

Checkmate Chess

Develop your child's intellect through the royal game of chess! Current research has shown a strong link between chess and academic performance in a variety of areas, including mathematics and language arts. Also, chess has been proven to enhance children's motivation, concentration, focus, social skills, and creativity.

Learn how to win at chess! No previous knowledge of chess is necessary. Each class will consist of a fun interactive teaching period and guided practice time. Due to the small size of the group, each child will receive plenty of personalized attention. Both new and returning participants are welcome and will progress to the next level under the guidance of an experienced Chess Scholars coach. There will also be a chess competition with prizes!

Age: 5-13 year olds
 Location: Darien Park District Community Center
 7301 Fairview Ave.
 Instructor: Staff from Chess Scholars
 Note: *No class 11/24

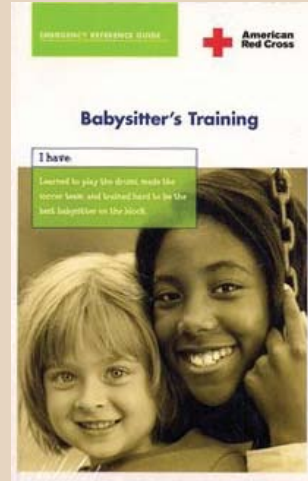
Code #	Day	Date	Time	R/NR Fee
230214-A	Th	Sept. 15-Oct. 20	6:00-7:00pm	\$78/\$83
230214-B	Th	Oct. 27-Dec. 8*	6:00-7:00pm	\$78/\$83

Chess Scholars Camp

This camp is great for both beginners and experienced young players. Each class will consist of a fun interactive teaching period and guided practice time. Both new and returning participants are welcome and will get to the next level under the guidance of an experienced Chess Scholars Coach. There will also be a chess competition with prizes! Each camper will take home a chess set and an award. Please bring your own snacks.

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Code #	Day	Date	Time	R/NR Fee
220211-B	M-F	Aug. 8-12	10:00-11:30am	\$96/\$101



Babysitting Course

The purpose of this course is to provide participants with the information and skills necessary to provide safe and responsible care for children in the absence of parents or guardians. This training will help participants develop skills in five critical areas: leadership, safety and safe play, basic care, first aid and professionalism. Fee includes American Red Cross Babysitting book.

Age: 11-15 year olds
 Location: Darien Park District Community Center
 7301 Fairview Ave.
 Instructor: Roberta Flanders
 Note: Participants should bring a lunch

Code #	Day	Date	Time	R/NR Fee
220215-B	W	Aug. 10	9:00am-4:00pm	\$39/\$44
230215-A	M	Oct. 10	9:00am-4:30pm	\$39/\$44
230215-B	W	Dec. 28	9:00am-4:30pm	\$39/\$44



Razzle Dazzle Robotics

Move over, Hermione and Harry! Build a magic wand that makes amazing things happen on the computer: one shake of the wand and the computer does your bidding! Build your own robot puppet that makes an animal dance on the screen. This special course uses the most innovative tools available to build robots with sensors that communicate and control the computers. Dazzle your friends with what you create AND what you learn! 2 students will work in a team.

Age: 8-12 year olds
 Location: Darien Park District Community Center
 Instructor: Staff from Computer Explorers

Code #	Day	Date	Time	R/NR Fee
230284-A	M	Sept. 12-Oct. 3	4:30-5:45pm	\$72/\$77

Rock n' Roll Robotics

Create robots that rock and robots that roll! Using the LEGO™ WeDo Robotics System your robots will include a monkey who plays a drum to a rock & roll beat, a lion that roars, a bird that flaps it wings to create a big wind, a sleeping giant who will awaken on your command and a boat that will rock on the rough seas. This course builds knowledge of simple machines, engineering, programming, and teamwork in an environment full of Rockin' Fun! Students will work in teams of 2.

Age: 8-12 year olds
 Location: Darien Park District Community Center
 Instructor: Staff from Computer Explorers
 Note: *No class 10/31

Code #	Day	Date	Time	R/NR Fee
230290-A	M	Oct. 17-Nov. 14*	4:30-5:45pm	\$72/\$77

Moviemaking 101 - Making Your

Own Indiana Jones Movie™

Do you want to be the next Steven Spielberg? We will create our own Indiana Jones™ movie using special movie making cameras and software. As directors and producers we will work in teams to create our own story and script, build scenes out of Lego®, use Lego® Indiana Jones mini figures as characters and film our own movie. We will use graphic editing techniques and stop motion animation, add background noise and music, and show our movie at a private screening on the last day of class. All students will get a copy of their movie on a DVD after class is complete.

Age: 8-12 year olds
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230285-A	M	Nov. 21-Dec. 12	4:30-5:45pm	\$72/\$77