

THE SCHOOL OF TWO HEARTS

TONAWANDA, NY

2021 SUMMER CO-OP

DATES/TIMES

- 3 FOUR Week Sessions
- Session 1: CANCELLED
- Session 2: Jun. 24, 29, Jul. 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20
- Session 3: Aug. 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26, 31, Sep. 2
- 9am - 3pm Tuesdays & Thursdays
- 8:30am - 8:50am drop-off
- Located on the 2nd floor of Fr. Cotter Hall
- 300 Wendel Ave, Tonawanda, NY 14223
- 8am Mass may be attended at Blessed Sacrament Church before co-op day.



INCLUDED OFFERINGS

- Daily
 - Reading, Writing, & Arithmetic
 - Phys. Ed.
 - Recess and lunch time
 - Games & Tournaments
 - Arts & Crafts or Fine Arts
 - K-12 Arts and crafts
 - Fine Arts grade 3+
- Once or Twice/Week - Electives
 - Offered based on enrollment
 - Woodworking, Drama, Culinary, Gardening, Science of Play, Video Games, Journalism
- Bring your own lunch
- Offered after co-op or at lunch
 - Beginning piano - age 5+
 - Beginning guitar - Gr. 3+
 - Voice lessons - Gr. 3+



PRICING

- One session:
 - \$264 1st child
 - \$252 2nd sibling
 - \$240 3rd+ sibling
- Materials fee: \$24/student per session
- \$25/child is due with registration. This holds your spot and will be applied to tuition.
- First half of tuition and materials fees (minus the \$25 deposit) must be received by June 1.

REGISTRATION

- Open enrollment until spaces are filled!
- To register / ask questions call Mrs. Ann E. Suchyna 716-292-8580 or email annsuchyna.theschooloftwohearts@gmail.com



COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

THE 3 R'S: K-12

To maintain traditional academic skills during the summer, students will daily participate in engaging activities involving Reading, wRiting and/or aRithmetic skills.

DRAMA: GRADES 5+

Students will learn interdependence/teamwork and increase their individual confidence through learning the basics of on-stage performance.

VOICE: GRADES 3+

Individual instruction. Learn the basics of strong vocal performance techniques.

STUDIO ART: GRADES 3+

An introduction to drawing, painting, and 3-D art concepts and techniques. Varied tutored projects will sharpen students' artistic abilities.

WOODWORKING: K-12

An introduction to general woodworking practices, including how to safely use common hand tools and how to create beautiful projects using a variety of tools and techniques.

CULINARY: K-12

An introduction to culinary. Learn basic cooking skills, including simple dishes and baking.

GARDENING: K-12

Students will learn the basics of gardening and landscaping and apply these principles to tend vegetable and flower gardens. We will coordinate the students' learning and service experiences with parishioner Mrs. Megan Day, The Lord's Gardeners' Volunteer Coordinator.

SCIENCE OF PLAY

Via play, children learn social skills (taking turns, sharing, following the rules) and information about their physical world. Students will discover, through play and a brief lesson, how science plays a role on the playground and with various toys, games and activities!

JOURNALISM: GRADES 3+

An introduction to the writing, analyzing, and interviewing skills of journalism, while focusing on developing individual confidence as well as fostering team work skills.

GAMES & TOURNAMENTS

Players compete and cooperate with peers or challenge themselves in solitary play. They immerse themselves in real skills (math, teamwork, organization, negotiation...) through various games (cards, board games, action/coordination). Tournaments will run according to interest.

VIDEO GAMES

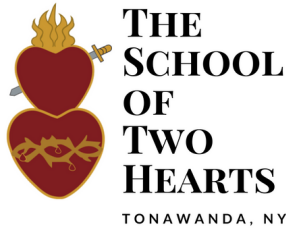
Why would a Co-Op that bans electronic devices offer a class on video games? Properly managed, video games can become a tool to inspire heroic virtue in children. Our Summer Co-Op video game class is designed to promote the virtues of courage, justice, sportsmanship, and just good clean fun.

What Inspired Mrs. Suchyna to Offer This?

On Jan. 11, 2021, I heard Fr. Robert McTeigue's interview with Bill Whittle on Catholic Radio.* Hearing about video games through a Catholic lens was quite novel! As a school psychologist, I was intrigued by how much of the discussion related to psychology, i.e., reinforcement schedules, addiction, importance of fathers, agency, perceived control... Only hours later, one of my sons (a college senior studying finance, business, accounting, and math) talked about his job interests. He mentioned renewable energy (solar) and referenced the Civilization video game, where players create a civilization. I realized the potential for relating this popular game to our K – 12 school's curriculum, i.e., History, Literature, Science and Theology. I shared these thoughts, and the interview, with the Co-op Teachers. When we decided to offer the Summer Co-op, Mr. Garey expressed interest in offering the Video Game Class as an elective.

*To hear the interview: <https://bit.ly/2Qx95ET>

ALERT for Parents: All games included in our Video Game Class are carefully vetted to ensure that they adhere to Catholic moral teaching. However, after playing one of our games, students may seek out to purchase it for their home usage. Please note that this may lead them to online marketplaces, which contain inappropriate games. We remind parents to review the games before purchasing them. Mr. Garey will develop a handout to help evaluate whether or not a game might be a good fit!

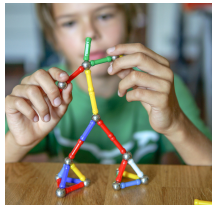


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Students' Last Name(s) _____ Allergies _____
 Mother's Name _____ Father's Name _____
 Address _____
 Daytime Phone(s) _____ Primary Email _____
 Emergency Contact _____ Emergency Contact Phone _____

Please include additional information. Are there any IEP, 504 Plan, Psychological Report(s)? Please attach.

PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR SESSION(S) CHOICES & YOUR ART SELECTION:



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Students entering Grades 3+: Please circle preference: Arts & Crafts Studio Art
 Grades K-3: Students will be enrolled in Arts & Crafts: Collaborative and engaging projects for all grade levels to foster creative minds, such as painting, boondoggle and more!

We have received some interest in a Mon./Wed. co-op for Summer and/or Fall. Would you be available and interested in this option? Summer: Yes/No Fall: Yes/No

REGISTRATION - PLEASE WRITE NAMES AND FALL GRADE LEVELS BELOW:

Child's first name	Grade	1 session + Materials	2 sessions + Materials
1. _____	_____	\$264 + \$24	\$528 + \$48
2. _____	_____	\$252 + \$24	\$504 + \$48
3. _____	_____	\$240 + \$24	\$480 + \$48
4. _____	_____	\$240 + \$24	\$480 + \$48
5. _____	_____	\$240 + \$24	\$480 + \$48
TOTAL: _____		+ _____	OR _____ + _____

ELECTIVES - PLEASE MARK INTEREST LEVEL RATED 1 (LOW) TO 5 (HIGH):



	Child 1	Child 2	Child 3	Child 4	Child 5
Woodworking (K-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Landscaping/Gardening (K-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Science of Play (K-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drama (3-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Journalism (3-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Culinary (K-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Video Games (K-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Piano (age 5+)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Guitar (3-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Voice (3-12)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS:

Registration by Saturday May 1st for current families. Registration by Wednesday May 5th for new families.

Late registrations will be taken space permitting.

- \$25/child is due with registration by cash, check or Venmo. This holds your spot and will be applied to tuition.
- First half of tuition and the materials fees (minus the \$25 deposit) must be received by June 1.
- Make checks payable to: The School of Two Hearts. Mail to or drop off at: 300 Wendel Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14223

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