



# KIDSONTHEGROW

## G.D. Jones Elementary School Out-of-School Learning Programs **What is Kids on the Grow?**

This Out-of-School Learning program provides opportunities for ***2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade students*** to continue to learn new skills and discover new abilities after the school day has ended. Kids on the Grow is comprised of a variety of enrichment classes for students to choose from. These classes are a fun way for students to continue exploring and learning after the school day has ended.

### **“Kids on the Grow” Session 1**

**November 26, 27, 29, December 3, 4 and 6 from 3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.**

### **Kids On The Grow Daily Schedule** **Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays**

3:30-3:45 p.m.	Check-in and snack in the multi-purpose room (We provide a nutritious snack and milk for every student participating in “Kids On The Grow” programming.)
3:45-4:45 p.m.	Enrichment Classes (see course descriptions)
4:45 p.m.	Students dismissed ( <b><u>walk or pick-up</u></b> )

### **Course Descriptions**

***Decorate for the Holidays!(2<sup>nd</sup> grade) Limited to 10 students***

**Teacher: Ms. Romatowski**

Come enjoy this wonderful opportunity! We will be painting, gluing, and drawing our way to the holidays! All of the decorations that we make will be used to decorate our awesome school!

***Crafts (2<sup>nd</sup> grade) Limited to 15 students***

**Teacher: Ms. Yang**

If you like to cut, paint, glue, then come join us for this amazing crafts class. Have fun making a variety of art projects for the 6 nights of after school activities.

***“Rocking” with Ms. Kim(3<sup>rd</sup> grade) Limited to 10 students***

**Teacher: Ms. Hoffman**

Let’s get together and paint some rocks! Students will get to use their artistic ability to paint rocks. Each rock will be painted with encouraging pictures and messages. The rocks will then be placed around our community for others to enjoy.

***Paper Airplanes: Building, Testing and Improving (3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grades) Limited to 10 students***

**Teacher: Ms. Johnson**

Brand new class this year.... Sign up and be a part of this one! You will learn to build many different kinds of paper airplanes and test them for distance, accuracy, and hang time. Have a little friendly competition with your friends.

***Kindness Club(3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grades) Limited to 10 students***

**Teacher: Mrs. Chong**

Now this is a sweet class to join! As a group we will create kindness posters and promote kindness in our school. Students will also have activities and crafts relating to kindness.

***Knitting(3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>grades) Limited to 12 students***

**Teachers: Mrs. Tomcek and Ms. Krzanowski**

Come learn how to knit! You will learn how to cast on, knit and bind off while working on a small project.

***Digital Painting(4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grades)Limited to 10 students***

**Teacher: Ms. Guyer**

Digital painting! Students will be using their iPad to create a digital painting. We will learn how to use Keynote and techniques to paint digitally.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Valerie Lahr, School Enrichment Coordinator at 261-0961 or [vlahr@wausauschools.org](mailto:vlahr@wausauschools.org)

**G.D. Jones “Kids on the Grow” After-School Activities Policy**

Extra-curricular activities are a privilege, not a right. Students are responsible for their own behavior. The intent of after-school programming is to increase students’ skills and knowledge in an enjoyable way. In most cases, students are very well behaved. However, if your child chooses to be below-the-line, consequences may include one or more of the following:

1. Ms. Franks may be contacted about the concern.
2. Parents may be contacted about the concern.
3. Your child may be suspended from class.
4. Your child may be suspended from the remainder of the current “Kids on the Grow” session.
5. Your child may be suspended from any “Kids on the Grow” activities for the rest of the school year. Rules for after-school programming are the same as they are for school. Respect, Work, Belong. Below-the-line behavior would include (but is not limited to): being disrespectful, not working, & not being where one belongs.

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**Please fill out the information below and return it to your child's classroom teacher by Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

**How will you child get home from Kids On The Grow?**

- Walk
- Will pick up. Others authorized to pick up my child are: \_\_\_\_\_

**Does your child have any physical limitations and/or food allergies?**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact:**

Please list the person you would like us to contact in case of emergency (other than yourself):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Photographic Media Release:**

The Wausau School District strives to recognize student achievement and promote educational opportunities. Occasionally, reporters/photographers from the media or staff from partnering organizations in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century CLC Program are in the schools to photograph or videotape program participants and activities. Be assured the Wausau School District will protect the confidentiality of your child's educational program needs.

\_\_\_I do give permission for my child to be photographed and/or identified.

\_\_\_I do not give permission for my child to be photographed and/or identified.

**Please list the classes your child wishes to attend. Class slots will be filled on a first come, first served basis.**

1<sup>st</sup>Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup>Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

3<sup>rd</sup>Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work/Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this permission slip to your child's classroom teacher by Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>**