

2011 Class Schedule



Spring Session II
May 9th- June 18th





IAN Creative Learning Center

As part of our ever growing continuum of services we are happy to announce the opening of the IAN Creative Learning Center.

The Creative Learning Center at IAN is a place for children to Play, Imagine and Learn. It is a place for them to call their own. A place for them to experience new things, learn new skills and most importantly to just be a kid. These ideas are showcased in our variety of classes, events, activities and the space itself. The CLC is specifically designed with children in mind. They get to explore and attend classes in a number of themed rooms with various activities and interactive installations throughout the space. Each activity and installation relates to a specific path of therapy from physical to sensory, speech and socialization.

Children with special needs and autism can fall on such a wide spectrum that the CLC is configurable to make it accessible for all ability levels, from children that may need 1:1 support through minimal prompting. Since the space was designed with all children in mind it is completely open to siblings and typical peers. Having all inclusive classes and activities allows for more socialization, generalization of learned skills and opportunities for social interaction.

Whether it's taking an art class, attending music therapy or just hanging out in our "monkey house", the Creative Learning Center is the perfect complement to our continuum of therapy services offering classes & activities year-round.

**Please join us May 7th from
10AM-2:30PM for a
Grand Opening Event!
Details at www.iannetwork.com**



Morning Mommies Playgroup

TUESDAYS & SATURDAYS

Ages
Birth to 3 years

Time
9AM - 9:45 AM

No. of Sessions
12

This class will introduce children to socialization and teaching them to play with a variety of toys with their moms and/or caregivers next to them. The class will be facilitated by an instructor with experience in dealing with children with special needs. Some structure will be offered such as circle time and story time. Children and parents will be able to explore and play through the entire Creative Learning Center.



Kreative Kidz

FRIDAYS

Ages
All Ages

Time
4:30 - 5:30 PM

No. of Sessions
6

More than just arts & crafts! This class is led by trained artists that have brought their developmentally based arts program that emphasizes age appropriate creative activities and techniques to IAN. This is a six week mixed media art program. Drawing, painting, sculpting, and crafting projects with a focus on strengthening creative skills and self expression.



Movin' + and - Groovin'

THURSDAYS

Ages
All Ages

Time
4 - 4:45 PM

No. of Sessions
6

This class, with its roots in fitness, will use music and rhythm to get children moving, having fun, and , feeling more comfortable in a group setting. Children will be instructed to imitate movements from the group leader. Participants will be encouraged to lead the class if they feel comfortable. A variety of music and gross motor movements will be used in this class along with
FUN & GAMES!



MUSIC MAKERS

SATURDAYS

Ages	Time	No. of Sessions
Birth-3 years	9:45 - 10:30 A.M.	6
3 years & Up	10:45 - 11:30 A.M.	6

Our dynamic music therapy services will allow the children the opportunity to express themselves through musical play and social interaction in a safe, non-threatening environment. Our board certified music therapist will design and implement music sessions in small group settings that are tailored meet the needs of the children. Within the structure of the sessions, the music will address the development of behavioral, social, psychological, communicative, physical, sensory-motor, and/or cognitive functioning.



In each session, the children will play instruments, sing songs and learn through both structured and improvisational activities. Similar to other well-established health services, music therapy strives to foster the development of skills that will generalize into their daily lives.



***Private Music Therapy Lessons Available**

Social Skills

WEDNESDAYS

Ages	Time	No. of Sessions
9 - 13 years	5:15 - 6:15 PM	6

SATURDAYS

Ages	Time	No. of Sessions
3 - 5 years	11:30 - 12:20 PM	6
6 - 8 years	12:30 - 1:20 PM	6

Our social skills training class will be tailored to meet individual needs. Overall, the class will focus on teaching some concrete strategies such as greeting someone, responding when someone talks to you, as well as teach perspective taking strategies and non verbal communication (what we say with our faces and bodies without using words)

Classes will include peer models. BCBA and SLP will be running the class to work on pragmatic language and social skills.



Full Schedule

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<i>Morning Mommies</i>		<i>Movin' -and- Groovin'</i>		<i>Kreative Kidz</i>	
TUESDAYS & SATURDAYS		THURSDAYS		FRIDAYS	
Birth - 3	9 - 9:45 A.M.	All Ages	4 - 4:45 P.M.	All Ages	4:30 - 5:30 P.M.

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Session Details

Social Skills	50-60 minutes	6 Sessions	6 weeks
Music Therapy	45 minutes	6 Sessions	6 weeks
Movin' & Groovin'	45 minutes	6 Sessions	6 weeks
Kreative Kids	60 minutes	6 Sessions	6 weeks
Playgroups	45 minutes	12 Sessions	6 weeks

***For Session Fees, Registration & Policies
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