



"I really appreciate the effort of the staff to build such a wonderful rapport with my children."

— Afterschool Parent

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YMCA OF AUSTIN AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAMS

OTHER PROGRAMS



Many YMCA Programs are available to our Afterschool participants, including Youth Sports, Summer Day Camp, Holiday Camp, and Swim Lessons. Each of these programs allows parents to better connect with their children and become more involved in their lives.

Y Afterschool Parents, who are also YMCA of Austin members, receive a discounted rate on all Y programs.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



The policy of the YMCA of Austin is to never turn away a family regardless of their ability to pay. Every year the YMCA raises funds during our Annual Campaign that are used to subsidize membership and program fees for deserving children and families. Each school year, the YMCA provides more than \$350,000 to help over 300 children attend afterschool programs that they otherwise would not be able to afford. Afterschool program fees are also discounted for certified teachers.

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RESPECT • RESPONSIBILITY • HONESTY • CARING • FAITH



“He has been exposed to other ways of thinking through peers and has really learned how to accept others for who they are.”

—Afterschool Parent



“My child loves the YMCA after school program so much she does not want to leave.”

—Afterschool Parent



“He is learning skill sets that he will not learn during regular time at school.”

—Afterschool Parent

EDUCATIONAL CURRICULUM

The YMCA of Austin offers age-appropriate curriculum designed to emphasize emotional growth, physical activity, and character development. All staff members model and reward the YMCA’s core character values of Caring, Honesty, Respect, Responsibility, and Faith and the Search Institute’s 40 Developmental Assets throughout afterschool activities. YMCA programs help children develop self-confidence, independence, and character that will last a lifetime.

Changing Weekly Themes offer students a variety of options. Each day has a designated curriculum focus: arts & crafts, literacy, science/math, nutrition/wellness, and character development/assets. All activities are educational, character building, and asset/values-based. In addition, the YMCA offers a nutritious, daily snack for all children, homework assistance, and time for child-led play on the playground.

Physical health is also an important part of YMCA Afterschool. CATCH physical activity lessons are delivered each afternoon by trained Y staff. These activities are designed to be inclusive activities, which emphasize moderate to vigorous physical activity the majority of the time.

Through enriching curriculum, daily homework assistance, and emphasis on health & nutrition, Y Afterschool is an excellent partner in schools and families.

AFTERSCHOOL FACTS

The YMCA is the largest provider of child care in the nation. Enrollment is available to any child who attends the school, and parents pay for services monthly.

Experienced and caring adult staff implement curriculum and serve as role models for all participants. Our low child-to-staff ratios (15 to 1) ensure that safety comes first.

Homework or quiet-time for reading is allocated daily for all children. YMCA staff work closely with parents and teachers to identify children who need the most assistance with homework. Additionally, reading and math tutoring is available on some campuses.

Afterschool program staff implement curriculum which follows school curriculum standards and emphasizes the YMCA’s Core Values and the 40 Developmental Assets. Our activities are enriching and fun!

End-of-day Activity Centers allow children time for self-exploration within the confines of a structured environment. Centers include:

- Craft Corner (art)
- Gamers Gateway (board/strategy games)
- Hard Hat Hideout (building/manipulatives)
- Imagination Station (drama/performance)
- Book Nook (literacy)

All Y Afterschool programs are licensed by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (TDFPS). The YMCA accepts third-party providers (CCS Workforce Solutions, City of Austin, etc).

PROGRAM LOCATIONS

SERVING:

- Austin ISD
- Round Rock ISD
- Manor ISD
- Hays CISD
- Area charter schools



[AustinYMCA.org/Programs/Afterschool-Care](https://www.austinyymca.org/Programs/Afterschool-Care)

Visit our website for a complete list of Schools

HOURS OF OPERATION

Afterschool Site hours

Monday – Friday (School Dismissal) – 6:30pm

*Care provided 7:30 – 6:00pm on select holidays

Program Services hours

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM *Phones open until 6:00 PM