

# After School Programs

## *Stay & Play and After School Courses*

*Princeton Day School students have many options for after school activities.*

### Stay & Play

*Directed by Heidi Spillane*

Stay & Play is a childcare program, which begins immediately after school and ends at 6:00 pm. Every day children have an after school snack, then play outdoors on the playground unless it is raining. Be sure to have your child come prepared with appropriate clothing for outdoor play.

### After School Courses

*Coordinated by Heidi Spillane*

After School Courses are a fun and convenient way for students to pursue a special interest beyond the offerings of the school curriculum. We welcome PDS students, their siblings and children from other schools in these classes. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, PDS students taking after school courses will meet in the stay and play room until their courses begin. Wednesdays students will meet in the LS library

### Independent Programs

Independently organized programs are listed below. To register for these programs please contact the person listed. Do not include registration in these programs on your After School Courses form.

- **Chess** is offered on Wednesday. Descriptions of chess courses are included in this brochure. Call instructor Bonnie Waitzkin to register or for more information at [Chessteach@gmail.com](mailto:Chessteach@gmail.com) or 917 697 1048.

### IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Monday-Friday, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm:  
609/924-6700 x 1500 (LS office)  
or 609/924-6700 x1502 (Heidi Spillane)

### Registering for After School Programs

If your child will be a regular participant in the Stay & Play program and/or will be enrolling in After School Courses fill out the appropriate forms at the back of this brochure and return them to the lower school. Registration for After School Courses is done on a first received, first enrolled basis. If you wish to have your child attend Stay & Play occasionally, please call Heidi Spillane (609) 924-6700 x 1502 a day in advance to register. The program can usually accommodate a few "drop ins" on days you need childcare on short notice.

### School Calendar

Please note that After School Courses are not offered on days school is closed or dismisses early. With sufficient enrollment, the Stay & Play program offers childcare on days when school is not in session.

### Inclement Weather

The After School Programs follow the school's inclement weather policy. In case of a school closing and/or early dismissal, Stay & Play and After School Courses will be canceled.

### Pick-up and Late Pick-Up

You may pick up your child from the Stay & Play program any time prior to 6:00 pm. When a parent or designated adult arrives at school the "check out time" is recorded at the time the child exchanges a goodbye handshake with the Stay & Play teacher. Persons other than parents who are authorized to pick up a child must be listed on the registration form, or a note should be sent to school with the child indicating the name of the person authorized to pick up the child. Late pick-ups cause worry and frustration for everyone. If you are not able to pick up your child by 6:00 pm, you will be charged the late pick-up fee.

Children attending an After School Course may be picked up by a parent or guardian at the door of their after school class or in front of the LS library. For safety reasons we do not permit children to wait outside for their ride at the end of a class. Ten minutes after the end of courses, PDS students will be escorted to the Stay & Play Program where there is an hourly charge.

### Program Fees and Billing

The PDS Business Office will bill student accounts monthly for Stay & Play. After School Courses may be paid for directly by check, or PDS families can have course fees billed to their account. Once a student has been enrolled in an After School Course no refund will be given unless a class is canceled.

# After School Courses • Princeton Day School

## Session B • January - March 2018

Day	Time	Grades	Class size	# of classes	Fee
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### 1B • Homework Assistance Program

**Monday:** Jan. 8, 22, 29 Feb. 5, 12, 26, March 5 (*No class 1/15 & 2/19*)  
**Instructor:** Marjie Laughlin

Need help with homework? H.A.P. is a program, which teaches children how to manage their time effectively. They are introduced to various study skills and strategies that enable them to become independent while doing their homework assignments. There will be a scheduled time to begin and complete homework assignments for that day.

Monday	3:15-4:15	grades 2-4	max 8	7 classes
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### 2B • Design-Build Studio

**Monday:** Jan. 8, 22, 29 Feb. 5, 12, 26 (*No class 1/15 & 2/19*)  
**Instructor:** Patricia Sanson

An introduction for young architects or engineers to explore the fundamentals of design by building age appropriate studio projects. Students will use a variety of materials from popsicle sticks to foam to build forms and sculptures exploring form, pattern and texture.

Monday	3:00-4:30	grades 2-4	max 8	6 classes
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### 3B • IMAGINATIONGURU presents Little Scientists

**Monday:** Jan. 8, 22, 29 Feb. 5, 12, 26 (*No class 1/15 & 2/19*)  
**Instructor:** Priti Matta

Kids will be introduced to different areas of science each class. They will learn the basic principles and do fun and safe hands on experiments. This program fulfills today's need of STEM education for young minds. They enjoy experimenting and exploring cool topics every week. All experiments are safe and age appropriate. Classes include new experiments for this winter session.

Monday	3:15-4:15	grades PK-2	max 15	6 classes
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### 4B • IMAGINATIONGURU Presents Intro to Robotics: Bee-Bot fun!

**Tuesday:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27  
**Instructor:** Priti Matta

Using Bee-Bot, a programmable floor robot, kids explore cause and effect situations in an exciting context. This colorful, easy-to-operate, and friendly little robot is the perfect tool for teaching sequencing, estimation, and problem-solving. Kids learn these skills and the basic concept of STEM via different challenges and games which will prepare them for the upcoming advanced technological world.

Tuesday	3:15-4:15	grades PK-1	maximum 15	classes 8
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### 5B • Starting from SCRATCH!

**Tuesday:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27  
**Instructors:** Mrs. Olson, LS Technology Coordinator

This class is designed to introduce computer programming through the application Scratch. Scratch is a program designed to establish foundations in programming. It is easy to get the hang of, no previous knowledge necessary. Great way to learn about computer programming while having fun!

Tuesdays	3:15 - 4:15	grades 2-4	max 10	8 classes
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### 6B • Homework Assistance Program

**Tuesday:** Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, March 6  
**Instructor:** Jennifer Gallagher, PDS LS Teacher

Need help with homework? H.A.P. is a program, which teaches children how to manage their time effectively. They are introduced to various study skills and strategies that enable them to become independent while doing their homework assignments. There will be a scheduled time to begin and complete homework assignments for that day.

Tuesday	3:15-4:15	grades 2-4	max 8	10 classes
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### 7B • Creative LAB STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) CLUB

**Tuesday:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27  
**Instructors:** Aaron Schomburg, PDS LS Teacher

Looking for young scientists and artists who are ready to experiment, create and invent. Together we will explore what is happening in the collaborative world of science and art. We will choose a few challenging projects to work on over the session. This term our theme will be playground innovations. This exploratory class is meant to be a time in which students decide on the direction and depth of the projects while learning skills like building structures, re-inventing games and problem solving.

Tuesday	3:15-4:45	grades 3-4	max 6	8 classes
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The Registration Form for  
After-School Courses and the  
Stay & Play program is on page 5.

**Mail Registration Forms to:** Heidi Spillane, Coordinator  
of After School Courses, Princeton Day School,  
P.O. Box 75, Princeton, NJ 08542

or **Hand Deliver Registration Forms to:**  
Aimee Nyce's Lower School office and place in box  
marked After School Programs.

For more information please call Heidi Spillane at  
(609) 924-6700 ext. 1502.

## After School Courses • Princeton Day School • Session B • January - March 2018

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### 8B • Pins & Needles

**Tuesday:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27

**Instructor:** Patricia Sanson

We will be learning how to sew by hand creating projects over several weeks that may include holiday inspired items, pillows, flags animals etc. Students will be responsible for creating these from start to finish. Projects will be customized for the level of the group. This class was born out of the success of these during the after school art class that the boys & girls loved so much they asked to make more & more! We will be working with felt and non sharp embroidery needles

Tuesday	3:00-4:30	grades PK-1	max 6	8 classes
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### 9B • Oh My My, Let's Make Pie!

**Tuesday:** Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 20, 27 (no class 2/13)

**Instructor:** Pam Flory, LS Teacher

Pies come in many flavors and sizes. Sweet, savory, crustless and hand pies are just a few of the versions we'll be creating. Students taking this after school class will learn a master crust recipe and use this basic recipe to make a different pie each week. Students will learn the tools of the trade and will get lots of hands on experience. We'll talk about the history and science of pies and each week the recipe will be added to their recipe book.

Tuesday	3:15-4:45	grades 3-4	max 6	7 classes
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### 10B • Chess

**Wednesday:** January 3 - May 30

**Instructors:** Bonnie Waitzkin, Jairo Moreira, IM & Tatiana Brea, IM, Hal Sprechman

Players will be divided into four classes by level of experience and will learn opening ideas, patterns of checkmate, tactics, and endgame. Beginners are welcome. Many children surprise us by learning chess at a very young age. We will play games with supervision and study classic chess games with attention to openings, middle game, and endgame technique. Winning with grace and learning from losing are emphasized, and problem solving and competition skills are acquired. Chess has been shown to increase performance in reading and math. Inquiries to Bonnie Waitzkin (917) 697-1048 or Chessteach@gmail.com

Wednesday	2:30-4:00	grades K-4	max 16	20 classes
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### 11B • PLAYtime (PK-1)

**Wednesday:** Jan. 10, 17, 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28 (no class 1/24)

**Instructor:** Jean Rosolino, Director of Youth Stages

On Wednesday afternoons, children will explore visual arts, music, movement, and storytelling as they dramatize stories. Through creative drama, children develop expression and self confidence by playing with language and pantomime. (Youth Stages has been conducting these Stay and Play classes at PDS for 21 years! Jean Prall Rosolino, founder)

Wednesday	2:35-3:35	grades PK-1	max 12	7 classes
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### 12B • Homework Assistance Program

**Wednesday:** Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21, March 7

(no class 2/28)

**Instructor:** Marjie Laughlin

Need help with homework? H.A.P. is a program, which teaches children how to manage their time effectively. They are introduced to various study skills and strategies that enable them to become independent while doing their homework assignments. There will be a scheduled time to begin and complete homework assignments for that day.

Wednesday	3:15-4:15	grades 2-4	max 8	9 classes
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### 13B • Afternoon Arts & Crafts

**Wednesday:** Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28

**Instructor:** Patricia Sanson

We will have hours of fun with everything from glue and glitter to felt and decoupage. From Faux stained glass, seasonal holiday cards, crafts and keepsakes to refrigerator masterpieces. Leave the mess at PDS and let your young artists have some fun! Projects suitable for boys and girls! \*\*\*Bring a smock or your father's old shirt to wear as a smock if you are worried about clothing to the first class. Mark child's name on it.

Wednesday	2:30-4:00	grades PK - 1	max 6	8 classes
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### 14B • Asana Alphabet Yoga from A to Z

**Wednesday:** Jan. 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21, 28

**Instructor:** Michele Immordino

A is for Archer, B is for Bow, C is for Cobra....in yoga we'll be stretching, twisting and turning our bodies into fun shapes which help to promote a super healthy mind-body connection. Led by Michele Immordino, we take authentic yoga techniques and meld them with fun games and activities that kids love. Yoga promotes a healthy immune system, fine motor skills, gross motor skills and a calmer/focused state of mind. Please bring yourself in comfortable clothing that is easy to move in. This class is done barefoot or in socks.

Wednesday	2:30- 3:30	grades 2-4	max 10	8 classes
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### 15B • Homework Assistance Program

**Thursday:** Jan. 4, 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 22, March 8

(no class 2/15 & 3/1)

**Instructor:** Marjie Laughlin, PDS LS Teacher

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Thursday	3:15-4:15	grades 2-4	max 8	8 classes
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**ORCHESTRA ON WEDNESDAYS** - LS Orchestra is open to students who are in the PDS private lesson program.

• Orchestra is offered on Wednesdays from 3:30–4:15pm.

Because orchestra is part of the PDS private lessons program, there is no additional fee for students. For more information about LS Orchestra and to register for the PDS private lesson program, contact: Tomasz Rzczycki 609-924-6700 x 1581

Day	Time	Grades	Class size	# of classes	Fee
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### 16B • Rug Hooking

**Thursday:** Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

**Instructor:** Krista Atkeson, PDS Teacher

Learn to make a beautiful rug hooking with yarn and a punch needle. This form of rug hooking began in the late 1880's, and it is an easy way to make a small seat pad, pillow or picture. Come have fun with color and yarn!

Thursday	3:15-4:30	grades 2-4	max 6	7 classes
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### 17B • Lego your Imagination

**Thursday:** Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

**Instructor:** Patricia Sanson

Do you love to build with Legos? Children can let their imaginations go and create their own Lego masterpiece. The class projects will be based on a variety of influences including books, class interests and suggestions and of course, imagination! Some days the students will work with partners or small groups and other times on their own. At the conclusion of the course, each child will have a little something special to take home with them.

Thursday	3:00-4:30	grades PK-1	max 8	7 classes
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### 18B • IMAGINATIONGURU Presents 3D PRINTING

**Thursday:** Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

**Instructor:** Priti Matta

Kids will learn to combine and arrange shapes on the computer to design their own objects (toys, buildings, airplanes, phone cases, name tags, bracelets, etc.). Once developed, teacher and students will print them with a 3D Printer capable of converting a digital file into a tangible object that they can take home and play--there is no limit on what the student could create!

Thursday	3:15-4:15	grades 1-4	max 15	7 classes
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### 19B • Asana Alphabet Yoga from A to Z

**Thursday:** Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

**Instructor:** Gabrielle Kyriakides, PDS LS Teacher

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Thursday	3:15-4:15	grades PK-1	max 8	7 classes
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### 20B • Digital Storytelling

**Thursday:** Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22

**Instructors:** Margie Gibson & Carol Olson, PDS LS teachers

Like to create stories? Want to tell the same story in several different ways? You'll have the opportunity to tell a story, any story on whichever platform you'd like- Toontastic, Puppet Pals, Stop Motion or Green Screen. You dream it, you do it!

Thursday	3:15-4:15	grades 3-4	max 8	7 classes
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## To Register:

Print & complete the  
After School Courses  
Registration Form.

### Mail Registration Forms to:

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Coordinator of After School Courses  
Princeton Day School  
P.O. Box 75  
Princeton, NJ 08542

or

### Hand Deliver Registration Forms to:

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and place in box marked  
After School Programs.

Enjoy some  
Winter Session  
After-School Fun!



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# After School Courses • Princeton Day School

REGISTRATION FORM • SESSION B • January - March 2018

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Parent #1's Work \_\_\_\_\_

Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Parent #2's Work \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of an emergency:** When you will not be available at any of the numbers listed above please send a note or leave a message at the lower school office indicating how we can get in touch with you.

Register my child for these courses:

COURSE TITLE	DAY	FEE
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**CHESS:** DO NOT INCLUDE REGISTRATION FOR CHESS on this form. To register for chess email Bonnie Waitzkin at Chessteach@gmail.com

**PAYMENT:** PDS Families Only:  Bill Me PDS Families and Others:  Check Enclosed

**Mail Registration Forms to:** Heidi Spillane, Coordinator of After School Courses, Princeton Day School, P.O. Box 75, Princeton, NJ 08542

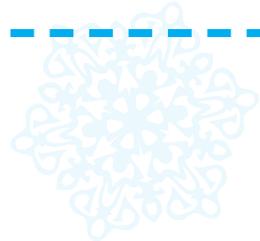
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**Note:** Once you are enrolled in a course no refund will be given unless the class is canceled. Courses will be filled on a first-received, first-enrolled basis.

# Stay & Play • Princeton Day School

REGISTRATION FORM • 2017-2018 School Year



Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Parent #1's Work \_\_\_\_\_

Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Parent #2's Work \_\_\_\_\_

### Emergency and Family Information

Should an emergency arise it is important that we know where you can be reached. If you will not be available at your home or work phone numbers, please send a note or leave a message at the lower school office indicating how we can get in touch with you.

**Regular days of participation in Stay & Play:**  Monday  Tuesday  Wednesday  Thursday  Friday

### Persons other than parent/guardian authorized to pick up child from Stay & Play:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional information you would like Stay & Play staff to know:** \_\_\_\_\_