LINDALE MIDDLE SCHOOL CLUBS & EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES



Extracurricular activities are an important part of Lindale's school program. These activities encourage students to explore other areas of interest in an informal setting. We encourage all students to participate in at least one club or activity.

Most clubs will meet the entire school year. It is important to listen to announcements to find out when and where clubs are meeting. Frequently, intramurals require that students sign up with their PE teachers. Students are encouraged to listen carefully to announcements made in PE and on LTV. Extra-Curricular and Club days are subject to change.

Activity buses are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout the school year. Activities end at 4:00 and buses usually leave around 4:05. Students who stay after any other day MUST make their own transportation arrangements. For safety reasons, we ask parents who pick up their child on activity days to use the student drop-off area located at the traffic light on Andover Road. Do not park in front of the school.

All students who ride an activity bus MUST have a pass from their teacher. Activity buses have different routes than our other buses. It is important that students know their activity bus number when they stay after school. Middle school activity buses will run starting Tuesday, September 24, 2019. The PBIS Melting Pot will take place on Thursday September 26, students must sign up for the melting pot in advisory ahead of time. Clubs will officially start Tuesday October 1.

ACADEMIC CLUBS

CLUB/ORGANIZATION	DAYS/LOCATION	ADVISOR/CONTACT INFO.
AVID After Hours AVID students will be provided access to technology, guidance and supplies to support them in their classes. Students participate in a community service project.	2nd/4th Thursday Room C171 Start Thursday, September 26, 2019	Menefee pmenefee@aacps.org
Computer Club Expose students to computer programming. Over the course of the year the students will write programs to solve a number of problems. The club will have both opportunities for new students and advanced programming for returning students from last year's club. The fact that each week will build on results from the previous weeks means that regular attendance is important for the students to benefit from and enjoy the Club.	Tuesday Overman Lab	Ed Lawhon 410-849-2116 kandelawhon@verizon.net
National Junior Honor Society NJHS promotes the qualities of scholarship, service, character, and citizenship. Students complete community service projects. NJHS is by invitation and has an application process and requires an acceptable GPA to join.	Every other Thursday B125	Kane ekkane@aacps.org

ATHLETICS

CLUB/ORGANIZATION	Days/Location	Advisor/Contact Info.
CRA Club The "CRA" club stands for character, academics, and responsibility and is geared towards 8th graders who want to be a part of the 8th grade basketball team. Besides sports, there is a focus on using basketball to grow in academic performance, character, and leadership.	Tuesday Gym	Stielper sstielper@aacps.org Harris caharris@aacps.org
Intramurals Bowling, Bocce, Softball, Flag Football, Soccer, Basketball, Volleyball. Students will develop skills, a sense of sportsmanship and understanding of the rules and athletic skills involved in individual sports. Sign-ups are weekly.	Tuesday/Thursday 3:00 - 4:00pm (Activities are scheduled by a FII, Winter and Spring session - Approximately 10 weeks each session)	Mr. Wukitch jwukitch@aacps.org Mr. Karr JKARR@AACPS.org Mr. Solloway PSOLLOWAY@AACPS.org Mrs. Gompf cgompf@AACPS.org

CAMPUS

CLUB/ORGANIZATION	Days/Location	Advisor/Contact Info.
Boys Leadership Club The boys club gives invited boys the opportunity to build self-esteem and discuss issues pertinent to middle school boys. This club is by invitation and/or application only.	Every OTher Thursday	Fletcher hfletcher@aacps.org
Campus Life Sponsored by Youth for Christ/USA, a	Tuesday Cafe	Marie Ream marie.reem@mmyfc.org

nonprofit, faith-based organization. Students should expect fun, choices, challenges, growth, and leadership. Weekly meetings create a safe and friendly environment where students play games and have discussion. It is a club that encourages students to "think through important issues and to develop quality relationships with peers and caring adults."	Thursday Cafe	
Chess/Board Games Club Club members will learn and compete in the wonderful game of chess and various other games. All levels from beginners to intermediate to experts are welcome.	Thursday C235	Fletcher hfletcher@aacps.org
Chorus Students will rehearse and perform musical selections in concert settings and for adjudication with correct vocal technique and exhibiting appropriate musicality.	Tuesday - 6th Thursday - 7th/8th E128	Rendina rrendina@aacps.org
Concert Band Student musicians will have the opportunity to perform many styles of band literature in a full ensemble setting. They prepare for performances, festivals and competitions.	Tuesday Mornings 7:00 AM	Dixon bmdixon@aacps.org
Dance Company Students focus on perfecting their dance technique and performance quality in preparation for dance concerts. Students also have the opportunity to perform in the Anne Arundel County Public Schools Dance Festivals. Dance Company members are accepted by audition only.	Thursday Dance Studio - DG27	Michaels jtmichaels@aacps.org
Drama Club The Drama Club aims to provide opportunities to perform and	Tuesday/Thursday Auditorium	Swann lswann@aacps.org

perfect the craft of acting through improvisation, master classes, and 2 full performances (one per semester). Opportunities will also be available for behind-the scenes participation, including set design and construction, make-up design, and costuming.	3:00 - 5:00 PM (We do not depend on the activity buses, participants are required to provide own transportation due to rehearsal time)	
Girls Leadership Club Invitation ONLY! The girls club gives invited girls the opportunity to build self-esteem and discuss issues pertinent to middle school girls. This club is by invitation and/or application only.	Tuesday B 113	Ms. Callanan ccallanan@aacps.org
Maker Space Club Be creative at Maker Space! Students will invent, create, and build ideas as they work together on fun hands on projects involving electronics, crafting, and engineering. Maker Space will meet once a week on Tuesday after school.	Tuesday Media Center	Clouse sclouse@aacps.org
Orchestra Students are provided the opportunity to perform a variety of orchestra literature. They prepare for fall and spring concerts and Festivals in the Parks.	Thursday Mornings 7:00 AM.	Dixon bmdixon@aacps.org
PBIS By invitation only, students will work to develop school incentives to create a positive school culture.	Thursday B208	Turk grturk@aacps.org
Recycle Club We will enjoy fun-filled afternoons sharing in making	Tuesday B221	Wartell bwartell@aacps.org

our school more eco-friendly and being a GREEN school by monitoring the amount of recycling done in each class. We will also conduct class competitions to encourage full school wide participation in keeping our school and environment GREEN!		
Stage Band Student musicians will have the opportunity to perform Jazz music at a variety of venues.	Friday Mornings 7:00 AM	Dixon bmdixon@aacps.org
Student Government Association The SGA provides the student body with a voice in school affairs. SGA is open to the student body.	Every other Tuesdays B227	Noreiga Inoreiga@aacps.org
Wellness, Yoga, & Mindfulness Students will step back from academics, technology, and social pressures, to focus on themselves. Yoga and meditation will serve as one way for students to get in touch with their feelings, while promoting positivity and reducing negativity. Students will also consciously work on building healthy life habits and relationships.	Tuesdays C141	Ingrid Hanson ihanson@aacps.org
Yearbook Students will produce the 2018-2019 Lindale Middle School Yearbook. Students will be responsible for engaging with online yearbook software in addition to attending after school events with the teacher to take photos.	Alternating Thursdays Room C236	Brittany Kirkner bkirkner@aacps.org

SERVICE CLUBS

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Backpack Buddies Students will make community connections for donations of non-perishable food items. The students will be using technology for letter writing, searching for local businesses and community agencies to seek support for the program. Student will meet the local agencies and businesses to understand the full circle of helping others and the involvement that is needed. Students will also be packaging up weekend meals for those in need.	Tuesday C167/Pantry	Spano tspano@aacps.org
Garden Club This year's focus will be getting to know your own backyard and how to create gardens that support the natural environment, local wildlife, as well as adding a bit of color to green spaces. Some topics are pre-planned and other will develop as students express and interest in specific areas of gardening. Topics may include: What lives here - exploration of insect, animal, and plant life in central MD MD eco-systems - gardening and the environmental impact Soil basics - testing/composition, improving the soil, quality of products on the market Native plants - importance to sustaining our local environment Environmentally friendly pest control Garden design for the backyard	Every Other Thursday	Amana Barnes abarnes@aacps.org



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Bio Chem	Thursday B224	Engl mengl@aacps.org
Project LIT Book Club for Grades 6-8 A monthly after school club to talk about books, play trivia, and eat snacks.	2nd Thursday Media Center	Clouse sclouse@aacps.org
Project LIT Book Club for 8th Grade Only A monthly after school club to talk about books, play trivia, and eat snacks.	4th Thursday Media Center	Jarrell jjjarrell@aacps.org
The Lynx Writing Club is open to Lindale Middle School students interested in writing poetry, prose, plays, song lyrics, graphic novels, and other genres. The purpose of the Creative Writing Club is to provide a positive and productive atmosphere for developing student writers to integrate, learn, and grow.	1st and 3rd Thursday Media Center	Jarrell jjjarrell@aacps.org
Girls 10 Club Started as a Chagemaker project and will continue to be run by 8th grade STEM girls. This club provides a safe space for girls to socialize, learn about each other, engage in a positive mindset, and decompress from social pressures. Parents must sign a permission slip for their child to participate. Limit is 30 students.	Every other Tuesday B227	Noreiga Inoreiga@aacps.org
Changemaker	Every other Tuesday	Mauro

8th grade STEM students have time to collaborate and work on their Changemaker projects	STEM Lab Begins November 5	pmauro@aacps.org
Forensics STEM seniors at NCHS have created activities for students to solve a fictional crime by engaging in various tools of forensic analysis each week.	Thursday C215 Starts October 17	Barton hthomas-barton@aacps.org
Raspberry Pi Clubs Students learn how to program Raspberry Pi's using computers. Sign up in STEM Lab. 15 Student Limit	Wednesday Transportation will not be provided. Students must have their own transportation arranged to attend. DG21	Mauro pmauro@aacps.org (Kathy Rigo- Hands on Youth for Electronics)
Robotics Interested in Robotics? This club may be for you! Students will build and program robots in order to accomplish tasks and compete in competitions. Students must see Mr. Hall to apply.	Tuesday/Thursday DG19	Hall rhhall@aacps.org
GSA A club where students of all genders and sexualities can meet to support each other.	1st/3rd Thursday Guidance Classroom	Clouse sclouse@aacps.org Endo sendo@aacps.org
Code Combat Students will learn Coding through the CodeCombat program as well as using Micro:bits.	Tuesday DG21	Schmitz kschmitz@aacps.org

Although competition is one of the main components, Maryland MESA is more than just a competition. It is more than a short introduction to a STEM topic, more than a homework club, more than just a robotics or computer programming challenge. Through participation in MESA, students have the opportunity to develop leadership skills, boost their achievement, and gain greater confidence in their ability to compete professionally.	Every other Tuesday DG28- STEM Lab Begins October 29	Mauro and Barton pmauro@aapcs.org hthomas-barton@aacps.org
Sea Perch SeaPerch is an innovative underwater robotics program that equips teachers and students with the resources they need to build an underwater Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) in an in-school. Open to STEM students initially.	Sign ups will be with Mrs. Orr in late October and the club will begin in November.	Orr norr@aacps.org