



WONDER OF LEARNING

FLEXIBLE CHILD CARE & SCHOOL OF ARTS



music



art



dance



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FALL 2017 PROGRAM GUIDE

PROGRAMS FOR BABIES TO ADULTS

September 2017 - December 2017

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Wonder of Learning Organization also known as 'WOLO' is a licensed flexible drop-in child care learning centre and school of arts brought to you by passionate teachers in Vancouver, BC. Our founding teachers live in the neighbourhood and are inspired to create a positive space for all learners and wonderers.

REGGIO INSPIRED PROGRAMS

We foster a curriculum of learning and creativity through interest based activities, a range of materials and hands on experiences thus reflecting interests of children in the centre.

Our vision is to instil a love of exploring and to inspire children and all learners through the wonder of learning.



GENERAL INFORMATION

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Facebook: wonderoflearning
Instagram: wonderoflearning

HOURS OF OPERATION

OFFICE HOURS
Monday to Friday
10am - 6pm

Saturday & Sunday
9am - 3pm

CHILD CARE CENTRE
Monday to Friday
8am - 6pm

SCHOOL OF ARTS
Monday to Friday
9am - 8pm

Saturday & Sunday
9am - 3pm

CONTENT

Child Care
Therapy
Early Childhood
School Age
Camps
Facilities + Rentals
Adult
School of Arts



HOLIDAYS + CLOSURES

Labour Day | Sep 4
Thanksgiving Day | Oct 9
Remembrance Day | Nov 13
Christmas Day | Dec 25
Boxing Day | Dec 26

SCHOOL OF ARTS

MYC® PIANO PROGRAM

Sunrise 1 | 2.5 - 3.5 years old
\$810 + (\$100.92 + GST)
Tuesday | 245pm - 330pm
Saturday | 900am - 945am

Sunshine 1 | 3.5 - 4.5 years old
\$810 + (\$172.83 + GST)
Tuesday | 330pm - 430pm
Saturday | 945am - 1045am

Sunbeam 1 | 5.5 - 6.5 years old
\$810 + (\$172.83 + GST)
Tuesday | 430pm - 530pm
Saturday | 1045am - 1145am

Moonbeam 1 | 7 - 9 years old
\$810 + (\$173.78 + GST)
Tuesday | 530pm - 630pm
Saturday | 1145am - 1245pm

Parent-participation piano lessons!

Each program is **\$810**. There are 34 group lessons + 2 piano recitals.

Material fees are separate and GST is not included.

Payment instalments available, please inquire.

FREE TRIAL MYC® LESSONS



****FREE TRIAL CLASSES****

September 12, 16, 19, 23, 2017
To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Program Start Dates & End Dates

Tuesday | Sep 26, 2017 - Jun 26, 2017
Saturday | Sep 30, 2017 - Jun 30, 2017



All Music For Young Children ® levels incorporate singing, ear training, movement, keyboard, rhythm ensembles & dictation, and composition into their curriculum. Within all of these elements and all concepts taught using all four learning styles (visual, analytical, tactile and auditory), teachers ensure that each child is able to receive and understand the curriculum to the best of their ability. MYC is the only early-childhood music education method that integrates and utilizes Conservatory repertoire within the method, working towards each MYC graduate completing their first piano exam and theory exam.

For more info or to view calendar, visit: www.wonderoflearning.ca/myc

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HAPPY KEYS PIANO PROGRAM



PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS AGES 2.5 + UP!

The Happy Keys Piano Program consists of dedicated certified music teachers and certified early childhood and elementary teachers with over many years of teaching experience for all ages.

We are committed to nurturing character, respect, and community, instilling a love for learning and growth. We love working with families and we endeavour to create a positive learning environment that enables all to flourish and succeed!

Our piano lessons consist of working on technique, concepts, lesson books, games, composition, ear training and more! The core of our piano lessons focus on perseverance, building character and enjoyment in learning and exploring. The individualized piano program runs for the school year for 12 consecutive months and is a specialized piano program with membership benefits.

To view pricing, policies, and calendar, please visit: www.wonderoflearning.ca/happykeysmusic



Registration is required for trial group lessons. Call 604-829-1346



GROUP PIANO LESSONS AGES 4 + UP!

Young Group Piano Lessons | 4 - 6 years old

Wednesdays | 1000am - 1100am | \$120

Program start dates: Sept 13, Oct 18, Nov 22

Join us for 5 lessons and meet Beethoven Bear and Mozart Mouse in a fun musical adventure. This group lesson includes: singing, listening, movement, rhythm activities, and beginner activities on the keyboard.

Happy Keys Accelerated Group Piano Lessons | 7 - 9 years old

Thursday | 330pm - 415pm or 415pm - 500pm | \$1032

Program start date: Sept 28, 2017 - June 28, 2018

Join us for a year (36 group classes + 2 piano recitals) of accelerated piano learning focusing on learning notes on the piano, notes on the staff, basic rhythm activities, piano technique, composition on the keyboard, learning to play songs, with various challenges and piano games! Registration fee and materials sold separately.



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HOW TO REGISTER

In Person: 1346 Kingsway

Phone: 604 829 1346

Online: <https://www.amilia.com/store/en/wolo>



Amilia is our online booking resource. You can use Amilia to register for our programs by creating an AMILIA account. After the registration, you have multiple payment options including paying for the program in person. Payment Instalments are also available for some programs.

We accept cash, cheque, e-transfer and all types of credit cards.

REFUND POLICY

Full refunds will be issued for any programs canceled by WOLO. Refund requests must be submitted within 24 hours after the completion of the 2nd scheduled class. After that, no other refund requests will be considered without a doctor's note. All refunds will be pro-rated with an administration fee of \$20 applied to each person & program.

Refund policies do not apply to MYC programs, Happy Keys Piano Programs for private and group, and instrumental and voice programs.

THINGS TO KNOW

- N.S.F cheques will be assessed a \$30 fee.
- Registration is needed for most programs.
- Programs and rentals are non-transferable.
- Programs need a minimum number of registrations to run. Programs may be cancelled due to insufficient registrations.



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CHILD CARE



FLEXIBLE CHILD CARE

Our model allows flexibility for parents to choose when to drop-in. Please inquire for packages of less than 20 hours for discounted membership fees.

- ◆ \$50 membership fee per child per month
- ◆ \$75 membership fee per family per month
- ◆ \$15 per hour with maximum 40 hours per month
- ◆ Maximum 8 hours per day (Add-ons for classes available)
- ◆ Book conveniently using AMILIA
- ◆ 10 hour, 20 hour, 40 hour packages
- ◆ Preschool preparation
- ◆ Kindergarten preparation

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CHILD CARE PROGRAMS / ACTIVITIES

Preschool Preparation

2 - 3 years old | 9am - 11am daily

Our pre-school preparation program offers Reggio Emilia inspired learning which includes "provocations" (child led interest based activities), circle time, music and a portfolio (children's artwork, remarks, discussions, and photographs) at the end of the term. Our program instills curiosity and inspires children through hands-on play-based learning. We focus on social responsibility through the use of sustainable resources.

Kindergarten Preparation

3 - 5 years old | 12pm - 2pm daily

At WOLO Flexible Child Care Learning Centre, we offer Reggio-Inspired early learning programs for toddlers and preschoolers (ages 2-5) to prepare them for preschool or kindergarten. During our all day flexible child care, the children at our centre will automatically participate in our child care programs.

Our directors and teachers work together to create a warm, inviting, and positive experience for all students under the umbrella of a love of learning, discovering, creating and exploring.

Our program is taught by experienced early childhood educators and qualified teachers with psychology backgrounds.

WOLO | ADULT

WELLNESS BABY EDUCATION



VAMA Infant Massage Class

Baby Age: 1 week - 12 months

Crawlers, feeders, criers, laughers, gifted babies are all welcome. We are an inclusive class that welcomes all family dynamics. This class is a Parent/Baby led class where parents and guardians can meet others with babies that are the same age and are encouraged to start discussions, share ideas and successes on any topic related to their baby.



FREE TRIAL CLASS

Sep 15th, 2017

To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Friday | 1000am - 1200pm | \$225

Sep 22 - Oct 20

Pregnant to Parent Support Group

Join us for a new co-ed drop-in education and support group for individuals and families who are expecting, and those who have recently welcomed a new baby. Each session focuses on a different topic, features a guest speaker, and provides relevant education and support that is practical during this important time.

Drop-in by donation (suggested donation of \$10-20). Snacks and refreshments provided. Toddlers and older children are welcome but require parent supervision.

Sunday | 1100am - 1230pm

Sep 03, 17

Oct 01, 15

Nov 05, 19

Dec 03, 17



WELLNESS DANCE + FITNESS

Ballet Barre Fitness | 16+ years old

The first of this two part course is an introduction to fitness using a combo of ballet, pilates and yoga exercises focusing on creating long, lean muscles, improving flexibility and feeling the burn!

Monday | 730pm - 830pm | \$126

Sep 18 - Nov 06

No Class on Sept 4 + Oct 9

Monday | 730pm - 830pm | \$90

Nov 20 - Dec 18

Limbering | 16+ years old

A strengthening class focusing on improving flexibility, relieving back, shoulder and neck pain while increasing muscle strength. We will use a variety of yoga, dance stretches and exercises.

Monday | 630pm - 730pm | \$126

Sep 18 - Nov 06

No Class on Oct 9

Monday | 630pm - 730pm | \$90

Nov 10 - Dec 18

No Class on Nov 13

PRO-D DAY CAMPS

Join us for fun PRO-D DAY Camps! WOLO offers full day themed PRO-D DAY camps for school age children ages 6-13. For more information, visit: www.wonderoflearning.ca/camps

Day Camp | 900am - 300pm | \$55 per day.
Before Care | 800am - 900am | \$10 per hour.
After Care | 300pm - 600pm | \$10 per hour.

Friday, September 22, 2017 Friday, December 1, 2017
Friday, October 20, 2017 Monday, January 29, 2018
Friday, November 10, 2017 Monday, February 19, 2018

**PRO-D
Day
Camps**

WINTER CAMPS

More information to come!
For more information, visit:
www.wonderoflearning.ca/camps

FACILITY + RENTAL SPACE



Our Space offers rentals for:
**Birthday Party
&
Special Events**

We welcome space rentals on weekends.
All functions will need to be pre-booked.
Hourly | \$100/hour
Security Deposit | \$300
Cleaning Fee | \$150
Minimum Booking | 3 hours

THERAPY

SPECIAL NEEDS TUTOR

Through these one on one sessions, children are provided support in social-emotional needs as well as academic learning/support.

Please contact us directly to book a consultation by phone at 604.829.1236.

****Please inquire about dance therapy and art and play therapy.**



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PERFORMING ARTS

Ballet | 4-6 years old

An introduction to dance as a creative art form through natural response to music, rhythm, dramatic situation, use of simple props and development of large motor skills. This program includes the introduction of simple dance steps such as skipping, galloping and preparatory ballet movement.



Preschool Ballet | 3 - 5 years old

Set to Classical Music, the children will work on dance techniques as well as exploring their own creative expressions. Children must be able to participate without a parent in the room. There will be a presentation for parents/ family on the last day of classes.

Monday | 1045am - 1130am | \$210
Sep 25 - Dec 18 **No Class on Oct 9**

➡ ****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sep 16th, 2017

To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Saturday | 915am - 1000am | \$150

Sep 23 - Nov 25

No Class on Nov11

Preschool Dance | 2.5 - 4 years old

An intro to dance in a fun, encouraging environment with a focus on ballet and creative movements. Children will learn basic ballet steps, develop rhythm and musicality and work on their flexibility.



Yoga & Mindfulness | 3 - 5 years old

In these classes, we'll explore mindful movements through play, storytelling, games, music, dance, and more. Using traditional yoga poses and breathing exercises, these classes will aim to improve focus, build self confidence and body awareness, and develop physical fitness.

➡ ****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sept 15th, 2017

To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Friday | 100pm - 200pm | \$75

Sep 22 - Oct 27

Nov 03 - Dec 8

➡ ****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sept 16th, 2017

To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Saturday | 1000am - 1045am | \$150

Sep 23 - Nov 25

No Class on Nov11

Parent & Tot | 2.5 - 4 years old

An introduction to creative dance. Tots will use songs, movement explorations and games to explore coordination, rhythm, spatial awareness and cooperation.

Monday | 1000am - 1045am | \$210

Sep 18 - Dec 18

No Class on Oct 9

LEARNING PROGRAMS



Teen Yoga | 13+

These specialized classes are created with teens in mind. Language around a healthy body image and a healthy lifestyle are the fundamentals of this course.

Weekdays | TBA

Beginner's Yoga | 16+

Our classes are designed for all levels, however, this beginner's class will take you back to the basics. You will learn proper alignment, breathing techniques and a small amount of meditation.

Saturdays | TBA

Power Yoga | 16+

In this fiery practice, you'll be guided through a series of poses meant to cultivate your inner fire while remaining grounded.

Thursdays | TBA

Flow Yoga | 16+

This class is exactly how it sounds. Get ready to flow through many different poses, move with your breath, and feel the movement and strength in your body.

Fridays | TBA

Yoga by Donation | All Ages

Classes by donation will be scheduled throughout the season. Please refer to the website, Instagram and Facebook for more updates and announcements.

All year round | TBA

Our Yoga Instructors are passionate teachers in the community who share the same philosophy and values at WOLO in health and wellness.



Mixed Media Art & Sculpture

6 - 8 years old + 9 - 12 years old



Join our fun and inspiring visual arts class where kids mix up materials such as wood, fabric, paper and found objects to shape 2-D and 3-D projects in unconventional ways. Tempera, water colour, pastel, chalk, and other materials will be used.

This is where artistic practice meets studio expertise, and, by positive example, will encourage students to explore their potential through the fine arts.

Drop-in available. \$25

****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sept 21st, 2017

To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Age 6-8 | Thursday | 430pm - 530pm
Sep 21 - Nov 09 | \$160

Age 9-12 | Thursday | 530pm - 630pm
Sep 21 - Nov 09 | \$160

**ArtPlay Program | 6 - 12 years old**

ArtPlay is an enriched art program for children with learning challenges of all sorts. Based on the principals of CONNECT-EXPLORE-EXPRESS the art instructor will interact with the children so they discover all sorts of art supplies and learn how to use them for their creative expression. The lessons are one-on-one until the child is ready to move to a semi-private class or small group, depending on their needs, comfort level and social abilities.

****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sep 19th, 2017

To pre-register, call 604-829-1346

Choose Session: Sep 26 - Oct 17 | \$350

Tuesday | 900am - 1000am

Tuesday | 1000am - 1100am

Tuesday | 1100am - 1200pm

**Reggio Toddler Time | 2 - 3 years old**

"Reggio Toddler Time" offers a Reggio Emilia inspired learning program which includes "provocations" (children's interest-based activities), story time, singing, dancing, music, and a portfolio (children's artwork, remarks, discussions, and photographs) at the end of the term. Our vision is to instil curiosity and to inspire children through hands-on play-based learning. We focus on social responsibility through the use of sustainable resources.

Drop-in \$18

Mondays | 1000am - 1130am | \$150

Sep 18 - Nov 27

No class October 9th

*Please note our Reggio Toddler Time program is taking place at Trout Lake Community Centre
3360 Victoria Drive*



Got ideas?

We are a community based centre and we are always open to hearing new program ideas. If you are interested in hosting a workshop or running a program please contact us with your ideas!

Stage Movement | 9 - 18 years old

Get students moving around and enjoying the body's natural inclination to move when a beat is present. This program is geared towards young musicians that are interested in improving their stage presence. We will explore gestures, facial expressions, mic holding technique, stage awareness, addressing an audience, utilizing nervous energy and all the rock star moves that add flare. Especially useful for added confidence and audition preparation.

****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sep 15th, 2017 To pre-register,
call 604-829-1346

Friday | 715pm - 830pm | \$216
Sep 22 - Dec 08

Musical Connections | 10 - 18 years old

This is a group that promotes musical awareness, appreciation, and ability to identify elements within the music they are hearing. Areas covered includes: recognizing different instruments in a song, appreciation, history and categorization of genre, introduction to some composers, some call back ear training exercises, notation on what is being heard, exploring the components of music, rhythms, dynamics, harmony, tempo, and tools for entry level composition of their own songs. A great way to improve the ear and musical understanding of music's roots, and song writing.

****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sep 15th, 2017
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Friday | 345pm - 445pm | \$216
Sep 22 - Dec 08

Youth Choral Project | 7 - 18 years old

Youth Choral Project is a youth choir, but with a modern twist for song selections, along with traditional. Very basic harmonies, rounds, sing & respond parts, and sight-reading are taught. This program requires interested participants with good ear & pitch, great behaviour, attendance, and a love for singing in a group. The second half of the class is to work on more advanced harmony parts or musical selections. Performance opportunities available.

****FREE TRIAL CLASS****

Sep 15th, 2017 To pre-register, call
604-829-1346

Friday | 600pm - 700pm | \$216
Sep 22 - Dec 08

PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS AGES 5 + UP!

At WOLO School Of Arts, we offered specialized music lessons such as piano, guitar, harp, voice and more! Private lessons and group lessons last from 30 minutes to an hour. Book for a free trial lesson today with one of our teachers!

GUITAR LESSONS**HARP LESSONS****VOICE LESSONS**