

## Club Descriptions

- **Intramurals** - We encourage all students to join After School Sports!  
The only thing better than the fun Walsh students have in the gym is EXTRA time in the gym after school with your friends! After Schools Sports is a very popular club that will introduce you to many other Walsh students while participating in sports and activities that are fun for students of all skill levels.
- **Pop Choir** - A group for singers looking to perform at a higher level with their classmates. Music will consist of pop, rock, jazz, and a capella. All students are welcome!
- **Jazz Band**- Jazz Band is fun/performance based club that meets every Tuesday after school from 2:30- 4:20 (3:45-4:20 extra help). We meet and rehearse in the band room (C103). Jazz Band is open to 6th, 7th & 8th gr. students. There are no auditions. We play a variety of music... Blues, Swing, Straight jazz, Latin, Rock, Funk and more...
- **Dungeons & Dragons**- Come on a fantasy role playing adventure! Build characters and work together to fight dragons and the defeat evil that plagues the land. All are welcome from new and experienced players. Only bring yourself, paper and a pencil, no electronics required.
- **Math club**- Math club is part of a national math team called IMLEM. We learn about and practice higher-level math concepts so that we can compete against other schools at our math meets. You are not required to compete in the math meets, so you can also just come to learn something new and challenge yourself! (This is not a math tutoring session)

- **TV/Video Production club**- students interested in learning how to produce videos and TV production shows are welcome to join us in the WALSH TV/VIDEO PRODUCTION CLUB. How do you interview someone well? How do you use a camera? How do we edit a piece for production? Come join us and find out!
- **GSA**- The GSA (Gay Straight Alliance) is a club for any student who wants to support the LGBTQ community and their allies. We work on providing activities and programs that promote acceptance for all students.
- **E-ZINE** - Join us at the school newspaper/EZINE (electronic magazine) Write for all of Walsh and our families to enjoy - adventure stories, poetry, sports articles, surveys...even artwork, photography, podcasts, videos, and more! It's fun; it's relaxing; and we get to snack on Fortune Cookies!!
- **Backyard Games** - Join us for a BACKYARD BANANZA! We will learn and play several different backyard games throughout the session. We will finish off with a tournament of the group's favorite game. Don't forget about our uniforms - we will make tie dye t-shirts to sport! We will also analyze some game statistics each week!
- **Sewing Crafts** - Let's jump into the exciting world of sewing/knitting! In this club we will learn the basic techniques of hand sewing and knitting! On the first day of class we survey our young sewists to come up with projects that are both fun and challenging for their experience level and interest. No experience necessary and all supplies/fun will be provided.

- **STEM Lab (6Y team)** - STEMLabs is a math enrichment program for students in 6Y. We will be exploring Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math concepts using VEX robotics platform with a specific focus on middle school math standards. This program is limited to 12 students. Students in 6Y have received earlier in the year a letter describing what we are doing as part of the FPS Innovation Grant pilot.
- **Photography Club-** In this course, students will discover the essential elements of photography. They will put their skills to practice using either smartphones or provided digital cameras, and then learn basic editing techniques. No prior experience in photography is required.
- **Gardening-** The Environmental/Garden club is to get students involved in improving the current conditions of the **environment** through projects such as recycling, informing their peers and helping the community. We will integrate science and math in various projects throughout the school year. Our goal is to plant a garden at the end of the school year.

- **Robotics** - Walsh Robotics Club is a vibrant hands on club where students meet twice a week to design, build, program, and drive their creations. Robots are built using the VEX Robotics EDR system. Structures are made primarily of metal, gears and wheels which control motion are made of plastic, and a sophisticated robot brain uses sensors and remote control to guide the robot.