



Sustainability Academy Afterschool

Explore - Connect - Empower

Session 1 Brochure

Return Session 1 sign up by Friday 9/18

September 21 - November 20

Upcoming Important Dates:

-No Afterschool on 9/21, 10/22, 10/23, 11/10

TO SIGN UP

Please complete and return the sign-up form, included here, in paper or electronically (text or email).

If you have any questions, please email Kevin at klewis@bsdvt.org or call (802) 324-6723.

COLD & MUDDY WEATHER

Students at Afterschool will be going outside for free play as much as possible, even during the cold weather months. We will follow the school policy as to when it is too cold to go outside, but otherwise we will go out. It is very important that all children have warm clothes – hat, gloves, boots, winter jacket, snow pants, etc. Boots and snow pants are also a good idea during mud season as they help keep kids clean and dry. We will be outside unless the temperature is less than 1 degree Fahrenheit. Please label all belongings with your student's name.

EXTRA CLOTHES

Occasionally, accidents happen whether it's a mud puddle, a paint spill, or other messes. Therefore, we recommend that all students, regardless of age, have an extra change of clothes. A gallon-sized Ziploc bag, holding at least an extra pair of socks, pants, and underwear, fits nicely in the bottom of a backpack until needed.

ParentSquare coming Soon!

We are back at it again with another fantastic year ahead of us! Liam and I are excited to get the ball rolling with new clubs and a new way to stay in touch, ParentSquare. This will hopefully be up within the next few weeks.

Thanks,
Kevin Lewis

ACTIVITY SCHEDULES

Activity placement generally occurs on a first come, first serve basis. However, we do take into consideration many other important factors. These include, but are not limited to: child/group dynamics, wait lists from previous sessions, and academic needs.

All students are offered at least two program options during activity time from 4:00-5:00pm. From 2:50-3:45pm students enjoy free play time, reading buddies and an Afterschool supper. We run programming on early dismissal Wednesdays as normal.

GETTING STUDENTS TO AFTERSCHOOL & PICK UP

Afterschool staff meet students at classrooms at school day dismissal and escort them to their Afterschool space.

PICK UP will happen in the Main School Lobby on 123 North St from the end of school to 5:30.

***Off Site Programs (see activity descriptions)**
may not return until 5:10.

Need Assistance?

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Session 1 Activities



Questions, comments, or suggestions? You can contact Kevin at (802) 324-6723, or email klewis@bsdvt.org. Do you have a gift, skill, or community connection you'd like to share with Afterschool participants? Let us know! We always welcome new activity ideas and community volunteers!

Mondays

Bracelet Making

2nd-5th Grade

Students put their fingers to work crafting jewelry to show off their self expression or give as a gift. This is the perfect club for the crafty, DIY enthusiast.

Silly Science

2nd-5th Grade

Students will use the scientific method with experiments. Igniting a path of discovery and intrigue.

Soccer Fundamentals

2nd-5th Grade

Learn the basic soccer skills and put them to the test with this activity!

Tag Games

K-2nd Grade

Students will play a variety of tag games in the gym. Learning how to play safe, have fun, and have a good time playing with your friends.

Tuesdays

Active Games

2nd-5th grade

Play a variety of games in the gym or out on the blacktop. From 4 square to King's Corners this club is sure to keep your body moving.

Around the World

All Grade

Each week; students will learn about a new country, the foods they eat, the languages they speak, and will come up with a list of places they would want to visit

Melty Beads

All Grades

Perler beads are for everyone! Get crafty with this classic Afterschool Activity. Express yourself, make art, and have fun!

Shelburne Farms

All Grades

Shelburne Farms will come in and do different activities with students. This activity is perfect for students looking to meet furry friends.

NOTE TO PARENTS

No home toys or games are permitted in Afterschool. If brought to school, they will stay in the student's backpack for the duration of Afterschool.

Sensory, fidget, and focus toys are okay.

THANK YOU!

Wednesdays

BEAP

3rd-5th Grade

Offsite Activity

Burlington Explorers Afterschool Program.

BEAP is designed to guide children in developing the skills and confidence to access the physical and mental health benefits of spending time in nature.

Lego Club

All Grades

Students will put their minds and fingers to work making different Lego creations.

Roller Skating

3rd - 5th grade

Back by popular demand it is Roller Skating! We are teaming up with Joy Riders to give an opportunity to 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students to Roller Skate. Max capacity for this club is 15

Super Hero Club

All Grades

Students will create their own super hero, the city they protect, and craft a story to share with others.

Thursdays

Bowling and Basketball

2nd-5th Grade

Playing in the gym is great, and this activity is where students can play basketball or bowling! Each offers a fun experience for everyone to enjoy

Crochet and Needlework

2nd-5th Grade

Students will hone their skills spinning yarn and string into different patterns and designs. A chill club meant for those looking to have some fun learning.

Just Dance

All Grades

Students will follow along with the Just Dance video on the screen taking turns to decide which songs are boogied to next

Techdeck Club

1st- 5th Grade

Students will learn how to do gnarly tricks using tech decks! Small skateboards for your fingers. Will you be the next Toe-ny Hawk?

Fun Fridays

All students will participate in **Fun Fridays** this session. We will have a variety of choice activities. If students would like to propose a class or activity, they can do so.

ACTIVITY SIGN UP FORM

Session 1

September 22nd- November 21st

Please write a (**1**) next to the daily activity that they like the most of the ones offered, and a (**2**) next to their second choice.

Please fill out and return this form and return by Friday 9/19

STUDENT NAME:	GRADE:
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Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays
____Bracelet Making	____Active Games	____BEAP	____Bowling and Basketball
____Silly Science	____Around the World	____Lego Club	____Crochet and Needlework
____Soccer Fundamentals	____Melly Beads	____Roller Skating	____Just Dance
____Tag Games	____Shelburne Farms	____Super Hero Club	____TeckDeck Club

CLASS SWITCHING POLICY

After the first two weeks of the session, students will be able to switch their choice. This is to give them the opportunity to properly tryout what they signed up for. Some classes will have a limited supply of materials.

If students are interested in switching to a new activity, it will only depend on whether or not there are availbe spots and supplies to accomdate.

Need to Contact Us?

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