Enrollment

- Enrollment for Passport Clubs is on a first come, first serve basis. Many clubs do fill quickly!

- If a desired club is full, your child will be put on a wait list, if the club is listed. Please email the Program Director (passport@cambridgemontessori.org) to be placed on the wait list. Names will be added in the order they are received.

- If a club does not meet the minimum required enrollment, it may be cancelled. These decisions will be made based on enrollment one week prior to the start of the club. You will be fully refunded in the event of a cancellation.

Payment and Pick-Up

- **FULL PAYMENT FOR CLUBS MUST BE RECEIVED ALONG WITH YOUR REGISTRATION IN ORDER FOR YOUR CLUB PLACEMENT TO BE PROCESSED.** Please note that your all outstanding Passport fees must be paid in full in order to be eligible to register.

- At this point in time we are unable to apply financial aid or sibling discounts to clubs.

- Please note that payment for Passport Clubs is non-refundable due to absence, illness or change of heart. Any cancellations must be received one week prior to the start of the club program in order to receive a full refund.

- Following the end of the school day, a Passport staff member will walk students to their club. Children registered in extended day following the end of a club will be taken to their assigned group.

- It is important that you pick your child up on time. If you are more than 5 minutes late, your child will join extended day and extended day drop in fees will apply. Please note that we will only dismiss your child to persons authorized through the CMS Family Directory. Please be sure to update this information accordingly at the start of each club session.

Communication

- Please ensure that you provide a valid email address at the time of registration - communication regarding clubs is done through our online registration system email.

- You will receive an automated confirmation email through our online system once your registration has been processed. A second email will follow in the days prior to the start of clubs regarding pick up information and club specific details.

Cancellation

- If your child's club is cancelled on its scheduled day we will do our best to give you as much notice as possible to arrange for pick up. **We will also try to arrange a make-up class for the end of the session, although this is not guaranteed.**

Questions? Contact Allison Lynch - Director of Passport Auxiliary Programs

alynch@cambridgemontessori.org (617) 308-0388
# Primary Club Program

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**Monday**

**Puddlstompers Winter Wonders**  
Ages 3-5

Come explore nature after school! Follow animal tracks in the snow and search for animal evidence! Build hibernation dens and learn who is still out and about! Practice sneaking and pouncing like a fox! Collect pinecones for hungry squirrels! Touch fur, feathers and bones, and dissect owl pellets! Join us and discover new and AMAZING creatures and plants with hands-on exploration, active investigation, crafts & games. We will be outside and running while we learn about the world around us, as much as temperatures allow.

**Location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 4:15PM

**Swim Lessons at MIT**  
Ages: 4+

Students will learn basic swimming readiness skills such as bubble blowing, floating on back with assistance and underwater exploration. Students will be split into group depending on their experience in water.

This class is taught by certified American Red Cross swimming instructors, Passport staff will drive students to the pool using the CMS bus and will remain with them for the duration of the class. Remember to pack a separate bag with swimsuit, towel and goggles for your child! Pick up is at 5:45PM at the Primary Building.

**Location:** MIT Zesiger Center Pool  
**Pick up location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 5:45PM

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**Tuesday**

**Drumming and Percussion for Kids**  
Ages: 4+

Taught by master drummer Nurudafina Abena, this fun introductory drumming class for kids teaches drumming techniques through the music of northwest Africa and the Caribbean. After learning basic techniques, students will move on to master traditional rhythms and songs and learn about the various cultures that create this vibrant and exciting music!

**Location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 4:15PM
**Introduction to Spanish**  
Ages: 4+

Primary Spanish Language Club is aimed at providing an introduction and progression to the Spanish language. New to CMS, Instructor Elder Colon will teach the class through a multi-sensory approach that stimulates their natural learning style as well as having fun. Students will learn the language using games, music, acting, crafts and more. This class runs on Tuesday's and Thursday's to build confidence and create enthusiasm for the language learning to enable continuity and progression.

**Location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 4:15PM

**Rockets, Planes, and Flying Things**  
Ages: 3-5

Watch it soar, see it glide, and come take a ride with rockets, planes, and flying things! We will build flying machines, test gliders, and soar to the moon through art, stories, and lots of play! Our adventures will sharpen your imagination, kick start your motor skills, and ignite a passion for flying!

**Location:** MIT Zesiger Center Pool  
**Pick up location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 5:45PM

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**Thursday**

**Martial Arts with Knucklebones**  
Ages: 4+

Knucklebones Martial Arts is a great way to help develop self-discipline, confidence, and coordination. The program will focus on introductory martial arts skills, proper stance, and breathing as well as increase strength, agility, and flexibility. Through direct instruction and activities that inspire eye/hand coordination, concentration, balance, and fun the martial arts class will motivate all participants. No special strength or abilities are needed, allowing everyone to excel.

**Location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 4:15PM

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**Friday**

**Yoga for Kids with J-9 Yoga**  
Ages: 3-5

It is never too early to start practicing yoga! We will learn child-friendly yoga poses, songs, breathing exercises and calming techniques are incorporated into this 60-minute yoga class for children between the ages of 4 and 7. Children are natural yogis; they have a blast exploring their new moves while building strong body and breath awareness, cooperative skills, and self-confidence. Instructor Janine Duffy is a mom of three energetic boys is thrilled to share her talents again this semester at CMS. Namaste, kids!

**Location:** Toddler Primary Building  
**Pick Up:** 4:15PM
Elementary Clubs

Monday

**Digital Animation & Storytelling**  
Ages: LE+

Students start with storyboarding—a perfect way to capitalize on kids' natural storytelling skills. A great class for the younger age groups, students start by creating their characters, scenes, and stories by drawing, writing, and digitally creating their movie scripts.

Students then will learn to use digital animation software, such as Stykz, to create their own short animated films. Stykz makes it easy for beginners by incorporating pre-made figures to bring their ideas to life. This class shows students how to animate step-by-step, allowing them to explore their creativity while learning about story-telling, time-management, and some principals of animation. Learn more about Empow Studios at [https://empow.me](https://empow.me)

**Location:** Elementary Library  
Class starts: 3:30  
Pick up: 5:00PM

**CMS Basketball**  
Ages: UE3 & MS

The CMS basketball season will begin next week. The link to register has already been emailed to families if your child is eligible. A couple important notes:

* The team is open to all 6th, 7th, and 8th years at no additional cost to families.

* The basketball team will meet on Mondays and Thursdays this Winter from 3:15-4:30.

* Given the size of the team last year, we had to separate the team into a Monday squad and a Thursday squad. I am hoping we won't have to do that this year, but we'll wait until after registration is complete before making a decision on that.

Please contact the Athletics Office - iapplegate@cambridgemontessori.org if you have any questions about the upcoming season.

**Location:** Elementary Gym  
Club starts: 3:15 PM  
Pick up: 4:30 PM

Tuesday

**Jewelry Making Club**  
Ages: LE+

Colorful, zany, elegant! These could describe jewelry designed and created by you, and proudly worn or given as a gift. Dive into the creative world of beading! Fundamental beading stringing support will be given by Sra. Quiroga to complete a one-of-a-kind bracelet or necklace or both. Materials provided, or you can bring your own beads and mix and match with available materials. No previous experience required!

**Location:** Elementary Library  
Pick Up: 4:30PM
Drama Club (Rehearsal Schedule + Show Dates)  

Club dates and times are:
Regular Tuesdays (3:15-4:30): 12/17
Long sessions (3:15-5:30): 1/7, 1/14, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/25, 3/3 (dress rehearsal)
Shows:
WEDNESDAY 3/4 (run-through at 3:15, show at 6 PM)
THURSDAY 3/5 (prepare at 3:15, show at 4 PM)
Please note: dress rehearsal (3/3 from 3:15-5:30) and show days (3/4 from 3:15-7:30 and 3/5 from 3:15-5:30) are MANDATORY dates.

Location: Elementary Building  
Follow pick-up schedule above

Wednesday

Swim Lessons at MIT  

Ages: Lower EL+

This swimming experience will provide students an opportunity to develop confidence in the skills they have already learned and improve on other aquatic skills through technique and endurance building. Topics covered in this level vary depending on each child’s individual skill. Some topics may include: floating without support and recover to a vertical position, gliding, swimming on front and back, treading water, rotary breathing, front and back crawl, butterfly kick, breaststroke, butterfly, elementary backstroke, swimming underwater, and open turns. Passport staff will drive the children to the pool using the Cambridge Montessori bus and will remain with them for the duration of the class. Pick-up will be at the Elementary Building at 5:45PM. Be sure to pack a swim suit, goggles and towel for your child.

Location: MIT Zesiger Center Pool
Pick up location: Elementary Building Parking Lot  
Pick Up: 5:45PM

Big Thinker Builders  

Ages: LE+UE

Brick builders will explore the world of interlocking bricks through design challenges, fun and games. Builders will dive into projects such as maze designs, simple machines creation and one of a kind masterpieces. Calling all inventors, creators, builders, and designers! Come build awesome creations with us! We will create our own designs and build structures using recyclable materials, building blocks, and many other interesting items. No skills necessary! Skills gained: communication, problem solving, reasoning, developing creativity, and team work.

Location: Middle School Building  
Pick Up: 4:30PM
Thursday

**Set Design with Sue**

Ages: LE+

If being on stage isn't your thing, perhaps designing a stage is! Every performance needs a great set, and last year Sue and her crew helped provide beautiful designs for the drama club performance of Robin Hood. This year we are expanding the club to eight sessions, meeting every Thursday from 3:15-4:30 in the Elementary building. The Set Design club will work on creating an imaginative and exciting landscape for the Drama Club performance in early March.

**Location:** Elementary Building  
**Pick up:** 4:30PM

**Floor Hockey with Knucklebones**

Ages: LE3+

Knucklebones’ Floor Hockey clinic introduces children to the beginnings of hockey. Using age appropriate equipment we’ll run through the in’s and out’s of hockey, learning stick control, basic rules, and positions. We’ll provide everything aside from helmets; these are not required but, you’re more than welcome to bring one. Appropriate clothing and sneaker are required.

**Location:** Elementary Gym  
**Pick Up:** 5:30

Friday

**Ski Club (January 2020)**

Ages: LE+

For those new to the Elementary and Middle School programs at CMS, Ski School is a wonderful opportunity for our students to take their education outdoors for the first four Fridays of 2019, to ski at Nashoba Valley in Westford. All students in grades 1 through 7 attend ski school (our 8th years will be engaged in their NuVu experience). Stay tuned for 2 new mini clubs offered on Friday’s after ski school has concluded for season!

**Location:** Elementary Gym  
**Pick Up:** 5:45

**Drumming and Percussion (mini-session)**

Ages: LE+

Taught by master drummer Nurudafina Abena, this fun introductory drumming class for kids teaches drumming techniques through the music of northwest Africa and the Caribbean. After learning basic techniques, students will move on to master traditional rhythms and songs and learn about the various cultures that create this vibrant and exciting music!

**Location:** Elementary Building  
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- Please note that we can NOT ALWAYS GUARANTEE MAKE UP SESSIONS.

- Unless otherwise noted, Primary Clubs end at 4:15PM at the T/P Building, and Elementary and MS clubs end at 4:30PM at either the EL or MS Buildings. Locations will be confirmed via email prior to the start of club.

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