# **CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY - SKILLS**

The Skills for Success (S4S) program provides comprehensive, developmentally appropriate after-school activities, along with community support and education, for Centennial Elementary School students — <u>ALL FREE OF CHARGE</u>.

This after-school program provides opportunities that directly benefit the academic and social needs of each student with a focus on technology, engineering, teamwork, problem solving, reading, art and developing a positive self-concept. Skills for Success activities include academic support through homework help, as well as extracurricular enrichment.

## **DAILY SCHEDULE**

Skills for Success operates Monday through Thursday from 2:10p.m. - 4:45p.m. If you have to pick your child up before 3:30pm please go to the front office, after this time please contact the Centennial Skills for Success site coordinator Schreen Raboza at: (520) 329-1187 or (520) 696-8249. If there is no answer, please leave a message and she will return your call.

This school year, the program begins on **August 16**, **2021** and ends on **May 19**, **2022**. Depending on a student's grade level, the student can attend Skills for Success on certain days of the week:

MONDAY: 1st-3rd grades

TUESDAY: 1st-3rd grades

**WEDNESDAY**: 4th-6th grades

**THURSDAY**: 4th-6th grades

Student must attend both assigned days for the child's grade level to secure a spot in the program.

Our program is limited to 160 students total, so the chance of a waitlist is possible. Students are strongly encouraged to attend regularly, if repeated absences occur, their spot will be given to someone on our wait list. Skills for Success is closed on early-release days and no-school days. Please refer to the calendar in this brochure for specific dates of closure.

## **CLASS SCHEDULE**

Students will complete four 30-minute rotations consisting of homework help, and three additional enrichment classes like technology, reading/theater, board games and Lego club, depending on grade levels, after having a snack

Due to the structure of our program, and the importance of allowing students the exposure to different enrichment activities, the completion of student homework is not guaranteed.

### **AFTER-SCHOOL SNACK:**

An after-school snack is available to all students who are signed-in for Skills for Success. All snacks consist of at least two of the four major food groups and are prepared by Southwest FoodService Excellence, LLC. Yummyl

### **HOMEWORK:**

All students who attend SKILLS will go to a homework help group. Students are expected to bring their homework and work independently, or with support from the Skills teacher when needed. Due to the structure of our program and the importance of allowing students the exposure to different enrichment activities, the completion of student homework is not quaranteed.

### **ENRICHMENTS:**

All students who attend SKILLS will have the opportunity to rotate through our different enrichment classes. Rotations will occur every thirty minutes, allowing your student to have exposure to all of the different activities listed below.

**Technology (GRADES 1-6)-** Students will have exposure to typing and other computer skills during their technology rotation.

**Reading (GRADES 1-3)-** Students will practice their reading skills/comprehension and reinforce their understanding of the story through art, theater, and cooking.

**BOARD GAMES (GRADES 4-6)-** Problem solving, teamwork, perseverance, gross/fine motor skills, and sportsmanship are all skills students will refine and practice while playing different types of board games.

**Lego CLUB (GRADES 1-6)-** Engineering, science, math, reading and creativity skills will be challenged while students create different structures, independently or in groups, using a set of directions or building a structure of their own creation...

### **DISMISSAL**

### **PARENT PICK UP:**

Please make sure that you are on time when picking up your child from 545 by arriving at 4:40pm. Chronic tardiness to pick up your child can result in dismissal from the program.

### **FRee BUS HOMe:**

A bus is available to take students from Skills for Success home. The bus is only available to those who do not live within walking distance. The bus departs at 4:45p.m. Please refer to the transportation schedule included in this packet. If your child will be riding the bus home, you will need to complete the Bus Rider Form.

### **ATTEND THE Y.E.S. PROGRAM AFTER SKILLS:**

Please refer to the Y.E.S program page in this brochure for more information about signing up for after-SKILLS child care...

## SIGN-UP NOW

Please read, complete, and sign the attached Enrollment Form and Parent Agreement. Completed forms may be turned in at the school's front office or given to your child's teacher on or before Wednesday, August 11th.

If you have multiple children in your household signing up for SKILLS, you will only need to complete 1 enrollment form. Given the high interest in the program, securing a spot in SKILLS will be done through a lottery system. Your child will be sent home with a letter on Friday, August 13th stating their acceptance or waiting list status in the SKILLS program.

If you have any questions about SKILLS please call Schreen Raboza at (520) 696-8249

# **YES PROGRAM**

# Don't forget about Youth Enrichment Services!

# This is a separate fee-based program.

Youth Enrichment Services (YES) is a licensed childcare program operated by Flowing Wells Extension Programs, Inc. (FWEP), working in cooperation with the Flowing Wells School District. The YES Program is licensed by the Department of Health and the Department of Economic Security. YES is open before and after school from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. It is offered on half-days, for holidays, and during the summer.

At YES, the professionally trained staff members plan and conduct unique activities to help children build self-esteem and expand their knowledge. In addition to typical daily activities such as homework tutoring, arts and crafts, and drama, children have the opportunity to participate in community-service activities and other exciting events.

## Fees and Admission

Funding for the operation of YES is derived solely from tuition of the children who attend the program. There is an annual, non-refundable material fee of \$30.00 for the first child, \$25.00 for each additional child. Children are admitted on a space-available basis.

The YES rate is \$4.20 per hour per child. For certified Flowing Wells School District employees, the hourly rate is \$3.70 per child. Minimum billing time is one hour per day per child.

If you have any questions, please call (520) 887-2600 between 7:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m

# **CENTENNIAL SKILLS CALENDAR**

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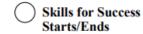
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SKILLS DOES NOT RUN ON SCHOOL HALF DAYS, HOLIDAYS, OR BREAKS.



# SKILLS FOR SUCCESS BUS RIDER INFORMATION

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Student Name:			
	Home Phone:		
Parent/Guardian Name:			
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Bus Stop:  For safety reasons, someone MUST meet			
Please list the individuals who may meet your siblings if desired. If your child is not met by o the school.	1st grade child a	at the bus stop including	older

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_