

Edison EXTRA Enrichment Parent Information

At Edison, we believe that enrichment activities are an essential part of a well-rounded academic education. Therefore, Edison is proud to offer a variety of after school enrichment classes for students who attend our school. ***If you wish to sign your child up for an enrichment class, please be aware of the following important information.***

- After school enrichment classes are run by independent providers or DPS teachers who are renting a space at Edison to provide this service. These providers are not supervised or overseen by the school leadership or the Edison enrichment coordinator (Gracen Porreca), however, they do complete an application and a background check in order to be approved to lead a class at our school. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the provider.
- Parents need to register and pay for each class that they wish their child to participate in.
- The enrichment schedule and registration links will be posted on the Extra Enrichment tab of the Edison website on ***Friday, December 10th at 8:00 am for the 2nd semester.***
- After school classes are typically held one day per week and will run from 3:30-4:30 PM. ***(Some classes may go to 4:45 or 5:00. Please double check when signing up!)***
 - The Spring Enrichment classes will start on January 10 and end on April 29. ***(Some classes will extend into May. A few classes will have a “part 2” class that begins in March. Please double check when signing up)***
- Pick up after school classes:
 - For students in ECE-K: At 3:25, Edison EXTRA Enrichment providers will pick up ECE and Kinder students from their classrooms and sign them out.
 - For students in 1st-5th grades: At 3:25 pm, all Edison 1st-5th grade students will be dismissed on the east side of the building. Students participating in Edison EXTRA Enrichment programs will be dismissed by their classroom teachers and sent to the picnic table area near the steps to the school library to join their enrichment provider.
 - Discovery Link Families: If your child normally attends Discovery Link, then the parents of children participating in Discovery Link will need to complete an *Enrichment Provider Form*. These forms are available at Edison’s Discovery Link and need to be completed prior to each activity (or session) and for each individual child. On days your child is registered for enrichment activities your child will go directly to his/her enrichment activity at the end of the school day. The enrichment provider is responsible for ensuring your child gets to Discovery Link at the end of the enrichment program. Students who also attend Discovery Link DO NOT go to Discovery Link first, they proceed directly to the Edison EXTRA Enrichment pickup area.
- At the end of the class: The provider will walk ALL students to the main entrance (on the front or west side) of the school and take them outside to meet their parents or those authorized to pick them up. Parents are asked to please be on time and wait outside. When all the regular students have been picked up the provider must walk their Discovery Link students to the appropriate location and sign them in.

Some of the classes have changed or have been modified since the preview was released. Please double check days, times, durations, and costs when registering!

[Yoga for Youth](#)

Provider: Mile High Fitness, Instructor: Chanel

Grades Served: K-5

Cost: \$208 per student

Mondays 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/10/22 through 5/23/22. NO CLASSES: 1/17, 2/21, 2/28, 4/4

Description: Classes explore yoga poses, breathing exercises, visual imagery and relaxation techniques while conveying lessons in self-expression, body image, social skills, positive thinking, and environmental awareness. Our certified instructor(s) work with students to find whole body wellness through breathing and inner awareness. We will focus on integrated mindfulness and applying principles to help deal with emotions. Children will learn to pay attention, increase their focus and manage their emotions while building strength and flexibility.

Number of Students: Min. 8 - Max. 20

Sign Up Link:

<https://milehighfitness.com/e/events/edison-elementary-yoga-for-youth-spring2022/>

[Positive Team Sports & Games](#)

Providers: Whitney Dougherty & Robert Auday

Grades Served: 3rd, 4th and 5th

Cost: \$300 per student (cash or check made out to Robert Auday or Venmo @Robert-Auday)

Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm (in the Gym) 01/12/22 - 05/25/22

Description: We will focus on team-building, positive sportsmanship, and inclusive sports and games. We will teach/review a different physical sport/game each week. ALL abilities are welcome. Our goal is FUN and positive competitive exercise!

Sign Up Link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4EADA92AA4FD0-positive2>

[Journalism Club/Edison School Newspaper](#)

Providers: Mrs. Dougherty and Mrs. Overbeck

Grades Served: 3rd - 5th

Cost: \$275 per student (cash or check made out to Emily Overbeck, or Venmo @Emily-Overbeck)

Thursdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm (in Room 105) 01/13/22 - 05/26/22

Description: Designed to expose students to journalism, interviewing, publishing and collaboration. We will work together to develop story ideas, breaking news, photography and publish the "Edison Echo" for our school and community to enjoy!

Number of Students: Max 20

Sign Up Link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4EADA92AA4FD0-journalism>

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Full STEAM! (Mondays)

Provider: Full STEAM Education, Instructor: Jamie Moore or Jamie Davis

Grades Served: K-5

Cost: \$368 per student (Venmo @full-steam or check or cash on the 1st day of class)

Mondays 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/10/22 - 05/23/22. NO CLASSES: 1/17, 2/21, 3/28 and 4/4

Description: STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math) is quickly becoming a major trend in education. This program is designed to incorporate all of the STEAM ideas in a fun and exciting delivery sure to bring out the curiosity in every student. Do you like to see cool chemical reactions, make ice cream, create color changing slime, design your own marble roller coaster, make bracelets, draw in 3 dimensions and sink clay boats?! Yes, then this class is for you! This semester will bring in past student favorites as well as new challenges sure to excite the budding scientist in everyone! Come join the journey to fun through STEAM! More info at www.fullsteameducation.com

Number of Students: Min. 10 - Max. 16

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4CADAC2EA4F9C25-mondays1>

Full STEAM! (Tuesdays)

Provider: Full STEAM Education, Instructor: Jamie Moore

Grades Served: K-5

Cost: \$414 per student (Venmo @full-steam or check or cash on the 1st day of class)

Tuesdays 3:30 - 4:30pm 01/11/22 - 05/24/22, NO CLASSES 2/22 and 3/29

Description: See above

Number of Students: Min. 10 - Max. 16

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4CADAC2EA4F9C25-tuesdays1>

Full STEAM! (Wednesdays)

Provider: Full STEAM Education, Instructor: Jamie Moore

Grades Served: K-5

Cost: \$437 per student (Venmo @full-steam or check or cash on the 1st day of class)

Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:30pm 01/12/22 - 05/25/22, NO CLASS 3/30

Description: See above

Number of Students: Min. 10 - Max. 16

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4CADAC2EA4F9C25-wednesdays1>

Full STEAM! (Thursdays)

Provider: Full STEAM Education, Instructor: Jamie Moore or Jamie Davis

Grades Served: K-5

Cost: \$437 per student (Venmo @full-steam or check or cash on the 1st day of class)

Thursdays 3:30 - 4:30pm 01/13/22 - 05/26/22, NO CLASS 3/31

Description: See above

Number of Students: Min. 10 - Max. 16

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4CADAC2EA4F9C25-thursdays1>

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Interstellar Adventure Afterschool Enrichment Program

Provider: SpaceTime, **Instructor:** Ed Ludka

Grades Served: K-3

Cost: \$230.00 per student

Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:30pm 1/12/22 - 4/27/22 (15 classes total)

Description: SpaceTime's Interstellar Adventure program takes kids on a journey beyond the edges of our Solar System to explore the many mysteries of deep space including traveling at near the speed of light, using micro-gravity boots to feel what it might be like to walk on an exoplanet, taking shortcuts through wormholes, building and launching rovers & spacecraft to distant alien worlds and much more.

Number of Students: Min. 8 - Max. 12

Sign Up Link: www.SpaceTimeKids.com, click on "Upcoming Classes" and then click on the "Register Online" button next to the Edison program listing

Penmanship Practice

Provider: Mrs. Chappell (Teacher at Edison)

Grades Served: 1st - 5th

Cost: \$200.00 per student (Venmo @Rachel-Chappell-9 or cash or check payable to R. Chappell)

Thursdays: 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/13/22 - 04/28/22, NO CLASS 3/31

Description: Even in our world of advanced technology, people still need to know how to write legibly and have a unique signature. This class will help your student have neater handwriting skills, proper spacing, and we will even learn how to write in **cursive!** Your child will learn to use **calligraphy pens** and will experiment with artistic expression learning to sign their own signatures. Students will work on different activities based on individual needs and readiness level. Former students who want to refresh their skills are welcome! Please provide a snack if your child will need one.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 20

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45AFAB2CA0F49-edison1>

Board Games and Puzzles for ALL!

Provider: Mrs. Chappell (Teacher at Edison)

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$225.00 per student (Venmo @Rachel-Chappell-9 or cash or check payable to R. Chappell)

Wednesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/12/22 - 04/27/22 NO CLASSES 01/05, 03/30

Description: Does your family love to play board games together but lack the time to play them? Are you looking for an activity that can stimulate your child's mind and social skills as well as develop their logic and have fun while doing it? This club is going to help students develop "board game etiquette," taking turns, sportsmanship, strategy, as well as perseverance and risk taking. We will also include opportunities for completing complicated puzzles that can be done individually or with a team. Students will also have the option to create their own board game and take it home at the end of the session! Students need to bring a snack if they want one!

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45AFAB2CA0F49-board>

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Lego Build Club

Provider: Mrs. Chappell (Teacher at Edison)

Grades Served: 1st - 5th

Cost: \$250.00 per student (Venmo @Rachel-Chappell-9 or cash or check payable to R. Chappell)

Mondays 3:30 - 4:30pm 01/10/22 - 04/25/22, NO CLASSES 01/17, 02/21, 03/28, 04/04

Description: This club is for students of all ages who love to be creative with Legos. Each week students will build something new and will be able to work on a project alone or with friends. Sharing their passion with other Lego builders students will need to bring their imagination and speed building skills since time will fly by in this engaging class! Legos will be provided for students to use, no need to bring any from home! Please have your child bring a snack each week if they need one.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 20

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45AFAB2CA0F49-lego>

Stories and Fun!

Provider: Elise McConnell

Grades Served: ECE - 3rd

Cost: \$225 per student (Payment is due on or before the first day of the class.)

Thursdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/10/22 - 04/28/22, (14 sessions) NO CLASSES 2/17, 3/31

Description: Does your child enjoy listening to stories that help them use their imagination or make them laugh? Do they enjoy time for creativity through art or games? Each week we will read and celebrate a different children's book and complete a craft or activity connected to its theme or characters. Students will have some voice in which stories we read and the crafts or artwork they create as we explore the fun and silly adventures these different characters take- and of course have fun with friends along the way! A snack will be provided. FYI for returning students, it will be all new stories and crafts from the fall semester. *Please add both your child's name and your name in the sign up.*

Number of Students: Min. 10

Sign Up link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090F48AFAE2EA7FE3-stories1>

Edison Elementary Chess Club

Provider: PALS Chess Academy

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$180 per student

Tuesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Description: PALS Chess Academy is very excited to return to Edison Elementary Chess Club, one of Colorado's premier scholastic chess programs! Following a creative curriculum written by 5-time and reigning Colorado State Champion Lior Lapid, each lesson includes humor, stories, and challenging "chesscizes" to make chess learning fun while teaching critical-thinking skills and life lessons that can be applied both on and off the board. Students will calculate options and evaluate their consequences, develop short-term and long-term planning techniques, learn from mistakes, overcome obstacles, and practice visualization techniques to think a few steps ahead. Monthly scholastic tournaments are held on Saturdays. Whether playing in competitions or just for fun, your child will LOVE learning with PALS! For more information, visit www.palschess.com or email Merillat at merillat@palschess.com.

Sign Up Link: www.palschess.com/register/

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Beginning Sewing, Crafting and Building

Provider: Jo Rizzi

Grades Served: ECE-5th

Cost: \$210 per student, please ask about sibling discounts and scholarships.

(PayPal payments to jagh8@comcast.net or Venmo to @Jo-Rizzi or cash or check the first day of class)

Mondays 3:30-5:00 pm 01/10/22 - 05/09/22 (14 weeks) NO CLASSES 01/07, 02/21, 03/28 and 04/04

Description: In this fun class kids can create multitudes of hand sewing, craft, and simple building projects. Students can make pillows, stuffed animals, bags, fairy houses, jewelry, and more! I will provide examples and demonstrations as I work with students individually or collectively and offer lots of encouragement to create things on their own. All materials and snacks are provided.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 22

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AAEAC2FA1FC1-hand>

Japanese Language and Culture

Provider: Jo Rizzi

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$210 per student, please ask about sibling discounts and scholarships.

(PayPal payments to jagh8@comcast.net or Venmo to @Jo-Rizzi or cash or check the first day of class)

Tuesdays 3:30 - 5:00 pm 01/11/22 - 05/10/22 (15 weeks) NO CLASSES 01/18, 02/22, 03/29

Description: Have lots of fun learning Japanese language and culture in this activity based hands-on class. As research shows, the best time to learn a foreign language is before the age of 12. Students will learn basic Japanese conversation, calligraphy, crafts, songs, and Japanese games. We will have a traditional Japanese Tea ceremony and a shopping experience. **Great for beginners as well as continuing students.** All materials and snacks provided.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 22

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AAEAC2FA1FC1-japanese1>

L.A.R.P.ing (Live Action Role Playing)

Provider: Jo Rizzi

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$245 per student, please ask about sibling discounts and scholarships.

(PayPal payments to jagh8@comcast.net or Venmo to @Jo-Rizzi or cash or check the first day of class)

Wednesdays 3:30 - 5:00 pm 01/12/22 - 05/11/22 (15 weeks) NO CLASSES 01/19, 02/23, 03/30

Description: Kids will LOVE this interactive role-playing class! Following characters from books and legends students will portray those characters through physical action, using costumes and props. This semester's theme will be based on "Percy Jackson" and or "Wings of Fire" and perhaps more! We'll start by discussing a story or book, next the students will choose which character/s they wish to portray; this will be followed by making the props and costumes needed. Then comes the fun part of role-playing the stories. All materials and snacks will be provided.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 22

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AAEAC2FA1FC1-larping>

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[Fashion Design, Sewing and Crafts](#)

Provider: Jo Rizzi

Grades Served: 1st-5th

Cost: \$245 per student, please ask about sibling discounts and scholarships.

(PayPal payments to jagh8@comcast.net or Venmo to @Jo-Rizzi or cash or check the first day of class)

Thursdays 3:30 - 5:00 pm 01/13/22 - 05/12/22 (15 weeks) NO CLASSES 01/20, 02/24, 03/31

Description: Let your inner designer shine! Students can sew, make crafts, work with beads, yarn, and fabric as they create all sorts of projects from hand sewing, crocheting, and beadwork to using the sewing machine. I will work with students as a group and individually as they move at their own pace. Students will have the opportunity to choose their own projects developing self-confidence as they go. Students can challenge themselves learning how to use commercial patterns and are encouraged to "upcycle" clothes they bring from home. Lots of fun and creativity! All materials and snacks are provided.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 22

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AAEAC2FA1FC1-fashion>

[Yoga and Japanese](#)

Provider: Jo Rizzi

Grades Served: ECE-5th

Cost: \$210 per student, please ask about sibling discounts and scholarships.

(PayPal payments to jagh8@comcast.net or Venmo to @Jo-Rizzi or cash or check the first day of class)

Fridays 3:30-5:00 pm 01/14/22 - 05/13/22 (15 weeks) NO CLASSES 01/21, 02/25, and 04/01

Description: Experience this fun class combining yoga poses, games/activities, and mindfulness with Japanese language and culture through songs and games. We will experience the quieting practices of a traditional Japanese Tea ceremony and calligraphy as well as relaxation and meditation. Fun for new and continuing students of all ages. A great way to end the week! All materials and snacks provided.

Number of Students: Min. 5 - Max. 25

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AAEAC2FA1FC1-yogajapanese>

[Run Club](#)

Providers: Mrs. Overbeck and Ms. Davis

Grades Served: 2nd-5th

Cost: \$150 per student* (Please pay by Venmo @Emily-Overbeck or check made out to Emily Overbeck
*sibling discount available)

Friday Mornings 7:30 - 8:30 am 03/11/22 - 05/20/22

Description: Is your child looking for new friends to run with or to just get outside and run? Each week will focus on training, team bonding, and strengthening their love of running. We will build up endurance from week to week so that everyone is ready to complete a 5k at their own pace. 5k is optional, but encouraged! 5k information TBD.

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f48afae2ea7fb6-runclub1>

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[Creativity Zone](#)

Provider: Mrs. Overbeck

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$225 per student* (Please pay by Venmo @Emily-Overbeck or check made out to Emily Overbeck
*sibling discount available)

Tuesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/11/22 - 04/26/22

Description: Painting, drawing, building and more- we will do it all! Each week we will create masterpieces using different materials and techniques. Kiddos will get to vote for which project they want to complete for the following week. Free choice (drawing, painting, building with clay, etc) is always an option if they would prefer to follow their own creative path. They will learn to think outside of the box, get messy and have fun being creative with their friends. Snack provided.

Sign Up Link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f48afae2ea7fb6-creativity1>

[Ukulele and Songwriting with City Strings](#)

Provider: Jen Pastalo Dacpano

Grades Served: 1st-5th

Cost: \$390 per student. (Please Pay by Venmo @increativebliss, or mail a check to: City Strings Guitar Attention Jen 2620 Birch St. Denver, CO 80207)

Tuesdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm 01/11/22 - 04/26/22 NO CLASSES 2/22, and 3/29

Description: Music is a birthright! Our mission is to share that we are all creative beings, music makers, songwriters, musicians. In this class, students will be taught how to play the ukulele, play open chords, listen to each other as an ensemble, and write original songs for self-expression. Recommended age 6 and up. Students must bring their own ukulele.

Sign Up Link:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfQhPDXwfjroGH01KSeZDIMJqbYoOFEDTkEkPR4fwAsOSm84g/viewform>

[Colorado Kids Camp/CKC: Basketball & Soccer and ABC agility/balance/coordination](#)

Provider: Susie Ohle

Grades Served: ECE-5th

Cost: \$245 per student (Venmo @susieohle, \$20 late fee if paid after the first day of camp.)

Tuesdays 3:30 - 4:45pm (NO CLASSES during school breaks or on non school days)

Description: Looking forward to introducing new techniques and FUN filled games after advancing our network and abilities this spring session. Each camp is a hands-on, non-competitive, FUN-filled experience which teaches children the fundamentals of each sport. Our new curriculum integrates practical drills and creative games to develop skills while engaging both the body and imagination. Our sports camps improve motor skills, hand-eye and eye-foot coordination, balance, focus, listening skills, team building, and most notably the significance of being a good sport! Each child receives personal coaching which builds self-confidence, a love for fitness, and a desire to play sports for life!

Number of Students: Min. 10 - Max. 25

Sign Up Link: <https://my.cheddarup.com/c/2021-colorado-kids-camp-registrations>

Must fill out a waiver from the organization's website: http://coloradokidscamp.com/files/CHILD_WAIVER3.pdf

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[Hip-Hop: Freestyle Elements \(Level 1\)](#)

Provider: KidzToPros

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$120 per student

Fridays: 3:30 - 4:30 pm 1/10/22 - 3/18/22 (10 weeks)

Description: Learn new dance moves and the essential elements of freestyle alongside a friendly, energetic instructor. Students will practice interactive exercise and creative, whole-body movement while dancing to some fun beats

Number of Students: Min. 10

Sign Up Link:

<https://www.kidztopros.com/locations/Edison-Elementary-after-school-programs-in-Denver-US-CO>

[Hip-Hop: Rhythm and Choreography \(Level 2\)](#)

Provider: KidzToPros

Grades Served: K-5th

Cost: \$120 per student

Fridays: 3:30 - 4:30 pm 3/25/22 - 5/20/22 (8 weeks) NO CLASS 4/1

Description: Students will master 8 counts, coordination, and moving as a group. Students will work together to master a choreography presented to them and prepare for a big performance at the end of the program.

Number of Students: Min. 10

Sign Up Link:

<https://www.kidztopros.com/locations/Edison-Elementary-after-school-programs-in-Denver-US-CO>

[Scratch Coding: Art \(Level 1\)](#)

Provider: KidzToPros

Grades Served: 2nd-5th

Cost: \$150 per student

Tuesdays: 3:30 - 4:30 pm 1/11/22 - 3/15/22 (10 weeks) NO CLASS 2/22

Description: The Scratch Coding Art course teaches students how to create their own characters and custom backdrops using Scratch coding. Students will study the motion, sound and background effects, learn blocks on the scratch editor, and use coding logic to animate and bring their creations to life.

Number of Students: Min. 10

Sign Up Link:

<https://www.kidztopros.com/locations/Edison-Elementary-after-school-programs-in-Denver-US-CO>

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