



The Burlington Academy of Learning

Where Children and Families Are Celebrated!

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

An important part of the philosophy of *The Burlington Academy of Learning* focuses on support of the family unit and in doing so recognizes the need and desire for programs that extend beyond the school schedule. To fulfill this need, we offer extended hours through our Before School and After School Programs.

Our After School Program allows parents additional flexibility in their scheduling challenges! This program may be used regularly or on an "as needed" basis when parents simply need to meet other, unexpected, commitments.

For our After School Program, we are open until 6pm. This program is available for children in Nursery School through 5th Grade. Although *The Academy* school day ends at 3:15 pm or 3:30 pm (depending on the program), children of parents electing this option may stay at school up until 6:00pm. Students who attend the public schools may ride the bus to *The Academy* from Lake Garda, Harwinton Consolidated and Har-Bur Middle Schools. If parents need this service on a regular basis, we ask that you register your child in the Main Office. Forms are also available on www.burlingtonacademy.com. Parents who would like this program on an "as needed" basis, may do so by simply calling our Main Office. Children will be added to the attendance list and the billing office will invoice monthly for this additional program. The cost for this program is \$8/day if a child is picked up by 4:30pm and \$16/day for a child picked up any time after 4:30pm. (Please note: Children enrolled in one of our programs on a full-day basis or our Kindergarten Enrichment program are not charged for the After School Program.)

The After School Program is always held in Building Two, 4 Covey Road, which is the building to the *right* as you pull into the main driveway. If a child enrolled in one of our regular programs is attending our After School Program, (s)he will be escorted to the After School program by his/her classroom teacher or another staff member who will sign them in on the After School Program Attendance Sheet. If a child is taking a bus from one of the public schools, one of our staff members will meet the bus, walk the child to the After School Program and sign them in on the After School Program Attendance Sheet. All children must formally say "good-bye" to the After School Teacher and parents must "sign-out" their child in the attendance book.

Since it is the end of a school day for children, we like to allow them as much outside playtime as weather permits. When inside, they have open choices including arts & crafts, books, writing, puzzles, games, manipulatives and blocks. *The Academy* provides a nutritious snack each afternoon. We also offer our "Homework Club" where the older children can complete their homework under the guidance of a certified teacher. This is especially helpful for working parents who would like to have homework commitments completed early so they can enjoy a more relaxed evening with family. Additional one-on-one tutoring is also available as desired and/or needed.

We hope the convenience of this program is useful to you and we look forward to having your child(ren) with us in the After School Program!