



Important Notes

Registration Policy:

Print registration forms on our website or pick one up at the office anytime. Classes are filled on a "first come-first served" basis.

Mail or drop off your registration and payment (and/or financial aid form) at least 2 weeks prior to the first class. Call us for late registration availability.

Checks may be made out to OCYL. If paying with cash, please come in during regular office hours for a receipt.

Registration forms without payment and/or a financial aid form will not be accepted at any time.

Class Updates: Please check our website and Facebook Fan Page for class updates. If Cumberland Public Schools are canceled, OCYL classes are also canceled. Families will be notified via email if a class is canceled due to any other unforeseen circumstances.

Cancellation Policy: The OCYL reserves the right to cancel any class that does not have the minimum number of students enrolled which varies by program. The decision to run or cancel a class is made two weeks prior to the start of the program based on enrollment.

Refund Policy : Refunds are given only for programs canceled by the OCYL or requested more than two weeks prior to the first class. OCYL makes financial commitments to teachers and suppliers that cannot be reversed less than 2 weeks prior to the first day of class.



We Appreciate Your Support!

OCYL is a town department, however, our programs are run through grants, donations, and program fees. Tax-deductible donations to our foundation, CLEF, are always welcome.

WINTER 2012 PROGRAMS



OCYL : Expanding your child's opportunities to learn and achieve with year-round education programs.

Print registration forms at:
WWW.OCYL.ORG

The Office of Children,
Youth & Learning
1464 Diamond Hill Rd., Suite 2
Cumberland, RI 02864
401-475-0929
info@ocyl.org

Find the OCYL entrance at the Monastery adjacent to the Cumberland Public Library.

Early Childhood LITERACY

18-Week Session for Ages 4-6

Children will learn literacy skills through poems, songs and reinforcement activities. This course is designed to get readers and non-readers engaged in reading and writing. Children who are *re*-registering will continue to gain valuable skills in rhyme, vocabulary and expanded reading ability.

The curriculum was created at the prestigious Bank Street College of Education in New York. It is taught by certified Rhode Island teachers with Masters degrees in Early Childhood and Literacy. **9 - 11 AM or 1- 3 PM**

Choose M/W or T/TH

Mon. & Wed. January 9 – May 30

(no class 1/16, 2/20 & 22, 4/16 & 18, 5/28)

Tues. & Thurs. January 10 - May 24

(no class 2/21 & 23, 4/17 & 19)

Per Pupil Cost: Non-Residents: \$720

Cumberland Residents: \$360

Cumberland Residents receive this 50% discount

due to the support of the Town Of Cumberland.

FREE for free/reduced lunch. Additional aid also available.



Early Childhood Spanish For Fun!

10-Week Session for Ages 3-5

Mondays: Jan. 23– April 2

Learn Spanish together! You and your child will learn words and songs in Spanish. Parent/guardian will join the children so the whole family can participate. Lessons are geared for children ages 3-5, but other young children are welcome. **REGISTER by 1/9/12**

9:30 AM - 10:15 AM (no class 2/20)

Per pupil cost: \$60 (1st child) \$15 each additional child ages 2-6 in the same family.

Early Childhood NUMBER SENSE

18-Week Session for Ages 4-6

Children will learn math concepts through songs, hands-on activities, and everyday math related experiences. This course will focus on the concept of "number" (counting, determining relative quantities, less and more), and basic operations such as adding and subtracting.

Choose **9 - 11 AM or 1 - 3 PM**

Fridays Jan.13 - June 1 (no class 2/24, 4/6 & 4/20)

Per Pupil Cost: Non-Residents: \$360

Cumberland Residents: \$180

Cumberland Residents receive this 50% discount due to the support of the Town Of Cumberland.

Register by 1/22/11

Literacy and Number Sense

Prerequisites: Children must be able to use the bathroom independently and to be able to separate easily from parents/caregivers. All classes are held at OCYL. Remember to submit application for Financial Aid with registration.

Early Childhood MUSIC & MOVEMENT

12 - Week Session for Ages 0-4

Wednesdays: Jan. 11 - April 4 (no class 2/22)

Accompanied by a parent/guardian the children will explore musical development. Activities will include vocal play, sounds, rhythm, language and genuine silly fun while learning tonality and more. Educational Tips and Curriculum Concepts will be shared with the participating adult.

Ages 0-2: 9:15 AM - 9:45 AM

Ages 2-4: 10:00 AM- 10:45 AM

Register by 12/22/11 Per Pupil Cost: \$120

← See the next page for Elementary thru Teen programs.



CERAMICS

6-Week Sessions for Grades K-5

Fridays, Jan. 13 - Feb. 17 Spring TBA

Work with wet clay to create finished pieces fired in a kiln. Taught by a local professional artist.

Grades K-2: 3:45 - 4:45 PM

Grades 3-5: 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Materials fee: \$10 (Financial Aid does not cover materials fee.)

REGISTER by 12/30/11 Per Pupil Cost: \$60 + \$10 fee



CHESS

10-Week Session for Ages 8-14

Tuesdays, Jan. 10 - Mar. 20 (no class 2/21)

Play with instruction from a chess Master! See website for a description of levels.

Beginners: 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Intermediate: 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Advanced: 6:30 - 7:30 PM

REGISTER by 1/6/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$100



CHORUS

10-Week Session for Grades 1-5

Mondays, Jan. 23 - April 2

(no class 2/20) Sing in a group led by a certified music teacher to learn new songs and vocal techniques.

Grades 1-5: 4:30 - 5:30 PM

REGISTER by 1/9/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$100



Destination ImagiNation®

8-Week Session, Jan. - March
Tournament on 3/31/12


This is an educational program in which student teams solve open ended challenges and present their solutions at Tournaments. Builds teamwork, problem solving and increasing creativity. Learn more at www.IDODI.org.

Multiple dates and times for groups of grade levels. Please contact us and check ocyl.org for more details!

REGISTER by 1/9/12

Per Pupil Cost: \$80 K/\$95 Grades 1-8

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT FOR EACH CLASS IS DUE AT LEAST 2 WEEKS PRIOR TO FIRST CLASS.

GO TO WWW.OCYL.ORG for updates and to our "fan page" on FACEBOOK for class pictures and messages. 



JEWELRY DESIGN

8-Week Session for Grades 3-12

Wednesdays, Feb. 1- Mar. 28 (no class 2/22)

Learn about the history of beads and jewelry making while learning techniques to make your own! Work with polymer, paper and more to make unique beads and several pieces of jewelry. Bring jewelry tools if you have them! Older students will attempt more difficult designs and techniques.

Grades 3- 5: 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Grades 6-8: 6 - 7 PM/Grades 9-12: 7:15-8:15 PM

REGISTER by 1/18/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$80



MATH MATTERS!

Three 4-Week Sessions for Grades 1-6

Saturdays, Jan. - May

(no class 2/18 & 2/25)

A Certified Math instructor will teach hands-on math activities and games to enhance the school year curriculum. Details on weekly topics will be available on our website.

Session 1: Jan. 28- Mar. 3

Session 2: Mar. 10-31

Session 3: Apr. 28- May 19

Grades 1-2: 1- 1:45 PM

Grades 3-4: 2- 2:45 PM

Grades 5-6: 3- 3:45 PM

REGISTER by 1/13/12, 2/24 & 4/13

Per Pupil Cost: \$40 per session



ROBOTICS

8-Week Session for Grades 4-8

Saturdays, Jan. 21 - Mar. 24 (no class: 2/18 & 2/25)

Discover science and technology through basic engineering concepts, teamwork, creative thinking, and sportsmanship. The hands-on class is based on Lego Mindstorms® programs.

Robotics 101: 12:30 - 2:30 PM is for those without previous experience building and programming robots.

Robotics in Action: 2:45 - 4:45 PM is for those who have taken Robotics 101 and would like new challenges.

REGISTER by 1/6/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$95



SPANISH

8-Week Session for Grades 1-6

Mondays, Jan. 30 - Mar. 26 (no class 2/20)

Get a head start on language learning and have fun learning conversational Spanish with a certified Spanish teacher.

Grades 1 - 3: 4 - 4:45 PM

Grades 4 - 6: 5 - 5:45 PM

REGISTER by 1/13/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$80



VISUAL ART

8 & 10-Week Sessions for Grades K-8

Thursdays

Winter: Jan. 12 - Mar. 22 (no class 2/23)

Spring: April 5 - May 31 (no class 4/19)

Create new art projects using different techniques, processes and materials with a certified art teacher.

Grades K-3: 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Grades 4-8: 5:45 - 6:45 PM

WINTER: REGISTER by 12/29/11 Per Pupil Cost: \$100

SPRING: REGISTER by 3/22/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$80

CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR FEB. & APR. VACATION PROGRAMS!



WATERCOLOR PAINTING

6-Week Session for Grades 3-5 & 6-12

Tuesdays, Jan. 17- Feb. 28 (no class 2/21)

Everyone is artistic and has creative spirit! Explore *your* inner artist and the wonder and beauty of the world around us through watercolor painting with a professional artist.

Grades 3 - 5: 4:00 - 5:30 PM

Grades 6 - 12: 6:30 - 8:00 PM

REGISTER by 1/6/12 Per Pupil Cost: \$75

OCYL programs are *free* for Cumberland families whose children are eligible for free or reduced lunch.

To qualify: submit a copy of the annual approval letter for free/reduced lunch along with registration and a completed financial aid form.

Limited financial aid is also available to Cumberland children on a sliding scale. Please complete a financial aid form for consideration. We will contact you if any payment is due.



SAT PREP 11 Saturdays

Prepare for the MAY 5th SAT test. Review Math, Verbal & Writing with trained instructors.

January 7: Diagnostic Class 8 AM -Noon

All other weeks : 9 AM - 11 AM

1/14 - 3/31 (no class 2/18 & 2/25)

REGISTER by 12/16/11 Per Pupil Cost: \$145

(includes College Board's Official SAT Study Guide)

Watch our website for A Cappella, E-portfolio assistance from the Youth Commission, Digital Video classes and more for High School students.