

# After School Enrichment Program

## March-April 2022

Dear Parents,

Berlin Elementary is excited to offer the students of Berlin Elementary School an After School Enrichment Program for 4 weeks. Classes will meet on the following; Thursday dates: March 17, March 24, March 31, and April 7. There will be no make-up days. The program will run from 3:15 p.m. until 4:15 p.m. with **PARENT PICK UP ONLY.** If you make arrangements for another adult to pick up your child, please be sure to list the person who will be picking up on the permission slip. If this changes, you would need to send in a note or call the school.

Students who participate in a program will be called to the cafeteria at dismissal time. From 3:00 - 3:15. **We will not have a nurse available after school, please keep this in mind with any medical history.**

The procedure for getting into a program are as follows: On the attached permission slip, students should make 3 choices. 1st is the first choice, 2nd is second choice and 3rd is the third choice. We will do our best to make sure students are given their first or second choice. Once students are placed in a group, you will be notified of what class they are in.

**Permissions slips must be returned by March 4th . Classes are formed on a first come, first serve basis and there is not a guarantee of a class after this date.**

The following is a list of programs we are pleased to offer.

***Please note that each program is open to specific grade levels.***

If you have any questions or concerns please email: Andrea Wolff at [awolff@berlincentral.org](mailto:awolff@berlincentral.org) or Kasey Hannigan at [khannigan@berlincentral.org](mailto:khannigan@berlincentral.org)  
Or call 518-658-1500 and we will respond as soon as possible.

### **1. Lego Club- Mrs. Corbett**

Students will show creativity as they build Lego creations! Each week will offer free play (with project ideas) and a time at the end of class for Show and Tell.

Open to grades K -5 Group Size: 15

### **2. Tech Club- Mrs. Wolff & HS Helpers**

Do you like coding? Want to learn how to create games on the chromebook? Students will dive into the world of technology and explore using chromebooks.

Open to grades 3rd-5th Group size: 10-15

### **3. Slime Club- Mrs. Leffler & Ms. Philip**

Discover different ways to create slime in this ooey, gooey, and hands on program. Each week a new type of slime will be created and taken home by each student.

Open to grades K-5 Group size: 10- 15 students

### **4. Fun with Board Games- Mr. Turetsky**

Come enjoy some technology free fun with friends. Older games, newer games and a chance for good old fashion, tech free fun! Feel free to share a board game too.

Open to grades K-2 Group size: 10-15 students

### **5. Dance Club- Mrs. Clark**

It's a dance party! Come shake it up with Mrs. Clark, learn some old and new fun dances. She has so much experience and loves to dance!

Open to grades 3-5 Group size: 15 students

### **6. Craft Club- Sam Gundrum & Lisa Sams**

In this program, students will create a different craft each week to take home using fun materials. This is geared toward younger students who like to express their creativity.

Open to grades K-2 Group size: 10 students

### **7. Nature Explorers-Dyken Pond**

Discover Nature!– This program explores nature and the connections between ourselves, all living things and planet Earth. Students will actively explore a different theme each week through hands-on, age-appropriate activities, games and crafts. Emphasis will be on native wildlife, outdoor living skill building, sensory awareness, creative thinking and having lots of fun while exploring the natural world around us. Children should be prepared to go outside for a portion of the class each week and dress accordingly.

Open to grades 1-5 Group size: 10 students

### **8. Cooking Fun!-Mrs. Rontey**

Please join us for some fun with cooking. We will learn how to measure while we cook a variety of delicious healthy treats! Come have fun with Mrs. Rontey with some food creations. (Please complete known allergy on permission slip)

Open to grades K-5 Group size: 10 students

### **9. Break-Out-Box!-Mrs. Mitchell**

What is a Breakout Box? In a Breakout Box activity, students work together and think critically to "break into" locked boxes. They must solve challenging puzzles and follow directions carefully to succeed. Are you ready to have some fun with the master of break-out-boxes, Mrs. Mitchell?

Open to grades K-5 Group size: 10-15 students

### **10. Paper Crafts - Mrs. Smith**

Are you creative? This group is geared more for older crafters. Some ideas are making your own cards and stationary, mod podge and much more. A new craft and technique every week!

Open to grades 3-5 Group size: 10-15 students

# ASE Permission Slip

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade/teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person picking child up \_\_\_\_\_  
(If someone other than who is listed, is picking up your child, you must call the school)  
Contact Number \_\_\_\_\_

## (MUST HAVE ATTACHED PERMISSION SLIP)

Please mark your 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice of programs:

_____ Lego Club	Dance Club _____	Cooking Club _____
_____ Tech Club	Craft Club K-2 _____	Breakout Boxes _____
_____ Slime Club	Nature Explorers _____	Paper Crafts _____
_____ Board Game Club		

Students are placed in classes on a first come, first serve basis. Please send this permission slip back to school as soon as possible so that classes can be created. All permission slips must be returned by Friday, March 4th.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ give permission for my child,

\_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the BES After School Enrichment Program. My child is in \_\_\_\_\_ grade with \_\_\_\_\_ as my teacher.

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Known allergies: \_\_\_\_\_