

Princeton Charter School

After School Programs and Activities – Fall 2021

Chess

Students who wish to enroll in chess this fall must take note of the days on which chess is offered for their grade / level groups. **Space is limited to 12 students per group.**

The **fall sign-up sheet is available here** and must be completed as soon as possible.

Please send the form and fee to: Princeton Charter School, Attn: Lindsey Donaldson, 100 Bunn Drive, Princeton, NJ, 08540. Parents will receive an email that confirms registration in the program. (A waitlist will be maintained should applications exceed spots.)

- Mondays - 3:30 – 4:30 PM - Grades 1 and 2, all players
- Mondays - 4:30 – 5:30 PM - Kindergarten, all players
- Tuesdays - 3:30 – 4:30 PM - Grades 3 -4, intermediate
- Tuesdays - 4:30 – 5:30 PM - Grades 3 -6, beginners
- Wednesdays - 3:30 – 5:00PM - Grades 5-8, advanced, and all tournament players

Application forms: Please see the attached.

Annual Fee: \$150 per trimester/\$450 per year.

Chess Master: Mr. Miguel Iniquez

Registration and Fees: Ms. Lindsey Donaldson

Gardening and Environment Clubs

The following club activities are offered:

- Rain or Shine, grade 2
- Rain or Shine, grades 3 and 4

Information and updates are available in the newsletter, and are also shared with the students during morning homeroom announcements.

Rain or Shine – Gardening (September 14 to October 26)

Tuesdays - 3:15 - 4:30 PM – Grade 2

Wednesdays - 3:15 - 4:30 PM – Grade 3 and 4

Club Advisors – Mrs. Amy Vallone and Ms. Jana Clever

Application forms: Please see the attached.

Math and Science Clubs

The following club activities are offered:

- MathCounts, grades 7 and 8 (and accelerated 6th)
- MathCounts Prep, grades 5 and 6
- Science Bowl, grades 6-8

Information and updates are available in the newsletter, and are also shared with the students during morning homeroom announcements.

MathCounts

Club days – Thursday, 3:15 - 4:30 PM

Coaches – Mrs. Sabina Khachatryan

MathCounts Prep

Club days – TBA, 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Coaches – Mr. Arthur Eisenbach

Science Bowl

Club days: Wednesdays in the fall. A small group of students will continue practicing through the winter.

Time: 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Coaches: Ms. Laura Celik, Mrs. Suzanne Ritter

Application form: For more information and to sign up, guardians should read and complete the [permission form](#) (tinyurl.com/hawksSciBowl) before September 22

Music Clubs

The following club activities are offered:

- Orchestra, grades 5-8
- Recorders/Ukes, grade 5 (Grade 4 during class time)
- Prep Orchestra – Wind, brass, percussion, grades 3-4 and older beginners
- Prep Orchestra – Strings, grades 3-4 (no beginners, must read music)
- Piano Ensemble, grades 5-8 (To be confirmed)
- Jazz Ensemble, grades 5-8

Information and updates are available in the newsletter, and are also shared with the students during morning homeroom announcements.

Director of Music: Mrs. Jeanne Nahan

Orchestra

Rehearsals - Wednesday evenings, 5:45 – 7:00 PM

Director / Conductor - Mr. Tom Vacca

Application form: <https://forms.gle/9GegZFjaX5gqwbuE7>

Recorders or Ukes

Rehearsals - Monday, 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Director - Mrs. Jeanne Nahan

Prep Orchestra – Strings

Rehearsals - Wednesday, 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Director - Mrs. Jeanne Nahan

Application form: <https://forms.gle/52Gj8Ynk5NA1W16s8>

Prep Orchestra – Wind, Brass, Percussion Instruments

Rehearsals - Thursday, 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Director - Mrs. Jeanne Nahan

Application form: <https://forms.gle/52Gj8Ynk5NA1W16s8>

Piano Ensemble (To be confirmed)

Rehearsals - Piano Ensemble, 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Director - Mrs. Jeanne Nahan

Jazz Ensemble

Rehearsals - Tuesday, 3:15 – 4:30 PM

Director - Mr. Brian Ciuffreda

Application form: <https://forms.gle/9WViPof6cABRehbD9>

Newspaper Club, WordMasters Challenge

The following club activities are offered:

- Newspaper Club, grades 5-8
- WordMasters Challenge, grades 5 and 6

Information and updates are available in the newsletter, and are also shared with the students during morning announcements.

Newspaper Club

Club days - TBA

Advisor – Mr. David Myers

WordMasters Challenge, Grades 3-4

Club days –Tuesdays

Time: Straight after dismissal

Advisor – Ms. Sandy Noyelle

WordMasters Challenge, Grades 5-6

Club days –TBD

Time: Straight after dismissal

Advisor – Ms. Erinn Auletta

Service Clubs, and Peer Leader Activities

The following club activities are offered:

- K-2 Crew, grades 7 and 8
- Operation Smile, grades 5-8
- Peer Leaders, grade 8
- Student Council, grades 5-8

Information and updates are available in the newsletter, and are also shared with the students during morning announcements.

K-2 Crew (7th and 8th grade only)

Club days - TBA

Advisor – Mrs. Sue Kushner

Peer Leaders (8th grade only)

Club days - TBA

Advisor – Mrs. Sue Kushner

Operation Smile

Club days – Alternate Wednesdays, 7:30 -8:15 AM

Advisor – Mr. Brian Ciuffreda

Student Council (5th – 8th grade)

Club days - TBA

Advisor – Mrs. Sue Kushner

Sports – Fall

The following sports activities are offered:

- Cross Country

- Field Hockey
- Soccer

Information, schedules, and updates are available on the school website at [http://www.pcs.k12.nj.us/userfiles/files/Sport%20-%20Fall%20Schedule%202021\(3\).pdf](http://www.pcs.k12.nj.us/userfiles/files/Sport%20-%20Fall%20Schedule%202021(3).pdf) and in the newsletter that is distributed via PowerSchool every Tuesday that school is in session.

Athletic Director: Mr. Mark Papp

Assistant Athletic Director: Jeff Madia

Cross Country

Practice days – Monday, Tuesday, Thursday

Meets - See <http://www.pcs.k12.nj.us/> (Sports Participation: Information and Schedules is under *Current Students* on the home page)

Coaches – Mr. Aaron Burt

Field Hockey

Practice days – Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Meets - See <http://www.pcs.k12.nj.us/> (Sports Participation: Information and Schedules is under *Current Students* on the home page)

Coaches – Mr. Dan Johnsen

Soccer

Practice days – Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Meets - See <http://www.pcs.k12.nj.us/> (Sports Participation: Information and Schedules is under *Current Students* on the home page)

Coaches – Ms. Anna Burd

Wellness

The following activities will be offered:

- Yoga Club for Kids – Grades 3-5, 6-8

Yoga Club for Kids – Registration details in the newsletter

Club days: Tuesday

Time: 3:15 – 4:00 PM

Mentor: Mrs. Sue Kushner