



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

SUCCESS IN SCHOOL AND LIFE

YMCA BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

THE NEED



Students not reading at grade level by third grade are more likely to drop out of school

These years lay a critical foundation for a child's ongoing development and success. Research has found that children who are ready for kindergarten are more likely to read proficiently by third grade, graduate high school, obtain employment and earn a higher income; and less likely to be involved in criminal behaviors and/or rely on financial assistance.



One in four children are left alone and unsupervised each evening

OUR RESPONSE

YMCA Before and After School Programs support academic achievement, foster health and wellness, and instill positive life skills. Academic activities are aligned with the school curriculum. The programs also help youth establish healthy habits. Kids have opportunities to develop skills such as leadership, responsibility and decision making, as well as build new relationships.

WHAT KIDS DO AND LEARN



HOMEWORK HELP & ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT



LITERACY



STEM



ARTS



HEALTHY EATING AND NUTRITION EDUCATION



PHYSICAL ACTIVITY



COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS



LEADERSHIP AND CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT



SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL



SERVICE LEARNING



FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

YMCA OF GREATER CINCINNATI IMPACT

4,000

YOUTH served annually, and approximately half require some form of financial assistance to participate



85% demonstrate skills needed for success in school and life

35% of at-risk students improved their reading and math grades



100% complete school and homework assignments



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