

Archway Trivium West Extracurricular Clubs (K-5) – Fall Semester 2021

Register Online **through Friday, September 3 at 4pm** at
www.archwaytrivium.org/clubs

- ❖ For questions about **Extracurricular Clubs**, please email **Maria Shannon**, Director of Extracurricular Activities, at mshannon@archwaytrivium.org.
- ❖ For questions related to **Registration**, please email Brienne McDonald at bmcdonald@archwaytrivium.org.

Fall Semester 2021 Archway Trivium West (K-5) Clubs

- Chess Emporium Chess Club (K-5)
- Piano Keyboard (K-5)
- Pottery Club (3-5)
- Steppin’ Out Dance (K-2)
- Craft Club (3-5)
- Ukulele Club (3-5)
- French Language (3-5)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday (Quarterly Clubs)	Thursday	Friday
Craft Club (3-5)	Chess Emporium (K-5)	Play-Well LEGO (K-3)	Pottery Club (3-5)	
French Language (3-5)	Steppin’ Out Dance (K-2)	SportsKidz AZ (K-5)	Ukulele Club (3-5)	
Piano Keyboard (K-5)		Young Rembrandts (K-5)		
		Q2 Registration opens in late September/October		

Minimum enrollment for all clubs is 8. Maximum enrollment varies.

Club Descriptions

Chess Emporium (Grades K-5) – Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 pm

COST: \$165/semester **INSTRUCTOR:** Chess Emporium Instructors

Chess Emporium teaches a fun and exciting introduction to the game of chess. All grades are welcome in the chess club, which begins by teaching students how to play the game, as well as chess openings, tactics and endgames, while allowing students to practice with their friends. Studies by major corporations and universities have shown that chess can help students increase their math and verbal skills, as well as their creative and critical thinking abilities. Chess provides helpful insights into mathematics, visualization, analysis, and writing skills. See [Chess Emporium Flyer](#) for more information.

Class Dates: Tuesdays, Sept 7 – Nov 30 (No Class: Oct 5, Oct 12, Oct 26)

Pottery Club (Grade 3-5) – Thursdays, 3:30-4:30 PM

Cost: \$125 /Semester

INSTRUCTOR: Mrs. Mendez

***Max Enrollment of 10 students**

We will focus using air dry polymer clay to create small items such as pencil holders, small figurines, bowls, and jewelry. Scholars will learn the history of pottery and how this art has evolved from first man's pottery to today's model magic clay. Their pottery will not be food safe so items will need to be coated with a clear coat if scholars intend to eat out of any bowls and/or mugs, we may make.

Class Dates: Thursday, September 9 - December 2 – (No Class: October 7, November 11)

Craft Club (Grades 3-5) – Mondays, 3:30-4:30 PM

Cost: \$100/Semester INSTRUCTOR: Mrs. Semenza *Max Enrollment of 12 students

Hello, my name is Kim Semenza and I love to craft. It would be my pleasure to craft with your child. I have been with Archway Trivium for ten years. If I had your children in my classroom, your scholar would have taken home some of my crafts. Our crafts will be diverse in materials and subjects. I will include crafts for holidays, seasons, and just plain old fun! Come craft with me. We are sure to have a crafty enjoyable time!

Class Dates: Mondays, Sept 20 – November 29, 2021 (No Class: Oct. 4 , Oct. 11)

Piano Keyboard: Advanced Beginner (Grades K-5) – Mondays, 3:30 – 4:30 pm

COST: \$125/semester

INSTRUCTOR: Dr. Hong

***Max Enrollment of 8 students**

Students will have a chance to learn the fundamentals of keyboard performance and music theory in a small group setting. Adjustments will be made based on the specific skill level of participants, but please make sure, at a minimum, your scholar has some basic knowledge of the keyboard itself, the keys, and can read music notes. While the class is meant to be geared towards beginning students, it should not be their very first experience with the instrument. The focus is on improving existing keyboard skills, developing finger dexterity, and appreciating classical music, while possibly culminating in a recital. Students should have access to a keyboard or piano at home/outside of school to allow for practice time between weekly lessons, ideally at least 10-15 minutes each day depending on their current proficiency.

Class Dates: Mondays, Sept 20 – November 29, 2021 (No Class: Oct. 4 , Oct. 11)

French Language (Grades 3-5) – Mondays, 3:30 – 4:30 pm

COST: \$60/semester

INSTRUCTOR: Mr. Gowers

***Max Enrollment of 15 students**

The club would be an introduction to the French language, with a view to preparing the scholars with a basic understanding of the language.

Class Dates: Mondays, Sept 20 – November 29, 2021 (No Class: Oct. 4 , Oct. 11)

Steppin' Out Dance (Grades K-2) – Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 pm

COST: \$110 **INSTRUCTORS:** Steppin' Out Dance Instructors ***Max Enrollment of 12 students**

Ballet is the technical base for all other styles of dance that are taught. Students will develop strength, poise, and flexibility as they learn routines and work on center floor skills. Jazz allows dancers to develop technical skills such as leaps and turns. This class is a well-rounded introduction to these traditional dance styles. In this interactive class, students will incorporate technical skills learned into a dynamic dance routine to be presented on the last day of class. Please see the [Steppin' Out Dance Flyer](#) for more information and for the required waiver.

This fall, Steppin' Out Dance is also offering students the option to participate in our offsite recital, the weekend of December 13. Students who choose to participate will be asked to pay the \$45 costume fee to us by the third club meeting. Additional information about the recital to families will be provided at the first class.

Class Dates: Tuesdays, Sept 7 – Nov 30 (No Class: Oct 5, Oct 12, Oct 26)

Ukulele Club (Grades 3-5) – Thursdays, 3:30-4:30 pm

COST: \$125/semester **INSTRUCTOR:** Mr. Weidig ***Max Enrollment of 17 students**

Have you ever wanted to learn Ukulele? This club is the perfect opportunity to get your feet wet in the world of ukulele while learning a wide variety of basic skills and techniques that will put you on the path of your own musical journey. All students are required to have a basic understanding and ability to read music on the treble clef and a willingness to learn other forms of notation common to the instrument. This club will cover several musical principles and ideas but will focus heavily on the applied side of ukulele. Several genres and national styles will be explored and discussed, and students will have the opportunity to perform their own musical selection at the end of the semester. The school will check out ukuleles to students for the class and supply instruction books that will be included in the cost of the club. All students should practice regularly during the span of the club in order to keep a reasonable pace and derive as much value and skill set as possible.

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