



# Enrichment Classes

**Term III: Spring Session**

**March 23 – May 21, 2015**

**Aftercare fee added to all classes**

**Learn skills. Get thrills.**

Spring term is packed with possibilities. Crafty, brainy, sporty, zany classes offer fun and learning for every grade and interest. Our teachers have kicked it up this term with new classes in fitness fun, cool crafts, reading readiness, magical music and more! Lots of your favorites are back, ready to inspire imaginations.

**Registration starts Friday, February 27 and runs through 5 p.m. Friday, March 6.**

The earlier you register, the better your chances are of getting into classes.

The full class fee will be charged after registration. If you drop a class, you forfeit the fee.

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# Everything you need to know about Enrichment

Check out our FAQs. Got a question that's not answered here? Email [libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org](mailto:libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org).

## All Yinghua Academy students are welcome to register for classes!

### How do I sign up?

Registration is online now; see the last page of this catalog for instructions. Sign up by Friday, March 6. **DO NOT send payment; we'll bill you.**

### Can I opt out of the Aftercare fee that's bundled into the class price?

No, we've included a reduced-rate Aftercare with every class (and music lesson), so it's easier than ever to take classes. There is no option to take a class without being enrolled in Aftercare. Students can be picked up anytime, but have the option to stay as late as 6:00 on class days.

### How do I fill out the Monthly Dismissal Plan when my student is enrolled in Enrichment?

For March, sign up as you would without Enrichment; our staff will amend your March dismissal plan from March 23 through the end of the month based on our class rosters. For April and May, **AFTERCARE** on any day your student has Enrichment classes.

### What happens if the minimum number of kids don't sign up for a class?

Sadly, we have to cancel classes that don't reach minimum numbers. We'll contact you via email if that happens.

### Can I cancel a class?

No, we depend on enrollment numbers to determine if a class can run, so we consider you committed after March 6. You will be billed for the class.

### When do classes start?

Classes begin the week of March 23, once a week for eight weeks, ending the week of May 18. Friday classes do not meet on April 3, April 24 or May 22. There are **NO ENRICHMENT CLASSES** the week of April 20, with the exception of 1<sup>st</sup> grade and 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>-grade Spring Adventures. Outdoor classes Lacrosse and Tennis begin the week of April 8 and run for 6 weeks, with no classes the week of April 20.

### How long are classes?

Most classes are 45 minutes in length. Exceptions are Chess Club and Lego Enginetics (1 hour long).

### Where (and when) do I pick up my kids after Enrichment classes?

Every enrichment student needs to be signed out at our Aftercare table near door 2. There are three-ring binders organized by last name, and a sheet for each student. Sign on the line for the current day. We'll call for your student when you have signed out.

### What if my kids are sick, or someone else has to pick them up?

Call the office and let us know if your kids won't be there. If someone else is picking them up, let the office know; that person will need to show an ID.

### What else do I need to know?

Please remind your students that behavior expectations for Aftercare and Enrichment are the same as they are in the classroom.

# Spring Enrichment Classes at a Glance

The ( ) show the appropriate grade levels for each class. Find class descriptions beginning on page 4.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>4:00-4:45</b>	Clay Sampler (3-5)	Martial Arts (K-8)	Wish Upon a Ballet (K-3)	iMovie for Beginners (3-8)	Chess Club (K-8) 4:00-5:00
	Get Ready for Reading (1 <sup>st</sup> )	Really Creative Writing (2-4)	Rev Sports Lacrosse (K-2) Begins April 8	Fabric Art (K-2)	Yinghua Mural (2-8)
	Spring Adventures* (1 <sup>st</sup> )	Spring Adventures* (2-4)	Building Blocks for Reading (K)	Spring Adventures (K)	Crafty Kids (K-1)
<b>5:00-5:45</b>	Play with Clay (K-2)	Super Science (3-5)	Mad Science (K-2)	Mad About Music! (K-8)	
	Craft Works (2-4)	Huang Laoshi's Zumba Fitness Made Fun! (1-5)	Rev Sports Tennis (K-3) Begins April 8	Lego X Enginetics (1-5) 5:00-6:00	

**Classes begin the week of March 23 and end the week of May 18. NO classes the week of April 20.**

\* These two Spring Adventures classes DO meet the week of April 20 and end the week of May 11.

Friday classes meet 6 times.

Lacrosse and Tennis begin on April 8 and run for 6 weeks.

# Clay Sampler

Mondays 4:00-4:45

Grades

3-5

NEW PROJECTS this term! Clay Sampler for 3rd grade and up will be an introduction to the process of clay, including a closer look at the kiln firing process. Students will learn the basics of tools, techniques, and glazing. Students will sculpt five class days (one project for each sculpting day) and glaze three days. This class is a more advanced version of the K-2 option. Note: As part of the school curriculum this year, students will make one project in each grade; none of these projects will be the same as the enrichment projects in this class.

## The Details

- \$110 + \$80 Aftercare fee = **\$190**
- 8 Mondays: March 23, 30; April 6, 13, 27; May 4, 11, 18
- 4:00-4:45
- Sign up! We need at least 8 students to make this class work.
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## Instructor Bio

**Meghan Byram**, Yinghua art teacher extraordinaire, is building quite a following, with Enrichment classes that fill immediately, students who can't wait for after-school art class and parents who are thrilled with the artwork that comes home.

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# Get Ready for Reading

Mondays 4:00-4:45

Grade

1

Boost pre-reading skills with instruction and activities designed to improve letter recognition, letter sounds, and much more, helping to build a life-long love for reading. Students borrow a library book to read each week. This class is tailored for first grade pre-readers, not for students who are already reading fluently.

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**Kimberly Gill** is a Yinghua second- and third-grade English teacher who brings a wealth of experience in teaching kids to read.

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# Spring Adventures

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Grades

1st

**Ms. Total** is legendary across the Twin Cities for her phenomenal classes. For spring, explore the wild side of Northeast park, try geo-cache, play games, build a fort, learn camp fire skills and more. This class meets the week of April 20 to celebrate Earth Day!

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Yinghua Athletic Director and phy ed teacher **Sarah Total** wows us all year long with her creative activities for phy ed, Enrichment and Yinghua Athletics.

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# Play with Clay

Mondays 5:00-5:45

Grades

**K-2**

NEW PROJECTS this term! Clay Sampler K-2<sup>nd</sup> graders will be an introduction to the process of clay, including a closer look at the kiln firing process. Students will learn the basics of tools, techniques, and glazing. Students will sculpt five class days (one project for each sculpting day) and glaze for three days. This class is a simplified version of the 3<sup>rd</sup>-grade and up option. Note: As part of the school curriculum this year, students will make one project in each grade; none of these projects will be the same as the enrichment projects in this class.

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# Craft Works

Mondays 5:00-5:45

Grades

2-4

Crafters, this is YOUR class! Put your creative and technical skills to use making decorative and super-fun projects. You'll get plenty of time to make awesome things using paper, fabric, wood, leather, yarn, beads... and your imagination!

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## Instructor Bio

Laura Geisen designs craft, math and science projects for Aftercare, and now, will focus on special projects designed just for this class. We're so lucky to have Laura, an elementary school teacher in her former life, working with us in both Aftercare and Enrichment this term.

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# Martial Arts

Tuesdays 4:00-4:45

Grades

**K-8**

The Martial Arts class this session will help kids develop self-defense skills with traditional Japanese Shotokan karate. We will continue our work on forms, basic techniques, and self defense applications. Our focus will be on good posture, mental and physical discipline, and having fun with karate movement.

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**Sensei Gina Wood**, 2nd Dan, teaches regularly at Midwest Karate Association in Minneapolis under Sensei Robert Fusaro, 9th Dan, and has 11 years of experience teaching non-contact karate for children.

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# Really Creative Writing

Tuesdays 4:00-4:45

Grade

2-4

Most children have a natural creative streak, but as anyone who has tried it knows, getting an idea out of your head and onto a piece of paper can be very challenging! Our students in the elementary level will explore their creative writing skills by using different techniques and styles to develop through pre-writing, editing, and re-writing their masterpieces. Students will be encouraged to describe their favorite experiences using sensory language. As a community, we will learn a great deal about each through our writing and imagination!

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**Lillian Haniff**, a special education teacher at Yinghua, brings her experience in teaching, along with her own love of reading and writing, to this class.

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2-4

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# Super Science

Tuesdays 5:00-5:45

Grades

3-5

Learn about general physics and chemistry concepts in fun hands-on daily projects. Most creations can be taken home for further observation! NEW ACTIVITIES for Term III will include Color Changing Solutions, Tie Dye Milk, Inertia Investigations, Bouncy Balls, Devil Divers and more. Students will also have an opportunity to complete a science notebook that includes all project descriptions. **For younger scientists, see Mad Science for grades K-2.**

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## Instructor Bio

**Andrew Scheid** is Yinghua's middle school science teacher... and someone who loves to show science in action. (In other words, this will be a fun class!)

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# Zumba with Huang Laoshi

Fitness made FUN!

Tuesdays 5:00-5:45

Grades

1-5

It's music. It's motion. It's hip. It's fun. Our own Huang Laoshi will have kids jumping, twisting and shouting in this high-energy, uber-fun class. Kids love it because it's on the cutting edge and new, and parents love it because it's active -- and for the effects it has on kids -- increasing their focus and self-confidence, boosting metabolism, and enhancing coordination.

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## Instructor Bio

Yinghua third-grade teacher **Pin-Chen Huang** is a licensed Zumba instructor. She's excited to bring this fast-paced, super-active, music-filled fitness class to our Enrichment program!

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# Wish Upon a Ballet: Fairy Tales

Wednesdays 4:00-4:45

Grades

**K-3**

Wish Upon a Ballet is a dance program for children that incorporates popular children's stories as well as ballet stories to create a dance class that is more than ballet steps. Using musical instruments, parachutes and scarves we will create a complete fairy tale experience while we skip, leap, jump and spin. This way, an introduction to the movements and vocabulary of ballet are taught in a fun and creative manner. Children will learn an appreciation of dance and music while developing strength and flexibility. Parents, family and friends will be invited to observe a special performance at the end of each session. Come join the fun! Ballet shoes are recommended but not required.

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## Instructor Bio

**Mayer Arts** offers dance and theater classes for children all over the Twin Cities metro area. They teach proper technique, terminology, body awareness, and an appreciation for the arts with the goal that students will not only find a love for the arts but also build healthy habits and self-esteem -- skills that will be helpful to them for the rest of their lives!

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# RevSports Lacrosse

Wednesdays 4:00-4:45  
BEGINS APRIL 8

Grades

K-2

Try a fun stick-sport with fast-paced action! Revolutionary Sports provides all of the equipment and instruction. Classes are outdoors.

## The Details

- \$70 per student + \$60 Aftercare fee = **\$130**
- 6 Wednesdays: April 8, 15, 29; May 6, 13, 20
- 4:00-4:45
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## Instructor Bio

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# Building Blocks for Reading

Wednesdays 4:00-4:45

Grade

K

We're introducing a pre-reading class this term just for kindergarteners. In this class, students will engage in fun, hands-on games and activities to improve phonics awareness. They will improve letter-sound connections and develop a strong foundation for reading and spelling success! This class is for non-readers, not for students who are already reading.

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## Instructor Bio

**Meijie Goudy** is a bilingual speech-language pathologist who works with K-8 students at Yinghua. She is passionate about helping children of all abilities cultivate their love for reading!

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# Mad Science

Wednesdays 5:00-5:45

Grades

K-2

Spring term will focus on **Sense-ational Science**. Experience the sensational world of science with Mad Science(r). Light up your imagination as you blend and separate light, and trick your eyes with mirrors and optical illusions. Discover how to manipulate sound, harness the power of air, heat and static electricity. Explore food science as you practice chemistry in the kitchen and figure out how to build the perfect meal. Take home your Technicolor Blender, Periscope, Sonic Horn, Heat Sheet, Static Tube, Digestor Inspector, and Step-o-Meter. **For our older scientists, see Super Science for grades 3-5.**

## The Details

- \$125 per student + \$80 Aftercare fee = **\$205**
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## Instructor Bio

**Mad Science** is a leading science enrichment provider. They deliver unique, hands-on science experiences for children that are as entertaining as they are educational.

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# RevSports Tennis

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K-3

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# iMovies for Beginners

Thursdays 4:00-4:45

Grades

3-8

Lights! Camera! Action! Learn the in's and out's of recording and editing videos with the popular iMovie program. Students will have the opportunity for hands-on video production from start to finish.

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## Instructor Bio

**Ade Alabi** is a second- and third-grade English teacher at Yinghua, and a fan of creating fabulous videos!

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# Fabric Art

Thursdays 4:00-4:45

Grades

**K-2**

First-grade teacher Shi laoshi once again offers her popular and creative class in which students make pictures with a wide variety of fabrics. They'll explore different colors, patterns and textures as they build their masterpieces.

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Did you know that **Shi Laoshi** is not only a fabulous first-grade teacher at Yinghua, but also a designer? Don't miss the chance to share her creativity!

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## Instructor Bio

Yinghua Athletic Director and phy ed teacher **Sarah Totall** wows us all year with her creative activities for phy ed, Enrichment and Yinghua Athletics.

**Questions?** Contact Enrichment Coordinator Libby Pomroy at [libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org](mailto:libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org).

# Mad About Music!

Thursdays 5:00-5:45

Grades

**K-8**

**Learn to really appreciate music!** Listen and learn, and join activities to explore contemporary music of various genres and traditions. Music will range from contemporary classical, popular and rock, jazz, and world music. Students will be encouraged to actively listen and participate with the music, and to make their own personal observations about the sounds and feelings of the music.

## The Details

- \$80 per student + \$80 Aftercare fee = **\$160**
- 8 Thursdays: March 26; April 2, 9, 16, 30; May 7, 14, 21
- 5:00-5:45
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## Instructor Bio

**Scotty Horey** is on the faculty of the Yinghua Academy Conservatory of Music, teaching percussion. Dr. Horey (B.A., M.M.A., D.M.A.) is a passionate and versatile percussionist, drummer, and teacher. Described by *New Music Box* as "the Twin Cities' hungriest young percussionist", Dr. Horey is Assistant Professor of Percussion at the University of Minnesota Morris, Principal Percussionist of the Mankato Symphony Orchestra, drummer in the Minneapolis progressive rock band RisingSide, and a solo performer.

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# Lego X: Enginetics

Thursdays 5:00-6:00

Grades

1-5

## **LEGO MACHINES: Structures – this is a new curriculum for spring**

Build a suspension bridge, draw bridge and learn the technical aspects of structure engineering. Students will build a different structure each week and use that structure to investigate: flexibility, tension, compression and much more. Tap into your inner-architect. Sign up today!

## **The Details**

- \$120 per student + \$80 Aftercare fee = **\$200**
- 8 Thursdays: March 26; April 2, 9, 16, 30; May 7, 14, 21
- 5:00-6:00 (full hour class)
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## **Instructor Bio**

**Youth Enrichment League** brings high-quality enrichment programs and dynamic instructors to school campuses. They believe that students have certain gifts they are given, and that enrichment may serve as a channel for students to nurture those gifts. Visit <http://youthenrichmentleague.com/>

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# Chess Club

Fridays 4:00-5:00

Grades

**K-8**

Give kids a challenge. When they play chess, they exercise their brains! If they've never played before or would like to improve chess skills, Chess Club is the best place to start! Kids will learn strategies and tactics, openings, endgame, and will solve chess problems. Everyone's a winner, with medals, chess sets and other chess prizes.

## The Details

- \$70 per student + \$60 Aftercare fee = **\$130**
- 6 Fridays: March 27, April 10, 17, May 1, 8, 15
- 4:00-5:00 (full hour class)
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## Instructor Bio

**The Twin Cities Chess Club** consists of twelve professional chess instructors who have coached in over fifty schools (elementary and middle school levels) in and around the Twin Cities area. Read more at <http://twincitieschessclub.com/>

**Questions?** Contact Enrichment Coordinator Libby Pomroy at [libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org](mailto:libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org).

# Yinghua Mural

Fridays 4:00-4:45

Grades

2 +

What holds more potential than a blank, white wall? Our new building is full of them, and English teacher Jenni Hoyt will lead this class in planning and painting a mural. It's irresistible! Students in grades 2 and up can roll up their sleeves and join her, continuing with the mural started in Term II. The class is open to all students grade 2 and up, not just those who started the mural in Term II.

## The Details

- \$80 per student + \$60 Aftercare fee = **\$140**
- 6 Fridays: March 27, April 10, 17, May 1, 8, 15
- 4:00-4:45 (full hour class)
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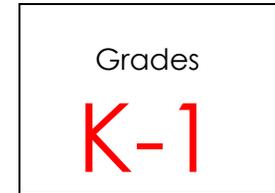
## Instructor Bio

**Jenni Hoyt**, a long-term sub in English for grades 2 and 3, has an art background and is anxious to share her expertise and add a special touch to our new building.

**Questions?** Contact Enrichment Coordinator Libby Pomroy at [libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org](mailto:libby.pomroy@yinghuaacademy.org)

# Crafty Kids!

Fridays 4:00-4:45



Here's a class just for our youngest crafters. We will focus on developing a creative eye and technical skills to make fantastically fun and useful craft items! We'll use all kinds of materials, like paper, fabric, wood, leather, yarn and beads. Join us!!

## The Details

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## Instructor Bio

**Laura Geisen** designs craft, math and science projects for Aftercare, and now, will focus on special projects designed just for this class. We're so lucky to have Laura, an elementary school teacher in her former life, working with us in both Aftercare and Enrichment this term.

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# How to register for Term III Enrichment

**Registration is online and paperless! Registration closes at 5 p.m. Friday, March 6.**

1. Go to [yinghuaacademy.org/currentfamilies/enrichment](http://yinghuaacademy.org/currentfamilies/enrichment), and click on Term III Registration Form.
2. Fill in your student's name. Add grade and section (e.g., 2A). Fill in your name and contact information.
3. Using the selection buttons, click on the classes for which you'd like to register.
4. Double-check to make sure your form is correct, then click Submit.

**That's it! Here's what happens next...**

1. You'll receive a confirmation email and invoice during the week of March 9. Your reduced-rate Aftercare fee will be included on the bill. The Aftercare fee is \$10 per class day; it's waived if you are already paying it via music lessons.
2. Return the invoice with payment to Jennifer Vanyo in the Yinghua business office **no later than March 23**. (We need payment by March 23 for your student to continue in the class.) You can email or fax the invoice if your payment is via ACH.
3. We will change your MARCH Dismissal Plan based on the rosters for Enrichment; if your students are in a class, we'll change their Dismissal Plan to Aftercare. Please mark the days that you have Enrichment classes in both April and May as AFTERCARE.
4. If a class is cancelled due to low enrollment, you'll also get a notification via email during the week of March 9.
5. Classes start right after spring break, the week of March 23, and run through May 21. No classes the week of April 20, except Spring Adventures for 1<sup>st</sup> grade and 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grade. Spring Adventures for kindergarten does not meet that week. Tennis and Lacrosse begin on April 8.
6. On class day, students with Enrichment classes in grades K and 1 will be escorted to their appropriate Aftercare rooms at dismissal time. Students in grades 2 and up must check in to Aftercare at room 236. After check-in, students will be escorted to their classes by the Aftercare staff. After class, they return to Aftercare, where you can pick them up by 6:00.