

YMCA AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM 2024-25

Where Kids Excel After the Bell

Many parents and caregivers face the challenge of coordinating work schedules with their children's school hours. That's why the YMCA is here to help, offering After School Childcare programs at our facility to support working families.

In a safe and well-supervised environment at the YMCA, children have the opportunity to explore their individual talents, make new friends, and engage in enriching activities that reflect the Y's core values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility.

As a state-licensed program with experienced and dedicated staff, you can trust that your children are in good hands while you're at work. Plus, we provide **free transportation** from your child's school to the YMCA, making it even more convenient for busy families.

Give your child the gift of a fun, nurturing, and engaging after-school experience with the YMCA's After School Childcare program!

*If the district is closed on any day, our program will not be in operation.

All Y School Age staff have been trained or certified in the following:



CPR | AED | First Aid



Safety



Prevention/Recognition of Child Abuse



Child Development



Licensing Regulations



Curriculum Planning

Sample Program Schedule

This is an example of a typical daily schedule for the After School Program. Schedule may vary.

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| 2:50pm - 3:15pm | Arrival & Indoor Playground |
| 3:15pm - 3:30pm | Snack & Tabletop Activities |
| 3:30pm - 4:30pm | Outside & Structured Active Play |
| 4:30pm - 5:00pm | Structured Indoor Activity/Homework Help |
| 5:00pm - 6:00pm | Free Choice Activities |



School Age Programs your child will participate in:



CONFLICT RESOLUTION



HOMEWORK AND LITERACY



GLOBAL LEARNING



SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



SOCIAL COMPETENCE



SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING



HEALTHY AND WELLNESS



ARTS

Registration Information

Grades K – 4th

Program Hours: After School – 6:00pm

Auto Payments

***Due at Registration: A non-refundable one time fee of \$100 which covers the registration fee AND the yearly supply fee.**

| Y Members Daily Fee | Y Members Full Week Fee | Non Y Members Daily Fee | Non Y Members Weekly Fee |
|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| \$10/day | \$45/week | \$12/day | \$55/week |

Payments for programming will be processed via an auto draft 2 weeks prior to the registered week. During registration you will be asked to provide credit card or bank account information which will be automatically charged every Monday. All fees are non-refundable. Insufficient funds may result in a fee. For billing questions please contact Alyssa at ajenkins@ymcaatacrc.org.

Program Scholarships

The funds available for scholarships are made possible through a grant from the Hormel Foundation. We believe a strong sense of ownership and pride is developed if the recipient has contributed to the cost of their YMCA involvement; therefore, applicants will be asked to pay some portion of the fees (a maximum of 20% discount for school aged care, a maximum of 50% discount for life skills and youth sports). **To apply, visit: <https://ymcaatacrc.org/scholarships/>**
If you have already been granted a scholarship, they will automatically be applied to future programming.

Permanent Registration Changes & Cancellations

Adding Days

If you wish to add days to your child's schedule, please email Alyssa at ajenkins@ymcaatacrc.org at least two weeks prior to the draft date. All requests will be subject to availability. Draft amount will be adjusted accordingly.

Canceling Days

If you wish to cancel days on your child's schedule, email Alyssa at ajenkins@ymcaatacrc.org at least two weeks prior to the draft date or a fee may be incurred. Please read our cancellation policy for more information.

Cancellation Policy

All cancellations must be made by E-Mail or in writing or to the director of the program more than 14 days prior to the start of the program. In the event this occurs before 7 days, participants will receive a system credit to be used within 1 year for a program of their choosing. If the cancellation occurs after 14 days, no refunds will be given. For extenuating circumstances, an appeal form may be filed by completing the appeal form. This form can be obtained from the director of the program and must be completed within 3 days of the start of the program. The policy committee will review all appeals and their decision is final.

Kid's Day Out Information

No School? We've got you covered!

Kids love a day off from school, but those days pose challenges for families who have other responsibilities. Our Kid's Day Out program allows parents and caregivers to maintain previous commitments, like work or school, when school is scheduled to be out for the day while knowing their children will be in a safe and exciting environment. Children have opportunities to engage in enrichment activities including arts & crafts, creative dramatics, literacy, math & science projects, being active, and playing games.

Children need to bring: a sack lunch, active footwear, clothing for both indoor and outdoor activities, and lots of energy. We provide the rest, including healthy morning and afternoon snacks.

Calendar

Program Hours: 7am - 6:00pm

Dates

September 23, 2024
October 16 - 18, 2024 (MEA)
November 5, 2024
November 27, 2024
January 20, 2025
February 14, 2025
February 17, 2025
March 10 - 17, 2025
April 18, 2025
April 21, 2025

| Y Members Daily Fee | Non Y Members Daily Fee |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| \$40 | \$45 |

***Due at Registration: A non-refundable one time fee of \$20 which includes the registration & supply fee.**

Sample Schedule

All Activities are subject to change.

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| 7:00am - 8:00am | Arrival & Table Top Activities |
| 8:00am - 9:00am | Active Game or Table Top Activities |
| 9:00am - 9:30am | Circle Time & Snack Break |
| 9:30am - 10:30am | Structured Activity #1 |
| 10:30am - 11:15am | Indoor Playground |
| 11:15am - 12:30pm | Lunch & RRR |
| 12:30pm - 1:30pm | Structured Activity #2 |
| 1:30pm - 2:30pm | Swimming |
| 2:30pm - 3:30pm | Structured Activity #3 |
| 3:30pm - 4:00pm | Snack (Provided) |
| 4:00pm - 5:00pm | Gym/Outside Free Time |
| 5:00pm - 5:30pm | Table Top Activities |

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