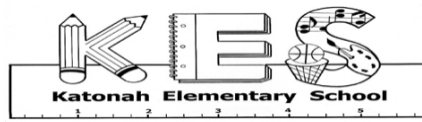


Registration is digital!!
Visit our website starting 3/2 to complete your registration online!



Parent Teacher Organization

All course descriptions can be found in the main office or on our website at KESPTO.COM

KATONAH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTO BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES PROGRAM – SPRING 2020

SPRING SESSION RUNS APRIL 13, 2020 - JUNE 5, 2020

REGISTRATION FOR SPRING SESSION:

MONDAY, MARCH 2, 2020 @ 6:00 AM- WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 2020 @ 10:00 PM

Registration includes: 1) Student registration information 2) B/ASA permission slip 3) Online payment or a separate check for each class and each student. Siblings may not share permission slips or payment checks. Registration must be completed online via the Cheddar-up site, including online payment or payment by check sent by backpack mail or dropped off by parents to the ASA box located in the main office. ALL FORMS AND PAYMENT MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR REGISTRATION TO BE ACCEPTED.

Please complete your registration online as early as possible as classes fill on a first come, first served basis. Due to class size limits, some classes do close out. Online registration ends promptly at 10:00 PM on Wednesday, March 11, 2020.

FEES:

The fee for each class varies. Pay online or make checks payable to "KES PTO." If paying by check, a separate check is required for each class and each student. Write your child's name, teacher, ASA class and phone number on the front of the check. Once our session starts on 1/21, we do not issue course refunds.

COURSE LIST (Please visit KESPTO.COM for full course descriptions):

MONDAY AM: Cartooning – Young Rembrandts 2-5 (minimum 4) \$105

MONDAY PM: Dinosaurs Rock K-3 (minimum 15) \$176

MONDAY PM: Tastes Around the World Cooking- Little Scholars K-2 (minimum 10) \$166

MONDAY PM: Escape Room 3-5 (minimum 8) \$154

TUESDAY AM: Drumming, Amadeus Conservatory of Music K-2 (minimum 6) \$224

TUESDAY PM: Up, Down & Around: Navigating the Outdoors, Curious on Hudson K-2 (minimum 8) \$193

TUESDAY PM: Writopia 3-5 (minimum 4) \$193

TUESDAY PM: Forces of Nature, Bricks 4 Kidz (minimum 9) \$128

WEDNESDAY AM: Spanish Level 1- Jacqueline Zerrate 1-5 (minimum 6) \$176

WEDNESDAY AM: Chess- Damian Donovan K-5 (minimum 10) \$132

WEDNESDAY PM: Hands On Science, Hands on Science Enrichment K-2 (minimum 7) \$132

WEDNESDAY PM: Elementary French- Jacqueline Zerrate K-2 (minimum 6) \$176

WEDNESDAY PM: Make-A-Movie- Katherine Perry 3-5 (minimum 4) \$231

WEDNESDAY PM: Challenge Island 3-5 (minimum 10) \$185

THURSDAY PM: Karate- Kempo Karate K-3 (minimum 5) \$132

THURSDAY PM: Challenge Island K-2 (minimum 10) \$185

THURSDAY PM: Fashion Trends, Hobby Quest 3-5 (minimum 8) \$154

THURSDAY PM: EXTRA LATE (4:45-5:45) Sports Spectacular, OTA K-5 (minimum 8) \$106

FRIDAY AM: French Level 2, Jacqueline Zerrate 3-5 (minimum 6) \$132

FRIDAY AM: Newspaper Club, Little Scholars 2-5 (minimum 10) \$113

FRIDAY PM: High Fives Running Club, OTA (minimum 8) \$66

FRIDAY PM: Adventures in Art, Ann O'Connor K-3 (minimum 6) \$100

FRIDAY PM: Break Dancing, The Studio School of Dance K-2 (minimum 10) \$132

PROGRAM DETAILS:

The Spring BSA/ASA Session runs from **APRIL 13, 2020- JUNE 5, 2020**. One week is reserved at the end of the session as a weather reserve date to be used in the event school is cancelled due to the weather, or a class is cancelled because of vendor/instructor issues. The weather reserve date is noted below in []. As such, depending on the day of the week, there are between 7-10 classes in each scheduled session. Regardless of the Session, BSA starts at 8:10AM and ends at 9:10AM. ASA classes begin at 3:45PM and ends at 4:45PM.

MONDAY- 7 classes: 4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 6/1 [6/8 make-up]

TUESDAY- 7 classes: 4/14, 4/21, 4/28, 5/5, 5/12, 5/19, 6/2, [6/9]

WEDNESDAY- 8 classes: 4/15, 4/22, 4/29, 5/6, 5/13, 5/20, 5/27, 6/3, [6/10]

THURSDAY- 8 classes: 4/16, 4/23, 4/30, 5/7, 5/14, 5/21, 5/28, 6/4, [6/11 make-up]

FRIDAY PM- 6 classes: 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/29, 6/5, [6/12 make-up] (5 CLASSES FOR RUNNING CLUB- NO CLASS 4/17)

SCHOOL NOTES:

The permission slip required at registration will serve as that student's school note to stay for all 8-11 classes in the session. A note must be sent into school, to the attention of Barbara Monaco, Program Facilitator, with your child if they will NOT be staying for his/her after school activity class. Otherwise, they will be kept at school for the ASA class.

DROP OFF:

If your child is enrolled in a before school activity please walk your child into the main vestibule and sign in with the instructor. The instructor will be escorting the children to their assigned classroom. Reminder: you must stay with your child if the instructor has not arrived yet. The office staff is not responsible for children in the building before school starts.

PICK UP:

For safety reasons, students will not be excused from their program until a parent or guardian comes for them. The program instructor will escort the children to the Gymnasium at the end of the program. You are responsible for picking up your child from the Gymnasium. Students who are repeatedly picked up late will not be permitted to continue attending the class.

In case of inclement weather, check the Katonah-Lewisboro School District website, www.klschooldistrict.org , or listen to WHUD 100.7 FM and follow the school's early dismissal procedure. Classes canceled due to inclement weather will be rescheduled at the end of the program, if possible. All classes are canceled on days where there is a weather related delay (BSA), a weather related early dismissal or an early dismissal scheduled (ASA).

For the safety of the children it is important that you park ONLY in legally designated parking areas. Parking around the entrance circle, and on the hill is NOT permitted.

Parking is available on Huntville Road and in the visitors' parking lot across the street. Please also remember pick up time is promptly at 4:45PM.

CONDUCT:

Parents will be notified by KES faculty Barbara Monaco if their child is misbehaving in class as a first and second warning. Students who continually misbehave and/or disrupt the class may be removed from the program. Refunds will not be provided.

Questions regarding ASA & BSA course offerings can be directed to Meredith Black
Katoanh.ASA@gmail.com

Questions regarding registration can be directed to Jennifer Lieberman
jennifer.ann.lieberman@gmail.com .

KES Facility Administrator: Barbara Monaco bmonaco@klschools.org

SPRING 2020 COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:

MONDAY AM: Cartooning Young Rembrandts 1-5

Learning to draw can be fun, especially when we create silly characters, funny expressions and drawing sequences that tell a joke! This delightful program combines Young Rembrandts' innovative, step-by-step drawing method with light-hearted subject matter that engages children, their sense of humor, and their vivid imaginations.

MONDAY PM: Dinosaurs Rock K-3

Take home a great collection of genuine fossils & minerals with fun & fascinating hands-on activities! We Bring The Museum To You! With this hands-on exploration of the prehistoric world. "See & Touch" life-size and 5-500 million year old genuine specimens. Topics covered include Fascinating Fossils, the Miracle of Minerals, Paleontologist For A Day, the Ice Age, Prehistoric Sharks and more. Projects with REAL FOSSILS & MINERALS may include: Fossil Excavation, Crystal Geode Opening, Dinosaur Model-Building, Gemstone Panning, Shark Tooth Necklaces, Trilobite Excavation, Mammoth Bone Dig, Amber Discovery & more.

MONDAY PM: Tastes Around the World Cooking- Little Scholars K-2

Explore the tastes of the world by visiting Italy to make tiramisu, sailing to Mexico to create salsa, and cruising to France to bake crepes. Pack your bags because this is an adventure that you do not want to miss! Our chefs will mix, chop and craft the classes away!

MONDAY PM: Escape Room 3-5

In our Escape the Room program students are presented with information (such as maps, historical information, building plans, directories, props) and cryptic clues they need to solve to open locks and boxes, allowing them to eventually 'escape' within the time allocated.

The clues are often in code, requiring they first 'discover' the clue. These codes are visual, physical, mathematical and language based. Often requiring use of tools students may not have used before (screwdrivers, compasses, protractors). The clues themselves lead them answers within the materials or are sometimes general knowledge or logical reasoning.

TUESDAY AM: Drumming K-2

Want to see if you have rhythm? Allow us to direct your energy and excitement into the dynamic world of percussion. In this class students will be taught basic rhythms and techniques for drumming.

TUESDAY PM: Up, Down & Around: Navigating the Outdoors K-2

You know the world is round (or is it?), right? In this indoor/outdoor class, we'll learn how to find our place on the big globe and figure out where we are. Are we north? South? East? West? We'll trek our way around the woods to learn compass skills and how to find our way in a wooded area. And we'll look to get some big answers like: where does the sun go and why? Why do we have short and long days? How did explorers use stars and other elements of the night sky to get around? (Outdoor/Indoor classroom).

TUESDAY PM: Writopia 4-5

Welcome to Creative Writing with Writopia Lab! Have you ever been told you have too much imagination? You've come to the right place! Whether you already love writing or are just warming up to it, Writopia can show you how to harness your imagination and impress everyone with your wild

ideas and critical thinking skills. These Writopia workshops are student-centered and led by author Léna Roy. Each session is peppered with original and fun writing exercises geared to open up and improve student writing, with a goal of completing stories. Students share their writing in a safe and supportive space, learning to give and receive insightful feedback.

Hosted by Writopia and taught by local resident, an author Léna Roy. She is the author of the YA novel, *Edges*, and co-authored *Becoming Madeleine*, a Biography of the Author of *A Wrinkle in Time* by Her Granddaughters. Léna also co-edited the award-winning *Girls Write Now* anthology, *First Lines*, and her writing was featured in the essay collection for middle school kids and their teachers: *Breakfast on Mars and 37 Other Essays to Devour: Your Favorite Authors Take on the Dreaded Essay Assignment*.

TUESDAY PM: Forces of Nature- BRICKS 4 KIDZ® 3-5

Fasten your seatbelts; we're in for some wild weather! Kids will love to build motorized models of a tornado, a tsunami, an earthquake and more with our BRICKS 4 KIDZ® model plans and Lego® bricks. Each model represents the motion of that particular weather or event, with a seat for a mini-figure to take in the action! This unit is all about the amazing and powerful forces of nature, as students explore the when, where, how and why of all kinds of natural phenomenon.

WEDNESDAY AM: SPANISH LEVEL 1, Jacqueline Zerrate 2-5

The aim of this program is to instill in a relaxed way, a positive feeling for Spanish vocabulary, with emphasis on pronunciation and reading skills. The student will learn to read simple text and be enabled to use everyday expressions. Spanish level 1 consists of greetings, using verbs such as: to eat, to sleep, to like, to want, etc... By means of writing, reading, drawing, coloring, singing and interplay, the children learn complete simple sentences and their pronunciation. (i.e.: fruits, numbers, colors, foods, parts of the body, animals...)

WEDNESDAY AM: CHESS- Damian Donovan K-5

Join the KES chess team! Chess opens a child's eyes to his/her intellectual power. Young players learn to plan logically, anticipate consequences, calculate advantages, and persist in finding the right move-problem solving skills that apply to every academic subject. The class is open to all levels from absolute beginners to tournament players. Children will receive instruction on tactics and strategy. They will play supervised games and practice the art of checkmate on diagrams tailored to their level. Students are encouraged to but need not participate in weekend class tournaments. The class will be taught by Damian Donovan who brings 15 years on chess teaching experience to the KES program. Mr. Donovan has coached teams to many local and state championships and in 2009 is teams ranked among the top 5 in the nation.

WEDNESDAY PM: HANDS ON SCIENCE- Hands On Science Enrichment, Ilc K-2

This memorable class can spark a lifetime of interest in science. Explore the human body, learn about magnets, weather, sound, animals, bugs, chemistry and earth science. Touch lightning, make magnets, see bubbling dry ice, explode a volcano, make crazy chemical reactions and much more. Most classes have something for you to take home such as 2 million year old shark teeth, silly putty and solar beads. Science was never this fun.

WEDNESDAY PM - FRENCH LEVEL 1- Jacqueline Zerrate K-3

The aim of this program is to instill in a relaxed way, a positive feeling for French vocabulary, with emphasis on pronunciation and reading skills. The student will learn to read simple text and be

enabled to use everyday expressions. French level 1 consists of greetings, using verbs such as: to eat, to sleep, to like, to want, etc... By means of writing, reading, drawing, coloring, singing and interplay, the children learn complete simple sentences and their pronunciation. (i.e.: fruits, numbers, colors, foods, parts of the body, animals...)

WEDNESDAY PM: MAKE-A-MOVIE- Katherine Perry 3-5

In this class students have the opportunity to make their own short movie. Each week I bring in all the props, costumes, etc. needed for making the movies and we shoot one each week. Then the movies are edited and put onto one dvd. The final class is for parents and friends to come and watch a screening of all the movies, followed by an award ceremony where each student receives an Oscar as well as a dvd of all the movies.

WEDNESDAY PM: Challenge Island 3-5

Challenge Island takes you on an imaginary "island" adventure where you collaborate in tribes and tackle unique S.T.E.A.M. challenges using only the materials in your treasure chest and your boundless creativity. Set your clocks to go back in time on Challenge Island's action-packed Time Machine Island! You and your tribe will test your STEAM savvy as you whiz back to Ancient Egypt, The California Gold Rush, a 1970's Pinball Arcade and many other exciting eras. This incredible island is sure to be one for the history books!

THURSDAY AM: Suzuki Violin 1-3

Introduction to the violin. Students will learn to play the violin using the internationally renowned Suzuki Method, students will learn the violin basics through group instruction, songs and games. By the end of the program, students will put on their first concert. (Parent attendance and participation in the actual class is encouraged)

THURSDAY PM: KARATE- KEMPO KARATE K-3

Kempo Karate is a great activity for foundation age students. Our classes emphasize fine motor skills, balance, strength, conditioning and mastery of oneself. The exercises and activities performed during class keep the kids enthusiastic while improving their karate skills. Participants will have no physical contact during the session. Students should wear comfortable clothes and sneakers. All new students will receive a white Karate belt at start of program. Throughout the course of the program, all eligible students will be invited to earn their next colored belt at a belt rank testing ceremony, hosted by Kempo Academy of Cross River (testing fee not included).

THURSDAY PM: Fashion Trends 3-5

Have you ever wanted to create your own fashion designs? This spring you will have your chance! Learn how to use your trend-setting, fashion ideas to create one-of-a-kind wearable garments of your very own, and make your design dreams a reality. We'll teach you all you need to know about garment design and creation, from choosing a design and sketching, to final fitting! This class is suitable for beginner to advanced-level designers, as we will be sewing by hand! To top it off, you'll strut your stuff and proudly display your new, unique designs in a fashion show for friends and family! All designs are yours to keep at the end of class!

It's Fashionable! Design it! Create it! Keep it!

THURSDAY PM: Challenge Island K-2

Challenge Island takes you on an imaginary "island" adventure where you collaborate in tribes and tackle unique S.T.E.A.M. challenges using only the materials in your treasure chest and your boundless creativity. Set your clocks to go back in time on Challenge Island's action-packed Time Machine Island! You and your tribe will test your STEAM savvy as you whiz back to Ancient Egypt, The California Gold Rush, a 1970's Pinball Arcade and many other exciting eras. This incredible island is sure to be one for the history books!

Thursday Late Session 4:45-5:30 PM: Sports Spectacular- Over Time Athletics K-5

Let's Play! Save the best for last by finishing up the school day with Sports Spectacular, a variety athletic program that features different sports throughout the session. Participants will practice skills and play games in both traditional sports and playground favorites. The Sports Spectacular Variety Program features the best "to-do" list ever – Basketball, Soccer, Flag Football, Kickball, Capture the Flag, Wiffle Ball, Bump and Bite, Knights and Dragons, Numbers Game, Tag Games, Safe Base and MORE! OTA covers all the bases with our emphasis on playing, teamwork, sportsmanship, and fitness. Don't miss out on the FUN!

FRIDAY AM: FRENCH LEVEL 2- Jacqueline Zerrate 3-5

The aim of this program is to instill in a relaxed way, a positive feeling for French vocabulary, with emphasis on pronunciation and reading skills. The student will learn to read simple text and be enabled to use everyday expressions. French level 2: The group works on constructing more complex and complete sentences dealing with every day situations such as food, the dining table, parts of the body, farm animals, numbers, the family unit... The children practice pronouncing, writing, reading, singing, coloring and conversing. While learning vocabulary, the goal is to internalize and familiarize them with the fundamental sounds and construction of either language.

FRIDAY AM: Newspaper Club 2-5

Ladies and Gentlemen! Get it hot off the press! The first edition of the school newspaper needs your help. Students will enjoy this exciting class as they create authentic newspaper stories. As they are transformed into reporters and editors, the students will publish their own school newspaper.

FRIDAY PM: High Fives Running Club 3-5

Kids are natural runners, but spend a lot of time hearing "No Running!" How many times does a child hear this? No running in the halls... No running in the house... No running at the pool... It goes on and on. The HIGH FIVES RUNNING CLUB puts a stop to the "No Running" and lets the kids fly! Crawl, Stand, Walk, Jog, Run... Gradually developing the habit to run can change and impact ones life forever. This program will bring a shot of energy with the daily warm-up game, then blast off with the daily workout. Our goal for the HIGH FIVES RUNNING CLUB is to get heart rates raised and to increase endurance.

FRIDAY PM: Adventure in Art K-3

This class is for children who love to experiment with art materials. We will have new projects each term and will emphasize techniques that create surprising and exciting effects and rich textures, such as marbling, tie-dye, printmaking, mixed-media collage, melted-crayon drawings, scratchboard, and more. We'll draw, paint, sculpt, squirt, swirl, roll and stamp and let the element of discovery enhance our creativity. We'll also create animations with some of our drawings and collages to see our art in motion!

FRIDAY PM: BREAK DANCING- The Studio, School of Dance K-2

Break Dance is a high energy style of dance using today's pop hits that incorporates many different styles for a fun and exciting class!!! Such elements are street dancing, breaking, popping and locking. We know your child will enjoy this class and what better way to channel your child's energy after school!!! We are positive your child will love to move and groove to their favorite pop songs and have complete confidence that your child will be head over heels with our program.