

Greetings from Aftercare,

Welcome to the New Year in Aftercare, an extended day recreation program, available, for a fee, to children who are enrolled in Canyon Elementary School.

We offer a place where your child /children can play and have fun in a safe and nurturing environment.

Our KinderCare program runs from 1:00pm to 3:00pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday. All Kindergarteners participating in K-care are picked up from their class room at 1:00 pm and taken to the library for story time and check-in, then down to building C for fun and games.

Aftercare begins at 3:00 pm Monday through Friday and ends at 6:00 pm.

Our activities in aftercare are primarily unstructured although we regularly provide arts and crafts, sports skills, outdoor play, and organized games. We do not require children to participate, but we encourage them to do so. We have plenty of games and toys for them to play with.

All children have an opportunity to work on homework in a designated quiet area in building C. However we have no access to computers in Aftercare.

In Aftercare we provide two snacks daily, one around 2:00pm in KinderCare and another afternoon snack around 3:30pm in Aftercare. (If your child has any dietary restrictions please let us know.) Additionally, we escort and keep track of children choosing to participate in after school enrichment programs offered at Canyon School such as Piano, Violin, Mad Science, etc. (Please contact Sierra Filucci concerning enrichment programs).

#### **CASP GOALS**

To encourage a sense of free play and creativity, to build social relationships, and to encourage a "community school" concept.

To help develop respect for others and the school environment, to encourage responsible behavior and a positive attitude.

To promote a positive sense of self, within a group setting, and to encourage cooperation with others.

Sincerely,



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