (Grades K-3rd)

Thursdays 2:30-3:30 PM with Laura Townsend Students will learn about how scientists work - observing, recording, experimenting and making mistakes along the way! Each week they will learn about a scientist and the kinds of work they do. They will create a hypothesis, conduct a hands on experiment and talk about what went well and what maybe didn't go as planned. Kids should wear play clothes because sometimes science is messy!

Cost: \$230



Dungeons and Dragons (Grades 2-6)

Fridays, 3:30-5:00 PM with Zach Burr from 1/6-5/2

Would you like to go on an EPIC adventure? Our Dungeon Master will take students on an adventuring party that will explore fantasy worlds together as they embark on epic quests and level up in experience. Each student will get to customize their own character and will learn all about D and D.

Cost: \$300



Intro to Drawing (Grades 3-6)

Fridays, 4:00-5:00 PM with Andy Black

Join local Iowa City artist Andy Black for Intro to Drawing. With Andy's expert guidance, you'll discover essential techniques, learn about composition, shading, and perspective, and unlock your creativity through hands-on exercises. Whether you're a beginner looking to develop foundational skills or an experienced artist seeking to refine your abilities, this workshop promises to awaken your artistic potential.

Cost: \$230

REGISTRATION & POLICIES

WHO CAN REGISTER

Public, private, and home-schooled students in preschool through Grade 6 are invited to participate. Elementary students should register based on the grade they are in for the 2024-2025 school year. For preschool programs, students must be at least four years old and toilet-trained. Willowwind provides equal opportunity to participate in programs and does not discriminate by gender, sexual orientation, marital status, socioeconomic status, disability, race, national origin, color, religion, or creed.

PAYMENT & FEES

A deposit of 50% will be required at the time of registration for all after school enrichment programs. Any remaining tuition will be billed in equal monthly installments throughout the spring (paid in full by March 1st, 2025). If payment is not made in full when the payment plan is complete, we reserve the right to cancel your registration. We process all registrations in the order in which they are received. We accept registrations as long as they are prior to the registration deadline. We do not offer prorated tuition for absences or late starts. We cannot accommodate drop-ins.

HOW TO REGISTER

To register, please visit our new facts forms at <u>www.facts.com</u>. Please note that we no longer offer ASP discounts or codes for our Spring Enrichment Program.

ATTENDANCE

In order to get the most out of each class, we expect children to attend every day of their enrolled classes, except in the case of illness or emergency. Tuition will not be prorated and refunds will not be issued for missed classes.

LATE PICK-UP

- Contact information: Front office at 319-338-6061 or email laurat@willowwind.org
- All children must be picked up at the end of their enrichment class.
 Children who are here 15 minutes after their class will be sent to ASP.
- ASP drop-in fee (S20) will be charged for each instance of a late pick up.
- If an emergency should occur and the family is unable to arrive on time to pick up a child, please call the school to notify the staff of the late pick-up time.

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BEHAVIOR

All children have the right to learn in a safe classroom that is free from excessive distraction. When a child's behavior becomes a distraction, the faculty and staff use a number of strategies to mitigate the issue. They begin with reteaching, reinforcing, and acknowledging appropriate behavior, and then move on to redirecting the individual student. If a child is unable to correct their behavior or is unresponsive to teacher interventions, Willowwind reserves the right to excuse the child from the Enrichment Program. Refunds will not be made for current class days not attended due to dismissal.

After school program (ASP)

Our After School Programs (ASP) is available for preK through sixth grade students. Students are invited to join ASP while they await the start of their enrichment class and snack will be provided after enrichment if desired. There is no cost to join ASP before the start of your enrichment class. Willowwind ASP begins at 3:15pm on M/T/W. ASP begins at 2:00pm on Thursdays. New families can expect an email from our Programs Coordinator to discuss the required forms needed to participate in Willowwind's after school program.

CLASS CANCELLATION POLICIES

We want all students to be satisfied with their experiences at Willowwind School. If after attending the first day of class, you decide that you do not wish to continue, let us know before the second class and your tuition will become a credit, which you may use toward another available space in a fall 2024 class. After the second day of class, we will not make any tuition or enrollment adjustments.

- If you cancel your registration at any time, tuition will not be refunded.
- If tuition has not been paid in full by the time the monthly payment plan is complete, and no action to cancel has been taken, no refund or class credit will be issued and the registration will be terminated.
- Cancellation by Willowwind: We reserve the right to cancel a class if enrollment is insufficient. Any tuition paid will be refunded in full.