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We are thrilled to present yet another incredibly diverse array of activities and programs to our international community. As always, we are committed to bringing people together and enriching lives through our many offerings.

So, please dive into our brochure and discover the many ways you and your children can connect, learn, and enjoy being part of our community. There really is something for everyone!

In addition, you have the reassurance that our TYPA activities are located on the TAS campus – a safe, secure and convenient environment for our families. Children exit their classrooms and go straight to sports fields, dance studios, music rooms, theaters, courts, labs, gyms, and martial arts dojos for new challenges and rewarding experiences.

Finally, I want to remind you that at the end of the 2023-2024 school year, I will be retiring from this magnificent organization. As I turn the page on a remarkable 23-year journey, I approach retirement with a heart full of gratitude. Working for TYPA and serving this community has been more than a job; it has been a profound part of my life.

Working alongside our dedicated "Dream Team" staff to serve our TYPA family members has been an absolute honor and privilege. They are simply the best! And together, we have built an extraordinary program that provides the very best sports, recreational and educational experiences for our community. I deeply appreciate their unwavering commitment and dedication over the years.

As for you, the TYPA community, there are not enough words to describe how grateful I am to you. I have very much appreciated your unwavering support over the years, even in the most challenging times. It has been a true pleasure to serve you and your children.

My family and I will forever cherish the warmth and acceptance we received from this incredible community from our first day in Taipei. And as I step away from my role in June, the memories and bonds I've formed will remain with me forever. Echoing what I've often said to those leaving our community, "Once a TYPA family member, always a TYPA family member." Thank you.

Best wishes.

Gerry Moran

Gerry Moran TYPA Managing Director

## TYPA MISSION STATEMENT

TYPA's mission is to develop healthy, well-rounded, confident youth, enthusiastic about learning through their participation in safe, dynamic, fun-filled recreational experiences. Critical to providing these quality experiences and meeting the changing needs of the international community is the professionalism of our staff, the dedication of our volunteers and the support of our families.

## THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS

On behalf of the youth of our community, TYPA would like to say "Thank You" to our 2023-2024 volunteers.

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#### Office Hours

Monday- Friday 9:00am - 12:00pm 1:00pm - 4:30pm Saturday 9:00am - 3:00pm \* Office closed Saturdays during summer

i Holidays

All TYPA holidays follow the Taipei American School calendar. Please refer to the calendar on our website for details.

www.typa.org.tw

#### MEMBERSHIP

In order to participate in TYPA classes, one must first be a member of TYPA. TYPA welcomes everyone from the international community and has members from all around the world. Joining TYPA is a simple process. Just submit the completed Master Registration Form (can be downloaded from our website) along with a copy of the new member's foreign passport to **reg@typa.org.tw**. Due to Taiwan government regulations that govern the charter of TYPA, all members must be foreign nationals holding a foreign passport. The registration fee is \$1,600 per semester and \$800 for summer activities. The fall 2024 semester is from August to December and the spring 2025 semester is from January to May.

#### **E-MAIL & COMMUNICATIONS**

TYPA sends out weekly email news announcing events, class changes, sports schedules and upcoming registration dates. If you wish to be on our mailing list, please simply click the "Join Mailing List" button on the bottom of our website **(www.typa.org.tw)**. TYPA will not sell or give your email address to other members or third parties. Mail is sent using Constant Contact<sup>®</sup> with the recipient list hidden.

#### REGISTRATION

TYPA has three main registration periods; registration for fall programs takes place in late April / early May; registration for spring programs in November / early December; and summer activity registration in March. Please note that our program fees are charged by semester or sports season. The full semester payment must be completed at registration.

#### Re-Registration (Fall Bill, Spring Bill)

During the April / May fall registration, continuing students in progressive skill programs from the spring semester will receive priority (Fall Bill) to re-register for those classes.

During the November / December spring registration, continuing students in all programs from the fall semester will receive priority (Spring Bill) to re-register for their classes and spaces are guaranteed. Forms of payment can be arranged through "MY TYPA" online.

#### **Open Registration**

Open registration is for current members who wish to register for additional activities and new members who are enrolling for the first time at TYPA.

AGE/ GRADE CONVERSION CHART (Child needs to be the listed age before September 1, 2024 for both the Fall and Spring semesters)														
AGE	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
GRADE	PreK	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12



#### **ΜΥ ΤΥΡΑ**

Our member's only website "My TYPA" provides members with information such as schedules, times and the locations of activities. At registration time, when a member logs on, it provides a Q-up number and time for members to register. It also provides fall and spring semester billing details.

http://reg.typa.org.tw/web-login.asp



#### **AVAILABLE ACTIVITIES**

Throughout the semester, members can review our list of available activities at <a href="http://reg.typa.org.tw/wlist1.asp">http://reg.typa.org.tw/wlist1.asp</a>

#### **REGISTRATION TIMES**



The "Q-up Number" will be available online from 10 am - 1 pm on the dates indicated below.



#### **CREDIT & REFUND POLICY**

Withdrawal will only take effect after the member has presented TYPA with the appropriate withdrawal form which can be downloaded from our website.

#### **REGISTRATION FEE**

#### The TYPA registration fee is non-refundable.

#### **ACTIVITY FEES / TUITION**

If withdrawal is completed before the deadline listed below, a \$500 processing fee will be deducted from the remaining program cost and the remainder will be refunded or credited (All payments made by credit card can only be refunded to the card itself.) For summer programs, please refer to page 72.

No schedule changes will be allowed and no credits will be given after the deadline, August 31, 2024 for the Fall semester and January 18, 2025 for the Spring semester.

	DEADLINE FOR REFUND	DEADLINE FOR CREDIT OR SCHEDULE CHANGES			
Fall 2024	AUG. 15, 2024	AUG. 31, 2024			
Spring 2025	DEC. 19, 2024	JAN. 18, 2025			
Summer Camps	7 Days prior to the week that your child will be involved in				
Summer Tennis	MAY 31, 2024				
LOWER SCHOOL SPORTS					
Basketball	Soccer	Baseball			
Withdrawal Deadline: one week before opening day.					

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Dates for assessments and games will be showed via our weekly email and facebook page before the season begins.

Credits are transferable to any other class or program for a period of one year from the time of the withdrawal. The transferred credits can also be used by any member of the same family.

If the member relocates, a refund will only be issued if the withdrawal is before October 19, 2024 for the fall semester or before March 15, 2025 for the spring semester. For Tiger Tots policy, please refer to page 59.

#### FORCE MAJEURE

Please be aware that TYPA may be ordered to temporarily or permanently close or alter its operations, or may decide to, as a result of a force majeure event.

Force majeure, is any event beyond the reasonable control of TYPA including but not limited to natural disaster, accident, war, civil unrest, outbreak of disease, and compliance with law or government order.

TYPA shall make reasonable efforts to provide recreational / educational services and activities during the force majeure event, but TYPA has no liability arising therefrom. TYPA will have no obligation to pay tuition, fees or issue credits in the event of any force majeure event.

#### **CLASS CHANGES**

Due to the possibility of unforeseen circumstances, such as room availability or teacher illness, TYPA reserves the right to add, cancel or change classes.

In case of a typhoon alert, check our website, or call TYPA to verify if your class has been cancelled or not.

If TYPA cancels a class, credit will be given. If a student simply misses a class, there will be no make up or refund. Students may only attend the class on the day / time they are registered.

#### LONG-TERM ILLNESS OR INJURY

Participants will only be entitled to a credit or refund for long term illness or injury if they withdraw from the activity or class for the rest of the semester. This will be on a prorated basis, a \$500 processing fee will be deducted from the remaining program cost and the TYPA office must be informed immediately of the illness or injury.

#### INFORMATION



#### **CREDIT CARD PRE-AUTHORIZATION**

TYPA provides the service for members who would like to make the payment with a pre-authorized credit card and avoid another visit to the TYPA office.

For the first-time user, a completed credit card authorization payment form (downloadable from our website) should be submitted to **reg@typa.org.tw** before the registration period begins.

#### **WAITING LIST**

Members may be put on the waiting list when a class is fully booked. When a currently enrolled member withdraws and their space becomes available, you will be informed immediately. According to the withdrawal policy, this usually happens during the first two weeks of the semester. The waiting list will be voided when the semester ends.

#### **FINANCIAL AID**

TYPA will never turn a child away from participating in its programs due to an inability to pay for a program or a membership. Partial sponsorships are available based on individual need. Sponsorships are made possible by contributions from corporations and individual donors.

#### **FACILITIES USAGE**

All participants are reminded that we use TAS facilities for our programs. There will be times in the year when classes may be cancelled or temporarily moved to other locations on campus. It should be noted that TAS curricular programs take priority over TYPA activities. Members are asked to please take this into consideration when signing up for TYPA activities.

#### **ACCIDENT INSURANCE**

TYPA carries liability insurance for all participants on the TAS and Tiger Tots Place campuses where TYPA activities are held, but does not carry personal medical and accident insurance, which is deemed to be a personal family responsibility. Reasonably priced, on-island (Taiwan) accident insurance is available through the TYPA insurance company for TYPA members. Information about the insurance is available at the TYPA office.

## **SPORTS**



**f** TYPA SPORTS

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

The TYPA sports calendar is divided into three seasons. At the start of the new school year, the basketball season begins and usually concludes at the end of October. Soccer follows basketball and straddles the first and second semesters. Baseball is the final team sport and is completed during the last weeks of the school year. **Both basketball and soccer are registered as fall semester programs, while baseball is registered as a spring semester program.** Children of all abilities are welcome to join in the excitement of our sports programs. Each player will receive a team jersey, team photo, team souvenir and participate in an end-of-season awards ceremony.

As our goal is to develop each player's skills and knowledge of the game, we strive for teams to be as evenly matched as possible. For athletes in 2nd through 5th grades, there is a mandatory skills assessment done by our sports staff. Players will be placed on a team once the assessment has been completed. Please be aware of the registration cutoff dates as we cannot give refunds or credits after this date.

When sports practices are cancelled due to bad weather or other unforseen circumstances, refunds, credits or make ups will not be given. Games may be cancelled due to severe weather or poor air quality.

#### PreK and K-1 athletes must be accompanied by their parents on Saturday game days.

PRACTICE & GAME TIMES FOR ALL SPORTS SEASONS						
GRADE	DAY TIME					
PreK	SAT.	10:00-10:50 am (Basketball) 12:00-1:00 pm (Soccer)				
K-1	SAT.	12:00-1:00 pm				
2-3	MON. or TUE.	2:45-3:35 pm (Practice)				
2-3	SAT.	Afternoon (Game)				
4-5	WED. or THU.	2:45-3:35 pm (Practice)				
4-5	SAT.	Afternoon (Game)				

#### **TYPA SPORTS SCHEDULE:**







## BASKETBALL

#### PreK Miniball Basketball Club Grades: PreK

(PreK: 4 years old before Sept. 1, 2024)

This club focuses on having fun with an aim to develop a love for the game of basketball. We teach the basic skills of the game and work on gross motor skills all while introducing our young athletes to the concept of being on a team. Parent participation is encouraged.

What You Need: Size 3 basketball, Athletic clothing and shoes, Water bottle

#### 💾 Season: August-November

🖸 Cost: \$6,000 per season

Withdrawal Deadline: one week before opening day.

### Basketball Grades: K-5

Our first sports season of the school year sees our players learn to dribble, pass, and shoot in TYPA's basketball league. Teamwork and good sportsmanship are the core values we hope to instill in our players as they improve their coordination and confidence.

What You Need: Size 5 basketball, Athletic clothing and shoes, Water bottle

#### 💾 Season: August-November

🖸 Cost: \$6,000 per season / K-1

\$8,000 per season / Grades 2-5

Withdrawal Deadline: one week before opening day.

Dates for assessments and games will be shared via our weekly email and facebook page before the season begins.



## **SOCCER**

#### Soccer Grades: PreK-5

#### (PreK: 4 years old before Sept. 1, 2024)

The heat of summer beginning to fade signals the start of the TYPA soccer season. This program has long been the most well attended of all the sports offered at TYPA. Our players strive to improve their fundamental skills and learn valuable lessons of teamwork throughout the season.

What You Need: Soccer ball (PreK/K/1 Size 3, Minor/Major Size 4), Athletic clothing and shoes, Shin guards, Water bottle

#### 🛗 Season: November-February

🖸 Cost: \$6,000 per season / PreK-1

\$8,000 per season / Grades 2-5

- Withdrawal Deadline: one week before opening day.
- Dates for assessments and games will be shared via our weekly email and facebook page before the season begins.

"TYPA team sports provides a strong foundation for lower school students to learn teamwork principles, foster emotional growth, and form lasting friendships, as observed through my experience as a volunteer parent coach."

- Willian Shie

## BASEBALL

#### Baseball Grades: K-5

(PreK: 4 years old before Sept. 1, 2024)

Our final sports season of the school year introduces our athletes to America's favorite pastime. We focus on catching, throwing, and batting techniques while reinforcing basic baseball positioning and game strategy. Please have your child wear their hat for each game and practice as protection from the sun. TYPA will provide all team equipment needed for the games.

What You Need: Baseball glove, Athletic clothing and shoes, Water bottle

#### 💾 Season: March-May

🖸 Cost: \$6,000 per season / K-1

\$8,000 per season / Grades 2-5

- Withdrawal Deadline: one week before opening day.
- Dates for assessments and games will be shared via our weekly email and facebook page before the season begins.





## **RUGBY**

#### Mini Rugby (Boys Only) Grades: 3-5

Warriors Mini-Rugby aims to introduce young boys to the game of rugby in a fun and safe manner. The non-tackling, soft contact form of rugby contains all the running and handling skills of rugby union and is developmentally appropriate for grades 3 - 5 students.

- What You Need: Athletic clothing and shoes, Water bottle
- 🛗 Days: **SAT.** 10:00-11:00am
- 🛗 Season: April-May

🖸 Cost: \$5,000 per season

#### Touch Rugby (Girls Only) Grades: 3-5

Warriors Touch Rugby aims to introduce girls to the game of touch rugby. Players will learn basic rules of touch rugby, how to run, pass, make touches (tags), and play as a team.

What You Need: Athletic clothing and shoes, Water bottle

- 🛗 Days: **SAT.** 10:00-11:00am
- 🛗 Season: April-May

🖸 Cost: \$5,000 per season

## **VOLLEYBALL**

#### Volleyball Grades: 3-5

This program is designed to introduce lower school athletes to the game of volleyball. Players will learn the fundamental skills of the game that will improve their balance and hand-eye coordination. Our experienced coaches will use fun and safe drills to teach these skills.

- What You Need: Athletic clothing and shoes, Water bottle
- 🛗 Days: **MON.** 3:45-4:40pm
- 🛗 Season: April-May
- 🖸 Cost: \$5,000 per season



## **TRACK & FIELD**

#### Track & Field Grades: 1-5

The skills learned during TYPA Track & Field will enable kids to participate in all sports that involve speed, endurance, and coordination. We will introduce fun activities based on jumping, throwing, running, and sprinting. Our coaches will host a Track & Field Meet on a Saturday at the end of the season. We encourage parents to join in this season ending event.

- What You Need: Athletic clothing, Running shoes, Water bottle
- 🛗 Days: **TUE.** 3:45-4:40pm
- 🛗 Season: April-May
- Ocst: \$5,500 per season

## **INLINE SKATING**

#### Inline Skating Grades: 1-5

This class balances learning the basics of skating with fun and games. Our expert coaches are ready to share their techniques with beginner, intermediate, and advanced skaters. We focus on key skills like balance & agility, skating forwards and backwards, crossovers, and of course, stopping.

Students will need to supply their own inline skates and protective equipment (elbow, wrist, and knee pads and a helmet). It is mandatory that all equipment is worn during class.

What You Need: Inline skates, helmet, wrist, elbow and knee pads, athletic clothing and water bottle.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

**THU.** 2:45-3:35pm **SAT.** 10:00am-11:00am (Beginner) **SAT.** 11:00am-12:00pm (Advanced)

Ocst: \$7,000 per semester / class

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## **TENNIS**

TYPA Tennis is a great opportunity for your child to learn various tennis techniques with our outstanding tennis coaches.

Tennis students will need to purchase their own tennis rackets to be used for tennis lessons. Tennis or sports shoes must be worn to avoid injuries and students will also need to wear proper sportswear in class.

All tennis lessons are scheduled in the following manner:

- 1. Toward the end of each semester, re-registration for continuing students takes place.
- 2. After re-registration, open registration takes place.
- 3. Any available spaces remaining are then offered on a first-come, first-served basis.
- 4. If a desired coach or time is unavailable, names are placed on a waiting list.
- 5. All waiting lists and special requests expire at the end of each semester.

#### **Tennis Courts Usage**

Please note that TYPA tennis lessons will be held in the TAS Rubber D Area and TAS Indoor Tennis Courts (only available on Saturday 1:00 pm- 5:30 pm).

Sometimes we will be permitted to use the TAS indoor or rooftop tennis facilities for lessons but please understand that it is not guaranteed for every semester. When the indoor or rooftop courts are unavailable, we will move back to offer lessons in the TAS Rubber D Area. We will not issue any credits or refunds or makeup lessons when there are facility changes.

There will be times during the year when tennis lessons may be canceled due to conflicts with TAS activities. Members should note that TAS's curricular programs take priority over TYPA activities. Please take this into consideration when signing up for TYPA tennis programs.

#### **Cancellation Policy**

After the second week of the semester, no credits or refunds will be given due to withdrawals and no schedule changes will be allowed. There will be no credits or refunds for missed tennis clinics, group lessons, or semi-private lessons. Private lessons are allowed one cancellation per semester, but the cancellation must be done at least 24 hours in advance. Please note, canceled tennis lessons will not be made up.

Regarding injury cancellation, we will only issue a refund to injured students if they withdraw for the rest of the semester. This will be on a prorated basis. A \$500 processing fee will be deducted from the remaining program cost and the TYPA office must be informed as soon as possible of the injury. Please provide a medical certificate when applying for an injury refund. Once the injury application has been submitted, the student will lose priority registration for the re-registration period.

Announcements on the cancellations of tennis lessons due to inclement weather will be made at 2:00 pm on the day of the lesson. Cancellation text messages will be sent to parents once the cancellation is confirmed. If the cancellation is made after 3:45 pm, tennis coaches will contact the parents individually. Parents can call the TYPA office to inquire about cancellations after 2:00 pm. Lessons canceled by TYPA will be credited or refunded at the end of the semester.

CANCELLATION & REFUND CHART						
EVENT	PRIVATE LESSON	SEMI-PRIVATE LESSONS	GROUP / CLINIC LESSONS			
Cancellation or Illness (except Camp Taiwan)	One time only	No refund	No refund			
Camp Taiwan	Refundable	Refundable	No refund			
Other TAS Activities	No refund	No refund	No refund			
Rainy Days	Refundable	Refundable	Refundable			

#### Tennis Lessons Grades: K-12

**PRIVATE - One on one** 

#### SEMI-PRIVATE - One coach with 2 students

#### GROUP - One coach with 3-4 students

Please note: If you sign up for a semi-private lesson, we would encourage you to find a partner for yourself beforehand.

If you sign up for a semi-private or group lesson, but your partner(s) decide to cancel or reschedule to another time slot, your tuition will be adjusted according to the number of students registered for that class.

Days: MON.-THU. After 3:45 pm
FRI. After 4:45 pm
SAT. 8:00 am-5:30 pm
Please see the Tennis Lesson Prices Chart.

#### Tennis CLINIC Grades: 1-9

Three coaches collectively instruct 15-20 students of all levels. At the beginning of each semester, students will be assigned into different groups based on their assessed level and age. Tennis students will not be able to choose their own instructor.

To be fair, each student may only enroll in two tennis clinic classes per week.

 Days: MON. 2:45-3:35 pm (Grades: 1-5) TUE. 2:45-3:35 pm (Grades: 1-5) WED. 2:45-3:35 pm (Grades: 1-5) THU. 2:45-3:35 pm (Grades: 1-5) FRI. 2:45-3:35 pm (Grades: 1-5) FRI. 3:45-4:40 pm (Grades: 5-9)
Cost: \$9,500 per semester / class

TENNIS LESSON PRICES						
LESSON	COST / TIME	FALL 2024 (18 WEEKS)	SPRING 2025 (19 WEEKS)			
Private (1 person)	\$750 / 30 min	\$13,500	\$14,250			
Private (SAT)	\$800 / 30 min	\$14,400	\$15,200			
Semi-Private (2 people)	\$500 / 30 min	\$9,000	\$9,500			
Group (4 people)	\$500 / 60 min	\$9,000	\$9,500			

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

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First semester dance classes concentrate on fundamentals, techniques, flexibility, and body placement. Second semester dance classes concentrate on performing skills. Students will also learn a choreographed routine to be performed in the Spring Dance Show in May. For maximum benefit, we recommend students begin their dance studies in the fall and continue into the spring.

All of the dance classes (except Baby Ballet) will perform on stage at the Spring Dance Show. Please be aware that there will be additional costs for costumes and registration.

#### **DRESS CODE POLICY**

The TYPA Dance Department has a dress code for all dance classes. It is the student's responsibility to acquire the appropriate attire necessary for individual classes.

TYPA does not sell or otherwise provide uniforms. Students are required to purchase their own uniforms from a local retailer or with assistance from the dance instructor. Families, please contact your dance instructor for further assistance if needed.



## **CHEERLEADING DANCE**

Dancers need to wear lightweight clothing that allows for easy movement. Jazz or sports shoes should be worn for traction.

#### **Cheerleading Dance Grades: PreK-6**

The TYPA Cheerleading Dance class is based on teaching cheerleading and dance for grades PreK and up. In this class, students will learn not only cheerleading dance moves, but also teamwork with an emphasis on hard work and dedication. This class is focused on cheerleading choreography, so there will be no tumbling or tossing but lots of dance moves and fun.

Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: PreK-1) **WED.** 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: PreK-1) WED. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 2-5) FRI. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 1-3) FRI. 4:45-5:40pm (Grades: 3-6)

Ocost: \$6,000 per semester / class

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## BALLET

Dancers need to wear a leotard, ballet tights, ballet shoes and have their hair up.

#### Baby Ballet Age: 3

In this dance class, three-year olds will be taught how to dance through creative movements. They will develop an appreciation of rhythm and timing, music and grace. This program also will help develop your child's body coordination.

This class will not be participating in the TYPA Dance Show. Students need to be 3 years old before September 1, 2024.

Days: SAT. 10:00-10:45amCost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Pre-Ballet 1 Grades: PreK-1

Students will be introduced to movement with music and will learn some of the very basic ballet steps. They will also learn how to participate in group activities. Body movement and coordination, a sense of balance and recognition of rhythm will be introduced in this class. There will also be a focus on understanding the etiquette of the ballet studio.

Days: THU. 2:45-3:35pm
FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
SAT. 11:00-11:50am
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

### Pre-Ballet 2 Grades: K-1

This class is designed for students who have taken Pre-Ballet 1 for two semesters. Students will practice more complicated movements in this class.

Days: FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
SAT. 12:30-1:20pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

## Ballet 1 Grades: 1-3

Ballet introduces elementary exercises in the placement of the body, legs, arms and head. This class also develops elementary skills in step coordination. This level should be taken for at least two semesters. At the end of the year, students will be assessed as to their suitability in moving to the next level.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
SAT. 1:30-2:20pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

#### Ballet 2 Grades: 2-5

During this period of study, formal exercises are increased and will stress the development of leg and foot strength through exercises on half-toe. Students will be more aware of their movement, sense of dance space and direction. At the end of the year, students will be assessed as to their suitability to move on to Ballet 3.

Days: MON. 3:45-4:40pm
SAT. 2:30-3:20pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

### Ballet 3 Grades: 3-5

More advanced ballet steps and techniques will be introduced in this class. Students will be asked to do each movement more precisely, including body posture, leg and arm positions and dance steps. This class will prepare students for a more advanced ballet class. At the end of the year, students will be assessed as to their suitability in moving to Ballet (Advanced).

Days: THU. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

### Ballet (Advanced) Grades: 4-8

This course is an advanced class for mature ballet dancers. Advanced steps and techniques will be reinforced in this class, and the advanced exercises will give students greater coordination and strength. Students will be taught technically challenging skills and movements.

Days: MON. 4:45-6:10pm (Toe Shoes Beg.)
THU. 4:45-6:10pm (Toe Shoes Int.)
Cost: \$8,000 per semester / class

Ballet 2, Ballet 3 and Ballet (Advanced) require instructor consent.



## TAP

Dancers should wear loose fitting clothes and tap shoes with socks.

## Tap Kids Grades: PreK-1

One of the best ways to start your children's dance life is through tap dance. In this introductory class, body and feet coordination will be practiced. Students will become comfortable wearing tap shoes, and they will become familiar with tap rhythm. Have fun tapping with us!

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Tap (Beginning) Grades: 1-5

Basic tap steps and routines will be introduced. This class will improve students' coordination, sensitivity to rhythm, agility and timing.

Days: TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

### Tap (Advanced) Grades: 3-8

More advanced tap techniques and skills will be taught in the class and a complex combination of feet and body movements will be emphasized. Tap dance routines and choreography will be practiced in the class.

Days: **TUE.** 4:45-5:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

> Tap (Advanced) requires instructor consent.

## JAZZ

Dancers need to wear stretchy clothes. Jazz shoes should be worn for traction. Hair should be off the face for turns and jumps.

#### Jazz for Kids Grades: PreK-1

Start your children off on the dance path by enrolling them in this class. This class will awaken children's sensitivity to rhythm and to their bodies. Coordination, balance and fun movement will be the focus of this class.

Days: FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Jazz (Beginning) Grades: 1-2

This class is an introduction to the jazz world. Basic jazz dance steps and rhythms will be introduced in the class. Students will be able to dance with music and have fun!

Days: THU. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Jazz 1 Grades: 2-4

Further jazz techniques and movements will be introduced in the class and students will become more aware of their movements to different rhythms. Kicks, jumps, body stretches and basic jazz routines will be practiced during the class.

Days: **THU.** 3:45-4:40pmCost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Jazz 2 Grades: 3-4

At this level, basic techniques are strengthened with emphasis on body coordination, flexibility and choreography.

Days: MON. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

## Jazz 3 Grades: 3-6

Emphasis at this level is placed on technique, advanced movements, complex jazz routines and choreography. This class will also teach students how to dance with feeling and strength to make the dance come alive.

Days: MON. 4:45-5:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Jazz (Advanced) Grades: 5-8

This jazz level stresses strong technique, flexibility, coordination and balance with an emphasis on complex jazz choreography. Popular stage dance routines and a variety of jazz dance steps will be practiced in the class.

Days: MON. 5:45-6:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

 Jazz 2, Jazz 3, Jazz (Advanced) require instructor consent.



## HIP HOP

Dancers need to wear lightweight clothing that allows for easy movement. Jazz or sports shoes should be worn for traction.

#### Hip Hop Kids Grades: PreK-1

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 2:45-3:35pm
SAT. 10:00-10:50am
Cost: \$7,500 per semester / class

#### Hip Hop 1 Grades: 1-5

Days: TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
WED. 3:45-4:40pm
SAT. 11:00–11:55am
Cost: \$7,500 per semester / class

#### Hip Hop 2 Grades: 5-8

Days: TUE. 4:45-5:40pm
WED. 4:45-5:40pm
SAT. 12:00-12:55pm
Cost: \$7,500 per semester / class

#### Urban Pop Dance Grades: 3-8

From street to stage, Urban Pop Dance presents new ways to move! It is a style of dance revolving around choreographed pieces and performances by a dancer or groups of dancers. Urban Pop dance is also a mixture of styles. It is influenced by several different dance styles (such as Modern Dance, Hip Hop, and Jazz Dance) according to the rhythm and essence of the song.

Days: WED. 4:45-5:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Music Video Dance Grades: 5-8

This class is designed for those who love to dance to pop music and want to learn the latest dance moves. A combination of Hip Hop, Korean and Japanese pop music and movements will be introduced and practiced in class. By the end of each semester, you will be able to dance like a pop star!

Days: THU. 4:45-5:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

 Music Video Dance requires instructor consent.

## **GYMNASTICS**



#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The TYPA gymnastics program follows the Australian Women's Artistic Gymnastics guidelines and offers an excellent opportunity for students of all ages and abilities. We utilize the trampoline, the vault, the uneven bars, and the balance beam to develop agility, strength, and coordination through various routines. Whether you wish to train competitively or recreationally, your body will benefit from the exercise and discipline required.

As safety is top priority, our TYPA gymnastics coaches will ensure all gymnasts are placed in the appropriate level and it normally takes two semesters to advance to the next level.

Due to equipment and space limitation, only female gymnasts will be able to join our advanced classes.

#### **GYMNASTICS MEETS**

TYPA will attempt to schedule gymnastics meets for Advanced gymnasts with other local or international gymnastics organizations. Only Advanced gymnasts who signed up for 3+ hours of classes per week starting from the beginning of the semester will be invited to participate in gymnastics meets (overseas and local).

The gymnastics meet is not guaranteed or part of the activity fee. Please understand that there will be no cancellations of class if there are no gymnastics meet for the current semester. Any extra meets or travel will be at the expense of the participants.

#### **DRESS CODE POLICY**

All gymnastics classes require loose or stretchy workout clothing. Avoid wearing jeans or skirts and take off watches, jewelry, and protruding hair gear. All classes will be conducted bare foot in the covered gymnastics room. Advanced gymnasts should wear leotards for classes.

#### Gymnastics (Pre-School) Grades: PreK

This class teaches basic gymnastics movements on special child-sized equipment. We encourage imagination and exploration through various structured activities accompanied by our gymnastics coaches.

Days: THU. 2:45-3:35pm
SAT. 9:00-9:55am
SAT. 10:00-10:55am
SAT. 11:00-11:55am
Cost: \$6,800 per semester / class

#### Gymnastics (Beginning) Grades: K

Beginning Gymnastics is for students with no prior experience, they will learn basic movement and techniques. Students will work on the balance beam, trampoline, and the vault to build upper and lower body strength, balance, and flexibility.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 2:45-3:35pm
FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
SAT. 9:00-9:55am
SAT. 10:00-10:55am

Ocst: \$6,800 per semester / class

#### Gymnastics (Intermediate) Grades: 1-5

This class is for students with some experience in gymnastics. Students will continue to work on more complex gymnastics patterns in a safe manner. The vault, floor, trampoline, and uneven bars will be introduced slowly to prepare them for the next level.

- Kindergarten students can sign up for this class with instructor consent.
- It is advised that students take this class twice a week if their goal is to move on to the more competitive advanced gymnastics class.

🛗 Days: **MON.** 3:45-4:40pm

**TUE.** 3:45-4:40pm **WED.** 3:45-4:40pm **THU.** 3:45-4:40pm

**FRI.** 3:45-4:40pm

**SAT.** 9:00-9:55am

**SAT.** 11:00-11:55am

🖸 Cost: \$6,800 per semester / class





#### Girls Gymnastics (Advanced) Grades: 1-12

This class introduces gymnasts to advanced skills and routines.

Gymnasts have the benefit of increased gym time and more individualized instruction. They will develop the self-confidence, control, and self-discipline required in preparation for gymnastics meets. Students are evaluated and approved by our coaches for entry into this class and placed into a WAG level. Gymnasts have the option to register for either the 2-hour or 3-hour class. If they wish to dedicate themselves to a more rigorous training schedule, we suggest signing up for the 3-hour class.

- Instructor consent is required.
- Due to the limitations of our equipment, this class is only offered to female gymnasts.
- Only gymnasts who have 3+ hours of classes per week will be invited to participate in any gymnastics meets.
- TUE & WED 2:45-3:35 classes are enhanced training courses for competitions. Gymnasts who are not participating in competitions are not allowed to sign up for these classes.

#### Advanced Gymnastics Notes:

Only gymnasts who have 3+ hours of classes per week will be invited to participate in gymnastics meets.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,800 per semester / class (1 hour)

🛗 Days: **MON.** 4:45-6:40pm

**TUE.** 4:45-6:40pm **WED.** 4:45-6:40pm **THU.** 4:45-6:40pm

FRI. 4:45-6:40pm

**SAT.** 12:30-2:30pm

- **SAT.** 2:30-4:30pm
- Ocst: \$13,600 per semester / class (2 hours)

Days: WED. 3:45-6:40pm
FRI. 3:45-6:40pm
Cost: \$20,400 per semester / class (3 hours)



## MANDARIN

#### Mandarin for 4s Grades: PreK

This class is designed for four-year-olds who are new to Mandarin. Children will be introduced to beginner spoken Mandarin through games, songs and stories. By the end of the semester, students should have developed basic vocabulary.

#### Neets five days per week.

Days: MON. - FRI. 1:40-2:25pm
Cost: \$26,000 per semester

#### Real Life Mandarin 1 我愛學中文(一) Grades: K-1

Learn practical spoken Mandarin. Children will learn key words and sentences that can help them every day in Taiwan. Learn greetings, numbers, words for politeness and other practical vocabulary. This course will focus on basic learning and speaking in a fun and supportive atmosphere.

Neets two days per week.

Days: TUE. & THU. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$8,000 per semester

#### Real Life Mandarin 2 我愛學中文(二) Grades: 1-3

This is a more advanced Mandarin class specially designed for those who have had previous Mandarin experience. In this class, reinforcement of grammar, sentence structure and vocabulary will be taught and developed.

Instructor consent required. Meets two days per week.

Days: MON. & WED. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$8,000 per semester





## **ARTS & CRAFTS**

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

TYPA offers a variety of art and creative classes. Because of the popularity of our art classes, we ask that students only register for a maximum of two semesters for the same class.

#### Kinder Art Grades: PreK-K

Kinder Art is a fun class designed for the PreK and K students to explore the wonderful world of arts and crafts. It also stimulates children's innate sense of curiosity and creativity. In this class, students will use different elements of art and a variety of materials to create beautiful art projects.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
THU. 2:45-3:35pm
FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

### Miniature Art Grades: 1-5

In this class, students will learn to form polymer clay into a range of miniature figures. These techniques and tips will show the range of ways to blend, shape, texture, and finish polymer clay for various miniatures. Miniature crafts can help your children in building their fine motor skills, improve hand-eye coordination, and increase their creativity.

Days: MON. 3:45-4:40pm
FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,800 per semester / class

### Let's Draw Grades: 1-5

Students will learn the fundamental skills of drawing and develop their observational skills. In this class, we want the students to not only inspire their interest in drawing but also build up their confidence. Students will use different media such as pastels, charcoal, and coloring pencils to draw animals, landscapes, cartoon characters, and much more.

🛗 Days: FRI. 3:45-4:40pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,000 per semester



#### Cookie Decorating Grades: K-2

Do you want to make incredible and delicious decorated cookies, but don't know where to start? We have you covered! In this class, our little artists will learn different cookie decorating techniques and creative ideas. Students will bring home cookies beautifully decorated with icing. All tools and equipment are supplied for this class.

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,800 per semester



## Fun with Sewing Grades: 3-8

Sewing is one of the oldest textile arts, and learning this skill is making a comeback in our modern world. This class is for those who want to learn the basics of sewing by creating unique projects like stuffed animals, headbands, and pouches. With patience and enthusiasm, children will develop an array of sewing skills and leave with handmade treasures they will love!

Days: THU. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: 3-5)
THU. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 3-8)
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class



We'll start with the basics and have some fun with pastels! Oil pastels are like cool crayons for drawing and making art. We won't just learn to draw; we'll also make amazing textures that look like oil paintings by mixing colors. Imagine creating art that feels like magic! We'll try lots of styles with oil pastels, like scratching and making things smooth. It's going to be a blast using these special crayons in many different ways!

Days: THU. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Felt Workshop Grades: 1-5

Come discover the wonderful art of needle felting and learn how to create 3D animals and cute cartoon characters! In this class, students will create a 3D form from the raw carded wool using a special barbed needle. It's fun, simple, and students can fashion just about anything they can imagine!

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class



### Creative Art Grades: 1-2

This class is specially designed for our young artists to explore different styles of art while learning about painting, drawing, collage building, and sculpture making through exciting and unique art projects. Children are encouraged to experiment with a variety of mediums such as acrylic, watercolor, printmaking, clay, and mixed media. It is a very popular program, and we are always amazed by our students' imagination and creativity!

Days: FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester



#### Watercolor Workshop Grades: K-5

In this class, children will enjoy learning techniques for mixing paint and stroke-making, then practice making great art as they create watercolor projects. They will not only experience many ways to paint with watercolor but also think in terms of warm and cool, light, and dark, and learn to paint from still life, photographs, and outdoor scenes.

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: K-2)
WED. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 1-5)
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

#### Sketching Art Grades: 1-5

In this class, students will learn the principles of sketching. They will begin with simple line art and advance their skills to three-dimensional illustrations. Students will be taught different techniques of shading and be encouraged to develop a style of their own.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: 1-2)
MON. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 3-5)
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

#### Activity Beads Grades: PreK-5

In this class, students will create their projects using colorful and nontoxic beads. They can follow unique cartoon patterns that our teacher designs for the class or can create their own. This class enhances creativity and fine motor skills while developing creative thinking and patience.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: PreK-2)
TUE. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 1-5)
WED. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: PreK-2)
WED. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 1-5)
THU. 2:45- 3:35pm (Grades: PreK-2)
THU. 3:45- 4:40pm (Grades: 1-5)

Ocst: \$7,500 per semester / class



#### Book Art Grades: 2-5

Book Art is a blend of reading, writing, and drawing. Over the semesters, students will learn the craft of bookbinding by making simple notebooks and booklets. They will also create their own illustrated storybook with handcrafted typography.

Days: THU. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester



Explore the world of Puff Art in our children's class! Unleash creativity by combining shaving cream, glue, and vibrant paints to craft unique cream puff-inspired masterpieces. Join us for a delightful and imaginative experience in creating extraordinary Puff Art!

Days: WED. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester



Reading isn't just educational, it's fun! And there is more to the library than books! In this class, our four-year-old students will be exposed to different stories, games, songs, and other fun activities. They will also participate in some show and tell activities to increase their interest in reading!

Meets five days per week.

Days: MON. - FRI. 1:40-2:25pm
Cost: \$24,000 per semester

### Reading Innovation Grades: K-4

Reading Innovation is a blend of learning through storybooks and hands-on creative projects to ignite students' curiosity and inspire their passion for reading. There are unlimited possibilities for unlocking a child's potential and creativity. In this class, our students will use different tools and materials to make their projects come to life and spark their interest in reading at the same time.

Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: K-1)

MON. 3:45-4:40 pm (Grades: 2-4)

Ocst: \$11,700 per semester / class



In this class, students will learn the techniques of needlepoint, cross-stitch embroidery, beading, and quilting. They will also learn how to design their own patterns and designs.

Students who have a passion for fashion and sewing would love this class!

Days: FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester



In this class, students will learn to create and develop their own animation characters through explorations with sketches, brainstorming, and prototyping with paper, clay, and/or other materials. Students will have a portfolio of their work put together by the end of the semester.

Days: FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Kinder Clay Grades: PreK-K

Using soft, colorful, non-toxic resin clay, students will discover that simple forms like circles can be pushed into amazing objects. They will enjoy creating cartoon figures, animals, and more through kneading, blending, and clay rolling. The bright, easy-to-use color clay can also help children learn basic color theory and the planning stages will provide them with early math-concept experiences.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 2:45-3:35pm
THU. 2:45-3:35pm
FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
Ocost: \$6,000 per semester / class



#### Clay Wonderland Grades: 1-2

In Clay Wonderland, students will have the opportunity to learn the skills of modeling clay. They will create 3D projects, such as animals, cartoon characters, and more by using rolling, pinching, rubbing, stretching, and color mixing techniques. Using the techniques and skills taught in class, students will have the opportunity to build confidence and develop creativity through their clay projects.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

#### Clay Workshop Grades: 2-5

The beauty of sculpting is on full display in this advanced resin clay class. Clay Workshop offers an excellent approach to using clay creatively. Many different thematic learning projects are designed, and students will learn to combine clay with other varied materials and turn them into great artwork.

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,800 per semester

#### Little Florist Grades: K-5

In this class, students decorate and design floral arrangements while learning to appreciate and care for both fresh and dried flowers and plants. Our budding florists will be instructed by our certified floral arrangement teacher and will complete a beautiful project in each class.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$8,200 per semester / class

#### Decorative Art Grades: 1-5

In Decorative Art, we use an old and popular art form called "Decoupage". It is easy to learn and encourages students who are not skilled in drawing or painting to learn and master it. In this class, students will use a lot of cutting, pasting, and painting techniques to decorate and give a completely different look to any piece of fabric, furniture, and other objects.

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 3:45-4:40pm
FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester / class

#### Fashion Workshop Grades: 2-5

Does your child have a passion for fashion? This Fashion Workshop will be the perfect class for your child. We will introduce these young designers to the exciting world of fashion and show them how fabric choices and color can impact a design. The use of inspiration boards and fashion drawings will help bring those designs to life!

Days: THU. 2:45-3:35pm
Cost: \$6,000 per semester

#### Resin Jewelry Workshop Grades: 1-5

Resin is an amazing art medium that is so much fun to play with! In this class, students will learn how to use nontoxic UV resin and different art materials to create beautiful wearable art pieces. Our instructor will demonstrate the process step by step and assist students to create some terrific one-of-a-kind, unique jewelry accessories like pendants and earrings to bring home!

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
MON. 3:45-4:40pm
TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
Cost: \$6,800 per semester / class





## MUSIC

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Music at TYPA is for students of all ages as well as abilities. We offer 30, 45, or 60 minutes of private music instruction in Cello, Flute, Guitar, Piano, Violin, and Voice. We also offer group lessons for flute, guitar, and the children's choir.

Our music instructors are exceptionally talented with a wealth of experience, and most possess Master of Music degrees specializing in music performance with many still performing in recitals and concerts throughout the year.

Students should either own or rent their own instrument for weekly practice. While TYPA doesn't sell or rent instruments, we can assist you in finding one either to buy or for rent. A music recital will be held at the end of the school year and each student has the option to participate.
### **MUSIC AGREEMENT**

Music lessons can begin at any time during the semester depending on availability and lessons will be prorated from the actual starting date.

Every parent and student is required to read and understand the TYPA Music Agreement. The Music Agreement is available at the TYPA office, on our website, or in the TYPA Music Notebook.

Please do not enroll in the TYPA music program unless you are able to make a weekly commitment to your music lessons. In the event you are not able to attend a class, a friend or family member will not be allowed to take that class for you unless they are already a student of the same TYPA music teacher.

Each student is only allowed one make up lesson per semester (except Camp Taiwan).

Please note that there may be additional costs for music books.

### RECITALS

There will be an annual music recital held at the end of the Spring semester. It will take place in April and/or May on the Taipei American School campus. The music recital is an excellent opportunity for students to boost their confidence and show off their skills in front of the audience!

PRIVATE MUSIC PRICE PER LESSON			
30 MIN 45 MIN 60 MIN			
Private (1 person)	\$800	\$1,200	\$1,600
Semi-private (besides piano)	\$550	\$825	\$1,100

### **CANCELLATION & MAKEUP LESSON**

After the second class of the semester, no credits or refunds will be given due to withdrawals. There will be no credit or makeup for missed group and semi-private lessons. Private lessons are allowed one cancellation per semester, but the cancellation must be done at least 24 hours prior to your lesson time.

MAKE UP CHART				
EVENT	PRIVATE SEMI-PRIVATE GROUP LESSONS LESSONS LESSONS			
Cancellation or Illness (except Camp Taiwan)	One Time Only	No	No	
Camp Taiwan	Yes	Yes	No	
Other TAS Activities	No	No	No	

### SCHEDULING

All music classes are scheduled in the following manner:

- 1. Towards the end of each semester, re-registration for continuing students takes place and music teachers arrange their schedules with the student first.
- 2. After re-registration, open registration takes place.
- 3. During open registration, any available slots remaining are offered on a first-come, first-served basis.
- 4. If a non-available teacher or time is desired, names are placed on a waiting list.
- 5. All waiting lists and special requests expire at the end of each semester.





### PRIVATE LESSONS

### Piano Grades: PreK-12

Personalized one-on-one piano lessons are structured to each individual student's skill level, goals, and schedule. Whether you're a beginner, intermediate, or advanced pianist, private piano lessons with supportive and motivating piano teachers are the best way to unlock your potential and achieve success in both piano theory and performance. We also prepare students for university and conservatory entrance auditions, ABRSM exams, recitals, and competitions.

### Cello / Violin Grades: K-12

String instruments pose their own special challenges. Students will develop their fine motor skills and practice balancing their bow for just the right musical touch. There is a focus on ear-training skills and reading music. It is important to have weekly feedback and encouragement to know that you are on the right track. Private cello and violin lessons are available with our inspiring and patient teachers. Whether you're a beginner or advanced student, our string teachers can tailor your lessons to meet your level and aspirations.

### Flute Grades: 2-12

Taking private flute lessons with a professional teacher is highly beneficial for all music students, particularly those interested in wind or orchestral ensembles, but also for soloists and chamber musicians. Private instruction is provided for all ages and abilities, and students will develop and refine concepts related to tone production, breathing technique and the interpretation of music.

Grade 1 students may take lessons with instructor consent and a proper-sized flute.

### Voice Grades: 3-12

In private voice lessons, we develop vocal range, pitch, tone production, breath control, enunciation, ear training, interpretive skills, and more. All lessons include warm-up exercises to improve breath control and to avoid damaging the vocal chords.

### Guitar (Private) Grades: 2-12

Private guitar lessons provide a great opportunity for guitar players from total novice to seasoned strummers to learn more about a variety of musical styles such as rock, pop, folk, and classical guitar. The teacher shapes each student's material individually, and the lessons focus on developing fingerpicking and strumming techniques, reading musical notation, improvisation, and much more!

### **GROUP LESSONS**

### Kinder Flute Grades: K-1

Taught by a certified KinderFlute<sup>™</sup> teacher, KinderFlute<sup>™</sup> is designed to teach students to love music while learning to play the flute. Through developing listening skills, producing a beautiful tone, reading music and creatively expressing themselves, students will stimulate all areas of the brain to make learning more productive. Movement and fun activities are a key component of this class, so students can maintain a keen sense of alertness. After two semesters of classes, students should graduate to private lessons.

First time students may only start in Fall 2024.
 Additional costs for flutes will be required.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$8,600 per semester





MUSIC

### Choir Grades: 2-5

A children's singing opportunity at TYPA! This vocal group is designed for boys and girls to cultivate an appreciation for music and share their talents while delivering a positive message. The class will focus on basic singing techniques, including vocal warm-ups, diction, breathing, sight-reading training, and rhythm awareness. They also perform in one recital per semester.

🛗 Days: **THU.** 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,000 per semester

### Guitar (Group) Grades: 2-5

Scheduled group lessons for beginners are available on Mondays or Wednesdays. These classes will provide a solid foundation of basic chords, scales, and technique. After two semesters, the students will graduate to private or small group lessons.

First time students may only start in Fall 2024.

Additional costs for guitars will be required.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: 2-3)
 WED. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: 4-5)
 Cost: \$8,600 per semester / class



# CHESS

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

TYPA offers chess lessons to children beginning from the age of 5. As one of the most popular games in the world, chess is an incredibly beneficial pastime that involves strategic thinking. Additionally, participants often see improvements in memory, attention span, and cognitive abilities.

### Chess for Kids Grades: K

Chess can be learned successfully by young children. We break down the basic aspects of the game while learning how the pieces move. Students learn key strategies of each piece which helps to build a solid foundation for success in chess.

🛗 Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm

MON. 3:45-4:40pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,500 per semester / class

### Chess Beginning Grades: 1-5

In this introductory class, students will learn the basic rules and theory of chess and start everything from the beginning. At the end of each class, students will be matched up with others and practice their skills and knowledge.

🛗 Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm

MON. 3:45-4:40pm TUE. 2:45-3:35pm TUE. 3:45-4:40pm WED. 2:45-3:35pm THU. 2:45-3:35pm THU. 3:45-4:40pm FRI. 2:45-3:35pm

Cost: \$6,500 per semester / class

### Chess Advanced 1 Grades: 1-5

This class is for students who have completed Chess Beginning or have a general knowledge of the game. Students will learn more in-depth strategies and advanced rules, and different openings during this class. Students will spend more time practicing and playing against each other.

🛗 Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm

MON. 3:45-4:40pm
WED. 2:45-3:35pm
WED. 3:45-4:40pm
THU. 2:45-3:35pm
THU. 3:45-4:40pm

### Chess Advanced 2 Grades: 1-8

Building on what was learned in Chess Advanced 1, students take an even deeper dive into advanced techniques and strategy. This class is designed for experienced students who have played chess for an extended period and are eager to play tournaments.

🛗 Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm

MON. 3:45-4:40pm WED. 2:45-3:35pm THU. 2:45-3:35pm THU. 3:45-4:40pm

🖸 Cost: \$7,000 per semester / class

### Chinese Chess Grades: 1-5

Chinese chess, also called Xiangqi (象棋), is a two-player strategy board game that represents a battle between two opposing armies, with the object of capturing the enemy's general (King). Students will be matched up with others and practice their skills and knowledge.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$6,500 per semester



# MARTIAL ARTS

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

TYPA offers martial arts classes in four distinct disciplines – Aikido, Karate, Ninja, and Taekwon-Do. Martial arts teaches respect, courtesy, self-discipline, and improves flexibility, strength, stamina, health, and fitness.

Discipline, attitude, and respect for martial arts will be emphasized in each class. Examples of the above guidelines include promptness to class, proper wearing of uniforms, and respect for the martial arts master and fellow students.

There is minimal body contact in all martial arts classes with occassional sparring practice for students at a more advanced level.

### **Belt Advancement Tests**

Each martial arts discipline has a colored belt (ranking) system allowing students to set their goals and challenge themselves. Testing criteria will not only include skills, but also discipline, attitude, and respect displayed throughout the semester. Students will not advance to the next belt level unless all these criteria are met to the satisfaction of the instructor. It is not mandatory to take the test, however, it is recommended if your child would like to advance to the next level.

Students will be required to purchase a uniform in the beginning of semester and students will have the opportunity to take a test at the end of the semester. Please note there will be an additional cost for tests.

### **Dress Code Policy for Martial Arts**

Students will be required to wear a specific uniform for each discipline. They are required to purchase their own uniforms with assistance from the instructor. Students must be in a properly fitted uniform by the third lesson or they will not be able to participate in class. Each discipline has its own unique uniform and a different belt system.

### AIKIDO

Aikido in its present form was developed in Japan in the early 20th century. Aikido is seen not only as a system of self-defense, but also as a means of self-cultivation and improvement. It is unique among martial arts in that the majority of techniques are based on aggressors making the first move and using their energy and momentum to neutralize them.

### Aikido Grades: 3-12

On a physical level, Aikido involves some throws and joint locks. It focuses not on punching or kicking, but rather on utilizing the opponent's energy to gain control and to propel them away from you.

Ⅲ Days: SAT. 9:00-10:30am☑ Cost: \$8,000 per semester





### NINJAS

The Ninjas program promotes general fitness and flexibility. We use modified martial arts stances to promote coordination, self-control, and balance. In our Ninja classes, students will gain confidence, mental strength, discipline, and focus through various activities.

### Little Ninjas Grades: 1-5

In our Little Ninjas class, students will learn various basic tumbling skills, as well as ninja shuriken throwing skills accompanied by our instructors to ensure a safe environment. Through various activities such as running, balancing, jumping and dodging with obstacles, students are able to strengthen their physical coordination.

🛗 Days: **FRI.** 2:45-3:35pm

**SAT.** 11:00-11:55am Cost: \$6,500 per semester / class

### Ninja One Grades: 3-12

In Ninja One, students will build on skills based in Little Ninjas. In addition to tumbling, they will also learn body protection throws and begin practicing with a weapon (foam sword). Class will be oriented towards basic sparring moves, defensive skills, and learning to disrupt the opponent's balance.

Days: FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
 SAT. 12:00-12:55pm
 Cost: \$6,500 per semester / class



### **TAEKWON-DO (ITF STYLE)**

ITF Taekwon-Do follows the tenets and philosophy of its founder, General Choi Hong Hi. Its philosophy is based on the essential tenets of courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control and indomitable spirit. It becomes necessary to apply our tenets and fully exercise them in practice, not as a mere repetition or as a memory habit but rather to adopt a way of living which will tune us with the power that practicing Taekwon-Do provides us. There will be emphasis on patterns and technical perfection.

### ITF Taekwon-Do 1 Grades: 1-2

Taekwon-Do 1 works on conditioning through various basic stances, and hand and foot techniques such as kicks, blocks and strikes. Also, we will be working on self-defense and danger awareness in class. By learning these fundamentals, children will enhance their physical, emotional, and intellectual skills. This course is suitable for first and second graders, as it embraces games and drills for a fun and educational environment.

🛗 Days: TUE. & THU. 2:45-3:35pm

Cost: \$12,000 per semester / twice per week

"Participating in TYPA's Taekwondo program was a very enriching experience for our son. The master's instructions were easily understood, and he not only enjoyed learning with friends but also found the class challenging. Starting as a beginner, he ascended through the ranks from the white belt to the blue belt within 4 years. "

- Pramod Mohanrajappa Kabbali

### ITF Taekwon-Do 2 Grades: 3-4

Taekwon-Do 2 continues to work on skills learned in the first level. Ages are more advanced. This course introduces new complex techniques of kicks, blocks and strikes, as well as self-defense moves, patterns and incorporating sparring drills. We will also keep working on areas such as danger awareness and the philosophy of ITF Taekwon-Do.

🛗 Days: TUE. & THU. 3:45-4:40pm

Cost: \$12,000 per semester / twice per week

### ITF Taekwon-Do 3 Grades: 5-12

Taekwon-Do 3 incorporates more self-defense exercises, steps, sparring, and double/triple combinations, including jump and spin techniques and double kicks with alternate legs. Training includes defensive and offensive tactics in sparring with light contact (protection gear for safety), arms sparring and learning competition rules.

🛗 Days: TUE. & THU. 4:45-5:40pm

Cost: \$12,000 per semester / twice per week



### KARATE (SHOTOKAN STYLE)

Karate has been practiced for centuries for self-defense and is divided up into three components: Kihon (basics), Kata (form), and Kumite (sparring). Karate is an excellent form of exercise that builds character and improves self-confidence. Students will be taught in different groups based on their skill level. Ideal for all ages, karate can be learned from six years and up but only older students with more experience will get to experience Kumite.

### Karate 1 Grades: 1-5

In this class, students will learn karate's basic blocking skills as well as basic punches and kicks. These skills are vital as they represent the first step in sparring, which will be further developed in the next level of Karate. In addition, students will also be introduced to the first movements of "Kata".

Belt Color: White - Yellow

🛗 Days: MON. & WED. 2:45-3:35pm

Cost: \$12,000 per semester / twice per week

### Karate 2 Grades: 3-5

Karate 2 builds on skills learned in Karate 1 and will strengthen defense skills as well as counter attacks. As students advance to this class, they will be able to strengthen their ability of confrontation and defense reaction. More advanced forms of "Kata" will also be emphasized.

Belt Color: Yellow - Brown

🛗 Days: MON. & WED. 3:45-4:40pm

Cost: \$12,000 per semester / twice per week

### Karate 3 Grades: 3-12

In Karate 3, students will advance to more complex skills of defense and counter attacks. They will practice various types of strikes and kicks with the goal of "free sparring". In free sparring practice, students will learn to deal with their opponent's attack and learn the deeper forms of "Kata".

Belt Color: Blue - Black

🛗 Days: MON. & WED. 4:45-5:40pm

Cost: \$12,000 per semester / twice per week



# DRAMA

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

TYPA offers unique and fun-filled drama programs for kids Grades PreK-6. We provide children with the opportunity to build confidence, use creative thinking, and enhance social interaction, as well as developing expressive language skills. In TYPA DRAMA, all students, from the shy to the outgoing, can develop at their own pace, with plenty of positive encouragement.

### Actor's Workshop 1 Grades: 2-3

### FALL SEMESTER

This class offers students a flexible and interesting learning environment. As an entry class to acting, games and activities will be used to introduce the elements of acting such as improvisation, concentration, imagination, voice projection, and role-playing.

### SPRING SEMESTER

At the end of the semester, students will have a wonderful chance to act on stage! Further acting skills will be introduced in the class and students will learn how to use these skills to develop characters of their own.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

TUE. 3:45-4:40pm

🖸 Cost: \$11,400 per semester / class

### Actor's Workshop 2 Grades: 4-6

### FALL SEMESTER

This is an advanced acting class. There is more emphasis on professional training so students can physically and mentally develop their acting abilities. Students will also be introduced to character analysis, monologues and scene work.

### SPRING SEMESTER

At the end of the semester, students will present a stage show. Students will participate in all aspects of creating a play, including character development, costume design, prop design, rehearsing and performing.

🛗 Days: **FRI.** 2:45-3:35pm

FRI. 3:45-4:40pm

Ocst: \$11,400 per semester / class



Our program fosters foundational dramatic skills, promoting confidence, creativity, and communication. Through interactive activities like warm-ups, speech, music, and imaginative storytelling, children not only build expressive abilities but also learn the importance of teamwork, asking questions, and sharing. Join us as we create a vibrant space where kids discover, play, and grow together!

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: PreK)

WED. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: K-1)

🖸 Cost: \$11,400 per semester / class

Public Speaking Grades: 3-6

Students will engage in a variety of public speaking techniques, such as impromptu speaking, drama and storytelling. To enhance their presentation, students will learn how to use their voice effectively, applying projection, pace, pitch and pauses. Nonverbal communication skills are also developed, including eye contact, posture, gestures, body movement and facial expressions.

🛗 Days: **THU.** 2:45-3:35pm

THU. 3:45-4:40pm

🖸 Cost: \$11,400 per semester / class

### NEW Creative Drama Grades: PreK-5

This class is designed to increase students' confidence, communicative skills and creative talents through a carefully constructed drama syllabus. It's not the aim to produce "stars", but rather to help all children realize their creative potential. Students will participate in a series of fun-filled learning activities that aim to develop ongoing self-esteem to perform in front of an audience.

🛗 Days: **SAT.** 1:15-2:00pm (Grades: PreK-K)

SAT. 2:10-3:00pm (Grades: K-2)

**SAT.** 3:10-4:00pm (Grades: 2-5)

🖸 Cost: \$11,400 per semester / class



# TECHNOLOGY

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

TYPA TECHNOLOGY brings LEGO<sup>®</sup>, robotics, programming, coding and various design programs to kids ages 5 to 13 in a fun and challenging way through different classes.

We are very proud to inspire students to build on their natural curiosity by teaching technology-related concepts through hands-on learning.

Please note that TYPA will reserve a spot for your child when moving up to the next level, but it may be on a different day and/or time. Please take this into consideration when signing up for the LEGO robotics programs.

### **LEGO<sup>®</sup> ROBOTICS**

### Computer Lab - LEGO<sup>®</sup> Robotics Grades: K-3

In this class, children build LEGO<sup>®</sup> models charged with the power of working motors, sensors, and simple programming. They will work on a series of theme-based activities and develop their science and math skills.

- This is a one-year program and students can only register for a maximum of two semesters for each level.
- Days: TUE. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: K-1 Beg.)
   WED. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 2-3 Adv.)
   THU. 3:45-4:40pm (Grades: 1-2 Int.)

🖸 Cost: \$9,000 per semester / class

### LEGO<sup>®</sup> - ESM (Beginning Robotics) Grades: K

### "Early Simple Machines"

The Early Machines program is ideal for introducing youngsters to the basic skills in building mechanical machines they see in their daily lives. Children can explore many creative ways to meet their early childhood development needs. This will be achieved through a wide range of play-based, hands-on activities. We will use gears, levers, pulleys, wheels and axles, as well as a plastic punch-out sheet with eyes, sails, scales and wings.

**THU.** 2:45-3:35pm **Ocst:** \$10,600 per semester / class





### LEGO<sup>°</sup> - SPM (Basic) Grades: 1-3

### "Simple Powered Machines"

LEGO<sup>®</sup> Simple Machines Sets are used in this course where students will be able to create simple mechanisms found in their daily lives (i.e. seesaws, egg beaters, etc.) From gears to motors, students follow guided instructions to create simple machines. They will be able to observe the transmission of force and the variation of speed. Through these and many other activities, their interest and passion for science will be fostered.

🛗 Days: <b>TUE.</b> 2:45-3:35pm	
<b>TUE.</b> 3:45-4:40pm	
<b>WED.</b> 2:45-3:35pm	
<b>WED.</b> 3:45-4:40pm	

- THU. 2:45-3:35pm
- THU. 3:45-4:40pm

Ocost: \$11,500 per semester / class

### LEGO<sup>®</sup> - SPM (Advanced) Grades: 3-5

### "Simple Powered Machines"

LEGO<sup>®</sup> Technology Base Set, Power Add-on Set and Pneumatics Set are added in this course. Students will create some of the more advanced simple machines in LEGO<sup>®</sup> form. Advanced structures such as pneumatics and pumps are also explored during this course and students can learn to create a pneumatic arm, electric flywheel car, and pneumatic scissor lifts and safes.

### Instructor consent required.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
 TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
 WED. 2:45-3:35pm
 WED. 3:45-4:40pm
 THU. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$12,700 per semester / class



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### 3D Printing Grades: 6-8

### ★ OFFERED IN FALL SEMESTER ONLY ★

Improve our quality of life through computer-aided design! This class allows students to explore and experience design by interacting with design software. Students will use a variety of media from sketching to computer generated media to explore concepts of design. 2-D and 3-D graphics will be combined to create real world examples of design work. Students will also produce creative architectural designs and products using our 3-D printer!

Students need to bring a notebook computer.
 Days: MON. 3:45-4:40pm

Ocst: \$8,200 per semester

### VEX IQ Robot Grades: 4-8

A VEX IQ class is designed to expose students to STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) fundamentals within the context of building a robot. In this class, students will follow step-by-step instructions to build their robots. We will teach students how to use the C program to control their robots and the components of the robotics system including input (sensors) and output (motors), control units, and data communications. The VEX IQ Robot class will give students an opportunity to get excited about their creation and the many autonomous challenges to tackle.

Instructor consent required. Students need to bring their notebook computer to class. Notebook computer requires at least 1024x768 pixels resolution.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 3:45-5:20pm

THU. 3:45-5:20pm

🖸 Cost: \$16,400 per semester / class





The VEX V5 course is a comprehensive learning program designed to teach students how to design, assemble, and program VEX V5 robots. It will be divided into several parts:

1. Machine Design: Students will learn how to design an effective VEX V5 robot, including appropriate structures, power, drive, and operational components.

2. Assembly: Students will assemble their robots in practice, learning how to use the various parts in the kit to build their designs.

3. Blocky Programming: Using VEXcode V5 Blocks, students will learn how to use a graphical programming interface to create automated tasks and motion control for the robot.

4. C++ Text Programming Language: Students will further advance their skills by learning the C++ text programming language, allowing them to write more advanced code to implement more complex robot functionalities and automation.

These courses will combine theory and practice, helping students build skills from concept to execution and cultivating their abilities in robot design and programming.

Instructor consent required. Students need to bring their notebook computer to class. Notebook computer requires at least 1024x768 pixels resolution.

🛗 Days: **WED.** 3:45-5:20pm

🖸 Cost: \$21,500 per semester

### **YOUNG INVENTORS**

### The Young Inventors 1 Grades: 1-2

Students make projects with their hands and tinker with materials and electronics to build amazing creations. From catapults to board games to bubble guns, kids become toy designers and engineers to make STEM-powered inventions! Each invention comes with science experiments that explore some fundamental physics concepts. Students will take a project home every 2 weeks.

🛗 Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm

WED. 2:45-3:35pm FRI. 2:45-3:35pm Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class

### The Young Inventors 2 Grades: 2-4

Students make complex inventions that dive deeper into the structure, mechanical, and electronic engineering concepts. Whether students are new to the program or completed Young Inventors 1, everyone builds projects involving circuit design that include motors and sensors. This program is one of the most fun ways to explore the Next Generation Science Standards and build Engineering Habits of Mind such as problem-solving, visualization, and improving, etc. Students will take a project home every 3 weeks.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

FRI. 3:45-4:40pm

Ocst: \$15,200 per semester / class





### The Young Inventors 3 Grades: 3-5

Students will combine all of their understanding of mechanical and structural engineering concepts with more advanced electrical engineering concepts as we include microcontrollers (mini computers called MicroBits with circuit boards). Combining these microcontrollers with sensors allows us to build interactive and automated inventions as they react to the environment. In addition, students will design components for their inventions using Computer-Aided Design and 3D printing. Students will take home a project every 4 weeks.

Days: THU. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester

### **CODE WIZARDS**

Establishes computer science thinking with software projects and exciting games.

### Code Wizards 1 Grades: 1-2

In this introductory curriculum to coding, kids will use the best platforms in the world designed to break down complex computer science concepts into age-appropriate learning activities. We use multiple tools for this curriculum including Scratch, a block-coding platform developed by MIT. Together with skilled coding instructors, your child will learn about logic, loops, and conditionals while making games and solving puzzles built around code. This is a great starting point for children with limited digital literacy skills to progress from the iPad to a computer as they learn to log into accounts, type, keyboard shortcuts like copy/paste, save their creations, etc.

Days: TUE. 2:45-3:35pm
 WED. 2:45-3:35pm
 THU. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class



### Code Wizards 2 Grades: 2-4

This curriculum builds on the computer science basics students learn in the Coding Wizards 1 program. We will move on to more advanced coding platforms such as Make-Code, developed by Microsoft, which uses block code and typed code, easily converting back and forth between them to help students transition more smoothly to coding exclusively by typing. Students will code complex games and be challenged to hack them and remix them by editing the code. Each game they create explores the math logic and physics required to make their games simulate the real world.

Days: TUE. 3:45-4:40pm
 THU. 3:45-4:40pm
 FRI. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class

### Code Wizards 3 Grades: 3-5

In this Python programming course, teachers will emphasize and reinforce fundamental computer science skills, challenging students to use their creativity to remix their code to make their games and projects more interesting and complex. As students graduate from block code, they will have taken the first step toward understanding how computer science is driving a technological revolution in the 21st century. This program plants the seeds of AP Computer Science early as we focus 100% on creating projects to boost engagement levels with the subject.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 3:45-4:40pm

THU. 2:45-3:35pm

FRI. 2:45-3:35pm

Ocst: \$15,200 per semester / class



### **MINECRAFT WORLD BUILDING AND MOD CODING**

### Minecraft World Building And MOD Coding 1 Grades: 2-3

Suitable for beginners with limited Minecraft and computer knowledge, students will work with our instructors to transform and manipulate the 3D environment in their favorite game with code. Students will code their 'agent' through puzzles of different themes such as earth, space, and historical civilizations. From generating the resources to creating pristine landscapes to automating in-game mechanics - students will use code to try and restore peace among the villagers. It's the perfect opportunity for students to develop computer literacy and explore the fundamentals of coding with focus and excitement!

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
 WED. 3:45-4:40pm
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class

### Minecraft World Building And MOD Coding 2 Grades: 3-5

This program is more suitable for grades 4+ with computer skills or for grade 3 students who have already completed level 1. The environments in this program are complex and sophisticated. Students will build and preserve their own cities with transportation networks, castles, and protective moats from invaders. They will be introduced to the Python coding language as they expand their toolkit for building worlds. Students are motivated to learn new technical skills since the more they learn, the more opportunities they have to create!

🛗 Days: **MON.** 3:45-4:40pm

**TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class

### **ROBLOX COURSE CREATION AND CODING**

### Roblox Course Creation And Coding 1 Grades: 2-3

Students will use code to create, test, and publish their very own Roblox obstacle courses and games. The level 1 program is suitable for Roblox beginners, but it requires some coding and computer literacy skills such as Coding Wizards 1 or 2. The focus of this program is to get students using the block coding platform inside of Roblox, creating maps and courses using tutorials, and getting used to the Roblox Studio tools. This is the perfect complementary course for kids to complete alongside their regular coding classes.

Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
 WED. 2:45-3:35pm
 THU. 2:45-3:35pm
 FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class

### Roblox Course Creation And Coding 2 Grades: 3-5

In this course, Roblox fans will rapidly create, test, and publish their own games. From their own 'Obbys' to launching a Tycoon game, students will explore the main features of Roblox Studio such as objects, audio files, and lighting systems. Students will take pre-written code from tutorials and restructure it to make it more efficient, remove bugs, and remix the variables to make the games their own.

🛗 Days: MON. 3:45-4:40pm

WED. 3:45-4:40pm THU. 3:45-4:40pm Ocst: \$15,200 per semester / class



### Fashion Tech Grades: 2-4

This course focuses on mixing traditional handcrafting skills of fashion design with interactive digital fabrication tools and electronics. We will make amazing projects that the kids can take away, such as 3D printed jewelry made out of biodegradable materials, a wearable bracelet that they can use to buy things with at 7-11, sticker design and printing, and an augmented reality T-Shirt that displays animations to finish!

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester

### Game Strategy Math Grades: 1-5

Behind every game are multiple strategies, and behind every strategy is logic and mathematical thinking. Our minds recognize patterns, calculate risk, and make decisions using math when playing strategy games but what if we added some numbers and basic formulas to these decisions? Game-playing superpowers are unlocked!

Game Strategy Math extracts and visualizes math and logic for kids as we play games like Catan, Yahtzee, Connect 4, and more. We even use code to create digital versions in Scratch that they can play against - human versus machine! This program is perfect for kids who want to develop more confidence in Math, especially those that aspire to engage in Math competitions like the Olympiad and AMC.

Days: FRI. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: 1-2)
 MON. 2:45-3:35pm (Grades: 3-5)
 Cost: \$15,200 per semester / class



### Multimedia Animation Grades: 1-3

Students will explore the worlds of applied arts and design, as they go on a complete journey from pencils to pixels as they make clay animations. Students will focus on 6 skills-based disciplines: Sketching, Technical drawing, Research, Sculpting, Design, Film, and Animation.

Everything we learn in the program will lead up to one big project: an animated stop-motion adventure with clay models and incredible digital effects that include an Augmented Reality bonus feature!

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$15,200 per semester



### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Exposing children to the magic of cooking is great for creating healthy eating habits while improving self-confidence and self-esteem. Cooking requires hands-on use of math concepts, planning, thinking and time management. Students will not only learn to be creative, responsible and involved, but also have a lot of fun at the same time!

Ingredients, such as eggs, dairy products (milk, cheese and butter) will be used in the recipes. Please take the ingredients into consideration when signing up for this class.

Please bring your own container to take home the finished cooking projects.

### Kids' Kitchen Grades: 1

COOKING IS SO MUCH FUN! This class is a creative introduction to cooking for our budding little chefs! Children will learn the basic techniques of food preparation through enjoyable culinary experiments, fun recipes and edible activities. Some of these fun concoctions will not even require a heat source! Let's see what's cooking!

Days: WED. 2:45-3:35pm
 Cost: \$7,500 per semester

### Kiddie Cooking Grades: 2-5

Our little chefs will have a great time baking and cooking up delicious meals and desserts in this cooking class. They will learn how to read and follow recipes, and understand cooking measurements and unit conversion. This class is a complete hands-on experience with each student preparing the day's recipe individually or in a group. Simple delicious recipes will ensure success for our junior chefs. Class cost includes ingredients, equipment and plenty of take-home goodies.

Days: MON. 3:45-4:55pm
 TUE. 3:45-4:55pm
 Cost: \$8,500 per semester / class



# SCOUTING

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

There is a full range of scouting programs for all boys and girls from Grade K to 12. Uniforms and supplies are available for all scouting needs. Volunteers are needed at all levels of participation to make the programs successful.

If scouting is the only activity your child participates in with TYPA, you are required to pay a registration fee of \$1,600 which will cover both semesters.

Please call TYPA at 2873–1815 or e-mail TYPA office (info@typa.org.tw) for more information.

### Boy Scouts of America Grades: 6-12

Scouting programs have instilled in youth the values found in the Scout Oath and Scout Law for more than 100 years. Today, these values are just as relevant in helping youth to grow their full potential as they were in 1910. Scouting helps youth develop self-confidence, ethics, leadership skills, and citizenship skills that influence their adult lives.

BSA offers a full range of scouting activities where students can advance from the Scout rank up to Eagle (the highest honor of BSA). Our outdoor program is strong with regular campouts, hiking trips and high adventure activities. A mandatory orientation and parent meeting will be held on Tuesday,

### August 27, 2024 at 7pm.

• How to Join: Please email

troop91inquiry@gmail.com for more details.

- When: Troop meetings are held every Tuesday 6:30pm to 8pm
- Where: TAS Harmony Theater or Multi-Purpose Room

### USA Girl Scouts Grades: K-12

Girl Scouts of the USA (GSUSA) is the world's largest leadership organization for girls. This institution is dedicated to building girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.

USA Girl Scouts Overseas (USAGSO) focuses on developing members devoted to helping their local and global communities, and we explore leadership, STEM, outdoor skills, and much more. This is a volunteer-led Council, so parents are asked to lead troops and be involved in committee activities. Adult volunteers receive training, so experience is not required. If you are looking for long-lasting friendships, a sense of purpose, and empowerment for your daughter, Girl Scouts is the place for her!

- How to Join: Registration will be open from May to mid-August. Send an email to <u>taipeigirlscouts@usagso.org</u> to request a link for the online registration. Please also visit our Instagram account @girlscoutstaipei, where we share all the awesome activities we do.
- When: An orientation and organizational parent meeting for all levels of Girl Scouts will be held on Saturday August 24, 2024, at 10:30am.

LEVEL	GRADES
Daisies	Grades: K-1
Brownies	Grades: 2-3
Juniors	Grades: 4-5
Cadettes	Grades: 6-8
Seniors	Grades: 9-10
Ambassadors	Grades: 11-12

**Where:** TAS Multi-Purpose Room



### Cub Scouts (Tiger Cubs-Webelos) Grades: 1-5

Cub Scouting focuses on building character, improving physical fitness, teaching practical skills and developing a spirit of community service. Parents enrolling their sons in Cub Scouts serve as adult den leaders and/or serve on the pack committee to help plan and manage activities. No experience is necessary to hold these positions; training will be provided. In addition to weekly den meetings, there will be exciting monthly pack activities, including Pinewood Derby, Rain Gutter Regatta, camp outs, service projects and much more. While dens can choose their own meeting times, most den and pack activities are on Saturday mornings.

- **1** How to Join: Please email TYPA office: <u>info@typa.org.tw</u> to get more information.
- When: A mandatory online orientation and organizational parent meeting will be held on Monday, August 12, 2024 at 7pm.

The link will be provided via email one day prior to the online orientation.

GROUP	AGE/ GRADES
Tiger Cubs	Grade 1 or 6 years old (parent participation required)
Cub Scouts	Grades: 2-3
Webelos	Grades: 4-5



# TIGER TOTS

### ABOUT THE TIGER TOTS PROGRAM

At Tiger Tots, we provide a safe, nurturing learning environment for children from the ages of 18 months to 6 years. Our programs have been designed to follow North American standards, and we provide age-appropriate educational goals, values, and philosophies that are implemented within a challenging and exciting learning environment. Play sets the stage for learning and provides the medium through which the children may imitate, explore, test ideas, acquire information, and draw conclusions. Our experienced, caring personnel emphasize and foster a positive self-image while encouraging uniqueness within socialization. The unique interests of each child are used as a guide for inquiries and exploration within the classroom. Tiger Tots also offers weekly gymnastics, music, and Kidzsports classes (4s and 5s), provided by

specialized TYPA instructors. In addition, Mandarin classes are available for those students who want to acquire a new language or improve their first language.

### **COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS**

All of our teachers are qualified educators. They work as a team to develop and implement meaningful and engaging programs for children, based on emergent curriculum planning techniques. Our teachers and teaching assistants are dedicated to participation in ongoing professional development and are also committed to, and encourage, active parent involvement and communication. Together, our love for children and the quality of education we offer creates a wonderful community of learners.

### REGISTRATION

Prospective families should fill out an application and a survey form, which can be downloaded from the TYPA website or picked up at the front desk at either campus. Upon completion of the forms, new families may be contacted for a required visitation before registration.

A non-refundable registration fee of \$15,000 per semester is required for each child upon his/her acceptance into the program.

Tuition for Fall semester must be paid in full by May 31. Tuition for Spring semester must be paid in full upon registration in November. No refunds or credits will be given (toward TYPA or Tiger Tots programs) after tuition due dates, unless families are leaving Taiwan. If tuition is not paid by the due date, it will be assumed the child will not attend. If parents choose to take a vacation during scheduled school days, tuition will not be refunded or credited for the child's time away from preschool.

All Tiger Tots class fees cover one full semester. Classes are offered once a minimum number of participants has been reached.

### WITHDRAWAL POLICY

A minimum of two weeks written notice is required for withdrawal from all Tiger Tots programs. Please inquire at the TYPA office for a withdrawal form or download one from the TYPA website. Families who must leave Tiger Tots because of relocation to another country may receive a prorated tuition refund. If the family relocates, a refund will only be issued if the withdrawal is before **October 19, 2024** for the fall semester or before **March 15, 2025** for the spring semester. The registration fee is non-refundable.

### **FORCE MAJEURE**

Please be aware that TYPA / Tiger Tots may be ordered to temporarily or permanently close or alter its operations, or may decide to, as a result of a Force Majeure event.

Force Majeure, is any event beyond the reasonable control of TYPA / Tiger Tots including but not limited to natural disaster, accident, war, civil unrest, outbreak of disease, and compliance with law or government order. TYPA / Tiger Tots shall make reasonable efforts to provide recreational / educational services and activities during the Force Majeure event, but TYPA / Tiger Tots has no liability arising therefrom. TYPA / Tiger Tots will have no obligation to pay tuition, fees or issue credits in the event of any Force Majeure event.

### LUNCH

A hot lunch is available for full-day children. Tiger Tots Place provides fresh fruit and orders lunches from local vendors who have demonstrated hygienic food preparation and provide healthy lunch choices. We order lunches from Taipei American School food services for PreK and K children. Lunch orders are placed in advance per semester. Parents can choose to send in a home lunch or a mixture of both choices for their child as well.

### **DROP OFF & PICK UP**

At both campuses, children may **be dropped off between 8:30 am and 9:00 am.** If you are driving, please be sure to allow our staff to safely transport your child from the car into school. We respectfully ask that children arrive at school on time and are picked up promptly at the end of class time.

For additional policy information, please refer to the electronic Tiger Tots Parent Handbook on the TYPA website.

IMPORTANT DATES		
SEMESTER	EVENT	
	APR. 8-9: Continuing Student Re-registration	
FALL 2024	APR. 24-25: New Student Registration	
	AUG. 19 - DEC. 20: Fall Semester Term	
	NOV. 1: Login to "My TYPA" online for Spring Bill	
SPRING	NOV. 11: Continuing Student Spring Payment Due	
2025	NOV. 26: New Student Registration	
	JAN. 8 - MAY 29: Spring Semester Term	

Parent-Teacher Orientation will take place during the week of **August 12, 2024.** Children will accompany parents to visitations as scheduled by the teacher.

### **PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS**



5s (Five-Year-Old) Kindergarten Program

### For children who are five before Sept. 1, 2024

Our Kindergarten program helps to prepare learners for success throughout their academic life. We develop a balance of child-initiated learning and teacher-directed opportunities by closely following North American benchmarks and learning standards. Our curriculum covers a wide range of academic areas including phonics, writing workshops, guided reading, math, science, social studies, the arts (visual and musical), fitness and movement, and social and emotional development.

We aim to promote well-being, self-help, collaboration, and independence. We value each child as a unique individual and encourage their curiosity through themes that have emerged from their own interests. Children face new challenges, make new discoveries, and happily celebrate their own efforts and achievements and those of others while in a safe, loving, learning environment.

FEES			
DAYS	TIMES	TUITION	
M - F	9:00 am - 2:30 pm	\$147,280	



### 4s (Four-Year-Old) Pre-Kindergarten Program

### For children who are four before Sept. 1, 2024

The PreK Program is an age-appropriate instructional program that prepares students for a successful transition to kindergarten and beyond. It helps children advance their skills in core pre-academic areas such as phonics, math and science, while at the same time helping them excel in other essential areas such as art, social and emotional well-being, and health and wellness. Our child-centered approach ensures that children are exposed to a diverse array of learning activities, and that they thrive in all areas of childhood development, creative thinking, complex problem solving, empathetic collaboration, curious investigation and astute decision making.

We engage in and encourage each child's natural curiosity and interest in learning. Our goal is to have children actively participate in the learning process and provide them with the opportunity to complete assigned tasks with a level of independence. This allows for both direct and indirect acquisition of knowledge and skills.

FEES			
DAYS	TIMES	TUITION	
M - F	9:00 am - 2:30 pm	\$147,280	

In the bustling halls of Tiger Tots Preschool, love and joy weave their way into every corner. As parents, we are charmed by the remarkable experiences our son Marcus has had in this nurturing environment. From his first day, we were captivated by the school's unwavering commitment to fostering his growth.

The caring teachers, vibrant classrooms, and engaging activities ignited a spark in our little one. We will be forever grateful for the love, care, and warmth that Tiger Tots has showered upon all the children, shaping their early years, and offering them boundless possibilities.

- Angela Lee





### 3s (Three-Year-Old) Playgroup Program

### For children who are three before Sept. 1, 2024

The Three-Year-Old Program is designed to encourage a balance of child-initiated and teacher-facilitated activities. This program offers children a variety of choices provided within a carefully prepared indoor and outdoor environment. This includes art, dramatic play, blocks, manipulatives, language arts, books, music, water and sand play, as well as activities to build large and small motor skills. Our goals include the encouragement of each child's natural curiosity and interest in learning. We feel it is important for children to actively participate in the learning process, and therefore provide many opportunities for learning by doing, for both indirect and direct acquisition of new knowledge and skills. The full-day program allows children with more opportunities to explore science, math, cooking, and movement. The program allows an easy adjustment for the child needing to remain with his/her teacher until the end of the school day as well as a short nap time. Our three-year-old classrooms are located at **Tiger Tots Place.** 

Emphasis in these groups is on learning through play in an environment planned to encourage discovery, independence, and social interaction. In order to develop self–esteem and social competence, children are encouraged to help themselves, take initiative, and become increasingly independent.

FEES			
DAYS	TIMES	TUITION	
M - F	9:00 am - 2:30 pm	\$147,280	

The TYPA community creates a welcoming, emotionally supportive learning environment; everyone wins.

At Tiger Tots, my little children developed a sense of belonging that helped them learn important social and emotional skills as well as achieving academic success.

-Alice Chen

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### For children who are two before Sept. 1, 2024

Two-Year-Old Playgroups meet two, three or five days each week, depending on the schedule you choose at registration. There is also the option of the full-day two-year-old program, which includes nap time, free choice time, and story time. The full-day program allows an easy adjustment for the child needing to remain with his/her teacher and in his/her classroom until the end of the school day. Our two-year-old classrooms are located at **Tiger Tots Place.** 

The Two-Year-Old Program encourages the growth of independence, social awareness, sensory exploration, the development of physical skills, and language development. Children play in planned indoor and outdoor environments designed to provide a variety of materials to explore.

For two-year-olds, it can take some time for the child to be totally comfortable in a group environment, to seek out teachers for support, and to develop increased peer social skills.

CHOICES & FEES			
DAYS	TIMES	TUITION	
M - F	8:45 am - 2:30 pm	\$147,280	
M - F	8:45 - 11:45 am	\$87,380	
M/W/F	8:45 - 11:45 am	\$52,430	
T/TH	8:45 - 11:45 am	\$34,950	



Pre-2s (Pre-Two-Year-Old)



### For children who are 18 months before Sept. 1, 2024

Tiggers Pre-2s Playgroup meets either two, three or five days each week, depending on the schedule you choose at registration. The classroom is located at **Tiger Tots Place.** 

This playgroup program is comprised of informal sessions during which children come together to socialize and have fun in an air-conditioned, clean, relaxed and friendly environment. The experience will help your child gain an understanding of what school is about, and foster a positive attitude towards it, through stories, songs, drama, music and play.

By providing stimulating and age-appropriate equipment, activities and materials, your child will become more independent, be encouraged to make appropriate choices, solve problems, and make discoveries through moving and doing. Our little Tiggers will learn about themselves and how to relate to others. It can take some time for young toddlers to feel secure and comfortable in a group environment, to seek out familiar adults for support, and to develop increased social skills.

CHOICES & FEES			
DAYS	TIMES	TUITION	
M - F	8:45 - 11:45 am	\$87,380	
M/W/F	8:45 - 11:45 am	\$52,430	
T/ TH	8:45 - 11:45 am	\$34,950	





# ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

While our preschool programs offer child-centered learning, our enrichment programs are specialty classes that focus on a particular skill or topic.

### PICK-UP SERVICE

Children who are enrolled in Tiger Tots PreK and K classes and signed up for the 2:45pm enrichment programs and/or TYPA activities will be picked up from their class and escorted to their next destination.

### Tiger Tots provides Enrichment Classes for two different age groups.

**Tiger Tots Place:** No. 26-1, Tian Yu Street, Shilin District, Taipei 11156, Taiwan Classes for 0.5 to 3-year-olds are held at Tiger Tots Place

**TYPA Campus:** No. 800, Section 6, Zhongshan North Road, Shilin District, Taipei 11152, Taiwan Classes for 4 to 5-year-olds are held at the TAS campus

### **ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS - Tiger Tots Place (Age: 0.5-3 Years)**

### Wiggles & Words Ages: 2

This afternoon class combines the best of Story Time! Fun Time! with Music and Movement for two-year-old children. Popular children's stories will inspire art activities, games, and cooking projects. Your child will also be introduced to a wide variety of music in this class. Students will be encouraged to experiment with, explore, listen to, connect, and create. Students will be given a short quiet time during the afternoon to improve their alertness.

CHOICES & FEES			
DAYS	TIMES	TUITION	
M - F	12:30 - 2:30 pm	\$59,900	
M/W/F	12:30 - 2:30 pm	\$35,940	
T/TH	12:30 - 2:30 pm	\$23,960	

Location: Tiger Tots Place



Fun with Phonics for Threes Ages: 3

This class is designed for three-year-olds to introduce the concepts of phonics. This class is held twice a week. Our teachers provide phonics instruction through activities, songs and stories to help children understand that printed letters represent sounds. Activities will also be introduced to improve the child's phonemic awareness and the sounds of spoken English.

**Days: MON. & WED.** 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$12,400 per semester

♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Little Artists Ages: 2-3

Little Artists is a fun-filled, theme-based art class designed to teach our youngest artists to color, stick, glue and invent. Our little pupils will not only have the opportunity to sow their seeds of creativity and expression, but also to develop a love for colors, engage in 2D and 3D activities, paint to music and achieve a sense of accomplishment. What a fun way to enhance development of fine motor skills!

🛗 Days: WED. & FRI. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$12,400 per semester

• Location: Tiger Tots Place



### Inspired Artists Ages: 2-3

You are never too young to appreciate art! In this class, our younger children will love making famous artists' art projects! The arts and crafts in this class will involve lots of different art processes that are suitable for preschoolers. Exploring famous artists is lots of fun and a great opportunity to expose even the youngest children to new art methods and techniques. Teaching kids about art history will inspire some exciting artist-inspired art projects.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester

♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Story Time! Fun Time! Ages: 2-3

Children enter a magical world of story fun in this class. World famous stories will inspire the selected activities. Children will also have opportunities to participate in activities related to the stories, including art, singing and more.

🛗 Days: **WED.** 2:45-3:35pm

FRI. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester / class

♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Music & Movement Ages: 2-3

This 2-3-year-old music and movement class will expose children to many styles of music. Children benefit from a wide variety of music and will gently be encouraged to experiment with, explore, listen to, connect, experience, and create music.

- Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm
  THU. 2:45-3:35pm
- Ocst: \$6,200 per semester / class
- ♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Number Magic Ages: 2-3

We realize the importance of developing positive attitudes towards mathematics at a young age. This fun class will encourage development and improvement of numeracy skills through active participation, positive motivation, the introduction of engaging concrete materials, and the incorporation of games, songs and rhymes. We use a handson approach to numbers to get our children off to a good start!

🛗 Days: **MON.** 2:45-3:35pm

THU. 2:45-3:35pm

- 🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester / class
- ♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place



### Kiddie Games & Sports Ages: 2-3

Learning new physical skills is a great adventure and one that fills children with immense pride. The Kiddie Games and Sports program will give children many opportunities to practice and develop new physical skills. This program will involve cooperative games that emphasize teamwork, good sportsmanship, following rules and taking turns while improving their strength and flexibility.

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

FRI. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester / class

♥ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Little Chefs Ages: 2-3

There will be plenty of opportunities for our little chefs to assemble ingredients and cook up a storm in this class! These hands–on experiences will allow children to measure, mix, assemble, cook and bake a variety of simple yet tasty treats. The cost of the class includes ingredients, equipment, and lots of delicious dishes to sample.

🛗 Days: MON. 2:45-3:35pm

WED. 2:45-3:35pm

**FRI.** 3:45-4:40pm

Ocst: \$7,400 per semester / class

♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### TAIPEI YOUTH PROGRAM ASSOCIATION



### Hands-On Science Ages: 3

This after school program is offered two days each week for three year olds. Over the course of the semester, children will use the rudiments of scientific methods; predicting, experimenting and recording for each of the topics presented. We hope to encourage their natural curiosity for inquiry and discovery.

Days: **TUE. & THU.** 2:45-3:35pm

- Ocst: \$12,400 per semester
- ♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Fun with Mandarin Ages: 2-3

This class is designed for children who want to acquire a new language or improve their first language. Children will be immersed in a fun and magical world of Mandarin through stories, songs, games, crafts and so much more. Each class will focus on a theme, giving our little ones' new vocabulary to share with their families each week. Let the learning begin. Jiayou!

🛗 Days: **TUE.** 2:45-3:35pm

THU. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester / class

♀ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Kindermusik (Sing & Play) Ages: 7-18 Months

Sing & Play is an energetic and joyful program for developing very young children's growth in music, movements and language skills. A mix of parent-child joint activities and child-centered activities provide parents a unique opportunity to participate in all the music and movement fun. These activities also allow parents to stand back, observe, and revel in how their young toddlers are beginning to walk, talk, sing, play, clap, tap and dance. Parents and caregivers will also get tips and ideas by using the included **online Kindermusik Home Material\*** to take the learning and fun home.

🛗 Days: WED. 10:10-11:00am

🖸 Cost: \$8,600 per semester

♥ Location: Tiger Tots Place

### Kindermusik (Wiggle & Grow) Ages: 18-36 Months

Wiggle & Grow will uncover an engaging musical world while building your toddler's confidence, self-control, and early language skills. This music-filled class features a mix of activities for parents and children that include singing, dancing, exploring and playing instruments. Children will practice their active listening, turn-taking and social skills, as well as develop their gross and fine motor skills. Parents and caregivers will also get tips and ideas by using the included **online Kindermusik Home Material\*** to take the learning and fun home.

🛗 Days: **WED.** 11:15am-12:05pm

🖸 Cost: \$8,600 per semester

♥ Location: Tiger Tots Place

\* All classes are taught by a certified Kindermusik teacher.

<sup>\*</sup> Kindermusik online Home Material: After registration of class, parents will have the access to Kindermusik () Home where families can engage their children in age-appropriate digital learning, such as virtual field trips and active listening games, reading E-book, and download all the music from class.

### **ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS - TYPA Campus (Age: 4-5 Years)**

### Fun with Phonics for Fours Ages: 4

This class is designed for four-year-olds and runs twice a week. The teacher will provide phonics instruction through activities, songs and stories. Children will have multiple opportunities for letter recognition and formation. They will practice critical skills such as rhyme and syllable awareness. Phonemic awareness strategies will also be introduced to help children practice target sounds.

- 🛗 Days: **TUE. & THU.** 2:45-3:35pm
- 🖸 Cost: \$12,400 per semester
- ♀ Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)

### Kinder Music for Fours Ages: 4

This class will engage your child in music and movement activities that promote language, social and emotional skills, early math and literacy, physical coordination, and creativity. Your child will learn about basic music vocabulary, rhythm, notation, instrumentation and much more - all setting the stage for future school success and formal music lessons.

- 🛗 Days: **MON. FRI.** 1:40-2:25pm
- 🖸 Cost: \$29,500 per semester
- ♀ Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)





### Little Explorers Ages: 4-5

Students will learn new and exciting things by looking at the world through the curious eyes of an explorer. This class will combine a variety of methods, exercises, and activities allowing students to embark on their own discoveries. Every week they'll go on a journey around the world as they learn about things that will spark their sense of adventure and curiosity. They'll learn about the pyramids in Egypt, the highest mountain in the world, traveling to the moon, what it's like to hunt for treasure, different cultures around the world, and much more!

🛗 Days: **FRI.** 2:45-3:35pm

- 🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester
- Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)



### Hands-On Science Ages: 4-5

This after school program is offered two days each week for four and five year olds. Over the course of the semester, children will use the rudiments of scientific methods; predicting, experimenting and recording for each of the topics presented. We hope to encourage their natural curiosity for inquiry and discovery.

🛗 Days: MON. & WED. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$12,400 per semester

♀ Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)



### STEAM Ages: 4-5

Give your child the opportunity to be an innovative leader of our future generation. In this class, we will encourage your child to be curious, to wonder, think, play, question, and connect with the world around them.

This exciting new class is an all-encompassing program that provides teacher-developed activities that help children practice and learn skills in key subject areas. Children will have fun while making things to solve a challenge. The content will appeal to their natural curiosity; they will touch, test, and understand how and why things work. The lessons will include science and math concepts, stories, activities, experimenting, and project making.

🛗 Days: TUE. & THU. 2:45-3:35pm

Ocst: \$12,400 per semester

♀ Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)



### Little Chefs Ages: 4-5

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Days: FRI. 3:45-4:40pm
 Cost: \$7,400 per semester

• Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)



### Fun with Bo-Po-Mo-Fo & Mandarin Ages: 4-5

This class is designed for either children who have just begun studying Mandarin or for those who have previously been studying part-time. Children will be introduced to beginning spoken Mandarin through games, songs, stories and play. Students will also be introduced to Bo-Po-Mo-Fo (the phonetic characters used in Taiwan to represent the basic sounds of Mandarin).

🛗 Days: MON. & WED. 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$12,400 per semester

Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)

### Chinese Pinyin for Kids Ages: 4-5

This class is for learners who are starting with no Chinese language background to very little. In Mandarin Chinese, the phrase "pinyin" literally means "spell sound." Our instructor will teach our students Chinese, using sounds and spelling from the English alphabet. Our students will learn the 4 Chinese tones+ neutral tone, all Chinese phonetics, simple phrases, simple conversations and more. After building a solid foundation at this stage, our students can keep moving forward with their Chinese learning!

🛗 Days: FRI. 2:45-3:35pm

Ocst: \$6,200 per semester

Section: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)







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🛗 Days: **FRI.** 2:45-3:35pm

🖸 Cost: \$6,200 per semester

Section: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)

### Fantastic Story Fun thru Dramatic Play Ages: 4-5

This class offers students the opportunity to learn through dramatic self-expression and enriching stories. Children will be guided through different themes including the classics, award-winning stories, famous authors, and more! Each story will be extended and interpreted through retelling, unique dramatization activities, and creative voice experimentation-all leading to exciting performances.

- 🛗 Days: **THU.** 2:45-3:35pm
- Ocst: \$6,200 per semester
- Location: TYPA Campus (located inside TAS)



# **SUMMER CAMPS**

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

TYPA activities don't end when school is out – we have a bunch of fun-filled summer activities for every member of our TYPA family. From our two-year-old children to our middle schoolers, we have something for everyone!

For our little ones (Ages 2-5), we have our super popular Tiger Tots Pre-School Camp. Our Day Camp, "A Taste of TYPA" (Grades 1-7) combines everything that is awesome about TYPA into one hot summer camp! To keep up with current technological advancements, we offer a Tech Camp that covers a diverse range of coding and programming for Grades 1-6. For sports enthusiasts we have a summer-long Tennis program (private, semi-private; Grades 1-12), and we will end our summer with a week-long Basketball Camp (Grades 3-8). Please check out the detailed information in the pages that follow!

### WITHDRAWALS

Withdrawals or schedule changes will only take effect if you submit the withdrawal form to the office at least 7 days prior to the week your child will be involved in. If withdrawing, a \$1000 processing fee will be charged for each week withdrawn, and the remainder will be refunded or credited.

For summer tennis, no refunds or credits will be given after MAY 31, 2024.

### 2024 SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION



10:00AM "Get a Q-up number from MY TYPA online" for Tiger Tots & TAS Families

🛗 MAR. 12-13

Attend TYPA office according to **the date / time** stated on your registration number to sign up for summer activities.



### 10:00AM "Get a Q-up number from MY TYPA online" for All other members

### 🛗 MAR. 15

Attend TYPA office according to **the date / time** stated on your registration number to sign up for summer activities.

\* The "Q-up Number" will be available online from 10 am - 1 pm on the dates indicated above.

### Day Camp "A Taste of TYPA" Grades: 1-7 (in Fall 2024)

### JUNE 11 - JULY 26

Have you tried to get into a popular TYPA program but missed the last spot? Have you always wanted to learn something new but never got the chance? Summer at TYPA is the perfect opportunity for you! "A Taste of TYPA" is seven weeks of our best programs all combined into one HOT summer! And we've got an exciting line-up of counselors to lead the camp. Tapping into our fabulous supply of expert instructors, we bring you a weekly dose of awesome activities! All our activities take place on the Taipei American School campus.

Every week we will have something new and exciting. You'll be able to try your hand at any number of activities such as Robotics, Hip Hop, Sports, Arts & Crafts, Martial Arts, Drama and much, much more!



Sign up for the whole summer or individual weeks as you like. Don't delay, we're going to have one SIZZLING SUMMER!

Days: MON. - FRI. 9:00am-4:00pm
 Cost: \$15,000 / per week
 (A delicious lunch is provided)





### Tiger Tots Pre-school Camp Ages: 2-5 (in Fall 2024)

### JUN. 11 - JUL. 12

Our fun-filled Tiger Tots Preschool will provide your child with opportunities to explore, discover and learn.

Enjoy weekly themes, science experiments, cooking, arts and crafts, games, and water play. Wacky dress-up days, fun with ABCs and 123s will be a part of this fun curriculum. Field trips are organized for our 4's and 5's.

Lunch info: A hot lunch is included for full-day children.

Cost: \$7,500 (half day) / per week \$15,000 (full day) / per week

PRE-SCHOOL CAMP HOURS		
DAYS	TIMES	AGES
M - F	9:00am-12:00pm	2's-3's
M - F	9:00am-3:30pm	2's-5's

DATES	THEMES
JUN. 11-14	Inventor's Magic Workshop
JUN. 17-21	Splash in the Ocean
JUN. 24-28	Amazing Artists
JUL. 1-5	A Cosmic Adventure
JUL. 8-12	Dinosaur Stomp

### Basketball Camp Grades: 3-8 (in Fall 2024)

### JUL. 29 - AUG. 2

If you are looking to raise your game to the next level, then our TYPA basketball camp is the place to be! Our week-long camp is designed to expose players to intense individual training, as well as team concepts of offense and defense. Our expert coaches range from former college and professional players to our very own high school heroes!

We use a variety of competitive, fun drills and workouts that are designed to inspire and teach participants to be smart, fundamentally sound, and complete basketball players. Not only will campers develop throughout the week, but they will also be taught drills and training techniques that they can use throughout their basketball careers.

Some of the techniques and principles that will be taught at the camp:

- lndividual skill training
- 🛞 Teamwork
- Structured game play
- Competition
- 🛗 Days: MON. FRI. 9:00am-4:00pm
- Cost: \$15,000 (A delicious lunch is provided)





### Summer Tennis Grades: K-12

### JUN.11 - AUG. 2

Our Summer Tennis programs are perfect for children who either have expressed an interest in tennis or already know the basics and want to become more proficient. We only have limited space available, so please make sure you reserve early to secure your spot!

### Private / Semi-Private Lesson

🛗 Days: MON. - FRI. 9:00am-5:00pm

TENNIS LESSON PRICES		
LESSON	COST/TIME	
Private (1 Person)	\$800 / 30 min	
Semi-Private (2 People)	\$500 / 30 min (per person)	

For summer tennis, no refunds or credits will be given after MAY 31, 2024.



### Summer Tech Camp Grades: 1-6 (in Fall 2024)

### JUN. 11 - JUL. 19

Students will combine engineering skills, scientific inquiry, and design thinking skills to explore the problems that scientists and engineers all around the world are trying to solve!

We will use a range of maker tools, microcontrollers, sensors, mechanical building blocks, and child-friendly coding applications to explore 3 central themes:

**1. Surviving in Space:** we will build inventions that demonstrate how mankind can get to space, explore the terrain, and survive with no infrastructure. Examples include rocketry, growing food in space, and astronaut suit technology.

**2. Ocean & Climate:** we will build prototypes of devices that marine biologists and climatologists use to explore our most precious planetary systems such as the deep oceans,

wild rainforests, and Antarctica. Examples include ice drilling and data collection, wildlife tracking, and deep-sea pressure monitoring devices.

**3. Smart Cities & Health:** We will explore cities of the future with connected roads and environments - and how our habits and health can improve with connected devices. We will use different sensors such as accelerometers, thermometers, and pulse sensors to detect data about ourselves and how this can keep us safe.

Whether you're a grade 1 student writing your first algorithm or a skilled builder that's ready to hack some hardware, our experienced STEM instructors will prepare age-appropriate projects and tools. These Tech Camps are designed to meet your child where they're at with their technology journey and take them on a tech quest to help humanity thrive!

Days: MON. - FRI. 9:00am - 4:00pm
 Cost: \$ 24,000 / per week

### (A delicious lunch is provided)

DATES	GRADES 1-2	GRADES 3-4	GRADES 5-6
WEEK1: JUN. 11-14	Surviving in Space 1	Ocean & Climate 2	Smart Cities & Health 3
WEEK2: JUN. 17-21	Ocean & Climate 1	Smart Cities & Health 2	Surviving in Space 3
WEEK3: JUN. 24-28	Smart Cities & Health 1	Surviving in Space 2	Ocean & Climate 3
WEEK4: JUL. 1-5	Surviving in Space 1	Ocean & Climate 2	Smart Cities & Health 3
WEEK5: JUL. 8-12	Ocean & Climate 1	Smart Cities & Health 2	Surviving in Space 3
WEEK6: JUL. 15-19	Smart Cities & Health 1	Surviving in Space 2	Ocean & Climate 3



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