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## YMCA PRE-KINDERGARTEN BEFORE & AFTER CARE PROGRAM

2024-2025

At the Y we believe the values and skills learned early on are vital building blocks for life. With so many demands on today's families, parents need all the support they can get. Child care provided by the Y is more than looking after kids. It's about nurturing their development by providing a safe place to learn foundational skills and develop healthy, trusting relationships. At the Y pre-kindergarten childcare program, kids can explore their unique talents and interests helping them to realize their potential.

### PROGRAM DATES

September 9, 2024-May 30, 2025

### PROGRAM HOURS

Monday – Friday

Before School Care: 6:30 a.m. – Start School

After School Care: School End – 6:00 p.m.

Y School Age Care will be closed on the following days: Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and the day following, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Memorial Day.

### LOCATIONS

YMCA Before & After School Care program is conveniently located in the gym and cafeteria of Pike Lake Education Center or Snail Lake Education Center.

### FEES

AM — TBD per session

PM — TBD per session

Children must be able to use the toilet independently.

### Y PRE-KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS ARE LOCATED IN PIKE LAKE EDUCATION CENTER AND SNAIL LAKE EDUCATION CENTER

Parents/guardians sign their children into the program in the morning, and YMCA staff will walk them to class when school starts. In the afternoon, the teachers and/or YMCA staff will walk the children from class to the YMCA program. Parents/guardians must sign them out at pick up time.

### REGISTER ONLINE AT [YMCANORTH.ORG](https://ymcanorth.org) Registrations will be available starting in May

Go to **Child Care**, then **School Age Care** to:

- Register online
- Download the Parent Handbook
- Find needed forms
- Read program descriptions
- Find additional billing and program information

If you need further assistance, contact  
**612-230-9622** or [ymcanorth.org/contact\\_us](https://ymcanorth.org/contact_us)



## CURRICULUM AREAS OF FOCUS:

- Arts and Humanities
- Science, Technology, Engineering & Math (STEM)
- Service Learning
- Health and Fitness
- Academic Enrichment & Literacy
- Social Emotional Learning

Kids are given activity choices where they make friends, learn, play and thrive. Exciting themes guide each week's activities to keep kids engaged.

# YMCA BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

**Limited spots available — Register early**

**Register online at [ymcanorth.org](https://ymcanorth.org)** in order to secure spot or print a registration form and mail it in to: YMCA Customer Service Center, 651 Nicollet Mall, Suite 500, Minneapolis, MN 55402.

Registration must be accompanied by \$50 registration fee for each child unless you register within the promotional savings period. You may authorize weekly automatic electronic fund transfer (EFT) on your registration form.

**Parent Handbook** — The Parent Handbook is available online at [ymcanorth.org](https://ymcanorth.org).

**3-session Minimum** — You must register your child for at least 3 sessions per week. You may combine sessions to meet the minimum. Parents can manage their child's schedule in their online account at "My Childcare".

**Add Sessions** — Parents may add sessions for a \$1 additional fee per session up to Monday one week prior to the week of service. After that time, the additional fee for adding sessions is \$2 per session.

**Permanent Changes to Schedule** — Requires submitted request to Customer Service portal at [ymcanorth.org/contact\\_us](https://ymcanorth.org/contact_us) by Monday, 1 week prior to service.

**Personal Pricing Plan** — We look forward to having you with us! The Personal Pricing Plan is a needs-based scholarship fund made available through Y Annual Fund — individual and business contributions to our communities. Learn more about YMCA Scholarships and apply online at [ymcanorth.org/scholarships](https://ymcanorth.org/scholarships). If you have questions, please contact **612-230-9622**.

**Questions or Concerns** — please contact the Customer Service Center at **612-230-9622** or [ymcanorth.org/contact\\_us](https://ymcanorth.org/contact_us).



At the Y, we build self-reliance and healthy skills for life through the Y values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility.