

Garden Creek Interest Groups

1. **Broadway Bound Drama Group!**

Come sing and act out a play!

2. **Colourful Clay Creations**

Roll, press, squish, smooth. Learn how to create pictures with modelling clay just like artist, Barbara Reid.

3. **Hockey Days In Canada**

Students will learn in-depth information and history about Canada's national passion

4. **Let's Write and Illustrate a "Big Book"!**

We will come up with an idea and write it together as well as illustrate and share with the school! We can put it in the library!

5. **Be a Scientist!**

Students will have fun learning science by doing experiments.

6. **Let's Learn Sign Language!**

Students will learn the alphabet, common signs for colours, seasons, weather, greetings and work on learning a song to perform in ASL.

7. **Puzzle Mania**

We will work together to solve puzzles by using clues, math skills and logic!

8. **Poetry**

Students will learn about different types of poems and create their own.

9. **How Can you Save the Planet**

Help us learn about the environment, how we can reduce, reuse and recycle and what we can do everyday to make a difference

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10. We need a School Song!

Get involved in the creation of the official Garden Creek School song. Students will compose lyrics and write a melody to a school song. It will be recorded and performed for the school community

11. Chess Champs

Students will learn how to play chess including learning how to set up the board, the type of chess pieces and basic chess strategies. We will practice by playing lots of chess games.

12. Grade 3-5 Baseball Skills and Drills

Students will participate in a variety of baseball drills that will prepare them for the major leagues!

13. Be an Engineer!

Students will design and build a structure of their choice (i.e. draw bridge, windmill, famous landmark, roller coaster etc...)

14. Glee

Want to sing songs in an active way? Come to Glee! Students will have fun learning and actively performing a variety of songs

15. String Art

Students will choose a pattern and create a project with a written description of what it represents.

16. "Wonder" Book Club

Come read and share your thoughts about the book, Wonder. Students will also discuss and work on sharing with our school how to be positive and affirming with each other no matter what our differences through their own "Words to live by!"

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17. Cultures of the Creek

Did you know we have at least 15 different cultures represented in our school? Come and learn about the languages, food, special clothing and traditions of a few of them and then help teach others about them!

18. Lego Robotics - Lego Robotics program

Students will learn and play with LEGO and at the same time learn about motors and mechanics

19. How Can you Save the Planet?

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20. Tinikling Dancing

Students will learn about and dance Tinikling, a traditional Filipino folk dance. The dance involves two people tapping poles on the ground with others dancing over and in between the poles.

21. Yoga

Students will learn how to perform simple yoga moves in a relaxing atmosphere.

22. Board Games

Students will learn to turn taking, social skills, learn to lose and win gracefully and have fun all while playing strategic board games.

23. Mindfulness Learning

Come learn about being "mindful" through brain-focused activities, songs and stories. We will be deep-belly breathing, learning about guided imagery and attentive listening in learning how to be mindful

24. Make Your Own Movie!

Students will storyboard, plan out and tape a movie with a small group.