



Pathways for Exceptional Children
and Montville Township Recreation
Children Ages 5-12
Creative Activities to Challenge
Your MIND and BODY!



Zoom Links given weekly for all classes

1) Pathways Drawing and Painting : (Ages 6-8)

The children will understand perspective and how to turn what they can imagine into art using lines, shapes, and colors. This session will learn about shading, patterns, and symmetry. They will use pencils, colored pencils and watercolor paints. Art kits will be provided that include most of the things your child will need for the class. We will email you when you can pick the kits up before the class begins. Fee: \$90

WHEN: Tuesdays: Jan 12, 19, 26; Feb 2, 9 & 16th from 4:30pm-5:30pm. Fee: \$90

2) Pathways Drawing and Painting: (Ages 9-12)

Does your child like to draw portraits, animals, or landscapes? You name it, they can learn to draw and paint it. This class gives them the freedom to do it. The children learn how to incorporate shading, shapes, lines, patterns, symmetry, colors and other skills into their drawings. The children will help each other to evaluate their work, find solutions, and learn to see the world more clearly from an artist's perspective. Art kits will be provided that include the things your child will need for the class. We will email you when you can pick the kits up before the class begins.

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About Pathways Art Instructor:

Artist & Illustrator, Georgianna Manderioli, known by her students as "Miss. Mimi" has been teaching art to all ages for over 30 years. Miss. Mimi especially loves working with PreK and Elementary age children on their journey of learning how to draw and paint. Her nurturing ways, and years of experience have continued to help children have a positive experience with art.

3) Intro to Dance: Hip Hop, Bollywood, Ballet and Party Dances (Ages 5-8)

With the uncertainty of the virus and the weather getting colder, children will have fewer options to remain active and keep their fitness levels up! Pathways has a beginners dance class for children that want to learn about basic styles such as Hip Hop, Bollywood, Ballet, and Party/Pop dances. The children will warm up with stretching, breathing, and yoga exercises and will go right into learning dance steps and routines! The goal is to develop a passion and love for dancing, burning energy by staying active, and learn some dance moves you can show off at your next party! The class fee is \$60.

WHEN: Saturdays: Jan 16, 23, 30; Feb 6, 13 & 20th from 10:30am-11:15am

Instructors: Melinda Jennis & Vanshika Pahilwani - Vanshika is a sophomore in high school and has over 10 years of experience in dance. She loves teaching dance!



FUN
With ART
& DANCE!



4) Pathways Basketball and Fitness: (Ages 6-9)

Children will learn the basic skills of passing, dribbling and shooting in basketball. They will learn some play strategies and patterns and how to play both offense and defense. This class is virtual and is being done to give kids ways to stay active yet keep doing what they love in sports. Being virtual never means we stop doing anything, but we may have to do things in a different way! All you need is a hard floor, garage, driveway, or sidewalk to bounce a basketball. You do not need a basket, we will create our own! There will be a heavy emphasis on skill building! Fee is \$60

WHEN: Fridays: Jan 15, 22, 29; Feb 5, 12 & 19th from 3:30pm-4:45pm

5) Pathways Cooking and Social Games: (Ages 9-12)

Parents how would you like some help cooking dinner on Monday nights? You bring the ingredients and we will be giving you recipes each week that you can modify to your own tastes and accommodate if needed for food allergies. After the kids get done cooking with the instructor and parental supervision, they will have dinner together and will play some games we have created that can be done virtually! This class is for kids that want to have fun and meet new friends! Fee \$60

WHEN: Mondays: : Jan 18, 25; Feb 1, 8, 15 & 22nd from 5:00pm-6:00pm.

6) Pathways Block Coding: (Ages 7-9)

This is the first level of computer programming at Pathways. During this class, the students will learn how to block code using Minecraft, Star Wars, and other fun games. Block coding is similar to fitting pieces of a puzzle together that create code in the computer. The code is then used to help characters to move to accomplish specific goals the programmer designs in a game. Upon completion of the class, the children will have basic understanding of the fundamentals of the block coding and the knowledge to apply these skills while developing their own simple video games and apps. Fee: \$80

WHEN: Tuesdays: Jan 12, 19, 26; Feb 2, 9 & 16 from 5:30pm-6:30pm

7) Pathways Python Programming Level 1: (Ages 9-12)

Students will begin to learn the fundamentals of Python. They will fight evil monsters using code. Students will be introduced to variables, loops, and the Python Turtle library. By the end of this class, students will be able draw basic shapes with Python Turtle. Fee \$80

WHEN: Sundays - Jan 10, 17, 24, 31; Feb 7 & 14th from 3:00pm-4:00pm.

8) Pathways WeDo Robotics Level 1 (Ages 6-12)

This class is for children of all ages. It is an introduction to robotics. The children will block code on the computers and send commands to the Lego robots they build. The students will learn about basic sensors and robot mechanisms. The classes will be done virtually. The robots are expensive so cannot stay at the child's home. The parents will pick up the robot before class, at 4:00pm, take it to your home for the virtual class, and return it after the class. It is similar to you dropping off and picking up your child to class but instead you transport the robot. Any questions - email:

info@PathwaysKids.org. Fee \$80

WHEN: Tuesdays - Jan 12, 19, 26; Feb 2, 9 & 16 from 4:30pm-5:30pm

Children of all abilities are welcome at Pathways for Exceptional Children!

All ABOVE CLASSES ARE VIRTUAL ON ZOOM - Links are sent weekly
For more information and to register: <http://www.montville.org/recregistration>
Look under Pathways Programs - Winter 2021
Any Questions? - Email: info@PathwaysKid.org