

SAS Extracurricular Programs

Parent Welcome Letter

Welcome to SAS Extracurricular Programs! We are excited and ready to have fun this Fall! Below you will find details of afternoon logistics, how to notify school of your child's dismissal to an extracurricular, and logistics of the afternoon. If you have questions not answered in this letter, email beth@myafterschoolprogram.com, include school your child attends and your questions! Beth Geurin, Extracurricular Program Director

PARENT RESPONSIBILITY ACTION ITEMS:

- FOR STUDENTS NOT ENROLLED IN SAS AFTERCARE FULL-TIME: THE FIRST DAY YOUR CHILD HAS AN EXTRAS class- the parent or caregiver must **write a note to the child's school day classroom teacher and front office letting them know that the child will have an extracurricular class that day THROUGH the week of December 5. This should be done for each day the child has a class on the FIRST day of the class only.** Students transition in from the Intermediate Campus should include bus numbers #12-767 girls and #19-927 boys in the note to teachers. If this dismissal from the school day note is not done, your child will be dismissed in their usual, established way.
- FOR STUDENTS THAT ARE ENROLLED IN SAS AFTER CARE FULL-TIME, you do not need to write a note to the child's classroom teacher. They will continue to dismiss to SAS aftercare where SAS aftercare will transition them to their extracurricular class.
- Parents should make sure your emergency contacts are updated in your Parent Portal account on www.myafterschoolprogram.com. **We will not release children to individuals not listed in your Parent Portal account.**
- **Parents and anyone picking up a child should be prepared to show ID EVERY TIME a child is picked up. There may be a substitute for the child's class and the safety of each child is our first concern.**
- **IF YOUR CHILD WILL BE ABSENT FROM A CLASS, PLEASE TEXT Ms. Cynthia, Program Coordinator at 404-985-7860 AND 404-693-5310 SAS aftercare (Co-Directors are Chela and Angel) by 2:00 TO LET THEM KNOW YOUR CHILD WILL BE ABSENT SO WE ARE NOT EXPECTING THEM.** FRONT OFFICE AND SCHOOL DAY CLASSROOM TEACHERS DO NOT SHARE SCHOOL DAY ABSENCE INFORMATION WITH US. Parents of absent children will be called by Ms. Cynthia our Program Coordinator after instructors report the names to our program monitor by 3:15 each day.

ALL THINGS DISMISSAL and MORE:

- **All classes take place at the Primary Campus at 370 Old Ivy Road.**
- At the *end of the school day*, Intermediate Campus Extracurricular students will be dismissed from their school day to APS busses first and will be bussed to the Primary Campus using #12-767 girls after school and #19-927 boys after school each afternoon they have a class. On arrival to Primary campus, they will transition to the GYM for attendance and to meet their instructor who will be identified holding a sign with the class name. Remind your student to report immediately to the gym when they get off bus at the Intermediate campus. We have a short period of time to take attendance. The program instructor and our staff program monitor are taking attendance and we need the Intermediate students to report to GYM, walking quickly after getting off the bus so we know they are on site.
- Primary Campus extracurricular students will be dismissed via afternoon school announcements to go to the GYM for their extracurricular class. There, the instructors will be waiting, holding a sign with the class name and attendance will be taken.
- At between 3:00-3:05 all students will transition with their instructor to their class space.
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- No snacks are to be consumed during the Extracurricular Programs time.
- SAS aftercare Full-Time students will be provided their snack after their extracurricular program has met for the day.
- If a SAS Drop-In student will go to aftercare the day their class meets (the drop-in fee will apply for this day) they will be provided a snack after their extracurricular program has met for the day.
- Parents of absent children will be called or texted after instructors report the names to our program monitor Ms Cynthia by 3:15 each day.

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- **END OF EXTRAS DISMISSAL- ALL FULL TIME SAS after care students will return to SAS at the end of their extracurricular class.** IF you want your full time SAS aftercare child to go to Extras dismissal carpool at the end of their class, please text the SAS aftercare Director Ms Chela at 404-693-5310 by 3:15 the day the child has a class. Students that will return to the SAS aftercare program will be met by a member of the aftercare staff near the front office so that they can transition back to SAS before all other students transition with the instructor to the carpool/walker dismissal area in the bus lanes.
- Carpool and walker dismissal students will be dismissed in the bus lane cul-de-sac. (go straight in at Primary campus entrance and join/make ONE car line when you drive onto campus). Pull all the way around the carpool circle; don't stop at the exit door- we need cars to pull all the way up when starting the carpool line.
- Please remind your student to follow the instructor's directions during dismissal. No running to a waiting car. Students must wait until their instructor has dismissed them. K-2 Students should be walked to their waiting vehicle by their instructor or the SAS Extras Program Coordinator, Ms. Cynthia. vehicle. Safety is our #1 priority! Please be patient.
- All persons, carpool or walker, picking up a student should be listed as a contact person in the student profile on www.myafterschoolprogram.com and should BE PREPARED TO SHOW ID AT ANY TIME DURING THE SEMESTER. This is for your child's safety- the instructors do not know you or your caregivers these first few weeks of programming. We do not want to release children to just anyone.
- If you are in a hurry and cannot wait in the line, park in a designated, non-parallel parking space, BIRNG YOUR ID, and walk to the dismissal area for your child to be dismissed from the building.
- **IF there is an emergency and someone other than a person listed as a contact in the student profile, the parent should notify Ms Cynthia, Extracurriculars Program Coordinator at 404-985-7860 (TEXT IS BEST) no later than 3:00 with the name of the person picking up the student and that person's cell number. THIS INDIVIDUAL IS REQUIRED TO SHOW A VALID ID to pick up your student.**

General schedule is below for your convenience along with some parent agreement reminders from the registration process.

- Registration is open only until Friday, September 9 at 8 PM. No additional registrations after that time will be made.
- Class refunds will only be given at rate of 50% of the class fee once a registration for a student has been completed in the registration system until September 23 at 5PM. After that, no refunds will be made.
- Class changes will be made until September 23 at 5PM. After that, no changes will be made.
- If a school system shut-down occurs at any time during this semester, we will place the programs on HOLD and resume once we return. If for some reason a class does not come back in person, you will be offered by the class provider to choose either a refund FROM THE CLASS PROVIDER, a virtual option or a credit for the next open semester.
- **PARENTS OF STUDENTS IN SECOND HOUR CLASSES REMINDER:** All second hour (HOUR 2 in BOLD below) class students are not permitted to be on campus in the hour after school dismissal and the second hour class beginning. Students in second hour classes can either transition into a second hour class from a first hour class, if enrolled; transition from the SAS aftercare program, if enrolled; be brought back to the school at the start of the second hour class by a parent or caregiver 5 minutes before class start time. (Hour 2 Chess students and Basketball should be brought to the Library entrance at the Primary campus 5 minutes before their class begins.).

NEED TO REACH US? Always feel free to reach out to Beth for registration issues, refunds, class changes, schedule questions, to contact a provider, joys or pains about a program or problems a child may be having in a class.

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Kim Bishop, Program Owner kim@myafterschoolprogram.com 404-433-6126

For general contact on the day your child has a class, reach out to:

Cynthia Moore (on site) Extras Program Day Coordinator 404-985-7860

Chela Parker (on site) chela@myafterschoolprogram.com 404-693-5310

Angel Jones (on site) angel@myafterschoolprogram.com our daily SAS Aftercare Co-Directors 404-693-5310

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GENERAL PROGRAM SCHEDULE IS ON PAGE 3

SAS FALL 2022 EXTRACURRICULAR PROGRAMS				
Course Name	Days	Times	Start Date	End Date
Bricks 4 Kidz Master Builders	MON	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/12/2022	12/05/2022
Drama with Atlanta Children's Theatre	MON	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/12/2022	12/05/2022
Karate Beginners and Advanced with Atlanta Karate	MON	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/12/2022	12/05/2022
Kidz Sportz	MON	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/12/2022	12/05/2022
STEM Velocity Lab	TUE	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/13/2022	12/06/2022
Find the Wild with Blue Heron Nature Preserve	TUE	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/13/2022	12/06/2022
Drawing Elements with Spunky Arts	TUE	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/13/2022	12/06/2022
Yoga with Grounded Kids	TUE	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/13/2022	12/06/2022
Lacrosse Level 1 with 411 Brand Athletics	TUE	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/13/2022	12/06/2022
Robotics Senior with Steam Powered Kids	WED	2:45 PM 4:30 PM	09/14/2022	12/07/2022
Kidz Tennis	WED	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/14/2022	12/07/2022
Robotics Junior with Steam Powered Kids	WED	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/14/2022	12/07/2022
Graphic Novel & Comics Creation	WED	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/14/2022	12/07/2022
Tap & Ballet with Studio Go Dance	WED	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/14/2022	12/07/2022
Chess FIRST HOUR with Kid Chess	THUR	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/15/2022	12/08/2022
Chess COMBO (both hours) with Kid Chess	THUR	2:45 PM 5:10 PM	09/15/2022	12/08/2022
Golf with OT Sports	THUR	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/15/2022	12/08/2022
Art & Facts Around the World with Vamos Chicos	THUR	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/15/2022	12/08/2022
Super Star Social Hour	THUR	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/15/2022	12/08/2022
Chess SECOND HOUR with Kid Chess	THUR	4:10 PM 5:10 PM	09/15/2022	12/08/2022
Basketball Level 1 with 411 Brand Athletics	FRI	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/16/2022	12/09/2022
Soccer with OT Sports	FRI	2:45 PM 4:00 PM	09/16/2022	12/09/2022
Kids TV - Video & Film Production	FRI	2:45 PM 4:15 PM	09/16/2022	12/09/2022
Basketball Level 2 with 411 Brand Athletics	FRI	4:00 PM 5:00 PM	09/16/2022	12/09/2022

PARENTS of STUDENTS IN SECOND HOUR CLASSES: REMINDER- students enrolled in a second hour extracurricular program (IN BOLD ABOVE) must transition either from a first hour extracurricular if enrolled, from the SAS after care program if enrolled, OR be brought back to the school by a parent or caregiver 5 minutes before the class start time. This is a My After School Program and SRS Elementary policy. No child is to remain on campus unattended in the hour after school day dismissal and the second hour extracurricular class beginning.