

## Activity Descriptions

### **PingPong (20)**

Even if you don't yet have a spin shot, slam, or serve worth writing home about, ping-pong is a game that all can enjoy! Ping-pong is a fun activity available to everyone willing to grab a paddle and participate. We will be playing one-on-one, doubles matches, and tournaments throughout the semester to improve our skills. Everyone will get a chance to play!

### **Advanced Camera Club (15)**

Students in Advanced Camera Club must have their own camera - cell phones are not acceptable, and must have experience taking pictures. Most importantly, students need to bring that inner drive that makes amazing experiences happen. Sorry, this is not nap time. Also, students should come prepared to take, edit, and prepare photographs. We will be working on one large project (documenting our lives here at SPAS) and some smaller ones (like taking Senior Portraits). If you feel you have the superior camera skills and motivation, come sign up for this amazing activity.

### **Model UN (20)**

Model UN is a group that learns about what it would be like to work at the UN as an ambassador. Students get together and learn about current events, foreign affairs, and organizations within the United Nations. The group then participates in a conference where they represent one area of the world and they sit in on different committee meetings. The committee meetings are set up and run just like those in the United Nations and students vote, debate and work to change different aspects of the world. Model United Nations is a great addition to any college application or resume. However it is also a fun way to meet new people and learn skills such as team work, debate and the process of decision making as an Ambassador at the UN. I look forward to working with you all, and I hope to see you next activity period in Model UN.

### **Detention (Unlimited)**

You don't want this so don't sign up for it.

### **Basketball (30)**

"Basketball this term will be in two sections. Both in the gym. One section will be a competitive boys basketball team. The other will be playing for fun. Mr. Heeren has a list of those who will be on the basketball team. He will get you a pass to sign up for the team."

### **Soccer (Must be already on the team) (25)**

Represent the school as a member of the soccer team. You will have the opportunity to play against other schools.

### **Yearbook (By Invitation 5-10)**

Help create everyone's lasting memory of SPAS. You will have the chance to take pictures and design the yearbook. You will also be able to learn some new computer skills. This is a great activity to put on your college application. Colleges look for this type of participation. If you plan to participate you will need to pick up a participation slip from Mr. Steve.

### **Newsletter (8)**

Do you have school spirit? Get involved in the exciting world of journalism and be a part of informing the school of our accomplishments and upcoming events! Promote school spirit and produce a fun and informative newsletter for school staff, students, and parents, while getting exposure to interviewing, writing, editing, and creative media. See Ms. Larson if you have any questions. This is also a great activity to put on a college application.

### **Book Club (10)**

Sit back, relax, drink hot tea and chat about your favorite book with a group of friends. If you like to read, you have to join the bookclub! You will even have the chance to read books in your own language. All you need is an open mind and a love for literature. We can't wait to see you there!

### **Drama (30)**

How would you like to escape into someone else's personality for the afternoon? Ever dream of winning an Oscar, a Tony or an Emmy? Well, it is time to practice your acting skills! Drama Club will focus on individual skills, group performances and performing in school productions! So if you want a supportive, encouraging and fun environment to experience all of this and more, join the Drama Club today!

### **Board/Card Games (25)**

Come use your brilliant minds to compete against your classmates. Have a chance to play different cards games and even teach others card games from you own country. There will also be a chance to compete in tournaments. Furthermore, there will be board games available to play, such as Monopoly and Chess. If this doesn't catch your attention, try creating your own game in this activity.

### **Choir (Unlimited)**

If you ever find yourself singing in the shower, on your way to class, during class, or any other time during the day, join choir! You'll have a chance to be part of a group of people just like you, people who love to sing! Boys are welcome and encouraged to join as well!

### **Women's Athletic Club (20)**

If you are a female that wants to be active and work on your physical fitness, then this is the club for you! We will work to improve our strength and cardiovascular health while having FUN with other girls that want to do the same! Activities will include, but are not limited to: yoga, aerobics, running, basketball, volleyball, soccer, weight lifting, etc. If you have any questions, see Ms. King or Ms. Ralston.