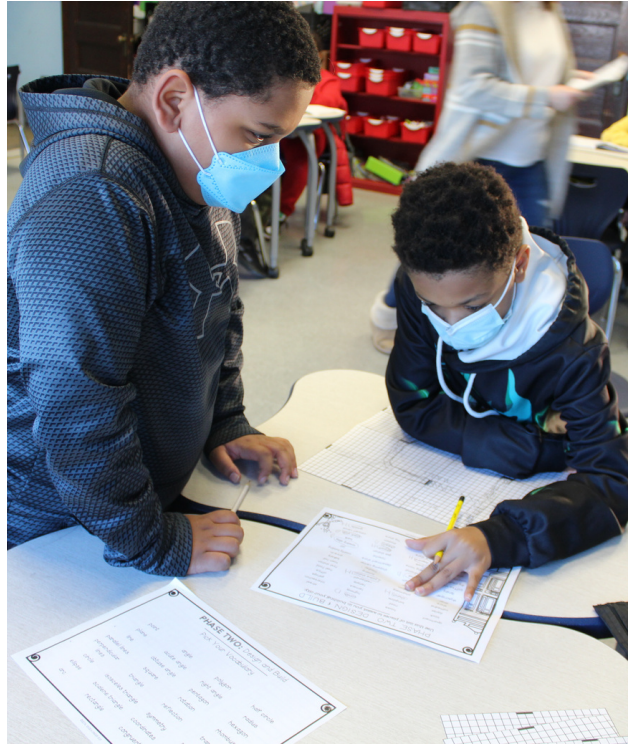The Extended Learning Time (ELT) Program is a project-based learning experience that support students' academic growth along with developing social-emotional skills, collaborative learning and problem-solving skills, and creative thinking.

Each course is taught by certified elementary teachers and is designed to both enrich students' learning experience and build upon the learning that is taking place during the school day.

Division of Instruction

Elementary

Contact your building principals for more details.

Extended Learning Time

2022-2023

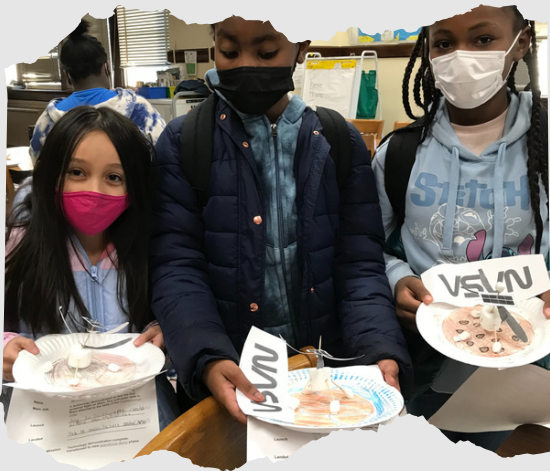C O U R S E S

Session 1 & 2 Courses Grades 1-2

Period 1

Lit League: Engage in an active social-emotional literacy learning environment where you'll participate in read-alouds, group discussions, writing activities, independent reading, games, songs, and more! Students are provided with a variety of authentic and culturally responsive texts to read and explore throughout this course.

Pioneers in Engineering: Students will use Legos and other building materials to solve real-world engineering problems.

Period 2

Crazy 8s Math Club: This is a math club like no other! It offers unique, high-energy math activities that appeal to kids of all math abilities. Students will engage in a variety of skill-building activities and challenges that engage and excite students about math.

Pioneers in Computers: Students will build their computer skills, starting with typing, basic computer functions, and coding. Using LEGO Spike Essential sets, students will start programing their own builds using block-based coding.

Session Dates:

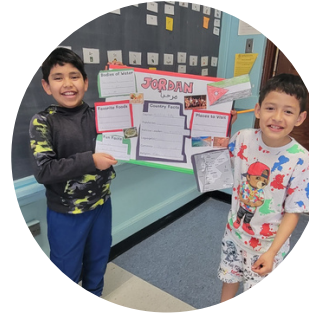## Session 1
Oct. 11 - Dec. 1

Session 2
Dec. 6 - Jan. 26

Session 3
Feb. 8 - March 23

Session 4*
April 11 - June 8
*Includes 4 weeks of test prep for ELA and Math exams in grades 3-5

Students will have the option to switch courses for each session. New courses will be shared in January for Sessions 3 & 4.

PK Strings

Open to 4th and 5th grade string students, this engaging after school program, taught by Stringendo teachers, will build upon and enhance basic skills. Students must be currently enrolled in the school string program with Mrs. Kalbfus in order to participate.

Krieger, Clinton, Morse, & Warring Elementary Schools
Grades: 1-5
Times: 2.25 hours after school

Daily Schedule

15 Minute Snack

30 Minute Homework Help

45 Minute Period 1 Course

45 Minute Period 2 Course

Dismissal

Session 1 & 2 Courses Grades 3-5

Period 1

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City Design: For this course, students will use their skills of maps ratios, perimeter, and area to design their own city. By the end of the semester, students will be able to present their cities to actual city planners!

NASA Build to Launch: LEGO Education has teamed up with NASA to build an multi-week unit designed to explore the technology and problem-solving skills NASA Space Teams use to prepare for the launch of the Artemis I.

Period 2

Comics & Graphic Novels: Graphic novels and comics combine the great world of literature and art! Students will study the elements of graphic texts and write one of their own to add to the literary & art magazine at the end of the semester.

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