

Dates for 2026-2027 Mosaic School Year

Open House Kick Off:.....Thurs. Aug. 6 at 7:00 p.m.
Medina Assembly of God

3 Sessions, 9 weeks each, Every Wednesday as follows:

Fall Session:..... Wed. Sept. 16 - Wed. Nov. 11

Winter Session:.....Wed. Nov. 18 - Wed. Feb. 3
(EXCEPT no classes on Nov 25, Dec 23 or Dec. 30)

Spring Session:..... Wed. Feb. 10 - Wed. Apr. 14
(EXCEPT no classes on Mar 24)

Recital: Thurs. April 15 at 6:30 p.m.
(A showcase for family and friends of what the students learned in their classes)

Payment & Registration Information

Payments are due the first class of EACH session (Fall, Winter, Spring) directly to the teacher. \$50 a student for each class, per session, plus any fees.

It is strongly recommended that students enroll for all three sessions, since teachers prepare for a 27 week curriculum.

[CLICK HERE](#) to register.

Registration Deadline is Wednesday September 2, 2026.

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*Notice the different times classes start
5 minutes between classes*

<i>Time</i>	<i>Ages</i>	<i>Class</i>
9:00-9:45	8+	Fun & Fitness
	9-14	Basic Art
	8-10	Beginning Piano
	12+	Personal Finance & Career Discovery
	8+	Beginning Ukulele
	5-9	Budding Scientists
9:50-10:35	4-7	Beginning Drawing
	8+	Choir with Advanced BoomWhackers
	10+	Exploring Creation w/Chemistry & Physics
	10+	Praise Band
10:40-11:25	6-10	Jr. STEM Lego Designers
	8-12	Exploring Creation with Botany
	5-8	Beginning Art
	10+	Intermediate Guitar
	8+	Advanced Mozarts with Boomwhackers
	10+	Beginning Sewing
	3-4	Friendly Frogs Preschool

11:30-12:15	11+	Sr. STEM Lego Designers
	9+	Intro to Public Speaking
	5-8	Music with Little Mozarts
	8+	Beginning Recorder
	8-16	Drawing
	6-9	Learning to Stitch
	3-4	Learning Lizards Preschool
12:20-1:05	6-10	Jr. STEM Lego Designers
	10+	Beginning Sewing
	12+	Biblical Citizenship
	7+	Beginning Sign Language
	8+	Beginning Guitar
1:10-1:55	11+	Beginning Piano
	6-9	Learning to Stitch
	13+	Biology in the Bible with Dissection
	8+	Beginning Drums/Percussion

Class Descriptions

Music for Little Mozarts

Ages 5-8

Mrs. Salay

Students will be introduced to appropriate piano instruction for their age level, such as finger numbers and moving up and down the keyboard, high and low sounds, quarter notes, rests and bar lines. Singing, rhythm and listening skills are developed along with an appreciation for a variety of musical styles. Piano or keyboard is highly recommended for home, but not necessary. Parents are encouraged to come to the first class.
Book fee \$10

Advanced Mozarts with Boomwhackers Ages 8+

Mrs. Salay

No other musical training necessary. In this class we will be learning some music theory such as the different types of notes and rests and how to read music on the printed page. We will be learning different types of rhythm, how to play a steady beat, chords and bass patterns. We will be learning about tempo and syncopation and listening to a variety of music. This is a fun way to learn about music and praise God with these new instruments called boomwhackers.

Choir with Advanced Boomwhackers Ages 8+

Mrs. Salay

Come and praise the Lord through song! Use your voice to blend with others in unison and using harmony. Students will learn vocal and breathing techniques, warm up exercises and music theory, along with singing a variety of music. Advanced rhythms will be woven in this class with the use of boomwhackers. Must have at least 5 students engaged in this class.

Beginning Piano Ages 8-10 or Beginning Piano Ages 11+ Mrs. Salay

Students will be learning about hand positions, finger numbers, basic rhythms, musical terms and be introduced to all key names as well as learning to read music on the printed page. Piano students must have a piano or keyboard at home for daily practice. Mosaic will provide keyboards for classroom use.
Book fee \$10

Biblical Citizenship

Ages 12+

Mrs. Salay

Can a nation thrive without God? What is the responsibility of the body of Christ to help our nation thrive? Rick Green is the founder of Patriot Academy, a leadership program focused on educating young people about conservative principles of the U.S. constitution. He has developed a course called Biblical Citizenship which will educate the participants on the biblical principles that influenced the founding fathers of the U.S. and how those principles apply to modern citizenship.

In this class you will see how the founding fathers relied on their Christian beliefs and biblical worldview to secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and future generations. You will be treated to encouraging historical facts and inspirational true stories from notable pastors, constitutional experts and historians.

There is a workbook that goes along with the classroom presentation that you must purchase: Biblical Citizenship in a Modern World (www.patriotacademy.com)

Parents are encouraged to take this class along with their students.

(No extra charge for parent participation)

Learning to Stitch

Ages 6-9

Mrs. Markert

***ONLY 4 STUDENTS PER CLASS**

2 CLASSES OFFERED

Students will learn the most basic skills of hand sewing, such as threading needles, tying knots and sewing buttons on fabric. They will be introduced to age appropriate tools and materials while stitching a fun variety of small projects. All tools and materials will be provided.

Materials fee: \$10

Beginning Sewing

Ages 10+

Mrs. Markert

***ONLY 4 STUDENT PER CLASS**

2 CLASSES OFFERED

This class is an introduction to basic sewing skills including both hand stitching and machine sewing. Students will learn a variety of hand stitching techniques that are functional and decorative. They will also learn about how the sewing machine works and have experience using one to complete projects. The class will touch on topics such as embroidery, applique, patchwork and clothing construction. All tools and materials will be provided. Each 9 week session will focus on making one larger project like a tote bag and a pillowcase.

Materials fee: \$15

Beginner Sign Language

Ages 7+

Mrs. Sandor

Welcome to the world of sign language! Through American Sign Language (ASL) we will be having fun learning the basics, like the alphabet, words and phrases, animal and household signs and even using ASL grammar. We will be praising God all the way too, by learning how to sign worship songs, hymns and simple prayers.

Intro to Public Speaking

Ages 9+

Mrs. Sandor

Let's face it, with all the electronic communication out there in today's world, the art of face-to-face interactions is becoming obsolete! We hide behind screens, avoid eye contact and mumble our way through life. God did not intend us to communicate through computers! He gave us a mouth to speak clearly, eyes to focus on others, and a brain to sort out ideas. Several aspects of public speaking will be taught, such as the making of a good speaker, using the proper tools, knowing your audience and selecting different types of speeches effectively. Students will hone in on their listening skills, conduct research and prepare their own speeches using simple outlines.

Basic Art

Ages 9-14

Miss Taylor

In this class students will develop fundamental art skills through drawing, painting, and sculpture. They'll explore creativity, learn about art history, practice observation, experiment with mixed media, and engage in critical thinking through art analysis and critique. It's an immersive experience designed to foster artistic expression and appreciation in a fun and supportive environment.

Lab fee \$10

Beginning Art

Ages 5-8

Miss Taylor

Students will explore colors, shapes, and storytelling through fun activities like collage, sculpture, and drawing. Each session sparks creativity and imagination, culminating in a celebratory showcase. It's a colorful adventure igniting young artists' passion for creativity and self-expression.

Lab fee \$10

Drawing

Ages 8-16

Miss Taylor

These artists explore a variety of techniques from perspective to portrait drawing. With guidance students develop their skills through engaging exercises and constructive feedback. The course encourages creativity and self-expression, culminating in the creation of captivating final projects.

Lab fee \$5

Beginning Drawing

Ages 4-7

Miss Taylor

Young artists explore colors, shapes, and storytelling through engaging activities. They develop foundational drawing skills and unleash their creativity. This course concludes with a showcase, celebrating their achievements and fostering a love for art.

Lab fee \$5

Fun and Fitness

Ages 8+

Miss Jessica

Join Miss Jessica for a fun and active class designed for homeschool students! Each 45-minute session combines movement, beginner-friendly fitness activities, games, stretching, and health education in an encouraging environment. Students will learn about muscles, heart health, nutrition, flexibility, hydration, and healthy habits while improving strength, coordination, balance and confidence. Every class is designed to keep kids moving, learning and having fun!

Jr. STEM Lego Designers

Ages 6-10

Mrs. Saenz

Each week we'll explore a new theme with interactive LEGO activities that encourage creativity, storytelling, design, and communication. We'll explore different STEM topics and activities through hands-on play. Class size is limited to 12 students, minimum of 3 students.

Supply fee \$5

Sr. STEM Lego Designers

Ages 11+

Mrs. Saenz

Each week we'll have a new theme where students will exercise their creativity and problem-solving skills and then share their concepts with the class. The designers who work at LEGO regularly present new ideas to their peers, those in leadership, and the community. We too will pair the creative spirit and collaboration through interactive, hands-on learning. Here's what you can expect throughout the year: Term 1 – foundational presentation skills, Term 2 – group communication skills, Term 3 – creating an outline and presenting. Class size is limited to 8 students, minimum of 3 students.

Supply fee \$5

Personal Finance and Career Discovery Ages 12+ Mr. Park

Your teens will learn the money skills they'll use now and for the rest of their lives so they'll have a solid foundation when they are out on their own. This course trades boring formulas and financial theories for time-tested principles, real-life applications and humor.

Foundations in Career Discovery was created to help your teen understand who they are and how to choose a career that best fits them. This course will guide your teen through four specific stages that'll help them stand out in the job market. Starting with building a foundation based on their talents, passions, and mission, your teen will learn what it takes to get qualified to do work they love, how to connect with people that'll guide and mentor them along their journey, and how to get started serving others with their unique contribution.

Friendly Frogs Preschool Ages 3 - 4 Mrs. Oswald

In this class we will focus on building teamwork and communication. We will have circle time to share and learn about each other, as well as a literary element paired with either a craft or activity following a theme to build interpersonal relationships and emotional intelligence. CLASS LIMIT 6 Supply fee: \$5

Learning Lizards Preschool Ages 3 - 4 Mrs. Oswald

In this class students will be learning the basics for several subjects. We will go over shapes, colors, counting, and other basic skills that will help prepare the children. The lessons will also include either a craft, game, or other activity to support the lesson. CLASS LIMIT 6 Supply fee: \$5

Biology and the Bible with Dissection Ages 13+ Mrs. Sandor

In this course the students will explore everything from creation and cells, to details about each taxonomy level from bacteria to vertebrates. We will dissect some specimens, learn to write up lab reports and study cell reproduction and genetics. At the end of the year, students will be required to give a presentation on a topic of their interest related to any lesson that was covered in the course.

Lab fee to be determined...not to exceed \$20

Budding Scientists

Ages 5-9

Mrs. Sandor

In this course our budding scientists will get a brief overview of the basics of science and how it all plays into God's creation. We will learn about cells, plants, animals, natural disasters, planets, volcanoes, atoms and much more!. Science should never be boring! God made an amazing world, so join us and let's discover it together! Students will prepare a short presentation on a type of scientist that they would like to become.

Lab fee \$10

Exploring Creation with Botany

Ages 8-12

Mrs. Sandor

Get to know your plant life! In this class we will be learning about plants on a cellular level all the way through germination. We will do fun experiments of growing our own plants, making a terrarium, and learning how to measure huge trees! We will also take a look at seeds, fruits, pollinators and tree identification. Students will make a notebook and journal all throughout the class year, which they will then show as their final presentation.

Lab fee \$10

Exploring Creation w/ Chemistry and Physics Ages 10+ Mrs. Sandor

Based on the Young Explorers Series, the first portion of this course will cover the fundamentals of chemistry, including matter, atoms, how atoms bond, solutions and learn how to read the Periodic Table of Elements. We will then phase into an overview of physics. Topics include the laws of motion, friction, energy, sound and electromagnetic waves. We will do fun hands-on experiments to help students understand hard concepts. Students will prepare a presentation at the end of the year to focus on a topic that interests them.

Lab fee \$10

Beginning Drums/Percussion

Ages 8+

Mr. Grady

Students will be required to supply their own snare drum with a snare stand and a mute pad, and drum sticks. Students will also need a music stand, and a method book. There are numerous packages that include a snare, snare stand, mute pad and sticks. They range from just under \$100 to several hundred dollars. Quality is not of the utmost importance for our purposes, as the mute pad will be used most of the time for class, and probably for practice as well. There are plenty of options out there.

Music Stand: A simple folding music stand will do, preferably one with retaining arms that hold the book or sheet music in place.

Book Alfred's Drum Method Book 1

Praise Group

Ages 8+

Mr. Grady

Students will be required to supply their own Musical Instrument, and Song Book. “Folk Songs” from the Strum Together Series. This series of song books is really great! Not only is it full of tunes we all know, but it includes chord charts for 5 different instruments. Everyone in the group can play a different instrument and use the same book to play their favorite songs. We’ll use this book to choose songs to learn as a musical group. It includes religious songs as well as many folk standards. At the end of the year, we’ll choose our best songs to perform for the school.

Intermediate Guitar

Ages 8+

Mr. Grady

Students will be required to supply their own Guitar, Chord Wheel book, and tuner. This class is for players who already have a decent understanding of a number of chords and can switch between them proficiently while staying in rhythm. They should also have the ability to create rhythm using a variety of strum patterns. Having taken Beginning Guitar does not necessarily qualify a student for this class. The ability to read music is a plus, but not necessary. In this class we will play the guitar and make music together. We will expand on the basics and increase the students’ ability to recognize many standard chord patterns while building the skills to quickly learn new songs, techniques, and styles. We will also discuss music theory as it relates to song, and chord structure. The goal is to build a foundation for a life of enjoyment playing music. Yes, I really see it that way. Book: Hal Leonard The Chord Wheel

Beginning Recorder

Ages 8+

Mr. Grady

Learning to play the recorder is a great way to introduce students to the basics of music. Standard notation, note value, melody, harmony, beats and rhythm are all part of how we make music. In this class we’ll learn the basics of reading music and play some tunes as well. Students will be required to supply their own recorder, music stand and method book.

Recorder: The “Nuvo Recorder +” Soprano, Baroque fingering recorder is ideal for this class. Rather than holes, this recorder has pads like a clarinet or saxophone, which greatly increases the playability, intonation, and tone, while eliminating much of the “squeakiness” often associated with the recorder. It’s easier to play, sounds better and is nicer to listen to. It also comes in a variety of color combinations, includes a hard carrying case and is washable with soap and water. The Nuvo Recorder + is available at most online music outlets including Musicians Friend, Guitar Center, Sweetwater, Amazon and Walmart.

Music Stand: A simple folding music stand will do, preferably one with retaining arms that hold the book or sheet music in place.

Book Essential Elements "RECORDER Classroom Method" Student Book 1 by Hal Leonard.

Beginning Guitar

Ages 8+

Mr. Grady

Student Guitars A smaller instrument is appropriate for most kids. It makes it easier to reach over the top to strum, and also easier to reach the end of the guitar neck where the notes and chords are played. Full-sized instruments are not impossible for little folks, but they will fatigue much more quickly, and the difficulty could cause them to dislike playing. Quality, readily available, affordable small guitars include: Yamaha JR1 Fender FA-15 Ibanez PF2 MH Mitchell DJ120 Cordoba Mini II Most of these are $\frac{3}{4}$ scale guitars with good playability. They are of sufficient quality to be passed along when your youngster outgrows it. I recommend avoiding anything less than \$150 (new cost) because of playability and intonation problems that make the process of learning more difficult and a lot less fun. A decent used instrument is always worth looking into as well. "Classical" instruments can be a little easier on the fingers, but they tend to have very wide necks, even the kids-sized ones. They can also be more difficult to keep in tune. I would never say, "don't get a classical," but I believe a steel string is usually a better choice for little beginners. Is your student left-handed? The hand we write and draw with is the hand we want to strum with. "Lefty" instruments can cost about 10% more, and are sometimes harder to find, but your left-handed kid will have much more fun and make better music with a left-handed instrument.

Music Stand: A simple folding music stand will do, preferably one with retaining arms that hold the book or sheet music in place.

Tuner: There are many different types of tuners, but a "clip-on" tuner is usually best in group settings. It does not use a microphone, which can get confused by multiple sounds in the room, but rather clips on to the headstock of your instrument and reads the vibrations.

Books: "Guitar Method Book 1" by Hal Leonard I have had much success getting folks of all ages started with this series. When used together with an appropriate song book the student can become familiar with their instrument, how to read some music, how to play simple melodies, and then using the songbook we can apply what we're learning to have some fun with familiar tunes. "Folk Songs" from the Strum Together Series (This book will be used for both classes) This series of song books is really great! Not only is it full of tunes we all know, but it includes chord charts for 5 different instruments. Everyone in the family can play a different instrument and use the same book to play their favorite songs.

Beginning Ukulele

Ages 8+

Mr. Grady

Learning to play the ukulele is a great way to introduce people of any age to fretted stringed instruments. Making chords is the key to success in the world of frets, and the Uke is easily held, easily on the ears, and the perfect doorway to similar instruments like guitar, banjo, mandolin. Students will be required to supply their own Ukulele, music stand, method book and tuner.

Ukulele: A decent, playable ukulele isn't hard to find, even in the \$75 - \$100 range. Look for metal and wood and you can't go wrong. The strings on a ukulele are Nylon not metal, and that is normal, but if there is a lot of plastic on the body, especially if it is one big, molded piece, then it is probably a souvenir or a toy. There are lots of those around. For this class Soprano, Tenor, and Concert ukes will work perfectly, but Baritone will not because it's tuned differently. Is your student left-handed? The hand we write and draw with is the hand we want to strum with. "Lefty" instruments can cost about 10% more, and are sometimes harder to find, but your left-handed kid will have much more fun and make better music with a left-handed instrument. Quality, affordable Ukuleles include: Cordoba (various models) Penguin (various models) Mitchell (various models) Luna (various model)

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