

Your Student's After-School Space

COME ON IN!

The library is your student's after-school space to connect, learn and grow through fun and educational activities. There's a lot going on! And it's free. Check us out.

For K-3 Students

Reading Buddies focuses on building skills and a love of reading. Kids practice reading for 15 minutes with an adult using books on their reading level and fun books they choose themselves.

For K-12 Students

School Help offers free academic support for K-12 students. They can stop in to get help with schoolwork or join in skill-building activities. Students will have access to computers and supplies with friendly staff and volunteers to guide them.

Please note we don't provide one-on-one tutoring.

For Teens (ages 12-17)

Teens Create Open Studio is a space in some of our locations where teens can explore their creativity, craft unique projects, create music, and connect with friends.

Visit columbuslibrary.org/teens for location information.

Come on in and make something!

- **Teens Create** focuses on hands-on learning and creation, ranging from art projects to STEM programs. These activities help teens build skills in communication, creative thinking, problem solving, and resilience.
- **Kids Create** offers activities to help children connect with others through creativity and exploration.

Looking for other after-school activities?

There's always something fun to do in our children's areas. Our staff have games, puzzles, writing activities, and art projects ready for kids to enjoy.

Being hungry makes it hard to have fun.

A free after-school snack is provided to children ages 0-18 at some of our locations, in partnership with Children's Hunger Alliance. Ask staff for more information.

Visit the library and make us part of your after-school routine. We're here to help you with your child's education. Do you have questions? Our staff are ready to help you find what you and your student need.

