Discover Programme Welcoming Children of La Petite Ecole 16/17



Discover Classes

We are pleased to offer a series of Discover Classes hosted by our range of in-house Specialist Educators in Art & Creativity, Music & Dance, and Mandarin. This is a wonderful way to extend on children's interests and experiences in addition to their schooling programme.

Families may choose to join one or more classes per week, on a termly basis. Full payment must be made in advance and is non-refundable. Fees can be pro-rated if a child joins the class mid-way during the Term. If a child will be absent from class, we ask for notification, wherever possible, the day prior. Make-up classes cannot be provided at this time.

Cost

\$48 per class, including 7% GST.

Children 2 - 3 years old

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Art & Creativity 1pm-1.45pm	Art & Creativity 1pm-1.45pm	Mandarin 1pm - 1.45pm	Music and Dance 1pm - 1.45pm	
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Children 3 - 6 years old

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Mandarin 1pm-1.45pm	Art & Creativity 3.15pm-4pm	Music & Dance 1pm-1.45pm	Art & Creativity 1pm-1.45pm	
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			Art & Creativity 3.15pm - 4pm	

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Discover Music & Dance

In Discover Music & Dance, children, alongside Blue House Music Pedagogista, Ms. Nicola, will be part of a musical project where they will experience the wonder of instruments, singing, poetry and rhyme. Children will be immersed in their own orchestra of guitar, piano and singing. Children are also given the freedom to explore the language of music in a comfortable environment designed to introduce them to rhythm, co-ordination, and flexibility. The experience includes interactions, musical exploration, dance and movement.

Ms Nicola is originally from the south of England and has been living in Singapore since 2011. She began teaching at Blue House in 2013. Her passion for music led her in 2008 to train under specialist coaches at Redroofs College of the Arts; graduating with a Diploma. Nicola was then invited to teach for a school in London, specialising in Music, Drama and Dance for the early years. In 2015 she enrolled with Sheffield University in England to complete her PGCE (Post Graduate Certificate in Education).

Discover Art and Creativity

In Discover Art & Creativity, children will encounter the fascinating multiple concepts of images through a range of hands on techniques and experiences. This is where a kaleidoscope of colour, technology, natural and man-made materials connect children's ideas and interpretations into projects, led by Artist and Blue House Atelierista, Ms Lola.

Ms Lola a French native, obtained her Master of Arts in Graphic Design & Communication at the ENSAD (École nationale supérieure des Arts Décoratifs – National Superior School of Decorative Arts) in Paris, France. For the past ten years, she has worked as a freelance designer also conducting plastic research (silkscreen printing, ceramics, photography). Lola has been teaching for 8 years, and as an official French State Teacher of Arts for the past 5 years.

Discover Mandarin

Mandarin is one of the most widely spoken languages in the world. Introducing your children to this ancient language offers a strong connection to the cultural context of Singapore, but also a wider range of cultural experiences in this region of the world. This is a programme that exposes children to Mandarin in a play based and creative context. Children engage in interactions and experiences with native Mandarin speaker, Laoshi Helen, discovering and exploring the language through interactions within story telling, sensory exploration, music and movement.

Laoshi Helen is from Beijing, China and joined Blue House in September 2015. She received her degree in Early Childhood Education from the Australian Catholic University and obtained her diploma from TAFE NSW. As Blue House's Mandarin Specialist, Laoshi Helen believes Mandarin, just like English and other languages, are the tools to communicate with others and the media to explore the international community.



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Bus Service

Blue House is pleased to partner with KHLim Transport to provide a school bus service for Blue House and La Petite Ecole families. The school bus brings children to school for a 9am start, and provides return bus trips at 12noon, 1.45pm, 3pm and 4pm.

The buses provided are 12-seater mini buses, fitted with three point seat belts. Should you wish for your child to travel with a car seat or booster seat, we would encourage you to make one available to the Bus Operator and they will return it to you daily when your child returns home. Kindly ensure that clear instructions are provided with regard to the car/booster seat installation.

If your child is absent or you choose to bring your child to or from school, please contact the Bus Operator as far in advance as possible. Changes may be made strictly by 5pm the day before, for journeys to school, and 11.00am at the latest the day of, for journey's home from school. Messages from anyone other than the identified care givers will not be accepted to avoid confusion.

We ask that all families strictly adhere to the above requirements in order to ensure all children's safety and security when utilising this service.

To connect with KHLim Transport for further information with regard to routes and fees please contact Ms. Diana as below.

Contact Information

For all enquiries and bookings please contact:

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