



DECEMBER 2025

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	2 TEA(N) Time	3 WS: Animals of the Puget Sound Pt 1	4 TEA(N) Time	5 FT: Ice Skating
8	9 WS: Culinary Skills (Dumplings)	10 WS: Animals of the Puget Sound Pt 2	11 WS: Clay Day	12
15	16 Winter Party	17 WS: Animals of the Puget Sound Pt 3	18	19
22 NO SCHOOL	23 NO SCHOOL	24 NO SCHOOL	25 NO SCHOOL	26 NO SCHOOL
29 NO SCHOOL	30 NO SCHOOL	31 NO SCHOOL		

Animals of the Puget Sound (3-Part Series)

Dec. 3, 10, and 17 at 3 p.m.

Science educators from the Puget Sound Estuarium bring the fun while learning about the animals in our own backyard! (Recommended to attend all three)

TEA(N) Time: Exploring Identity with Mr Antonio

Dec. 2 (Tentative) and 4 at 4 pm

OSD Student Mentor Coordinator, Antonio McClinton, and YMCA staff hold time for reflection and connection.

Field Trip: Ice Skating

Dec. 5 at 3:30 pm

We will leave during 6th period by bus to go ice skating in downtown Olympia! Tickets will be assigned to students who have all permission slips and waivers completed by December 1 on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Culinary Skills – Dumpling Filling and Steaming

Dec. 9 at 4 p.m.

Roll up your sleeves and practice your pleating skills with dumpling day! We are planning on preparing simple pork dumplings, with vegetarian filling available upon request.

Clay Day

Dec. 11 at 4 p.m.

YMCA staff host an open studio session with polymer clay! Make jewelry, figurines, ornaments, or other little doo-dads with your friends!

Winter Party

Dec. 16 at 4 pm

Gather with friends and YMCA staff in a winter celebration with lots of tasty food and cookie decorating.

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JANUARY 2026

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 NO SCHOOL	2 NO SCHOOL
5	6	7	8 WS: Environmental Vision Boards	9 WS: Robotics Demo and STEM Activities
12	13 WS: Invasive Species and Plants	14 WS: Volleyball Skills Clinic	15	16
19 NO SCHOOL	20	21 Culinary Skills: Lemon Curd Tartlettes	22 WS: Tea(n) Time with Dr. Jan	23
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Environmental Vision Boards

Jan. 8 at 4 p.m.

Science educators from the South Sound Salmon Enhancement Group will lead us in an arts-and-crafts activity centered on the environment and sustainability.

Robotics Demo and STEM Activities

Jan. 9 at 4 p.m.

Members of the competition-winning robotics team at Capitol High School join us for a demo (yes, you get to drive their robot!) and fun, STEM-themed activities. Plus, learn more about robotics at CHS!

Invasive Species and Plants

Jan. 13 at 4 p.m.

Representatives from the Capitol Land Trust will be joining us for an afternoon of botanical learning and fun.

Volleyball Skills Clinic

Jan. 14 at 3 p.m.

TMMS and YMCA staff are teaming up to host a skills-building volleyball clinic and play a few games too! Open to all skill levels (athletic clothes recommended but not required).

Culinary Skills: Lemon Curd Tartlettes

Jan. 21 at 3 p.m.

Make and assemble the various components of lemon curd tartlettes (crust, curd, and whipped topping!). Students will focus on transferrable kitchen skills and get to eat their delicious creations.

TEA(N) Time with Dr. Jan

Jan. 22 at 4 p.m.

Local author Jan Johnston and YMCA staff hold time for tea (or hot cocoa), reflection, and connection.

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