

**The After School Program
2008/2009 School Year**

Who: The After School Child Care Program is available to children enrolled in the Burlington Elementary Schools.

Where: The program is housed at the Francis Wyman Elementary School. The Program uses the cafeteria, as well as a large designated space with a complete kitchen, private bathrooms, access to the gym, computer lab, playground, and a private entrance for picking-up and dropping-off children. Transportation by school bus is provided from the Memorial, Pine Glen, and Fox Hill Schools.

When: The After School Program is available to kindergarten students from kindergarten dismissal until 6:00 p.m., or from kindergarten dismissal until 3:00 p.m. It is available to children in grades 1-5 from the afternoon dismissal until 6:00 p.m. Please see the registration form for registration options.

Cost: The After School Program does not charge registration or membership fees nor does it charge additional fees for special programs, field trips, transportation, or snacks.

# of Days Attending	Grades 1-5 Program 2:15 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Kindergarten Program 12:40 p.m.-6:00 p.m.	Kindergarten Program 12:40 p.m.-3:00 p.m.
5 days per week	\$95.00/wk	\$115.00/wk	\$60.00/wk
4 days per week	\$78.00/wk	\$96.00/wk	N/A
3 days per week	\$60.00/wk	\$75.00/wk	N/A

Staff: The After School Program is staffed by experienced elementary school teachers, childcare professionals, and assistants. A staff/child ratio of 1:9 is maintained in the kindergarten program. A staff/child ratio of 1:10 is maintained in grades one through five.

Activities: The After School Program offers a variety of educational and recreational activities throughout the school year such as yoga, creative theater, computers, sports programs, animal adventures, cooking, science, foreign languages, etc. New programs are developed throughout the year. Juice and snacks are provided for kindergartners upon arrival at the After School Program and for children in grades kindergarten through five at 3:15 p.m. All fees associated with activities and snacks are included in the weekly tuition rate.

No School Day Coverage: The After School Program provides childcare coverage from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on staff development/conference days, half days, and vacation days (the program will be closed on snow days and holidays). This service is provided at no additional cost to children enrolled in the 6:00 p.m. dismissal program. A child may attend the program on all no school days that the program is open even if a no school day falls on a day the child does not regularly attend the program. Kindergarten children dismissed at 3:00 p.m. are not eligible to attend the program on no school days; however, special arrangements may be made if child care is necessary.

To enroll your child in the After School Program: Complete and return a registration form along with a check made payable to the **Burlington Public Schools**. For children who are not currently enrolled in the After School Program, participation in the 2008/2009 After School Program will be determined by a lottery held during the week of **February 11, 2008**. Written confirmation of a child's enrollment status will be mailed within two weeks of the lottery. Enrollment preference will be given to children enrolling five days per week. For additional information, please call Laura Driscoll at 781-270-1708 or email ldriscoll@burlington.mec.edu.

**The After School Program Registration Form
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Child's Name: _____ Male ____ Female ____

Address: _____

Home Telephone #: _____ School: _____

Grade in Sept.: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

First Contact Name: _____ Relationship _____

Work #: _____

Second Contact Name: _____ Relationship _____

Work #: _____

Please complete if applicable:

First Contact's Cell#: _____ Second Contact Cell#: _____

First Contact's Pager #: _____ Second Contact Pager #: _____

First Contact's email: _____ Second Contact email: _____

Number of days/week your child will be attending the program: _____

If less than 5 days, please check days your child will be attending the program:

Monday _____, Tuesday _____, Wednesday _____, Thursday _____, Friday _____

Please check one:

___ I wish to enroll my kindergartner in the five day per week, **3:00 dismissal program**. Space permitting, Francis Wyman kindergartners may take the afternoon bus home with an older sibling. **Please note: participation during no school days is not included in the weekly rate.** I have enclosed a check for **\$60.***

___ I wish to enroll my child in the five day per week 6:00 p.m. dismissal program. Coverage on no school days is included in the weekly rate. I have enclosed a check for **\$95 (grades 1-5) or \$115 (kindergarten). ***

___ I wish to enroll my child in the four day per week 6:00 p.m. dismissal program. Coverage on no school days is included in the weekly rate. I have enclosed a check for **\$78 (grades 1-5) or \$96 (kindergarten). ***

___ I wish to enroll my child in the three day per week 6:00 p.m. dismissal program. Coverage on no school days is included in the weekly rate. I have enclosed a check for **\$60 (grades 1-5) or \$75 (kindergarten). ***

* Registrations may be mailed or delivered to Laura Driscoll at the Francis Wyman School, 41 Terrace Hall Avenue, Burlington, MA 01803. Please include a check made payable to the **Burlington Public Schools**. Deposits will be applied toward the tuition due for the first week of school. For children who are not currently enrolled in the After School Program, participation in the 2008/2009 After School Program will be determined by a lottery held during the week of February 11, 2008. Written confirmation of a child's enrollment status will be mailed within two weeks of the lottery. Enrollment preference will be given to children enrolling five days per week. **Once a child's registration has been accepted, deposits are not refundable.**