

GENERAL COMPANY DESCRIPTION: “An Opportunity for Change”

The Mission of the ALD is an “innovative” extension of the learning day to meet the needs of all children by providing diverse learning experiences in and out of the school day for maximum effect! The team of ALD Educators recognize the need for high quality enrichment outside of the learning day that seamlessly aligns with what is taking place during the school day.

WHY CHOOSE ALD:

- Individualized and customized Personal Learning Plans that are created with collaboration from the learner, parent, classroom teacher and the ALD professionals
- A convenient and affordable after-school program focused on enriching the total learner
- Research-based instruction provided by our highly trained professionals and certified teachers
- Pre-Assessment, daily progress monitoring / monthly reporting and post testing to monitor your child's success

STATISTICS

- The most common activity for children after school is watching television- on average 23 hours a week. (A.C. Nielson and Company, 1992)
- In America today, 1 in 4 youth- 14.3 million children, among them are more than 40,000 kindergarteners- are alone and unsupervised after school. (America After 3 p.m., May 2004)
- More than seven thousand students drop out of school every day. (Alliance for Excellent Education, 2006)
- One of the most commonly cited reasons for this is that students simply do not have the literacy skills to keep up with the high school curriculum, which has become increasingly complex.” (Kamil, 2003; Snow & Biancarosa, 2003)



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ALD PROGRAM

ALIGNING THE LEARNING DAY



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Aligning the Learning Day Program is a comprehensive after-school enrichment program designed to meet each learner's individual needs in Grades Kindergarten through Six at your child's home school. High quality after-school programs are valuable contributions to young people's lives. Participating in these activities, on a consistent basis, offer the opportunity to build meaningful relationships with peers and adults. It is known to benefit young people socially, emotionally and academically. Through specialized training of certified early childhood and elementary educators, support staff, innovative learning systems, and a safe monitored learning environment, ALD is cutting edge in terms of child care.

This curriculum, coupled with the outstanding reputation and customer quality ensures a top shelf service for the children and the parents.

ALD PROGRAM INFORMATION

- To provide a safe, service based operation whose primary goal is achieve maximum effect of students learning time
- To provide a variety of enriching activities to benefit the child
- To provide opportunities that are engaging, varied and based on student interest
- To extend learning opportunities programs to meet the academic and social needs of students
- To provide Academic Support: homework help, tutoring, literacy activities, math clubs and more
- To provide Physical Activity: Basketball, Music, Dance and more
- Arts/Foreign Language
- Common Core + 21st Century Skills
- Services from the conclusion of the school day until 5:30pm
- \$50 yearly non-refundable registration fee per family
- Quarterly Contracts; Cost: \$20.00 per day
- Technology Based Instruction
- Follows School District Calendar/Schedule (including inclement weather schedule)

SYSTEM OF ACCOUNTABILITY

- All program educators and staff participate in professional development and training opportunities
- Program will track attendance, grades, and homework completion
- The program engages families as partners in their success
- The program will solicit feedback from children and their families about the program
- Staff-to-participant ratios and group size will enable the staff to meet the needs of participants
- The administration sets clear expectations for participant behavior and active, consistent participation

