



THE RIGHT TEACHERS

Our teachers are kid-friendly, dynamic, engaging and have experience nurturing youth. Many of our teachers are stay-at-home moms or dads, college students with experience leading youth classes, at or near retirement professionals who are looking for an opportunity to make a difference.



THE RIGHT FIT

All teachers must pass a background check before stepping into any {YEL!} class. {YEL!} conducts state and federal background checks, National Sex Offender Registry and a national social security trace. We conduct annual background checks on all veteran instructors. Please contact us for a complete list of disqualifying results.



THE RIGHT TRAINING

New teachers go through 3-10 hours of training depending on the course. The training includes: observing veteran {YEL!} teachers in class, orientation into our school, parent and client expectations, and training in the specific course(s) they are scheduled to teach.



THE RIGHT SUPPORT

Encouragement, mentoring and ongoing coaching define our approach to teacher support. We understand that happy, supportive teachers make happy and engaged students. Veteran teachers often share "Pro Tips" with less experienced teachers and foster an encouraging and nurturing environment for all instructors.

- {Think}
- {Learn}
- {Play Well}



A System That Works

- **Teach It!**...Every {YEL!} class has a lesson that our instructors deliver to students. The lessons vary from beginning to advanced concepts.
- **Practice It!**...Whether it is chess, fencing, sports or sewing classes, our students take the concept and practice it to learn it well.
- **Play It!**...Each class ends with the students playing the sport they are studying (chess is a "sport of the mind") or applying what they have been taught and practiced to the project (LEGO® and sewing) they are working on. This Play It! component is integral to giving the students a sense of accomplishment and play.

TEACH IT!
PRACTICE IT!
PLAY IT!



Comprehensive Curriculum

{YEL!} offers dozens of course titles in a myriad of subjects. Our most popular programs tend to be:

- **Chess:** The {YEL!} chess curriculum is constructed by Women's International Master (WIM) and former Russian Champion Serafima Sokolovskaya. We have 60 hours worth of material for beginners through early advanced students. Our materials are formatted for multiple skill levels in the same classroom at the same time.
- **Fencing:** Hall of Fame Fencing Coach Ro Sobalvarro heads up the curriculum and training for the {YEL!} fencing program. We have had hundreds of students who have been in our program for four or more years. Many of our students have gone on to be part of state championship teams as well as to compete nationally.
- **Project Runway:** Sewing classes teach young sewers how to use a sewing machine and do hand stitching. This previously lost art has had a resurgence through these classes with nearly 500 sewers signing up each summer.
- **STEM classes using LEGO® components:** LEGO® Education has come out with a number of fantastic courses. Each class students build a different project then use that project to investigate beginning engineering concepts. For instance, students may build a merry-go-round, then adjust the gears to make it go faster or slower. They use that project to calculate gear ratios.
- **Sports:** Basketball, soccer, flag football, street or floor hockey and more. Each {YEL!} sports class is designed to introduce young athletes to a different sport. We have a unique approach to playing the game for each sport so that all students are included in each team possession. Focus is on basic skill building, teamwork, inclusion and fun!
- **PreK:** {YEL!} offers PreK LEGO and PreK sports classes (soccer, t-ball and basketball).



Hall of Fame Fencing Coach Ro Sobalvarro working with {YEL!} coaches.



Our Mission

- We believe every student has certain gifts they are given and we see enrichment as a channel to nurture those gifts. To that end, our mission is to engage youth to **THINK, LEARN** and **PLAY WELL**.



Our Vision

- To provide **FIVE STAR** youth classes and events to schools throughout North America.



Our Core Values

- **Trust**: Parents are trusting us with their most prized possessions... their children. Schools are trusting us with their students and their facilities. We operate every day to build trust because we know that trust is built slowly and lost quickly.
- **Enthusiasm**: Our teachers arrive to schools excited to do the work that has been laid before them.
- **Stewardship**: The students in our classes are blessings to us. We take care of them, look out for their emotional and physical safety and nurture their growth.
- **Service**: We are here to serve students, their parents, schools and communities.
- **Can-Do Attitude**: Our goal is to joyfully rise to any challenge a classroom environment presents.

{YEL!} Core Values



Where, When, What

- We come right to your school, right at the end of the school day.
- Our teachers either meet the children at the designated classroom or an agreed upon location (cafeteria, for instance), then escort the children to the classroom, gym or sports field.
- Our teachers deliver one hour lessons for 4-12 weeks on the same day at the same school at the same location.
 - For instance, Chess may be scheduled on Tuesdays from 3:30-4:30pm starting Oct. 3rd and going through Nov. 21st with no class on Oct. 31st for a total of 7 lessons.



Insurance

{YEL!} holds liability insurance and workman's compensation insurance. Contact us for a certificate of insurance or to be listed as additionally insured.



FIVE STAR Service



Schools Say

"I came to you first because I knew you would deliver educational curriculum and quality teachers."

- Debbie Slomkowski, Wayzata Community Education

"You are always so easy to work with. I'm looking forward to the upcoming year..."

- Noella Fath Cutter, Elk River Community Education

"Thank you for being such a great company to work with. You and your staff are so responsive and helpful. I truly appreciate our long term association and look forward to a future of creative classes and incredible enrollments!"

- Lori Murphy, Edina Community Education

"You are a wonderful staff to work with and we look forward to YEL classes this summer and next year."

- Patti Anderson, Eden Prairie Community Education



Parents Say

"We love Coach Wilkins and want more classes at RMS."

- Rochester Montessori Fencing Parent

"Gabriel enjoyed this camp very much! He said he learned a lot and it was very helpful. Thank you for your time, patience and commitment for the kids."

- Urbandale Chess Parent

"Miles had a great time and would like to do track and field again."

- Johnston Track Parent

"Our son, Nikhil, loved this class and is interested in continuing fencing."

- Prior Lake Fencing Parent

"My son loved it! He liked building something different each week."

- Wayzata LEGO Parent

"The class was great, the instructor was great - my son loves the class!"

- Cologne Academy Sports Parent

"We love the instructors. They are knowledgeable, professional, dedicated, and really seem to love what they are doing."

- Fencing Parent



{YEL!} Teachers Say

"Teaching through YEL and working with children is a great learning and life enriching experience for the instructors as well. The management is highly professional, dynamic, and loyal to YEL employees."

- Fencing Coach

"Employer management is organized and friendly. Co-workers are helpful, friendly, and well chosen for their ability to assist in a classroom setting."

- LEGO Instructor

"The management of this organization is exceptional, providing outstanding support to the teachers. There is tremendous respect between the administration and teachers and a sense of "family" between co-workers. Inspiring young people is the true mission of the Youth Enrichment League and the students are the real winners."

- Project Runway Teacher

"I love teaching the classes here in Red Wing! I really enjoy seeing the kids master skills and complete projects!"

- Chess, LEGO and Sports Coach

The company management, operations and personnel are excellent. I am very grateful for this opportunity to be a positive influence in the lives of the children I teach.

- Chess Coach

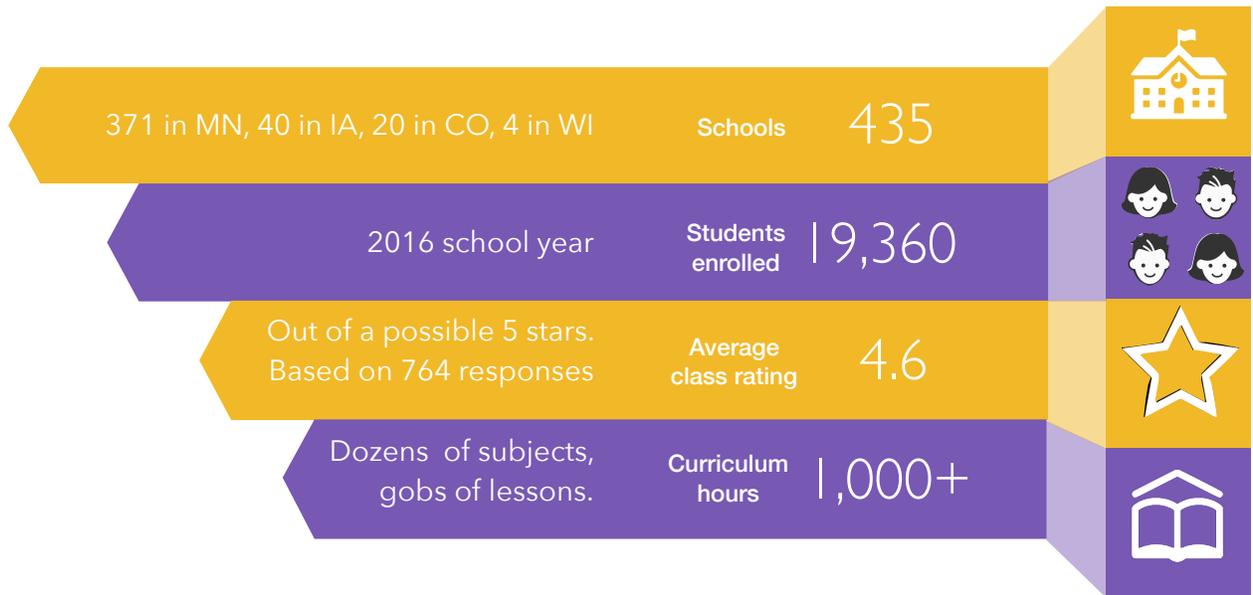


Who We Are



Let Us Introduce Ourselves

Youth Enrichment League - {YEL!} - was founded in 2004 by Chet and Lisa Gunhus. It was founded to bring the highest quality enrichment to schools throughout Minnesota. Through the combined blessings of amazing teachers and happy clients, {YEL!} has grown to 435 schools and 150 teachers in Minnesota, Iowa and Colorado.



Call or email us today to start FIVE STAR enrichment in your school.

Proudly Serving

Minnesota:

- Eden Prairie Community Education (CE)- since 2004
 - Edina - 2005
 - Robbinsdale - 2005
 - Wayzata - 2006
 - Minnetonka - 2007
 - Chanhassen - 2007
 - Byron - 2010
 - St. Cloud - 2011
- Contact us for a complete list.

MN
369 schools

Wisconsin:

- Hudson
- New Richmond (2 schools)
- Prescott
- Village of Allouez
- Village of Bellevue
- Village of Suamico
- Village of Fox Crossing

WI
8 Communities

Iowa:

We were invited to Iowa in the summer of 2016. Since then we have grown to 40 schools in 6 communities.

- Ankeny
- Johnston
- Norwalk
- Urbandale
- Waukee
- West Des Moines

IA
40 schools

CO
20 schools

In 2014, we brought our programs to Northern Colorado.

- Loveland Parks and Recreation
- Poudre School District
- Thompson Schools
- St. Vrain Schools
- Fort Collins Montessori

TRUST

We have nurtured over a decade of trust with many schools and communities. Please contact us for a complete list of schools we work with.



Schools

START



1.

Approve {YEL!}

Let us know you are interested in {YEL!} programs at your school.

3.

Approve Schedule

Once you've received the prospective schedule, simply double check it.

5.

Approve Flyer

As our relationship matures, the approval process accelerates.

7.

Distribute Flyers

Flyers are distributed via student backpacks.

2.

Schedule Classes

{YEL!} references the school calendar to arrange a schedule that works for your school. A proposal is sent for approval.

4.

Create Backpack Flyers

For distribution in students' backpacks.

6.

Copy and Mail Flyers

{YEL!} sends the school copies of the flyer. We can also email pdf versions of the flyer or work with PeachJar for electronic distribution. We will also email previous enrollees about upcoming sessions.

8.

Open Registration

Registration goes live on our website and parents begin enrolling. Parents receive a confirmation email after registering and a reminder email before class begins.

9.

Send Roster

{YEL!} sends the roster two business days before class starts, in the days leading up to class and any updates following the start of the class. Rosters include student name, grade and school teacher.

{YEL!} schedules courses on a quarterly basis (Fall, Winter, Spring and Summer). We will contact you about upcoming quarters before the current session ends.



Teach

Once class begins, our instructors arrive 15 minutes before the start of class each week. They will check in at the school office and follow any procedures you have in place.

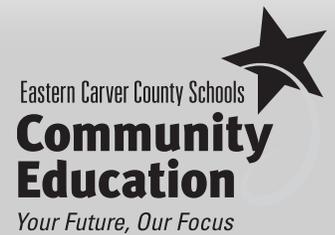


Follow Through

Our streamlined **2 Question, 10 Second Surveys** are sent to each parent at the end of each class. We react in real time to parent concerns and questions. We follow through and make every effort to deliver a FIVE STAR youth enrichment experience.



SPRING YOUTH ENRICHMENT



YouthEnrichmentLeague.com

Register at: ce4all.org



BASKETBALL - MARCH MADNESS

Grades K-3

MARCH MADNESS IS HERE! Time for some round-ball! Take your skills to the next level in this fun, fast-paced 4 week session of Junior Basketball. Emphasis is placed on basic skills development of dribbling, shooting, passing, sportsmanship and teamwork. We then use engaging and dynamic games to cement students' growth including our unique three-on-three style game. This is a high-octane class with an inclusive atmosphere. But hurry! The shot-clock is running down!

BLUFF CREEK ELEMENTARY: Tuesdays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 3/21/2017 to 4/18/2017 -- No Class: 3/28 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012BCE

CHANHASSEN ELEMENTARY: Wednesdays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 3/15/2017 to 4/12/2017 -- No Class: 3/29 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012CHN

CHASKA ELEMENTARY: Thursdays, 2:30 PM-3:30 PM -- 3/16/2017 to 4/13/2017 -- No Class: 3/30 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012CES

CLOVER RIDGE ELEMENTARY: Thursdays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 3/23/2017 to 4/20/2017 -- No Class: 3/30 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012CRE

EAST UNION ELEMENTARY: Mondays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 3/20/2017 to 4/17/2017 -- No Class: 3/27 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012EUE

JONATHAN ELEMENTARY: Mondays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 3/20/2017 to 4/17/2017 -- No Class: 3/27 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012JES

KINDERGARTEN CENTER/LA ACADEMIA: Thursdays, 4:00 PM-5:00 PM -- 3/23/2017 to 4/20/2017 -- No Class: 3/30 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Jonathan Gym -- Course Number: 6012KC

VICTORIA ELEMENTARY: Tuesdays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 3/21/2017 to 4/18/2017 -- No Class: 3/28 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$49 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6012VES



FENCING

Get pumped and prepped for the Spring Metro Fencing Championship.* Youth Enrichment League (YEL) fencing has evolved. Olympic Coach Ro Sobalvarro now heads up YEL's curriculum, instructor training and tournament consultation. Coach Sobalvarro brings with him an immense knowledge of youth, national and international fencing. The spring session is focused on tournament preparation and conducting the year-end, in-class tournament. Safety is our first priority. We supply safety swords, protective masks, chest plates and jackets, in a high-octane, inclusive environment. Sign up today to join this sport deemed the "sport of the intellectual athlete"!

GRADES 2-5: PIONEER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL, Tuesdays, 6:00 PM-7:00 PM -- 4/4/2017 to 5/30/2017 -- No Class: 5/16 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$125 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6001grades 2-5

GRADES 6-12 TEAM: PIONEER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL, Tuesdays, 7:05 PM-8:35 PM -- 4/4/2017 to 5/30/2017 -- No Class: 5/16 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$155 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6110Gr 6-12

*Spring Metro Fencing Championship is not required. It does require a separate registration and fee. Additional fencing tournaments are listed at YouthEnrichmentLeague.com.



THINK, LEARN, PLAY WELL!

REGISTRATION: ce4all.org

Check out our website for more information: YouthEnrichmentLeague.com





INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

Grades 4-5

This is a local, intramural basketball program for 4th and 5th graders. No traveling. All games are played in house. Players will learn intermediate basketball skills, basic basketball playing concepts (i.e. give and go, pick and roll, man-to-man, zone) and play 3-on-3, or 4-on-4 half court games, as well as 5-on-5 full court (no cherry picking) games. Teams are intermingled each practice, so each player will get opportunities to play with multiple teammates. Sign up today to get in the game and get your pulse-pounding.

BLUFF CREEK ELEMENTARY: Thursdays, 6:15 PM-7:15 PM -- 3/9/2017 to 4/13/2017 -- No Class: 3/30 -- 5 Classes -- Fee: \$60 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6046BCE-SP

VICTORIA ELEMENTARY: Mondays, 6:15 PM-7:15 PM -- 3/20/2017 to 4/24/2017 -- No Class: 3/27 -- 5 Classes -- Fee: \$60 -- Rm: Gym -- Course Number: 6046VES-SP



GRANDMASTERS OF CHESS

Grades K-5

Bring your chess dollars and get pumped and prepped for your school's year-end, in-school tournament. Youth Enrichment League (YEL) has 50+ chess lessons and our spring focus is on skewers, pawn endgames, doubled rooks, etc. Our lessons are crafted by Women's International Master and former Russian Chess Champion Sima Sokolovskaya. Join this "sport of the mind" and be part of your school's chess club. Sign up and create a checkmate today!

BLUFF CREEK ELEMENTARY: Tuesdays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 4/4/2017 to 5/23/2017 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$109 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7500-BCE-A

CHANHASSEN ELEMENTARY: Wednesdays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 4/5/2017 to 5/24/2017 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$109 -- Rm: Art -- Course Number: 7500-CHN-A

CLOVER RIDGE ELEMENTARY: Mondays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 4/3/2017 to 5/22/2017 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$109 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7500-CRE-A

EAST UNION ELEMENTARY: Wednesdays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 4/5/2017 to 5/24/2017 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$109 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7500-EUE-A

JONATHAN ELEMENTARY: Fridays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 4/7/2017 to 6/2/2017 -- No Class: 4/14 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$109 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7500-JES-A

VICTORIA ELEMENTARY: Thursdays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 4/6/2017 to 5/25/2017 -- 8 Classes -- Fee: \$109 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7500-VES-A



LEGO X: GEAR JAMMERS

Grades 1-5

Build a clock, windmill and a powerful street sweeper. Design your own egg-beater and gear it up to make it blend faster. We will use our structures to investigate basic engineering concepts and components of gearing. A pioneering class designed for adventurous LEGO engineers.

CHANHASSEN ELEMENTARY: Wednesdays, 3:15 PM-4:15 PM -- 4/5/2017 to 4/26/2017 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$55 -- Rm: 127 -- Course Number: 7215-CHN

CLOVER RIDGE ELEMENTARY: Thursdays, 3:55 PM-4:55 PM -- 4/6/2017 to 4/27/2017 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$55 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7215-CRE

KINDERGARTEN CENTER/LA ACADEMIA: Mondays, 4:00 PM-5:00 PM -- 4/3/2017 to 4/24/2017 -- 4 Classes -- Fee: \$55 -- Rm: Media Center -- Course Number: 7215-KC

COMMUNITY EDUCATION COURSE REGISTRATION

STUDENT NAME: _____

GR _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY/

ZIP _____

PHONE: HOME _____ DAYTIME _____

CELL _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

NOTES/ALLERGIES: _____

COURSE # _____ COURSE TITLE: _____ FEE: \$ _____

VISA MC DISCOVER # _____

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AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

If you need financial assistance sign here _____

In doing so you are giving Community Education staff permission to access information to help determine your scholarship amount.

TO REGISTER:

CE4ALL.ORG

952.556.7200

952.556.7209

FAX

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PLEASE MAKE

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TO COMMUNITY

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REQUESTED 5

BUSINESS DAYS

PRIOR TO THE START

OF CLASS AND ARE

ASSESSED A \$5

CANCELLATION FEE.

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Check out our website for more information: YouthEnrichmentLeague.com

