

Parent/Child Programs

Most classes held at: NKCC
North Kirkland Community Center

12421 103rd Ave NE ★ 425.587.3350

Parent/Child Class Requirements

- ★ Children must be able to follow directions and participate in small group settings.
- ★ Children take part in classes with a parent.
- ★ Please take your child to the bathroom before class.
- ★ No siblings other than infants in carriers. Registered participants only.
- ★ Refer to class description for "no class" dates. Please be on time!
- ★ Individual classes that are canceled due to instructor illness or emergencies will be made up the week following the end date of class, where the schedule allows. If the schedule does not allow for a make-up class, a credit will be issued.

Wiggle Clap and Sing for Babies

Ages 1 to 15 months with parent

Play musically with your baby through bouncing and rocking songs, wiggle and peek-a-boo games, and dancing, moving, and singing! The foundation is laid for rhythm awareness, voice and language, and aural discrimination. Instructor Kate Fynn is an accomplished vocalist with experience in the Seattle Symphony Choir. She has been working with babies and children in a variety of settings and would love to share the joy of music with our families and the community.

See www.wiggleclapandsing.blogspot.com
Instructor: Miss Kate • Location: NKCC • 5 weeks
Resident \$36 / Non-Resident \$43

Sat	9:30–10:15am	Apr 13–May 11	38270
Sat	9:30–10:15am	June 1–29	38271
Sat	9:30–10:15am	July 13–Aug 10	38272



Wiggle Clap and Sing for Toddlers

Ages 15 months to 2 years with parent

It's never too early to explore music! This is a fun, creative class designed for you and your toddler. We will introduce musical components such as rhythm, melody, and a variety of instruments. You and your toddler will be able to express yourselves through music and body movement. This class is great for developing pre-math, pre-literacy, and social skills in every child!

See www.wiggleclapandsing.blogspot.com
Instructor: Miss Kate • Location: NKCC • 5 weeks
Resident \$36 / Non-Resident \$43

Sat	10:25–11:10am	Apr 13–May 11	38274
Sat	10:25–11:10am	June 1–29	38275
Sat	10:25–11:10am	July 13–Aug 10	38276

Wiggle Clap and Sing for Preschoolers

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

This is a joyful and engaging class for you and your preschooler. We will make sense of the world through rhythm and melody while becoming more familiar with instruments and songs. Your preschooler will gain social skills such as self control and listening, as well as pre-literacy skills. We will also have fun with music and body movement.

See www.wiggleclapandsing.blogspot.com
Instructor: Miss Kate • Location: NKCC • 5 weeks
Resident \$36 / Non-Resident \$43

Sat	11:20am–12:05pm	Apr 13–May 11	38278
Sat	11:20am–12:05pm	June 1–29	38279
Sat	11:20am–12:05pm	July 13–Aug 10	38280

Move and Grow

Instructor Jessica Gleason has a strong foundation in dance, inspired and trained by world renowned dance educator and developer of BrainDance, Anne Green Gilbert. From "Tummy Time," coordinated movements, to nursery rhymes, Jessica has an extremely creative and joyful approach to teaching that integrates the mind and body, and reinforces the importance of movement in early life.

Move and Grow for Babies

Ages 2 months to pre-walking w/ adult

Movement in the early years of life plants the seed for lifelong learning! Enrich your child's first year of life with movement, music, and fun! Learn fun activities for enjoying tummy time and make playful social/emotional connections. Build optimal brain development using nursery rhymes, instruments, multi-sensory props while moving to a wide variety of music!

Location: NKCC

Spring 8 weeks • Resident \$88 / Non-Resident \$106

Tue	11:30am–12:30pm	Apr 23–June 11	38282
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Summer 5 weeks • Resident \$55 / Non-Resident \$66

Tue	11:30am–12:30pm	July 2–30	38284
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Move and Grow for Toddlers

Ages walking to 30 months with adult

Dancing together with your child while exploring movement activities and practicing skills is not only lots of fun but also educational! A wide variety of music, props, rhythm instruments, BrainDance rhymes and an obstacle course add to the playful environment and learning.

Location: NKCC

Spring 8 weeks • Resident \$88 / Non-Resident \$106

Tue	9:30–10:30am	Apr 23–June 11	38286
Tue	10:30–11:30am	Apr 23–June 11	38287

Summer 5 weeks • Resident \$55 / Non-Resident \$66

Tue	10:30–11:30am	July 2–30	38288
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Baby Boogie Woogie

Ages 12 months to 36 months w/ parent

Attention Tiny Tots—Are you tired of watching the older preschoolers have all the fun? In this musical class we will sing all the old favorites, make our own music with an assortment of fun instruments, and march to our own drummer! Teacher Karen Renfroe-Gielgens has over 20 years experience teaching programs to our preschoolers.

Please take note of our age groups; you are now able to attend this class with your younger and older ones
 • Instructor: Karen Renfroe-Gielgens • Location: NKCC
 4 weeks • Resident \$29 / Non-Resident \$35

12 to 18 months No class 4/8, 5/27

Mon	9:15–10am	Apr 1–29	38293
Mon	9:15–10am	May 6–June 3	38294
Mon	9:15–10am	June 24–July 15	38299
Mon	9:15–10am	July 22–Aug 12	38300

12 to 36 months No class 4/8, 5/27

Mon	10:10–10:55am	Apr 1–29	38295
Mon	10:10–10:55am	May 6–June 3	38296
Mon	11:05–11:50am	Apr 1–29	38297
Mon	11:05–11:50am	May 6–June 3	38298
Mon	10:10–10:55am	June 24–July 15	38301
Mon	10:10–10:55am	July 22–Aug 12	38302
Mon	11:05–11:50am	June 24–July 15	38303
Mon	11:05–11:50am	July 22–Aug 12	38304

Gardening

Parent/Child How Does Your Garden Grow

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

Join this class for a fun hands-on exploration of how seeds grow, the work of bugs, the beauty of nature, and much more. Projects may include planting, outdoor exploration, and crafts. Dress warmly; this class will be conducted in the covered shelter area of our beautiful McAuliffe Park.

Location: McAuliffe Park, 10824 NE 116th St, Kirkland (To enter the park, head north on 108th Ave NE from NE 116th St, then turn into the first driveway on the right)
 • Instructor: Miss Susie • 4 weeks • Supply fee of \$8 payable to the instructor on the 1st day of class
 Resident \$29 / Non-Resident \$35

Wed	10–10:45am	May 1–22	38332
Wed	11–11:45am	May 1–22	38333

Parent/Child Art

Ages 2½ to 3½ years with parent

Monthly themed classes are a fun and affordable way for parents and children to explore the world of art. We'll provide all the tools like glue, glitter, paint, and dough to inspire your little ones to create their masterpieces. Dress to get messy In our Indestructible are room!

Peep and Hop in April

Ages 2½ to 3½ years with parent

Spring has sprung and with it brings rainbow eggs and fluffy things. From yellow chicks and lop-eared bunnies to colorful nests made of the Sunday funnies. You'll have a hopping good time in this parent/child art class!

*Location: NKCC • 3 weeks
 Resident \$24 / Non-Resident \$29*

Mon	9:30–10:15am	Apr 15–29	38318
Thur	10:30–11:15am	Apr 18–May 2	38319

Moonbeams In A Jar for May

Ages 2½ to 3½ years with parent

From twinkling stars to moons of clay, we'll travel along the Milky Way. And while we're creating art in space, we won't forget our momma's face. We'll take her swinging on a star, and bring her moonbeams home in a jar. It's such a sweet and messy way to celebrate her special day.

*Location: NKCC • 3 weeks
 Resident \$24 / Non-Resident \$29*

Mon	9:30–10:15am	May 6–20	38314
Thur	10:30–11:15am	May 16–30	38315

Farmers Market Day for June

Ages 2½ to 3½ years with parent

Two peas in a pod or melons we'll make, from a market idea for goodness sake. Fruits or veggies for art, isn't that smart? And you know that it's true, they're good for you too, when your done with your stay, you'll smile and say, "I'm full from the fun, I've had a great day"!

*Location: NKCC • 3 weeks
 Resident \$24 / Non-Resident \$29*

Mon	9:30–10:15am	June 3–17	38316
Thur	10:30–11:15am	June 6–20	38317

Saturday Parent/Child Art

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

What's more fun than Saturday morning cartoons? Saturday Art, of course! We've combined our Messy Art and Parent/Child Art classes to give you a messy experience creating in our house. From homemade play-dough to seasonal crafts, we'll do it all and the best part is...the mess stays here!

Location: NKCC • 3 weeks • Resident \$24 / Non-Res \$29

Sat	9:50–10:35am	Apr 13–27	38320
Sat	10:45–11:30am	Apr 13–27	38321
Sat	9:50–10:35am	May 4–18	38322
Sat	10:45–11:30am	May 4–18	38323
Sat	9:50–10:35am	June 1–15	38324
Sat	10:45–11:30am	June 1–15	38325
Sat	9:50–10:35am	July 13–27	38326
Sat	10:45–11:30am	July 13–27	38327
Sat	9:50–10:35am	Aug 10–24	38328
Sat	10:45–11:30am	Aug 10–24	38329



Messy Art For Twos With Parent

2 year olds only with parent

Tickle your two year old's senses in this messy art class designed just for this age! Children love to play messy—from smearing paint and kneading dough to experimenting with glue, colors, and mixing. This type of sensory and tactile play helps to develop self-expression and creativity while rewarding children with the emotional pleasures of "hands-on" art. Dress for a mess!

*Instructors: Miss Monique & Miss Pam • Location: NKCC
 3 weeks • Resident \$24 / Non-Resident \$29*

Mon	10:30–11:15am	Apr 15–29	38305
Wed	9:30–10:15am	Apr 17–May 1	38306
Thur	9:30–10:15am	Apr 18–May 2	38307
Mon	10:30–11:15am	May 6–20	38308
Wed	9:30–10:15am	May 15–29	38309
Thur	9:30–10:15am	May 16–30	38310
Mon	10:30–11:15am	June 3–17	38311
Wed	9:30–10:15am	June 5–19	38312
Thur	9:30–10:15am	June 6–20	38313

Parent / Child Kids in Motion

Up and over, under and through, balls and streamers, tunnels and YOU!

Meet friends, build confidence and have FUN developing large muscle motor skills. Our age appropriate program progresses with your children... they'll be crawling, climbing, balancing, bouncing, even hula-hooping their way through each class! A wide variety of equipment and activities makes this class a favorite. Motion I and II are for parent and child. See page 22 for child-only Kids In Motion classes.

Location: NKCC

Parent/Child Motion I

Ages 18 to 26 months • Child must be walking!

Spring 6 weeks • No class 4/10 & 4/11
Resident \$42 / Non-Resident \$50

Wed	9:15–10am	Apr 3–May 15	38342
Thur	9:50–10:35am	Apr 4–May 16	38343

Spring 5 weeks • Resident \$35 / Non-Res \$42

Wed	9:15–10am	May 29–June 26	38344
Thur	9:50–10:35am	May 30–June 27	38345

Summer 6 weeks • Resident \$42 / Non-Resident \$50

Wed	9:15–10am	July 10–Aug 14	38346
Thur	9:50–10:35am	July 11–Aug 15	38347

Parent/Child Motion II

Ages 24 to 36 months

Spring 6 weeks • No class 4/10 & 4/11
Resident \$42 / Non-Resident \$50

Wed	10:05–10:50am	Apr 3–May 15	38350
Thur	10:45–11:30am	Apr 4–May 16	38351

Spring 5 weeks • Resident \$35 / Non-Res \$42

Wed	10:05–10:50am	May 29–June 26	38352
Thur	10:45–11:30am	May 30–June 27	38353

Summer 6 weeks • Resident \$42 / Non-Resident \$50

Wed	10:05–10:50am	July 10–Aug 14	38354
Thur	10:45–11:30am	July 11–Aug 15	38355

Parent/Child Preschool Cooking Series

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

Classes will be held in the cozy kitchen at our beautiful McAuliffe Park, 10824 NE 116th St, Kirkland (To enter the park, head north on 108th Ave NE from NE 116th St, then turn into the first driveway on the right) Instructor Miss Susie will open up your child's eyes and senses as you peel, pour, shred, shake, bake, mash and more!

Itty Bitty Breakfast Club

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

Can you give a pig a pancake, or a moose a muffin? Well maybe, if you learn to cook! Everyone knows that breakfast is the most important meal of the day. Mommy – it will chase away the tired, restless, and irritable grumpies! Join us as we give a tot a teacher, instructions, a recipe, friends...

Location: McAuliffe Park • Supply fee of \$6 payable to instructor Miss Susie • 3 weeks • No class 4/12
Resident \$29 / Non-Resident \$35

Fri	9:30–10:30am	Apr 5–26	38334
Fri	10:45–11:45am	Apr 5–26	38335

Dips & Sticks

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

What's more fun than a dip in the pool? A dip that you make, sometimes hot, sometimes cool. The dip will be ready when you measure, pour, and mix, then the secret is the goody that you've put on sticks. Dip your stick, take a bite, and smack your lips with delight!

Location: McAuliffe Park • Supply fee of \$6 payable to instructor Miss Susie • 3 weeks
Resident \$29 / Non-Resident \$35

Fri	9:30–10:30am	May 3–17	38336
Fri	10:45–11:45am	May 3–17	38337

Teddy Bear Picnic Fare

Ages 2 to 5 years with parent

Spend a bright spring day prepping and preparing a picnic. We'll pack our wicker basket, red-checked tablecloth, and invite the ants. So bring your favorite stuffed friend, and come along with us as we picnic and share a story outside (weather permitting) in McAuliffe Park.

Please note that this class is a little longer so that we can pack and picnic, even if it has to be inside! • Location: McAuliffe Park • Supply fee of \$6 payable to instructor Miss Susie • 3 weeks • Resident \$32 / Non-Resident \$38

Fri	9:30–10:45am	June 7–21	38338
Fri	11–12:15am	June 7–21	38339

See page 18 for Creating in the Kitchen, ages 3 to 5 years



Party Time!

Don't let the rain keep you from having a playground party—celebrate your special day at the North Kirkland Community Center!

Have an hour of private play time at our outrageously fun indoor playground! Enjoy the rest of your celebration in your very own private party room! Applications at: www.kirklandwa.gov under "How Do I Rent a Park/Facility"

Call & Reserve Your Special Day!

425.587.3350

2 Hour Package: Resident \$140 / Non-Resident \$168 • 25 Children Max. • Sat. or Sun.

Language

Sign With Your Baby

Ages 6 months to 2 years (pre-verbal) with adult

Did you know babies as young as six months of age can communicate with you before they speak clear words? Visually Speaking offers Baby Signing classes to hearing families using American Sign Language. You will be amazed at what your baby is telling you!

Location: NKCC • 6 weeks • Resident \$120 / Non-Res \$144

NOTE: 2nd child in same family fee:
Resident \$60 / Non-Resident \$72

Thur	11am–12pm	Apr 11–May 16	38291
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Polly-Glots

Polly-Glots was founded in 2007 by a mom with a dream of bringing the wonder of her multi-lingual upbringing to other children. Their mission is to offer engaging and affordable language immersion classes for children and to foster a community of families interested in bringing foreign language and culture into their homes.

Spanish for Preschoolers

Ages 1 to 5 years with parent

This Spanish immersion class integrates play, music, movement, and art to engage children and connect the foreign sounds and words to everyday items and activities. Themes include music, stories, and games that are often familiar to parents and easy to repeat in the home. Vocabulary is provided so parents can reinforce the language outside of class. Class ages may be combined to prevent class cancellations.

Location: NKCC • 10 weeks • No class 4/10
Resident \$168 / Non-Resident \$202

Ages 1 to 3 years

Wed	9:30–10:15am	Apr 3–June 12	38358
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Ages 1 to 5 years

Wed	10:30–11:15am	Apr 3–June 12	38359
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Ages 4 to 5 years

Wed	1–1:45pm	Apr 3–June 12	38360
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For French ages 4 to 7 years, see page 19

Parent/Child Dance for Twos **NEW!**

Twos in Tutus Creative Dance

Age 2 with parent

Don't wait until you're three to twirl in your tutu! It's hard to wait we know, it's hard to make your body grow up to age three to take a class, so we've added this time to spin and dance. Bring your mom in her sweats (it's ok), and twirl to the music in your own special way. And when you turn three, you'll be ready we bet, for Preschool Dance A and a pirouette!

Leather soled ballet slippers required

Location: NKCC • 6 weeks • Resident \$29 / Non-Res \$35

Fri	9:45–10:15am	Apr 5–May 17	39180
Fri	9:45–10:15am	May 24–June 28	39181
Fri	9:45–10:15am	July 19–Aug 23	39182



Story Time! **FREE!**

Pajama Stories in the Park

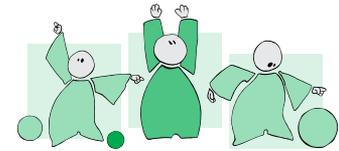
Ages 2 to 7 years with parent

Finish your Friday Market shopping and picnic, and while the nights are still warm and before the stars start to show their twinkle, spread out your blanket and relax at beautiful Juanita Beach Park for Pajama Time Stories. Wear your jammies while you listen to our theater instructor, Miss Lauren, read enchanting children's stories in only the way a drama queen can! Memories like this are what your children will remember!

Location: Juanita Beach Park

Instructor: Lauren Hardin • Drop-in program

Fri	6:30pm	Aug 30
Fri	6:30pm	Sept 6



Indoor Playground

at North Kirkland Community Center

Drop-in Program for ages 1 to 5 years with parent

Rain or shine, our toys are divine! Escape cabin fever and come to the North Kirkland Community Center, across from the choo-choo train park. Kids have lots of room to run and play! Parents must supervise their children.

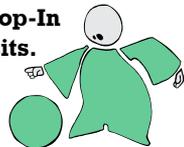
Apr 16–June 13

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Kirkland, 425.587.3350

Tue 10am–1pm • Wed 11am–2pm
Thur 10am–1pm

Book a private party with Indoor Playground toys! See Page 22 for details.

Convenient cost-saving Drop-In Punch Cards! \$25 for 10 visits. These make great gifts!



Please bring exact change ★ Fee \$3 per visit, per child at the door ★ No charge for babies under 12 months ★ No 6 year olds, please!
★ Sorry, no snacks or drinks allowed