



KEANSBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT



Family Friendly Center

Funded by the Department of Children and Families

Who Are We?



The Family Friendly Center offers a wide range of services to enhance after school programming. FFC collaborates with the school and the community to provide services in the core areas of education, recreation, social services and enrichment. This program stresses parental participation as well as partnerships among school and community stakeholders, to meet the particular needs of the student and parents.



Who is eligible?



Family Friendly Center is open to all students in grades K-4 after school. Parents or guardians can sign their children up to attend Enrichment Clubs throughout the 2015-2016 school year.



Location



- All clubs are held at Port Monmouth Road School.
- Students attending the program from Caruso Elementary will be bussed to Port Monmouth Road School at dismissal.



When are clubs?



- The Family Friendly Center Programs are offered in three sessions throughout the school year.
- There is registration for the Fall, Winter, and Spring Sessions.
- All clubs are held Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 3:10pm-4:25pm throughout the school year.
- Family Friendly Center is not in session on days when the Keansburg School District is closed or when the participating elementary schools have early dismissals.



What Clubs Are Offered?



- Being that there are three sessions of the Family Friendly Center throughout the school year, our club selection changes with each session. Some of club choices have included:
 - Lego Astronomy Fun Fitness
 - Readers Theater Yoga Pirates
 - Superheroes Mixed Media Art STEM



Registration



- Prior to each session there is a Registration Night where parents are invited to attend to sign their students up for the clubs they have expressed interest in.
- They are held from 6:00pm-7:00pm on three selected dates throughout the year.
- Club registration is on a first come first serve basis.



How Will I Know If My Child Is Accepted?



- Following registration, an acceptance letter will be sent home with your child with additional paperwork that needs to be filled out.
- The paperwork will include: Emergency Contact/Dismissal Forms, Student Handbook, and Bus Permission Slip (if student is from Caruso Elem.)



Attendance Policy



- Being that our program is for enrichment purposes and there are many students interested in attending, we ask that students and their families be committed to attending the program.
- After 3 unexcused absences your student will be asked to leave the program and we will call a student off of the wait list.