

# GAGE Saturday Exploration Program



Gwinnett Alliance for Gifted Education's **Saturday Exploration Program (SEP)** provides a wide variety of challenging and enriching classes on Saturday mornings using 21<sup>st</sup> century learning strategies for gifted and high achieving students.

Each unit of study combines creativity, leadership, inquiry, critical thinking, and technology. Each lesson is designed to encourage students to discover, explore, and grow.

## Gifted and Advanced Content and Highly Motivated Students

NEW Dates	Times	Location	Registration Fee
February 29, March 7, March 14, March 21	8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Henry Partee Elementary School 4350 Campbell Road Snellville, GA 30039 For directions to the school, go to <a href="http://www.partees.org/parteeshome.html">http://www.partees.org/parteeshome.html</a>	GAGE members: \$50 Non-GAGE members: \$75  Register at <a href="http://gwinnettgifted.org">http://gwinnettgifted.org</a>

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Friday, FEBRUARY 21, 2020**

***Hurry! Space is limited!!!!***

***\*Classes are open to the entire Shiloh Cluster on a First Come, First Served Basis!***

***Classes (select one) All Students take one class for 4 Saturdays unless otherwise noted!***

### Primary Grades: 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>

- Adventures in Art Journaling
- Food Science

### Upper Elementary: 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>

- Strategy Games Galore!
- Stop, Drop & Animate
- Through Their Eyes

To register, you have a few options: You may go to GAGE Website <http://gwinnettgifted.org> and complete the registration form online and pay via PayPal or visit the Partee Elementary website to fill out the google form. <https://forms.gle/SDDirmYcCbfZVZrD8> and pay via PayPal at <http://gwinnettgifted.org> or You may pay via Pay pal at <http://gwinnettgifted.org> or check made payable to **GAGE**.



**\*Register and pay online or bring form and check made payable to GAGE to Mona Brawley at Partee Elementary, 4350 Campbell Road, Snellville, GA 30039 by Friday, February 21, 2020.**

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact  
Mona Brawley, Shiloh Cluster SEP Director

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## *Class Descriptions in Alphabetical Order*

### **Adventures in Art Journaling Grades 2<sup>nd</sup>&3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Description:** *Do you love drawing, gel pens and stickers? If so, come join me as we let our creativity flow in our unique journals! All levels of artists are welcome!*

**Instructor:** Denise Wheeler, Gifted Cluster Teacher, Partee Elementary

### **Food Science Grades 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Description:** *Have you ever wondered what makes your favorite foods so tasty? In this class, we will learn how to make a variety of simple, interesting and yummy dishes. This is a science class – but with food! Participants will create food you love to eat in each lesson and learn the science behind it.*

**Instructor:** Claudette Scott, Gifted Cluster Teacher, Partee Elementary

### **Stop, Drop, and Animate Grades 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Description:** *Have you ever wondered how animated films are made? Wonder no more as we walk through the process of creating our very own stop-motion films using everyday household items. Students will go through the movie making process of script writing, filming, and editing and will walk away with a finished digital project to share with family and friends.*

**Instructor:** DeAnna Espinoza, Media Specialist, Partee Elementary

### **Strategy Games Galore! Grades 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Description:** *Do you enjoy thinking, playing, creating and competing? If so, this class is for you! You will learn to play a variety of strategy games and then create games!*

**Instructor:** Sherri Kaiser, Gifted Program Teacher, Partee Elementary

### **Through Their Eyes Grades 4<sup>th</sup>&5<sup>th</sup>, Middle School (6<sup>th</sup>,7<sup>th</sup>& 8<sup>th</sup>)**

**Description:** *Do you want to know how the pros get those spectacular shots? It is not as complicated as you might think once you understand the fundamentals of photography. We will be learning the basics of how to operate a SLDR camera, composition, exposure, and how to manipulate photographs using MS Paint and Adobe Photoshop. I have been working with cameras since I was a teen and I am super excited to share my knowledge with you! It is going to take some time and effort and lots of practice but the reward will be super satisfying. There is a completely new world out there just waiting on you!*

**Instructor:** Lisa Mills, LSTC, Partee Elementary