

MONDAYS

Chess Club

Instructor: Daniel Geller
Strategy & Concentration / Grades 5–12*
\$225 total / Once a week

*Experienced Middle El players are also invited to join.

Come join Stanbridge Academy's chess club! All levels of experience are welcome. Students who participate will sharpen their focus, learn strategy and logic, and improve visualization techniques, all while having a great time and being part of a team.

Prior to joining the Stanbridge staff, Daniel taught chess at schools in Atlanta, as well as private groups and individual sessions, for over a year. He is a lifelong chess player, as well as an ongoing tournament player, and believes profoundly in chess as an educational resource.

Club Glee

Instructors: Danny Martin & Mary Stadler, MFT
Gross Motor Skills & Musicality / Grades K–12
\$235 total / Once a week

Come and make music and dance with Club Glee! Each week we will learn new songs and add basic movements and sign language. You will have an opportunity to learn to play ukulele and rhythm instruments, too! Come join Danny and Mary in this fun-filled afterschool activity open to all students.

Danny is a lifelong actor and dancer and has been part of 50 local productions. Mary is an accomplished musician and teacher with many years experience teaching singing and stringed instruments.

Dungeons & Dragons

Instructor: Justin Silbaugh
Social Learning & Storytelling / Grades 5–12
\$225 total / Once a week

Add fuel to the Dungeons & Dragons fire! Participants will cultivate creativity while imagining their own stories in this popular tabletop, role-playing game. D&D develops storytelling skills, math skills, patience, and good sportsmanship. Check out this [great article from KQED](#) about the benefits of D&D!

In this session our Dungeon Masters will be Orlijn Knapp-van Rossum and Tyler Ashley-Goldstein, with opportunities for other players to develop their leadership skills as Dungeon Masters and lead campaigns.

Stanbridge Basketball Team

Coach: Mark Kelley
Health & Teamwork / Grades 8–12
\$480 total / Twice weekly (Monday & Wednesday)
19 practices/games, plus one weekend session

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TUESDAYS

Table Tennis

Coach: Mark Kelley
Health & Teamwork / Grades 3–12
\$270 total / Once a week

Table Tennis will focus on different components of the game including forehand, backhand, serving, proper scoring, and other skills that will allow kids to hone their game. Learn to play the game with your friends in singles competition. Activities will include one-on-one coaching, match practice, and game tactics. This club will also compete against other schools in Bay Area Small School Athletic League (BASSAL) in home or away matches.

Mark Kelley has a passion for Table Tennis, which he's been playing his entire life. This is his third year coaching the Stanbridge team.

The IncrEDIBLES!

Instructor: Colleen McQuade
Health & Independence / Grades 5–8
\$300 total / Once a week

Come join The IncrEDIBLES, a cooking club especially for kids! Discover a new country and cuisine each week. Build culinary skills such as chopping and whisking. Apply math, science, and reading comprehension skills. Explore geography, culture, and nutrition through food! As a culminating activity, students will prepare and serve foods from different countries to their families/community in "The Festival of Nations," an after school club event on Tuesday, March 5.

Colleen, our Director of College Counseling and Transitions, has been a school counselor/teacher of students at all levels, kindergarten through college, for more than 15 years. One of her summertime joys over the years has been offering a kids' cooking club at schools and at the public library—we are excited that she will be bringing her love of learning via the kitchen to our campus for this session of clubs. Senior Mia Bergstrom will intern in the club as Colleen's sous chef.

Yearbook Crew*

Instructor: Camille Geraci
Project Management & Creativity / Grades 8–12
Once a week

New students welcome: \$50 total
Returning students: \$0 (fee paid in Fall)

How do you want to remember the coming year? This hard-working afterschool activity creates Stanbridge memories...be a part of the team! Learn how to use a website creator packed with industry-leading tools that inspire creativity. Students in this club need to be ready to focus, buckle down, and have fun.

*The Yearbook Crew meets for both the Fall and Winter Afterschool sessions; returning students previously paid a nominal fee in the Fall for dual-session enrollment. New students are welcome to enroll for the Winter session; student roster approved by Camille.

Camille has been the Stanbridge Visual Arts teacher for more than a decade, working with students in every grade throughout her time on staff. She has been Stanbridge's Yearbook Advisor since 2007.

WEDNESDAYS

Gardening & Plant Fun

Instructor: Molly Chappell
Health & Sustainability / Grades 5–12
\$300 total / Once a week

Students will spend time in the on-site school garden doing projects and activities to learn more about plants and ecosystems. We will do things such as: start, grow and take care of fruit and vegetable plants; prune and manage perennials and annuals; create homes and resources for insects and small garden friendly creatures; improvement projects to make the garden more user-friendly. This club promises to be a fun way to connect ecology and biology with practical gardening and outdoor activity—come outside and get your hands dirty with us!

Molly enjoys spending her time with all students to help them achieve their goals in the environmental world. She joined Stanbridge in early 2018 and took over as the Middle Elementary teacher and garden caretaker this school year. Molly loves teaching kids about all the wonderful things the earth has to offer!

Hip Hop/Music Production

Instructor: Adam C'DeBaca
Project Management & Self-Expression
Grades 7–12
\$300 total / Once a week

Learn beat-making, deejaying, mixing, and sampling skills using Ableton Live, an industry standard DAW (Digital Audio Workstation) for professional recording musicians. Also learn to record vocals for Hip Hop and Electronic music. Representatives of Zulu Nation, professional DJs, and rappers from the Bay Area may assist and host workshops and demos. A version of this club was offered during Summer School in July and the response was tremendous. We look forward to another session where students can mix, scratch, rap, and record—bring in da noise, bring in da funk!

In addition to his background and experience as an English, Spanish, and history teacher, Adam is also member of the Zulu Nation All Tribes SF, and has extensive connections in the Bay Area Hip Hop scene, as well as the community organization Hip Hop for Change. He produces and creates music for Bay Area rappers and sells his original music through various major distributors.

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THURSDAYS

Board Game Bonanza

Instructor: Ben Grigsby
Social Learning & Design / Grades 5–12
\$285 total / Once a week

Students will play a different board or card game each week, and will work with their fellow club members to create an entirely new game in the last few sessions. Along the way, students will learn the rules and etiquette of each game, along with the social skills required to play well with others.

Ben Grigsby is a Stanbridge alum with nine years of experience as a teaching aide, substitute teacher, and chaperone. He is a card-carrying game fanatic and has an expert understanding of what makes a game work.

Creative Play

Instructor: Mike Peterman
Social & Gross Motor Skills / Grades K–12
\$350 total / Once a week

"Big Mike" is a master at using creative play to dramatically improve social interaction among children. His creative play group is designed for both social and gross motor skill development. This club provides children with opportunities to develop their play skills in a fun and motivating way while building confidence and self-esteem. Mike's attitude, coaching style and energy engender trust and a desire to play among all participants.

Many students benefit from additional extracurricular, guided play to develop their social and gross motor skills. Mike Peterman is a Play Therapist, Inclusion Specialist, and Coach for Peninsula school districts, as well as a private coach. Several staff members have witnessed Mike's work here over the years and can vouch that it works! See Mike's website for more information: www.bigmikesplay.com. *Minimum six students required.*

FRIDAYS

Dodgeball

Coach: Ben Grigsby
Agility & Building Endurance / Grades 4–12
\$270 total / Once a week

Students will learn the skills, rules, workouts, and game play of dodgeball. This is a competitive club featuring practices with and games against other schools in the Bay Area Small School Athletic League. Dodgeball stresses fitness/anaerobics, teamwork, and sportsmanship, and develops agility, endurance, flexibility, and hand-eye coordination. New members welcome; no special equipment or experience required. The team may compete in a intermural game hosted at home—date TBD.

Ben (Stanbridge Class of '08) is a Teaching Assistant at Stanbridge and loves running stamina drills, ducks, and dodges while coaching various versions of Dodgeball to stretch the imagination, as well as the muscles.

Cross Country Team

Coach: Genevieve Lawrence
Health & Building Endurance / Grades 8–12
\$270 total / Once a week

Cross Country is considered a conditioning sport for our athletic program. Beginners—as well as Stanbridge athletes in other sports—are encouraged to join in order to increase their cardiovascular fitness level. Starting at their own pace, runners will build-up their strength and endurance, and ultimately will compete in a meet hosted by Hope Technology School in Palo Alto (date TBD). This is a great opportunity for students to burn off any stress as they gear-up for the weekend!

Genevieve teaches Humanities in the Junior High School division. She is an experienced cross country competitor and is eager to share her passion for the sport with our students.

LEGEND AND GENERAL NOTES



Arts



Athletics



Humanities



Games



Social-Emotional



STEM

- **Stanbridge Academy's Winter Afterschool Clubs run from December 3, 2018—March 8, 2019.**
- Clubs run from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. Clubs do not meet when school is not in session.
- Please note that game days for BASSAL sports clubs may run longer; you will be notified prior to these dates.
- Students are to be picked up promptly. An extra fee may be billed for consistently tardy pickups.
- Caltrain Shuttle service is provided after clubs; please check the box on the enrollment form.
- Minimum enrollment for each club is five students, unless otherwise noted.
- Clubs that do not meet the minimum enrollment by the **Nov. 29 deadline** will be cancelled and payments refunded.
- Space is limited for all clubs (8–12 students max; 15 max for basketball) and we fill on a first-come, first-served basis.

TO GUARANTEE CLUB ENROLLMENT, WE MUST HAVE BOTH YOUR COMPLETED ENROLLMENT FORM AND ACCOMPANYING PAYMENT RETURNED TO THE MAIN OFFICE BY THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29.

Enrollment Form is on the back page of this brochure. Make checks payable to Stanbridge Academy. For general club inquiries, contact Linda Bargas, Enrichment & Marketing Manager, at 650.375.5860, ext. 202. For club scholarship inquiries, contact Ward Quincey, Director of Finance & Operations, at 650.375.5860, ext. 616.