

The Flagship Program at Washington Middle School

# Winter/Spring Programs 2020

February 11th to May 1st



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#### What is The Flagship Program?

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The Flagship Program is a community-school partnership that enhances the social, academic, cultural and physical achievement of Missoula's youth by creating opportunities that help them to succeed and grow to become healthy and productive adults.

#### **VISION STATEMENT**

The Flagship Program aspires to develop a community of engaged citizens through healthy relationships and transformative experiences.

# FLAGSHIP is FREE for all Washington Middle School families.

As a school based program, Flagship aligns with school day expectations on behavior and safety. As a program we have designed our own policies and procedures to meet these school day expectations. If your child has ongoing inappropriate misbehaviors a reflection and discipline referral form will be given.

# How do I sign up for Flagship? Priority placement is February 3rd.

- 1. Review the activities available in the brochure and determine which activities are of interest to your child and fit well with your schedule.
- 2. Complete the attached sign-up sheet and return to your child's teacher, Kristian Stipe, or the front office.
- 3. Confirmation and permission forms will be sent home with your child to let you know what classes they are registered for. *Your child may not be registered for every class you list.*
- 4. Your child will be expected to attend all the activities that he/she is registered for. Many classes fill up quickly. Please respect there may be waiting lists for classes.
- 5. Mark your calendars and double check dates and times of programs.
- 6. Be sure to fill out this form in its entirety.

Parent pick up is from 5:00 pm to 5:15 pm at the West Gym Entrance on Sussex Ave unless otherwise stated.

#### WAYS TO SUPPORT FLAGSHIP!!

Orange Street Food Farm and Missoula Fresh Market

are committing to Flagship in a serious way. Every time you shop, simply tell your cashier that you'd "like to donate your receipt to The Flagship Program," and 1% of your purchase will go to Flagship! Not an *additional* donation-1% of your actual Thank you for supporting Flagship in this AMAZING communi-

tv fundraiser.

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Thank you to the Dennis and Phyllis Washington Foundation, Providence St. Patrick Hospital, Wells Fargo, and Orange Street Food Farm for their continued support of Flagship.



Flagship is a program of Western Montana Mental Health Center that partners with Missoula County Public Schools.

Please call or e-mail if you have any questions. Contact Kristian Stipe at: 728-2400 x 2671 or wmsflagship@mcpsmt.org



# **Program Details**

### **Monday**

**Homework Zone:** Do you need time to get your homework done or work on a project? Homework Zone is an after school study hall with tutors open to all students. You MUST bring homework to attend! If you don't have homework that day we have a multitude of board games you can play with your classmates. Feel free to sign up for one or multiple days.



Mon & Wed

**Field Games:** Come explore the world one active game at a time.



In this club you will get the opportunity to play a variety of different games that are played in all kinds of different countries. Please dress accordingly, as we will be outside, even when it starts to get cold.

Anime: Do you want to learn more about Japanese culture while being drawn in by an engaging story? Maybe action is more your speed. In the Anime program you will get to experience a sampling of different anime shows and movies and see the different styles. Please bring requests of different anime to watch to the first day.



**Speech and Debate:** Argue with friends over current events, sports, pop culture, and if pineapple belongs on pizza. Whether



you want to become more comfortable with public speaking or start winning arguments with you friends, Speech and Debate has something for everyone. *This* program will include some Thursday field trips for multi-school competitions with other Flagship groups.

#### **Tuesday:**



**D&D:** Dungeons and Dragons is a fun and interactive game where you get to tell and live a story with your friends. Great for RPG veterans and beginners. *Tues* 3:30 - 5:00, *Thurs:* 2:30 - 5:00

**Global Art:** Learn different styles of painting, drawing, and more by using different artists as inspiration. Each week, we'll take a look at a different artist and create art inspired by their style and technique!



**Cookin' and Craftin':** Create fun projects both in and out of the kitchen! Lean some tasty, simple recipes and create some easy, useful craft projects. Hike over to Immanuel with the group.

Magic the Gathering: This club will be taking a walking field trip to Muse Comics every Tuesday & Friday to participate in *Magic the Gathering* games. Come play Magic at Muse with your friends in free play and organized events (prizes included). With high demand, odds of being enrolled in both days are low. All card games are welcome—not just MTG.



Tues & Fri



**Lunch Club:** Come hang out with Kristian during your lunch period once a week. We will play games, make art, and do science together! *Lunch period on Tuesday* 

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Chess Club: Know how to play chess? Want to learn? Join the Flagship Chess Club to have the opportunity to play more chess with new people. This semester we will have a retired chess player teach new tactics and



openings. The program will hold tournaments as well for students to challenge themselves and their peers.



Active 6: Calling all sixth graders! ACTIVE 6 provides FREE youth membership to all Missoula sixth graders. Set up your membership at the Missoula Y to receive your FREE dri-fit tee shirt. Each day, ACTIVE 6 program gets participants active for at least 45 minutes, feeds them a healthy snack, and discusses a variety of topics relating to Youth Development,

Healthy Living, and Social Responsibility.

### **Thursday:**



**Weaving Wonders:** This semester, our crafting program will focus on learning how to weave through a variety of different methods. We will also explore how different cultures explore the activity all over the world.

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GUTS!: Join GUTS! (Girls Using Their Strengths) to discover your



inner strengths and personal values through group games, arts and crafts, and community projects. Each group will engage in activities centered around building self-confidence, developing healthy relationship and communication skills, and having fun in a supportive and kind environment. GUTS! is open to anyone who feels they would benefit from our programming. For six weeks in March and April GUTS! will partner with Freecycles Community Bike Shop to teach the



group basic bike mechanics and practice their biking skills around town!

Water Explorers: In this program you will get the chance to learn more about where your local water comes from and all the things that go into keeping water safe and clean. Take field



trips to different parks and learn the science behind Missoula's rivers. Field trips will start as soon as weather permits it.

### Friday:

**Mad Scientists:** This semester of Mad Scientists we will focus on *changes*! Color, temperature, physical state, and more can all be changed using science. We will explore this more, as we learn how science is everywhere around us.



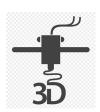
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**3D Creators:** In 3D Creators you will have the chance to learn how to make 3D models and how to get them 3D printed. We will also explore what it takes to use a laser printer, and how to make your own vinyl shirts. All levels of expertise in 3D modeling welcomed, as all basics will be taught to you.



**Program Times:**Mon, Tue, Wed, & Fri:

3:30 to 5:00 pm **Thurs:** 2:30 to 5:00 pm

<u>Program Dates</u>

Feb 11 to May 1st

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Feb 10th, 17th

Feb 10th, 17th Mar 11th-20th

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### **MAY Boot Camps:**

Boot Camps are back this year! At the end of the Flagship session we will be hosting one week intensive programs. One program each week. Attendance over the full five days is not required but requested. Boot Camps start May 4th and go through May 22nd.

Magic of Chemistry (May 4-8): Have you ever wanted to make your own hoverboard? Do you want to learn why someone would boil red cabbage for science? Do you want to find how to change the color of fire? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then Magic of Chemistry is for you!





**D&D Boot Camp (May 11-15):** Come explore the wondrous world of Azmir, a realm of forgotten powers and lost treasures. This boot camp will be DM'ed by Kristian from Flagship, and will be an in-depth, one week long campaign where you get to play D&D with your friends.

#### Cooking Boot Camp (May 18-22):

More and more people today have food allergies, preferences, and ethics on food. In this one-week cooking class we'll enjoy preparing food while exploring these dietary restrictions. How do we make lasagna without meat? How do you make cookies without eggs, milk, and butter? How do we make pizza dough without flour? Do these food substitutes taste better, worse, or simply different to you?

# Registration Form on the next page





Thank you

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## Flagship Registration Form

Space is Limited! Please return by February 3rd for priority registration.

#### Please complete both sides of form

HOMEROOM	Student ID GRADE
PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL(S)	
For transportation home from Flagship, my child will (check all that apply):	Be picked up by a parent/ guardian Bike/Walk Ride Mountain Line Other
	ng in any sports or activities? eld □ Other:
S Be sure to have transportation a	re from <u>5:00 - 5:15</u> unless otherwise tated. arranged by this time. Student pickup at the West Gym entrance.

A confirmation letter stating which programs you are enrolled in will be given to you in your homeroom within one week of registering.

Please be sure to return all permission forms attached with your confirmation letter.

Be Sure to bring appropriate clothing for the activity. Workout clothes, outdoor gear, footwear, etc.

## **Choose your Desired Programs:**

Please Rank your Top Three Choices by selecting 1st, 2nd, and 3rd for **each** day

Mondays: 1st 2nd 3rd
Homework Zone O O O
Anime O O O
Field Games O O
Speech and Debate O O
Tuesdays: 1st 2nd 3rd
D&D
Magic the Gathering O O
Cookin' & Craftin' O O
Global Art O O
Lunch Club Yes $\square$ No $\square$
Wednesdays:
Chess Club
Active 6 O O O
Homework Zone O O
Thursdays: 1st 2nd 3rd
D&D O O
Weaving Wonders O O
GUTS! O O O
Water Explorers O O
Fridays: 1st 2nd 3rd
Mad ScientistsOOOO
Magic the Gathering O O O
3D Creations O O
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Return this section to the Flagship Office or Main Office