



# Sharon Community Education Enrichment Term 3, 2023-2024 Grades K-8



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# Procedures and Guidelines

The following procedures and guidelines have been established for the After-School Enrichment programs sponsored by the Sharon Public Schools for the 2023-2024 school year:

We now offer the ability to **register and pay online through our website** at [www.sharoncommunityeducation.com](http://www.sharoncommunityeducation.com). There is **no** fee for this payment service. All families, if you haven't already done so, must create an account for the family and add the child to be registered for enrichment, as this is the method for taking attendance. Payment is required at time of registration.

If you have questions regarding any of these programs, please contact the Community Education Office, 181 Pond Street, Sharon, 781-784-1574, between the hours of 9:15 AM and 4:30 PM.

Acceptance will be on a first-come/first-serve basis. Should a class sell out a waiting list will be created.

Each program has been scheduled according to the instructor's availability, as well as the facility in which the class will be held.

Activities are run only if the school is in session with the exception of classes such as Ice Skating, Tennis, Horsemanship, and Kumon as they are held at outside venues. Classes are usually not scheduled on Early Release Days. In the event of postponement, due to weather conditions or instructor unavailability, class may be extended at the end of the scheduled session.

Snacks are **not** provided. Students attending an enrichment session should bring a snack from home.

The Sharon Public Schools reserves the right to terminate or limit a child's attendance in a program when, in the judgment of the staff, the child's behavior is inappropriate.

All programs are covered under the Town of Sharon's liability insurance policy while the programs are in session and are held on Town property. Outside venues are covered by their own policies.

All After-School Enrichment Programs must be pre-paid in full and all waivers **MUST** be completed and submitted at the time of registration. Waivers are found online at the time of registration. Also, document upload is available. If waivers are not completed at least one week before the class your child will not be able to participate in the activity.

If a child is absent from school, sent home early due to illness, or dismissed early from school then similar to procedure for after school sport activities, the child will not be able to attend Enrichment Classes later on that same day.

If a child misses the Community Education Van for any reason, parents, then emergency contacts will be notified, and they are responsible for driving the child to the program.

It is the responsibility of the parents or guardians to notify Bridget Maddalena at the Community Education office at [bmaddalena@sharonschools.net](mailto:bmaddalena@sharonschools.net) or 781-784-1574 prior to 2:00 PM, if their child will be absent from the class. Communication with the child's school does not reach us.

Children are expected to ride on the Community Education Van to all the Enrichment Programs where transportation is provided. If you choose to drive your child, stay with them, and drive them home, you must notify our office of this alternate transportation for each occurrence.

If a student has an outstanding tuition balance in any Community Education Program, he/she will not be eligible to participate in additional Community Education Programs, until the balance is paid.

Failure to pick up your child by the time indicated in the program description will result in a penalty fee of \$5.00 for each five-minute interval.

**Refund Policy:** Due to prior financial obligations, tuition is non-refundable. Refunds will only be given in the event of class cancellation, a medical limitation (a doctor's note is required), or if the class is over-subscribed. Classes are not made up due to child absence, but will be made up in the event of instructor absence or weather and emergency cancellations. Refunds are subject to a processing fee.

# Enrichment Program- At A Glance

CLASSES	LOCATION	Max. # of Students	DAY/TIMES	GRADES
Tennis	Brown Billone Tennis, 153 Chestnut St., No. Easton 508-297-1599	14	<b>Mondays</b> 4:00-5:00PM	1-5
The Joy of Yoga	East Elementary 45 Wilshire Dr. 781-793-1551	14	<b>Mondays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	K-2
Expert Architects	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Mondays</b> 3:45-5:15PM	2-5
Roblox Coding & Game Design	Cottage Street Elementary 30 Cottage Street 781-784-1519	14	<b>Mondays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	1-5
LEGO Challenges	East Elementary 45 Wilshire Dr. 781-793-1551	14	<b>Tuesdays</b> 3:45- 5:15PM	K-1
Roblox Coding & Game Design	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Tuesdays</b> 3:45- 4:45PM	1-5
Kumon: Math	Kumon, 700 South Main St., Shaw's Plaza 781-762-6284	7	<b>Tuesdays</b> 3:45- 4:45PM	1-5
Kumon: Reading	Kumon, 700 South Main St., Shaw's Plaza 781-762-6284	7	<b>Tuesdays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	1-5
Horsemanship	Highwater Farms 332 North Main Street 508-269-4926	14	<b>Tuesdays</b> 4:00-5:00PM	1-5
Chess Wizards	Cottage Street Elementary 30 Cottage Street 781-784-1519	14	<b>Tuesdays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	*K-5
Theatre Class	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Tuesdays</b> 3:45-5:00PM	3-5
Chess Wizards	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Wednesdays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	*K-5
Roblox Coding & Game Design	East Elementary 45 Wilshire Dr. 781-793-1551	14	<b>Wednesdays</b> 3:45- 4:45PM	1-5
LEGO Mathematics	Cottage Street Elementary 30 Cottage Street 781-784-1519	14	<b>Wednesdays</b> 3:45-5:15PM	2-5



# Enrichment Program- At A Glance

CLASSES	LOCATION	Max. # of Students	DAY/TIMES	GRADES
Digital Comic Book Design	East Elementary 45 Wilshire Dr. 781-793-1551	14	<b>Wednesdays</b> 4:00-5:00PM	3-5
NASA Mission X: Train like an Astronaut	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Thursdays</b> 4:00-5:00PM	2-5
Tennis	Brown Billone Tennis, 153 Chestnut St., No. Easton 508-297-1599	14	<b>Thursdays</b> 4:00-5:00PM	1-5
Chess Wizards	East Elementary 45 Wilshire Dr. 781-793-1551	14	<b>Thursdays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	*K-5
Mixed Media	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	10	<b>Thursdays</b> 3:45-5:15PM	1-5
LEGO Adventures	Cottage Street Elementary 30 Cottage Street 781-784-1519	14	<b>Thursdays</b> 3:45-5:15PM	2-5
Hollywood Filmmaking	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Thursdays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	2-5
Dungeons & Dragons	Cottage Street Elementary 30 Cottage Street 781-784-1519	14	<b>Fridays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	2-5
The Joy of Yoga	Heights Elementary 454 S Main St, Sharon 781-793-9999	14	<b>Fridays</b> 3:45-4:45PM	3-5
Metrocraft	East Elementary 45 Wilshire Dr. 781-793-1551	14	<b>Fridays</b> 3:45-5:15PM	2-5

# Middle Schools Enrichment Programs- At A Glance

Dungeons & Dragons	Sharon Middle School 75 Mountain Street 781-793- 5074	10	<b>Mondays</b> 2:30-3:45PM	6-8
Digital Comic Book Design	Sharon Middle School 75 Mountain Street 781-793- 5074	20	<b>Wednesdays</b> 2:30-3:30PM	6-8

# ACADEMICS

## **Kumon: MATH** Grades 1-5

Let your child amaze you. Kumon is a program designed to help children master the basics of math and unlock the potential in each child. Students begin at a comfortable starting point, determined by our placement test, with worksheets that can be easily completed. Your child will master the basics and reach complete proficiency with each successive step. This is a wonderful opportunity for children who may be struggling in math or who would like to advance to the next level. Speed + Accuracy = Mastery.

### **CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28; June 4, 11 (**8 weeks**)

**Time:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Kumon, 700 South Main St., Shaw's Plaza (781-762-6284)

**TUITION:** \$245

## **Kumon: READING** Grades 1-5

This reading program is designed to reinforce fundamental concepts such as sentence structure, grammar, and punctuation while helping students build their vocabulary and improve their reading comprehension skills. Through daily assignments, which are adjusted based on age and skill level, students are encouraged to take personal responsibility for their learning, strengthen their concentration skills, and develop good study habits. This dual-focus on subject area mastery and work skill is the key to each student's success.

### **CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28; June 4, 11 (**8 weeks**)

**Time:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Kumon, 700 South Main St., Shaw's Plaza (781-762-6284)

**TUITION:** \$245



**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at the end of class at Kumon.

# PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES



## HORSEMANSHIP

**Grades 1-5**

Come and join us for an amazing adventure at the farm! Both new and returning students will find our sessions informative and fun! Each week we will be focusing on a different subject of hands-on horse care. Horsemanship at Highwater provides a safe, experienced environment so that every student can enjoy time spent with these magnificent creatures. **Waivers must be accessed online and returned to the Community Ed. Office prior to your child participating.**

### **CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28 **(6 Weeks)**

**TIME:** 4:00-5:00PM

**LOCATION:** Highwater Farms, 332 North Main Street, Sharon MA

**TUITION:** \$230

**TRANSPORTATION:** One-way van transportation will be provided for this class. Parents are responsible for picking up their children at Highwater Farms promptly by 5:00PM. If the farm driveway is full, please pull down the road or into the driveway of 332 North Main Street.

## TENNIS **Grades 1-5**

Experience the wonderful world of tennis. This program will introduce tennis to beginners and help build on beginner skills in those with a little tennis experience. Your young superstar will learn tennis by developing their hand-eye coordination, ball striking, control, and competitive skills. Students should bring their own racquet. Players will be organized into groups according to their tennis ability.

### **CLASS DATES:**

Monday, April 22, 29; May 6, 13, 20; June 3  
**(6 Weeks) (NO CLASS 5/27)**

Thursday, April 25; May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 **(6 Weeks)**

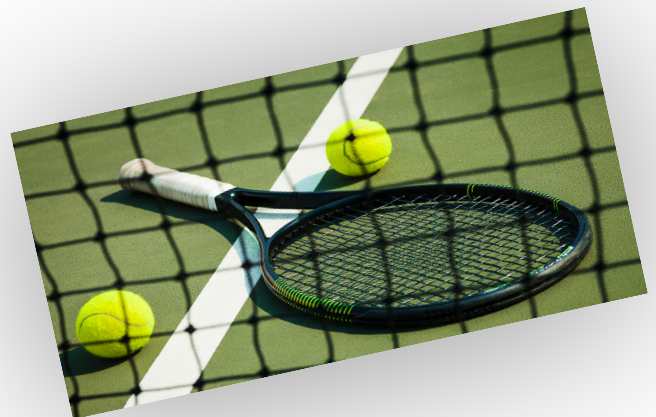
**TIME:** 4:00-5:00PM

**LOCATION:** Brown Billone Tennis, 153 Chestnut St., No. Easton (508-297-1599)

**TUITION:** \$185

**Equipment Needed:** Please make sure that your child brings their own tennis racquet and has the proper athletic attire for class.

**Transportation:** Parents are responsible for driving their child to and from Tennis.



# PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES

## The Joy of Yoga Grades K-2

When kids practice yoga, they get better with concentration and enhance memory, while improving strength, balance, and flexibility.

After-school yoga programs can not only help reduce stress, but they can help kids get fit and improve self-esteem – all of which help schools meet social emotional learning (SEL) standards.

There is a lot of evidence suggesting that social emotional learning plays a key role in a child's development. Kids yoga not only helps kids develop positive social skills and problem solve, but it leads to a happier and calmer classroom environment. It helps regulate emotions, manage stress and with problem solving.

### **CLASS DATES:**

Monday, April 8, 22, 29; May 6, 13, 20; June 3, 10  
(No Class 4/15 & 5/27)

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** East Elementary

**TUITION:** \$185

**EQUIPMENT:** Yoga Mats are required. If you do not have a Yoga Mat one will be provided. Mats are limited.

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from the East Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

## The Joy of Yoga Grades 3-5

When kids practice yoga, they get better with concentration and enhance memory, while improving strength, balance, and flexibility.

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### **CLASS DATES:**

Wednesday, April 10, 24; May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29;  
June 5 (No Class 4/17)

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$185

**EQUIPMENT:** Yoga Mats are required. If you do not have a Yoga Mat one will be provided. Mats are limited.

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).





# STEAM

## LEGO ADVENTURES

Grades 2-5

Get Your Lego Game On!

Are you a Lego master? If so, it's time to show off your skills! Each week in Lego Adventures, there is a new challenge to build: from skyscrapers to farms, bridges to airports, space stations to main streets, and everything in between! First, our Right Brain Curriculum instructors will review the history of what we are about to build: How airports graduated from landing strips to vast travel networks, how Depression-era farms survived hordes of grasshoppers, how aeroelasticity explains why the Tacoma bridge nicknamed "Galloping Gertie" collapsed. Then, it's time to build! You will create a model of each type of structure out of an enormous assortment of provided Legos, then present your creation as we photograph and document it. Learning and Legos: A perfect match!

### **CLASS DATES:**

Thursday, April 25; May 2, 16, 23, 30; June 6  
**(6 WEEKS) (NO Class 5/9)**

**TIME:** 3:45-5:15PM

**LOCATION:** Cottage Street Elementary School

**TUITION:** \$180

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:15PM from Cottage Street Elementary (Door #5).



## Expert Architects

Grades 2-5

Calling all architects! The next great skyscraper is waiting to be built! Form your architectural firm and start imagining the building of your dreams. Our Right Brain Curriculum instructors will guide you along the way – from the mathematical calculations every good architect must make to the history of how the elevator revolutionized Manhattan. Then you'll be ready to build! You will consider the environment, transportation, parking, and green space as you create a working blueprint for your creation. Then you'll bring it to life as a Lego model! You will present your work to your peers and demonstrate how your tower will be the next great building of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. The sky's the limit! Check out the program in action:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fbKR6BD7cww>

### **CLASS DATE:**

Monday, April 22, 29; May 6, 13, 20; June 3  
**(6 weeks) (NO CLASS 5/27)**

**TIME:** 3:45-5:15PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$185

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:15PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

# STEAM



## LEGO Challenges Grades K-1

If you love building with Legos, this is the class for you! Each week you will be challenged to create a sensational Lego scene. Each challenge is a mystery that your teacher will reveal – A helicopter rescue scene? A space shuttle launch site? Lego Godzilla attacking a city?? Best be ready for anything! Then it's off to the races as you and a partner have limited time to create your scene and present it to the class. Presentation skills will be key as you try to persuade your classmates that your Lego creation is #1. Our Right Brain Curriculum Instructors will help you use persuasive language, eye contact and proper posture for perfected presentations. Legos and Public Speaking, now that's a match!

### **CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28 **(6 WEEKS)**

**TIME:** 3:45-5:15PM

**LOCATION:** East Elementary School

**TUITION:** \$185

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:15PM from East Elementary (Door #2).

## Metrocraft Grades 2-5

Join our community as we build and govern a world-class Minecraft city, complete with everything needed for incoming residents! Build, budget and furnish your own house. Plan a marketing campaign as you create your own business. Design a flag to represent your community after examining flags and their symbols and colors from around the world. Serve on the city council and vote to shape the city's future as you help create a constitution of laws for your citizens. Plan public transportation routes and determine crucial city infrastructure. Our Right Brain Curriculum teachers will guide you through demonstrating how math, economics, and community-building are key to a successful, working urban environment. STEAM skills have never been so much fun!

### **CLASS DATE:**

Friday, April 26; May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 **(6 weeks)**

**TIME:** 3:45-5:15PM

**LOCATION:** East Elementary

**TUITION:** \$186

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:15PM from the East Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).



# STEAM

## LEGO MATHEMATICS

Grades 2-5

Legos Make Math More Fun!

Put away those workbooks, let's learn math with Legos! Each week you will be tasked with a Lego project to build – from mansions to skyscrapers, swimming pools to zoos. But there's a catch! Each project will require you to use a particular math concept. Your pool model might require a perimeter of exactly 16 inches. Or your skyscraper budget may call for a mezzanine that totals exactly \$250 as calculated in Lego bricks. Our Right Brain Curriculum teacher will have your back – they will review key concepts including area, perimeter, measurement, probability, geometry, decimals, and estimation. Create your Lego models and then get ready to solve word-problems upon completion. You will have so much fun constructing your Lego creations, you might just forget you're learning!

### **CLASS DATES:**

Wednesday, April 24; May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 (6 Weeks)

**TIME:** 3:45-5:15PM

**LOCATION:** Cottage Street School

**TUITION:** \$185

**Transportation:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:15PM from Cottage Street Elementary (Door #5).



## NASA ASTRONAUT TRAINING Mission X: Train

Like an Astronaut

Grades 2-5

In this mini course, you will perform exercises similar to the training of real NASA astronauts. We will practice training with an actual NASA curriculum that was designed to teach about strength, agility and cardiovascular endurance. There will even be crew survival challenges enhancing social emotional learning. We will have the opportunity to design and fly water rockets, and study the effects of gravity on the human body. An integral part of the class will be the assembling of NASA provided cardstock models, enabling the students to explore and study the latest in space flight vehicles.

### **CLASS DATES:**

Thursday, April 4, 11, 25; May 2, 16, 23, 30 (7 Weeks)

**TIME:** 4:00-5:00PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary School

**TUITION:** \$175

**TRANSPORTATION:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:00PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

# STEAM

## Digital Comic Book Design Grades 3-5

Comic books are viewed as a simple hobby, but their enduring popularity suggests that they're much more than that. Comic books have served as a way to imagine the world we want to live in, who we aspire to be, and how to solve our toughest societal problems. Thus, comic books have created a language through which to express the values we consider heroic and worth pursuing. Some of our most important heroes were created in response to global political turmoil, like World War II and the Vietnamese War.

It is important to give children the tools with which to imagine alternative realities that they are in complete control of. The benefit of doing so in the present is that computational advances have enabled us to design in three dimensions, with unprecedented realism and control. Our instructors will have the opportunity to expose children to 3D modeling, algebra and geometry, computer programming, graphic design, literary analysis, narrative development, characterization, and story arcs.

### **CLASS DATES:**

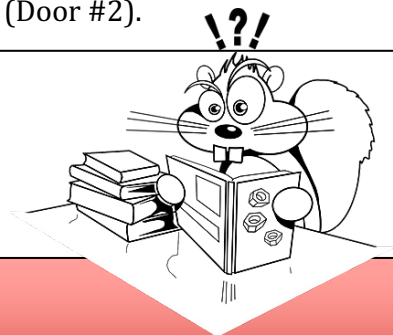
Wednesday, April 3, 10, 24; May 1, 8, 15  
**(6 weeks) (NO CLASS 4/17)**

**TIME:** 4:00-5:00PM

**LOCATION:** East Elementary

**TUITION:** \$153

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:00PM from East Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).



## Digital Comic Book Design Grades 6-8

Comic books are viewed as a simple hobby, but their enduring popularity suggests that they're much more than that. Comic books have served as a way to imagine the world we want to live in, who we aspire to be, and how to solve our toughest societal problems. Thus, comic books have created a language through which to express the values we consider heroic and worth pursuing. Some of our most important heroes were created in response to global political turmoil, like World War II and the Vietnamese War.

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### **CLASS DATES:**

Wednesday, April 3, 10, 24; May 1, 8, 15  
**(6 weeks) (NO CLASS 4/17)**

**TIME:** 2:30-3:30PM\*

**LOCATION:** Middle School

**TUITION:** \$153

**Transportation:** Parents are expected to arrive at door #24 of Sharon Middle School library promptly at 3:30PM to dismiss their students from the program. If you would like your student to be dismissed another way when the program ends you must contact the Community Ed. office. **\*Late bus will pick up at 3:45PM.**

# STEAM

## CHESS Grades \*K-5

Enter into the magical and exciting world of chess with Chess Wizards! You will participate in epic chess games, fun and interactive lessons, tournaments, team matches, trivia and more! Our specialized classes are a blast for everyone. Whether you have been playing chess for your entire life and want to improve, are brand new to the game, or you just want to have a fun experience with your friends - Chess Wizards is the place for you! **Due to the popular demand of this class, it will be offered at your child's home school location. When registering, be sure to select the correct school for which your child attends during the school day. Transportation to a different school is NOT provided.**

### **CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 2, 9, 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28  
**(8 Weeks) (NO CLASS 4/16)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Cottage Street Elementary

**TUITION:** \$200

**TRANSPORTATION:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from Cottage Street Elementary (Door #5).

### **CLASS DATES:**

Wednesday, April 3, 10, 24; May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29  
**(8 Weeks) (NO CLASS 4/17)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$200

**TRANSPORTATION:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

### **CLASS DATES:**

Thursday, April 4, 11, 25; May 2, 16, 23, 30; June 6  
**(8 Weeks) (NO CLASS 4/18 & 5/9)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** East Elementary

**TUITION:** \$200

**TRANSPORTATION:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from East Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

\* Although classes are geared for grades 1-5, the instructor can accommodate Kindergarten students. Kindergarten students will be the youngest in class and may be paired with older students when playing. They also need to be able to stay one hour in class.



# TEAM BUILDING & COOPERATIVE GAMING

## DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

Grades 2-5

Our exciting and imaginative program provides a fun and engaging way for students to develop their social, problem-solving, and teamwork skills while exploring the thrilling world of D&D.

Students are grouped into teams and assigned a dungeon master, who will guide them through a fantastical world filled with monsters, treasure, and challenges. Students will work together to overcome obstacles and complete quests, fostering a sense of camaraderie and teamwork that will serve in all areas of life.

Not only is D&D an incredibly fun and engaging game, but it also promotes creativity, imagination, and critical thinking skills. Through role-playing and storytelling, students will develop their communication and social skills, while also building their confidence and self-esteem.

Join us on an epic adventure that will leave you with memories to last a lifetime!

### **CLASS DATES:**

Friday, April 5, 12, 26; May 3, 10, 17 **(6 WEEKS)**  
**(NO CLASS 4/19)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Cottage Street Elementary

**TUITION:** \$150

**Transportation:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from Cottage Street Elementary (Door #5).

**LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE!**

## DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

Grades 6-8

Join us at SMS as we delve into the exciting world of Dungeons and Dragons! Dungeons and Dragons is a cooperative storytelling role playing game. It allows students to practice many social skills as well as mathematical/problem solving skills. Members will go on adventures, fight monsters, discover treasures, and explore a mystical world. It's an amazingly fun time where unforgettable memories are made. All experience levels welcome!

### **CLASS DATES:**

Monday, April 1, 8, 22, 29; May 6, 13, 20; June 3  
**(8 WEEKS) (NO CLASS 4/15 & 5/27)**

**TIME:** 2:30-3:45PM\*

**LOCATION:** Middle School

**TUITION:** \$130

**Transportation:** Parents are expected to arrive at door #24 of Sharon Middle School library promptly at 3:45PM to dismiss their students from the program. If you would like your student to be dismissed another way when the program ends you must contact the Community Ed. office. **\*Late bus will pick up at 3:45PM.**



# GAMING PLATFORM

## ROBLOX CODING AND GAME DESIGN

### Grades 1-5

Bring your game ideas to life in Roblox! We'll guide you through the lifecycle of game development; you'll sketch an idea, design your games, and complete a finished product! You'll use the Lua programming language to create in Roblox's 3D design studio while mastering real world programming concepts. Whether you're completely new to coding or a master, Roblox's game design engine offers some incredibly fun challenges. We offer a unique and collaborative approach to programming and game design that will allow kids to develop their creativity while fostering an interest in practical skills. **Due to the popular demand of this class, it will be offered at your child's home school location. When registering, be sure to select the correct school for which your child attends during the school day. Transportation to a different school is NOT provided.**

**CLASS DATES:**

Monday, April 22, 29; May 6, 13, 20; June 3  
**(6 WEEKS) (No Class 5/27)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Cottage Street Elementary

**TUITION:** \$162 (no device rental)  
\$192 (with device rental)

**Equipment Needed:** Roblox requires a PC/Mac. Students are required to bring device from home if opting not to rent one.

**Transportation:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from Cottage Street Elementary (Door #5).

**CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28  
**(6 WEEKS)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$162 (no device rental)  
\$192 (with device rental)

**Equipment Needed:** Roblox requires a PC/Mac. Students are required to bring device from home if opting not to rent one.

**Transportation:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

**CLASS DATES:**

Wednesday, April 24; May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 **(6 WEEKS)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** East Elementary

**TUITION:** \$162 (no device rental)  
\$192 (with device rental)

**Equipment Needed:** Roblox requires a PC/Mac. Students are required to bring device from home if opting not to rent one.

**Transportation:** Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from East Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

# THE ARTS



## Mixed Media Grades 1-5

Enjoy your creativity and imagination using mixed-media. Students will explore acrylics on canvas, wood, and plexi-glass. They will learn about:

- Watercolor techniques
- Pointillism
- Impasto
- Great Masters
- Squeegee art
- Composition
- Different brushes
- Clay sculpting
- Bass relief
- Pastels
- Oil pastels
- Sand
- Fabric paint
- Gel crayons
- Changeables
- The color wheel

### **CLASS DATES:**

Thursday, April 25; May 2, 16, 23, 30; June 6 **(6 Weeks)**  
**(NO CLASS 5/9)**

**TIME:** 3:45-5:15PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$170

**TRANSPORTATION:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:15PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).

## Theatre Class Grades 3-5

Through creative games, improvisations, and coaching, this course will build skills in acting, singing, and collaboration. Students will get hands on experience and coaching from one of the areas well known drama coaches, Laura Canfield, who runs the LRC theatre program through the Marilyn Rodman Performing Arts Center in Foxboro (formerly the Orpheum).

### **CLASS DATES:**

Tuesday, April 23, 30; May 7, 14, 21, 28; June 4  
**(7 Weeks)**

**TIME:** 3:45-5:00PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$200

**TRANSPORTATION:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 5:00PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).





# THE ARTS

## Hollywood Filmmaking Grades 2-5

Come film with Athena! We'll guide you as you turn your idea into an amazing script, and then we'll help you bring it to life!

All students are divided into production teams; together, they'll brainstorm their ideas, and then collaboratively draft a script with a part for everyone. As students work, we'll hold group workshops, where we help them with their:

- Script formatting and styling
- Character design
- Writing dialogue
- Storyboarding and plot-mapping

Then we move onto filming! Students will act out their own scripts, starring in the parts they themselves wrote. They'll also take turns behind the camera, shooting with iPads. We'll give guidance to students as they star in, film, and edit their movies with experienced advice on:

- Special effects and green-screen editing
- Shot composition and panning
- Lighting and sound effects

Each movie will be shown at the end of the class and a copy sent home!

### **CLASS DATES:**

Thursday, April 4, 11, 25; May 2, 16, 23 **(6 Weeks) (NO CLASS 4/18 & 5/9)**

**TIME:** 3:45-4:45PM

**LOCATION:** Heights Elementary

**TUITION:** \$150

**TRANSPORTATION:** One-way van transportation is provided to this program. Parents are responsible for picking up their child promptly at 4:45PM from the Heights Elementary Cafeteria (Door #2).



# MUSIC ENRICHMENT



**Piano-Thursdays**

## Music Lessons



**Clarinet-Thursdays**



**Guitar-Tuesdays**



**Flute- Tuesdays**

### Music Enrichment:

We offer weekly, private 30 minute lessons for children grades 3 - 12 after school at Sharon Middle School. Children must bring their own instruments and parents are responsible for transportation to and from lessons.



[www.sharoncommunityeducation.com/enrichment-programs](http://www.sharoncommunityeducation.com/enrichment-programs)

# ADULT EDUCATION

# Spring Adult Education

**Registration is open! Visit:**

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# 2023-2024 SCHOOL CALENDAR

## Sharon Public Schools - Sharon, MA School Calendar - 2023-2024

### SCHOOL COMMITTEE APPROVAL FEBRUARY 1, 2023

August/September							October 2023						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
27	28	29	30	31	1	2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	29	30	31				

November 2023							December 2023						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4						1	2
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30			24	25	26	27	28	29	30

January 2024							February 2024						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6					1	2	3
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29		

March 2024							April 2024						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2						1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	28	29	30				

May 2024							June 2024						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4							1
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
26	27	28	29	30	31		23	24	25	26	27	28	29

### Listed Below: Start Dates, Early Release Dates, Open House Dates & No School Dates

08/28	Teachers Start
08/30	First Day of School - Grades 1 - 12
08/31	First Day of School - Kindergarten
09/05	First Day Early Childhood
09/01	Labor Day- No School
09/04	Labor Day- No School
	Sharon High School Open House
09/19	Early Childhood Center Open House
09/20	Middle School Open House, Gr. 6
09/21	Middle School Open House, Gr. 7,8
	Elementary Open House K - 2
	Elementary Open House 3 - 5
09/25	Yom Kippur- No School
10/09	Indigenous People's Day- No School
10/11	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS
11/09	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS (ELEM, ECC Conferences)
11/10	Veteran's Day - No School
11/14	Early Release - ALL BUILDINGS (ELEM Conferences)
11/16	Early Release - ELEMENTARY/ECC (ELEM, ECC Conferences)
11/22 - 11/24	Thanksgiving Recess- No School
12/14	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS
12/23 - 01/01	December Recess - No School
01/10	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS
01/15	Martin Luther King Day- No School
02/19 - 02/23	February Recess - No School
03/12	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS (ELEM, ECC Conferences)
03/19	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS (ELEM, ECC Conferences)
03/21	Early Release ELEMENTARY/ECC (ELEM, ECC Conferences)
03/29	Good Friday- No School
04/15 - 04/19	April Recess - No School
05/09	Early Release ALL BUILDINGS
05/16	Early Release ECC Only
05/27	Memorial Day- No School
06/02	SHS Graduation
06/13	180th Day of School (if no snow days)
06/19	Juneteenth - No School
06/21	185th day of school (if five snow days are used)

Last Day of School - Half Day, Tentative (Last day of school dependent on snow days)

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