



BOYS Fall 2018 After School Enrichment Application

Please be sure to read the entire form as it contains important information regarding this semester

- After school enrichment classes will begin **Monday, August 20, 2018** and end **Friday, December 14, 2018**.
- All applications are due by **September 7, 2018**.
- Classes are offered on a first come, first served basis and enrollment is not guaranteed. Depending on the class, there is a maximum limit of 12 students.
- Select the classes you would like to sign up for by marking X in the "X Here to Enroll" column, and complete the Student/Parent Agreement attached.
- GALS offers partial scholarships and payment arrangements to families who demonstrate need. Please contact Ismael Alvarez (Ismael.alvarez@boysdenver.org) for details.

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone#: _____ Email: _____

Q1 Cost 8/20- 10/12	Q1 "X" Here to Enroll	Q2 Cost 10/15- 12/14	Q2 "X" Here to Enroll	TOTAL Q1 & Q2 8/20-12/14	TOTAL "X" Here to Enroll	Class Name	Days Offered
\$150		\$135		\$285		Dungeons & Dragons	Monday
\$150		\$135		\$285		Yoga	Monday
\$156		\$129		\$285		Tai Chi	Tuesday
\$155		\$140		\$295		Hip Hop Dance	Tuesday
\$188		\$177		\$365		Crossfit	Tuesday
\$0		\$0		\$0		Boy Scouts	Wednesday
\$100		\$90		\$190		Visual Arts	Wednesday
\$135		\$115		\$250		Shakespeare & Performing Arts	Thursday
\$95		\$90		\$185		Sticky Fingers Cooking	Friday
\$210		\$190		\$400		Ninja Brand Parkour	Friday

Total: \$ _____

Method of Payment:

Cash
 Check (payable to GALS) #: _____
 Credit Card

Date of Payment: _____



BOYS Fall 2018 Student/Parent Agreement

I, _____ (student name), hereby agree to the following rules for participating in an after school activity and fully understand that by not adhering to these rules, I will not be allowed to participate in after school programming for the fall 2018 semester.

Students please initial and sign below

- _____ I will arrive to the designated classroom promptly at **3:55pm**, sign into the attendance log, and remain in the classroom until the instructor dismisses at **5pm**. Any students wandering the building will be asked to call home.
- _____ I acknowledge that after school classes are an extension of the school day, and will abide by the rules set by the instructor (i.e. be in dress code and food policy).
- _____ I acknowledge that any disrupting of the class may result in my being asked to call a parent/guardian to pick me up early.
- _____ I acknowledge that the third time I am asked to leave an after school class will result in ineligibility for participating in after school classes for the remainder of the semester.
- _____ Once class dismisses at 5pm, I will wait inside for my parent/guardian to pick me up.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian please initial and sign below

- _____ I will pick my student up in front of the building at **5:00pm**.
- _____ I acknowledge that if my student is disrupting class, they may be asked to call home to be picked up early.
- _____ I acknowledge that the third time I am asked to leave an after school class will result in ineligibility for participating in after school classes for the remainder of the semester.
- _____ I acknowledge that not picking my student up by **5:15pm** will result in them being asked to wait outside of the building.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent Signature/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

By signing and returning this form, you hereby acknowledge the expectations and agreement set in place in order for your student to participate in after school activities. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Ismael Alvarez at Ismael Alvarez at Ismael.alvarez@boysdenver.org with the subject line "After School Enrichment".



BOYS Fall 2018 After School Enrichment Descriptions

Dungeons and Dragons (Monday.): This club is a door to adventure through team building. By incorporating the themes of ubuntu, teamwork, and problem solving, we will use this classic tabletop game to broaden your student's imagination. Dungeons and Dragons is an imaginative cooperative tabletop game that uses paper and dice to envision a world full of monsters and magic.

Yoga (Monday): In the founding text of the practice of yoga, the Yoga Sutras, only 3 of the 185 aphorisms that define the practice mention yoga asana, or the poses we typically associate with a yoga class at a studio. With this program, we will look more deeply into what exactly Yoga is and practice a variety of different forms of Yoga. We will also analyze prominent Yoga philosophy, discuss how to apply the practice to our lives off of the yoga mat, and meet with Yoga teachers from around Denver to hear their stories. Be ready to move your body and use your mind!

Tai Chi (Tuesday): Tai Chi is an ancient Chinese art of moderate aerobic exercise that benefits both your body and mind. The overall concept of Tai Chi is to allow your body to Flow like a river, while keeping your posture and grounding very Still like a mountain. We will work together to provide every student with the practical values to help them express their highest and true nature.

Hip Hop Dance (Tuesday): Dance will be covering basic pop fundamentals, differences between smooth and sharp qualities, floor work (including break dancing basics), and bringing some fun character, performance, and attitude into our dancing. We will be working with high energy combos that will be challenging, fun, and will help the students learn how to perform and be confident in dance as well as any presentational activity. We will be working as a team to create a dance routine to perform at the end of the semester that will transform everyone into a hip hop star!!!

Crossfit Fitness (Tuesday): Ms. Emily is excited to offer an after-school fitness class. Over the course of the semester, students will be exposed to a wide variety of functional movements with a focus on teamwork, intensity, body awareness and friendly competition. Each day will include a thorough warm up, a strength and skill portion, a workout and a cool down. Workouts will vary each day, and students will end the semester feeling confident and strong both physically and mentally.

Boy Scouts (Wednesday): The BSA's goal is to train youth in responsible citizenship, character development, and self-reliance through participation in a wide range of outdoor activities, educational programs, and, at older age levels, career-oriented programs in partnership with community organizations. For younger members, the Scout method is part of the program to instill typical Scouting values such as trustworthiness, good citizenship, and outdoors skills, through a variety of activities such as camping, aquatics, and hiking.

Visual Arts (Wednesday): We will explore color, texture and culture through painting, collage and learn about Chicano and Latino Arts. With influences of Frida Kahlo and Diego Rivera we will work together on a replica mural inspired by their works and combine their styles with other influential Chicano artists to compile a finished piece.

Shakespeare and Performing Arts (Thursday): The Black Actors Guild is offering a comprehensive exploration of various theatre concepts and philosophies. Of course, this will include many vocal and movement techniques, it is also the goal to workshop exercises that focus on critical thinking, empathy building and the strengthening students as an ensemble. These fun and challenging practices will culminate in our journey to the Annual DPS Shakespeare Festival. For the last 4 years, the GALS troupe has ventured to the Denver Center of Performing Arts to showcase their talents, have fun and get those sweet blue ribbons!

Sticky Fingers Cooking (Friday): Your young chef can have a blast every week discovering how easy and fun it is to cook (and gobble-up!) tasty, healthy, American classic and globally-inspired Sticky Fingers Cooking recipes! Every child—even the pickiest eaters—learn how to prepare and enjoy healthy, fresh food with this after school class.

Ninja Brand Parkour (Friday): In the wake of popular physical challenge shows, Ninja Brand Parkour offers classes where your student will train in safe parkour style physical activity. This training will focus on agility, and obstacle clearing, with many activities inspired by the aforementioned physical challenge shows.

IMPORTANT DATES *Please look over and mark your calendars*:

- ✚ **August 20, 2018:** First day of spring enrichment (similar to previous semesters, the first week will serve as a “trial week” for your student to drop into one class per day to decide if they’d like to commit for the full semester. *It is important to note that classes may fill up during the trial week, and enrollment is not guaranteed. If your student is interested in a class, it is best to officially sign them up and then drop if necessary after the trial week).*
- ✚ **August 31, 2018:** No after school classes due to professional development
- ✚ **September 3, 2018:** No school (Labor Day)
- ✚ **September 7, 2018:** Student/Parent Agreement and final payment due
- ✚ **September 21, 2018:** Last day to drop a class and receive a full refund
- ✚ **September 28, 2018:** No after school classes due to professional development
- ✚ **October 17-23, 2018:** No after school classes due to conferences
- ✚ **November 2, 2018:** No after school classes due to professional development
- ✚ **November 19-23, 2018:** No school (Thanksgiving)
- ✚ **December 19, 2018:** Last day of after school classes