

The After School Program (ASP) provides safe and engaging after-school childcare support for St. John's students. The program serves pre-k through eighth grade children on school days* between the hours of 3:00 and 6:00 p.m. Each day, participants receive a nutritious snack along with supervised study hall and/or play time. The annual cost for the ASP is \$2,250 per child; the drop-in fee is \$15 per child, per day. We offer a discounted rate of \$10 per day for Middle School students who choose to check in to the ASP after Homework Club.

As part of the ASP, we offer optional after-school classes in a variety of educational and instructive areas for an additional fee. *(See back for class descriptions.)* The fall semester optional classes will begin the week of **August 29** and end the week of **December 12**. The spring optional classes will begin the week of **January 9** and end the week of **May 7**. Students may attend ASP before or after their optional classes at no additional charge. Students who attend the optional classes will report to the cafeteria at their regular dismissal time to check in and receive a light snack before their classes begin.

To enroll your child in the ASP and/or optional classes, please complete the contract below and return the form along with your payment *(checks made payable to SJES)* to school. For more information about the ASP, see Campus Life/After School Program at www.stjohnsschool.org or contact Carol Graham at 214-328-9131 ext. 124.

*ASP will not be offered on November 18, 2011, (Grandparents Day), December 16, 2011, (last day before Christmas break), April 27, 2012 (Games Day) or May 25, 2012 (last day of classes).

The registration/payment deadline for fall optional classes is August 15, 2011 and December 16, 2011 for spring optional classes.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM CONTRACT

Name of Student: _____ 2011-2012 Grade: _____

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

PAYMENT OPTIONS (Please check your selection):

	Monthly (9)	Semi-Annual	Annual
<input type="checkbox"/> ASP only – daily	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,125	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,250
<input type="checkbox"/> ASP w/1 optional after-school class	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,200	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,400
<input type="checkbox"/> ASP w/2 optional after-school classes	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,300	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,600
<input type="checkbox"/> ASP w/3 optional after-school classes	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,800
<input type="checkbox"/> ASP w/4 optional after-school classes	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,500	<input type="checkbox"/> \$3,000
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 optional after-school class only	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$250	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 optional after-school classes only	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 optional after-school classes only	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$750	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,500
<input type="checkbox"/> 4 optional after-school classes only	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,000
<input type="checkbox"/> Homework Club & ASP (1-day) - MS only	<input type="checkbox"/> \$40	<input type="checkbox"/> \$160	<input type="checkbox"/> \$320
<input type="checkbox"/> Homework Club & ASP (2-day) - MS only	<input type="checkbox"/> \$80	<input type="checkbox"/> \$320	<input type="checkbox"/> \$640
<input type="checkbox"/> Homework Club & ASP (3-day) - MS only	<input type="checkbox"/> \$120	<input type="checkbox"/> \$480	<input type="checkbox"/> \$960
<input type="checkbox"/> Homework Club & ASP (4-day) - MS only	<input type="checkbox"/> \$160	<input type="checkbox"/> \$640	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,280

A. My child will attend the fall semester After School Program optional class(es) as noted below.

Art Club ASP Singers Chess Drama Club K-3 Drama Club 4-8 Karate

B. My child will attend the spring semester After School Program optional class(es) as noted below.

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C. My Middle School child will attend Homework Club and will stay ___ day(s) in the After School Program

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

F.A.C.T.S. (Automatic Monthly Withdrawal from Checking or Savings Account) of \$250 due Sept. 5, 2011, through May 5, 2012.

Please note: If choosing this option, there will be a one-time \$41 administrative charge due with the Sept. 1, 2011, payment.

My child will attend the After School Program on a drop-in basis, and I will pay \$15 each time I pick up him/her or in full by week's end.

Payments for the After School Program are also accepted by credit card with a 3% service charge.

Credit Card: Visa MasterCard American Express

Credit Card Amount: \$ _____

Cardholder Name: _____

Signature: _____

Account #: _____

Expiration: _____

(Please attach to registration form) Check #: _____

Check Amount \$ _____

I understand that my child must be picked up from the After School Program by 6:00 p.m. A fine of \$5 per family, per minute for the first 5 minutes and \$1 for every minute thereafter will be assessed at the time the carpool driver arrives.

I understand the After School Program will use the **emergency** and **medical** information I provided through the St. John's online enrollment process to contact me in case of an emergency.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Optional After-School Classes

Art Club

Instructor: Kirby Carmichael
Time: 4:00 – 5:15
Grades: Pre-k – 8th
Day: Thursdays
Location: Art Room
Class Fee: \$250

Your child is invited to join Mr. Kirby of Quiggly's Clayhouse for a weekly artistic adventure through the world of 2-D and 3-D craftsmanship at St. John's! Participants will learn to "throw clay" on the pottery wheel, "fuse" glass art, draw "in perspective," paint with acrylic on canvas, use oil pastels and more!

ASP Singers

Instructor: Kelli Smoker
Time: 3:00 – 4:00
Grades: 1st – 4th
Day: Wednesdays
Location: MS Choir Room
Class Fee: \$250

ASP Singers is an after-school choir program offered to first through fourth graders beginning in the fall of 2011. The goal of the choir will be to foster a love of group singing in an encouraging environment. Singing engages the whole child – heart, mind, body and spirit – as a means of expressing thought, emotion, beauty and truth. The choir will sing a variety of songs of artistic merit, in English and other languages, from the past and present including sacred, classics, folk and seasonal music. Training in healthy vocal technique, basic music theory and music history will also be an important part of the curriculum. A concert of the music rehearsed will be held at the conclusion of each semester.

Chess Club (for boys and girls)

Coordinator and Instructor: Randy Spence
Instructor: Keaton Kiewra
Day: Mondays
Location: LS Science Lab
Class Fee: \$250

Grades and Time: K – 1st: 3:00 – 3:30
Grades and Time: 2nd – 3rd: 3:30 – 4:15
Grades and Time: 4th – 8th: 4:15 – 5:15

Each participant will receive a Chess Club T-shirt and his or her own personal chess set for use at home.

Beginners, experienced players, boys and girls are welcome to join the St. John's Chess Club. They'll learn how the board is set up, how the pieces move, about castling, check and checkmate, as well as all the other rules of the game. As students become more proficient, they will be exposed to the more advanced aspects of the game, different openings, tactics such as the fork, pin and skewer, and strategies such as control of the center, attack on the wings, etc. Emphasis is placed on FUNDamentals, but students will be limited only by their desire to improve. Students who want to participate in extracurricular tournament play will be exposed to those opportunities and coached in taking notation, playing with clocks, how to prepare and post-tournament performance analysis.

There will be a problem-solving tournament in the fall and the annual intra-school St. John's Chess Championship Tournament in late spring (second grade and older – trophies will be awarded depending upon the number of participants from each grade).

Drama Club

Instructor: Tom Parr
Time: 4:00 – 5:00
Grades: 4th – 8th
Day: Tuesdays
Location: Clements Hall
Class Fee: \$250

Participants will learn fundamental acting skills and performance techniques. Theatre games, improvisation exercises and audition techniques will help them understand character and scene development, voice projection, and blocking. Students will create and act in their own commercial and short film. They'll also improve their comedic and dramatic skills while rehearsing a play of their own creation to be presented in Clements Hall during the class. (Limited to 15 students)

Karate Club

Coordinator: Dr. Chamberlain
Instructor: Elizabeth Klammer
Time: 4:30 – 5:30
Grades: 1st – 5th
Day: Tuesdays
Location: TBA
Class Fee: \$250

Optional uniform fee of \$25
(payable to Chamberlain Studios).

Has your child always wanted to take karate? Now's the time! Our Karate Club is a satellite program for the Chamberlain Studios of Self Defense™ and welcomes both new and continuing students. Our program uses the same materials, curriculum and testing that Dr. Chamberlain offers at his other studios (see DallasKenpo.com for detailed information on the curriculum). The goal of the St. John's Karate Club is for students to continue their training and have the opportunity to advance their belt ranks by the end of the semester.

Class Instructor Bios

Kirby Carmichael is the owner and operator of Quiggly's Clayhouse in Richardson, TX. Quiggly's Clayhouse is a neighborhood pottery studio where kids and adults can explore the world of pottery, mosaics, glass fusing, pottery painting, canvas painting and a variety of other arts. For more than six years, Mr. Kirby has offered weekly classes, monthly events and seasonal camps. Previously, he was the kindergarten through eighth grade art teacher at St. Joseph's Catholic School. Currently, Mr. Kirby hosts pottery-wheel booths at festivals and fairs across DFW and hopes to have a booth at the State Fair of Texas in the fall. While spinning a pottery wheel is his true passion (he studied under an Italian Maestro in Deruta, Italy for seven months in 2002-2003), Mr. Kirby regularly teaches courses to schools, daycares and at Quiggly's using art media such as drawing (perspective/proportion), charcoal and chalk, oil/pastels, acrylic painting on canvas, clay sculpting, glazing, mosaics, glass fusion, and mixed-media creations.

Dr. Nick Chamberlain/Chamberlain Studios of Self-Defense™ is an organization dedicated to providing the very best in martial-arts. The organization was started by Dr. Nick Chamberlain in Boston, Massachusetts in 1981. In 1993, the school moved to Dallas. The school brings together people from all walks of life with the common goals of friendship, martial arts and hard work!

Keaton Kiewra graduated from the University of Dallas in 2009 with a bachelor's degree in psychology. Since then, he has made his living in Dallas as a full-time chess instructor. Keaton is a chess master; some of his accomplishments include being the nine-time Nebraska State Chess Champion and six-time National Scholastic Champion. Last May, he coached five of his students to top-25 finishes in the National Championship, including St. John's own Chase Frutos, who tied for 25th place. One of Keaton's students also won the National K-3 Championship in that tournament.

Elizabeth Klammer has several years of martial arts experience and is in the instructor training program at Chamberlain Studios. She will again be the lead instructor for our Karate Club. Elizabeth currently teaches seventh grade science at St. John's.

Tom Parr is the drama specialist at St. John's and has been teaching theatre for the past eight years. Tom has worked at Junior Players and KD Studio as a classroom instructor. He has been directing professional theatre in Dallas for more than a decade and is currently the artistic director for Nouveau 47 Theatre at the Magnolia Lounge in Fair Park. Tom was recently honored as a 2010 recipient of the DFW Theater Critics Award for directing.

Kelli Smoker delights in teaching children to sing and has extensive experience working with young voices. She is the Children's Choir director at First Presbyterian Church in Mesquite and has provided private voice instruction on the college level. She holds a master of music degree from Indiana University in vocal performance and has been directing children's choirs of various ages for more than 20 years.

Since high school, **Randy Spence** has been a chess player. At one point, he reached USCF's Expert rating level. While attending the University of Kansas, he placed first in the 1977 Region 11 Association of College Unions Intercollegiate Tournament and qualified for nationals. He once played former World Champion Boris Spassky in a simultaneous exhibition. Randy is a strong believer in the many benefits of chess for young people and has helped establish chess clubs in several schools.