

JFK After School 2018-2019

Administered by ERfC in partnership with JFK Middle School

Available to all JFK Middle School Students

Join in all the After School Clubs!

Dear JFK Families,

Along with our partner, ERfC (Educational Resources for Children, Inc.), we are happy to bring you another great year of after school clubs!

JFK teachers and ERfC have developed a variety of academic, enrichment and recreational activities for all JFK students. With the expanded number of clubs, JFK students can enjoy time with friends from when the bell rings until 6:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Days and times are flexible to work with your family schedule.

How does JFK After School work?

Students can sign up for activities listed in the newsletter that begin right after school. A late bus will leave the school at 3:15 pm on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Or students can choose from a variety of club

soffered by ERfC up to 6:00 pm every day of the week.

Students need assistance with homework?

JFK After School has two homework blocks available with help from certified teachers, Monday through Thursday. They can attend a first block activity with a teacher, enroll in a sport, and still get their homework started or completed after school!

How do you enroll your children in JFK After School Clubs?

Our goal is to keep all kids safe after school. It is very important that we keep track of who is in the school building at all times. This year, we need to know if your children are staying after school for after school clubs. Parents must go online to www.ercinc.org to enroll your children. All teacher-led clubs from the end of the school

day to the 3:15 pm bus are provided free of charge. Additional JFK After School clubs have a small fee to participate. Financial assistance and scholarships are available. Every student is invited to join JFK After School!

Join me in encouraging your children to participate in the many great opportunities offered at JFK After School. Feel free to contact me or ERfC (860-253-9935 or email info@erc.us) if you have questions.

Regards,

Bob Fenton

Interim JFK Middle School Principal

JFK After School Clubs

All clubs are led by JFK teachers from 2:20 - 3:15 pm on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

After the teacher-led clubs end, students are invited to join extended day clubs at the ERfC JFK After School Center until 6:00 pm Monday through Friday. Schedules are flexible.

001 6th Grade Math Homework Help Club

Math help for 6th graders.

When: Wednesdays October - May

Where: Listen to announcements for room number.

Teachers: H. Wasileski, H. Delap, S. Hannagan, K. Worden, A. Rinaldi

002 Advanced 6th Grade Strings

When: Monday October - April

Teachers: R. Whinnem, A. Schell

003 Advanced 7th & 8th Grade Strings

When: Thursdays October- April

Teacher: R. Whinnem

004 Animal Protection Club

This club will meet to discuss animal right issues, raise awareness in our school communities, and fundraise money and supplies for local shelters.

When: Every other Thursday beginning October 4th

Where: 24W

Teacher: S. Cianci

005 Color Guard

When: Wednesdays & Thursdays September -October

Where: TBD

Teachers: K. Fitzsimons

006 Color Me Calm Club

Relax and color some cool and interesting designs.

When: Wednesdays beginning 9/17 **Where:** Admin 1

Teacher: L. Alpert, N. Wright

007 Cookies for Camouflage

Do you like to bake? Bake for our troops.

When: Wednesdays Sept. 12 - Nov. 14

Teachers: D. Dejordy, P. Millar, H. Teraila, R. Baillargeon, D. Curtin-McKenna

008 Creative Writing Club

Students interested in writing creatively together.

When: Starts 9/26 - meets every two weeks

Where: 18 R

Teacher: S. Chadbourne

009 Diversity Club

Strategies for the intolerance we observe in our school.

When: Mondays starting 9/25

Where: Innovation Lab

Teachers: H. Song, A. Szydowski, J. Cerrato, C. Thibadeau

010 Drama Club

The Drama Club puts on one musical each year in the spring. Students can get involved as actors, chorus members, hair/make-up artists and stage crew. This year's show will be revealed in the late fall and preparations will begin in early December. **When:** Starts Mid-November through May

Where: Auditorium/Cafeteria **Teachers:** K. Fitzsimons, K. Jacques

How to Register for JFK CLUBS

To register, use the attendance form on page 3 of this newsletter to mark your choices and then register online at www.ercinc.org.

ALL STUDENTS MUST BE REGISTERED ONLINE TO ATTEND!

JFK After School Clubs, led by teachers, operate until 3:15 pm on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday and are offered at no cost.

Students who attend extended day clubs at the JFK After School Center (listed on the back page) must complete a full ERfC registration form. These forms are required for JFK After School licensing. These clubs are offered on a sliding fee schedule. Financial assistance and scholarships are available. Students can participate in the JFK After School Center following the clubs offered by teachers or sport activities. Choose the days and times that work with your schedule. **Enrollment is now open at www.ercinc.org.**

JFK After School Clubs 2:20 - 3:15 pm

011 Dungeons & Dragons

Play D&D and have fun!

When: Starts October 4th

Where: 4R

Teacher: J. Willis

012 Flag Football

Play football, be part of a team and have some fun!

When: Starts September 26th and meets on Mondays for 6 weeks.

Where: Fields

Teachers: M. Misseri, D. Berkey, F. Provencher, S. Novak, G. Baliki, M. Nelson, B. Delaney, M. Baldwin, B. Evans, J. Bouchard, M. Vaughn, S. Sandborn

013 Film Club

Watch and discuss classic films.

When: Last Thursday of Every Month

Where: 19R

Teacher: J. Unghire, A. Tracy, G. Veloz, A. Muszynski

014 Friendship Closet

Students will make new friends by working together on a school-based community service project.

When: First Wednesday of Month

Teachers: K. Fitzgerald, M. Emery

015 Get Fit for a Cause Club

Get fit and raise money for a worthy cause.

When: Mondays & Thursdays Throughout December

Teacher: P. Estes, M. Tiroletto, R. Clarity

016 Guitar Club

Learn to play and/or write songs

When: By Announcement

Where: MRM 1

Teachers: J. Giacchi, L. Ewing

017 Higgins Team Homework Club

When: Day set weekly

Teacher: J. Gaudette, J. Behling, C. Reitz, A. Tracy

018 Ice Skating Club

Parent pick up and fee for those who choose to attend.

When: March—April

Where: Twin Rinks

Teachers: J. Gaudette, J. Behling, C. Reitz, A. Tracy

019 Independent Reading

Silent Independent reading of a book of your choosing.

When: Every Wednesday **Where:** 22R

Teacher: R. Grigely

020 Jane's Team

This club sponsors various activities to fundraise for the American Cancer Society. Members in good standing in the spring will be eligible to attend Relay for Life in Suffield in June.

When: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays Monthly **Where:** TBD

Teacher: K. Fawthrop, M. Denisky, K. Fitzsimons, S. Mayo, L. Alpert, S. Gorman

021 JFK Craft Club

The JFK Craft Club creates different crafts throughout the year. Members of the Craft Club work in groups to make seasonal crafts for home, friends, and family. There is a limit of 25 students for the club and students are encouraged to bring a friend. Students can choose which craft meetings they would like to attend depending on the craft that will be made during that particular meeting. At times, there may be a visiting crafter who will lead the group.

When: 3 times a year by announcements

Where: 16B

Teachers: S. Gorman, C. Reitz, C. Munroe, L. Littlejohn

022 Mindfulness Club

This club will discuss causes of stress and anxiety and how it affects us. We will also work on skills to help alleviate stress and anxiety.

When: Starting in October

Where: Guidance Conference Room

Teachers: K. Garvey, C. Munroe

023 North Team Homework Club

When: Mondays

Where: 27R

Teachers: J. Carra, T. Farrell, L. Cerpovicz

024 Owl Pellet Dissection

Dissect and identify findings within owl pellets

When: Sign up this fall for one of three 2 week sessions

Where: 12R

Teacher: L. Ewing

025 (P.A.W.S) Peers Are Welcome Support

Leadership development through activities focusing on good citizenship at JFK. Team—Building activities and projects.

When: Start Oct. 4th then runs every first Thursday of the month

Teacher: Officer Leger

026 Painting Club

Work on painting the back drop for school play.

When: Spring

Where: 21B

Teacher: A. Pascoe

027 Percussion Ensemble

Scheduled accordingly to involve the most amount of students, i.e.

Based on students interest/availability

When: TBD

Where: TBD

Teacher: J. Power

028 Rachel's Challenge

Be a part of enhancing JFK school culture with acts of kindness.

When: One Wednesday a month

Where: Library

Teachers: E. Beebe, D. Gilbert, K. Fitzgerald, L. Spazzarini, K. Tinnirella

029 Sculpture Club

Create large group sculptures using recycled objects.

When: January/ Listen to announcements

Where: 21R

Teachers: L.. Veturis, J. Young

030 Select Woodwind Ensemble

Scheduled accordingly to involve the most amount of students, i.e.

Based on students interest/availability

When: 1st and 2nd Quarter

Where: JFK Band Room

Teacher: J. Power

031 Select Band

Scheduled accordingly to involve the most amount of students, i.e.

Based on students interest/availability

When: 3rd & 4th Quarter

Where: JFK Band Room

Teacher: J. Power

**Enrollment is Now Open
for all JFK After School Clubs!**

www.ercinc.org

JFK After School Clubs 2:20 - 3:15 pm

032 Ski Club

The JFK Ski Club gives students the opportunity to learn and participate in the winter sport of skiing or snowboarding, for five weeks, with their friends and teachers. For a fee, students will have the opportunity to take lessons, rent ski/snowboard equipment, and purchase lift tickets. Round trip transportation will be provided on a coach bus. The students will leave JFK at 3pm and return at approximately 9:30pm to JFK Middle school. Parents must pick up students

When: Starting Friday January 18th and go for five Fridays, Ending March 1st. Our first informational meeting will be in October.

Teacher: J. Bouchard, S. Fix, J.Ceratto

033 South Team Science Help

When: Mondays

Where: 17R

Teachers: C. Humber

034 Twain Team Homework Help

When: Every Thursday starting 9/21

Teacher: J. Carrigan

Where: 29W

035 Ultimate Frisbee Club

Quick organized games.

When: May/June **Where:** TBD

Teacher: B. Zawodniak

036 Volleyball

All are welcome to play pick up games.

When: Wednesdays in October till Thanksgiving

Where: TBD

Teachers: D. Hill, E. Bradway, M. Vaughn

037 Wallop Team Homework Club

When: Give teacher prior notice if you are staying.

Where: TBD

Teacher: S. Groman, C. Munroe

038 Winter Game Club

Play different card and board games.

Where: 17B, 27B, or 29B

When: Wednesdays listen for announcements

Teachers: J. Behling, P. Page, J. Gaudette, A. Muszynski

039 Yearbook Club

Students will assist in all aspects of putting together the school yearbook, photography, design, and sales. Students will promote yearbook sales by making posters and distributing yearbook information along with taking photos for the yearbook.

When: TBD **Where:** TBD

Teachers: T. Langevin, K. Lavelle, R. McCann and A. Mitchell

040 Yoga Club

Yoga exercises

When: Listen for Announcements **Where:** TBD

Teachers: J. Connick and T. Michaud

041 The Social Club

When: One Wednesday a Month

Where: TBD

Teachers: K. Tinnirella

JFK AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Choose your activities and go online to register
at www.ercinc.org

Teacher-Led Clubs

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday

All activities end by 3:15 pm

Register online at www.ercinc.org

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JFK Extended Day Clubs

Monday through Friday

2:20 pm to 6:00 pm. Schedules are flexible.

**These activities operate
on early release days.**

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Register online at
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ERFC After School Center @ JFK

**Extended Day Clubs Operate from 2:30 pm to 6:00 pm
Monday through Friday—Flexible Schedules Available**

Extended day clubs are offered at the JFK After School Center. Students can join the JFK After School Center following clubs with teachers or sport activities. All JFK Middle School students are invited to participate. JFK After School Center Clubs operate in 8-week. New clubs will be added to the ERfC website.

Registration is open throughout the school year.

To register, complete an online application at www.ercinc.org or call 860-253-9935 for more information.

101—Homework Support

Want to complete your homework after school? Need help with certain subjects? At JFK After School, homework help is available Monday through Thursday. Be ready for the next school day and improve your grades. Begin or complete your homework for more relaxing time in the evening. You will have access to the computer lab or the school library for research and projects two to three days per week.

Meets: Monday - Thursday from 2:45-3:10 and 3:15-4:30 pm **Location:** Cafeteria
Instructors: Certified Teachers and Staff

102—Music and Movement

Learn to add movements to different kinds of music—including karaoke singing! Ease stress! This club will include yoga, creating instruments, and much more!

Meets: Mondays 4:00 – 5:30pm **Location:** Cafeteria
Instructor: B. Sulewski

103-Digital Photography

Come learn the basics of digital photography. Get hands-on experience inside and outside of the school using professional equipment, creating a portfolio, and printing out your best work to bring home! You will prepare a slide show to share with your family and friends at the end of the club cycle.

Meets: Mondays 4:00-5:30 **Location:** Begins in the cafeteria
Instructor: E. Goodchild, ERfC Media Specialist

104—Media Promotions

Polish your broadcasting skills and record your voice in this hands-on Digital Media club. Use professional recording and editing equipment as we create our own radio podcast together. Recordings will be presented via morning and afternoon school announcements and in other formats.

Meets: Tuesdays 4:00 – 5:30pm **Location:** Black Wing Computer Lab
Instructor: E. Goodchild, ERfC Media Specialist

105—Basketball

This fall, we will focus on playing basketball. Explore the rules and how to work as a team. Meets in the cafeteria. We will play in the gym and on one of the outside courts.

Meets: Tuesdays 4:00 – 5:30 pm **Location:** Cafeteria
Instructor: B. Sulewski

106- Videography Club

Create an interesting YouTube-styled video. Whether it be reaction, reviews, variety show, DIY, or gaming video—you will identify your own style of video and learn the ins and outs of producing with professional equipment.

Meets: Wednesdays 4:00pm – 5:30 pm **Location:** Black Wing Computer Lab
Instructor: E. Goodchild, ERfC Media Specialist

107- A Journey through Art

In this club, you will use a variety of mediums to create and complete projects that tell your own story and explore family connections and bonds. You will be using self-drying clay, paints, yarns, fabrics and much more to be able to express yourself in a wide range of colors and mediums.

Meets: Wednesdays 4:00 – 5:30 pm **Location:** Blue Wing
Instructor: F. Matos-Cruz

108—Oven Masters

Do you have a passion for cooking? Learn cooking techniques and the nutritional value of the recipes you prepare. Everything is made from scratch. *Tasting is a must!* Complete your cooking journey with a collection of new recipes. Learn to prepare menu items that are part of a daily balanced menu. You will build your collection starting with some basic recipes throughout the year.

Meets: Thursdays 4:00 – 5:30pm **Location:** Black wing/Cafeteria
Instructor: E. Goodchild

109—After School Sports

You will learn more about team and individual sports chosen by student interest. Join in the fun!

Meets: Thursdays 4:00—5:30pm **Location:** Cafeteria and outside space.
Instructors: B. Sulewski

110—Book Club

Read a variety of novels around the same theme/topic and join the group for an opportunity to read sections aloud and discuss with each other.

Meets: Fridays 4:00 – 5:30pm **Location:** Cafeteria
Instructor: Staff

111—Pursuing the Clues

Between Geocaching, Rubik's Cubes, and Escape Rooms, it's time to pursue the clue! You will work together and solve problems as a team, exploring the beauty of the outdoors, finding hidden objects, and then sharing your experiences online.

Meets: Fridays 4:00 – 5:30 pm **Location:** Cafeteria
Instructor: E. Goodchild, ERfC Media Specialist

The JFK After School Center

A safe place for kids to be with friends.

**Every JFK student can participate in
JFK Extended Day Clubs**

All clubs begin in the cafeteria.

Healthy snacks everyday. Time for Homework.

Flexible schedules.

Discounts for enrolling multiple children.

A sliding fee schedule based on income.

Financial assistance and scholarships are available.

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