

The Imagination Club

with
Mrs. Acker

The Imagination Club will focus on a balance of stories and art. Sessions will have a fun combination of literature and activities. We will explore the world of artists, nature, history, engineering, cultures, and plain old discovery and conversation. Each week will have an optional challenge. Here is a sampling of club meetings:

The World of Pablo Picasso! A study of the Spanish painter, sculptor, printmaker, ceramicist, and theater designer. We will make an abstract face.

Star Wars Today and Yesterday- A look on how Star Wars has influenced movies and literature. Star Wars inspired craft.

The Iconic Eiffel Tower-The story of one of France's most famous attractions. Imagineers will participate in an engineering challenge to create the tallest tower.

A Color of His Own-The Chameleon Color Project! A whimsical look at this amazing creature and how other animals camouflage in the wild. Watercolor and crayon resist art.

The History of Valentine's Day- Imagineers will paint an abstract acrylic heart painting on mini canvas.

The Legend of the Leprechaun- Imagineers will learn about the wee folk and use their critical thinking skills to build Leprechaun traps.

Who were the Knights of the Round Table- The legend of King Arthur and Camelot. Were they real or just a myth? Knight Shield craft.

Is it an Alligator or a Crocodile? -A look at this fascinating and feared reptile. We will look at how they have fared through time both in the wild and in literature.

Other topics..., Fairies, Snowstorms, Ancient Mayans, Spider Facts, History of Play-Doh, Were Dragons Real?

The sessions will start January 14th and 15th in my room. The cost for 14 sessions is \$240 which includes all supplies, insurance, and facility fees to Metro. Parents with two or more children can split the payments over two months. You can also pay the full amount or split the cost over two months; it is up to you. A (refundable) deposit of \$40 will hold your child's spot with the

balance due in January. Payments can be made by checks payable to Susan Acker or VENMO @Susan-Acker-10.

We will meet in my room after class dismissal, and I will bring my **Imagineers** to the front porch at 4:00 pm for pickup or to Tiger Club.

Tuesday Dates for Grades 1-3 3:00-4:00 pm
January 14,21,28 February 4,11,18,25 March 4,18,25 April 1,8, 15, 22

Wednesday Dates for Grades 1-3 3:00-4:00 pm
January 16,23,30 February 6,13,20,27 March 6,20,27 April 3,10,17,24

I will not be providing a snack as we will hit the ground running and there are children with food allergies. You are however welcome to send in a snack. I will periodically have a surprise snack.

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Child's Name: _____

**Parent Name/mobile
Phone#** _____

Dismissal Plan: Car or Tiger Club

Parent Email: _____

Grade/Teacher _____

Tuesday Grades 1-3 or Wednesday Grades 1-3

***I will send a confirmation email to you!**

Email me for any question: susan.acker@mnps.org