



2025-2026 AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM

August 11, 2025-May 15, 2026

PURPOSE: The purpose of the After-School Program is to provide a safe and positive place for children who remain on campus after academic hours. We are mindful of the reality that these students have been in school all day. We will provide time for homework and fun activities, as well as help students build meaningful relationships with peers, adults, and rhetoric school counselors.

Students must be registered for the After School Program before attending. Register now in the event you may need to utilize the program.

- **TIME:** 2:30 P.M. – 5:15 P.M. Monday through Friday; **NOTE:** No program on Early Release Days or Grandparents Day
- **FEES:** There is a one-time \$25 per family registration fee. Families must register your child(ren) on the Veracross Parent Portal before the first day you plan to have them attend the After-School Program. The **daily fee** is **\$9.00** regardless of the amount of time the child stays.
 - **NOTE:** After 5:15 P.M., the cost will increase to \$1 per minute.
- **BILLING:** A daily record of attendance is kept by the After-School Programs. Families will be billed once a month through the CCS billing office.
- **DROP-IN CARE:** After registering, students may attend on a day-by-day basis as needed.
- **DIRECTOR:** Mimi Ramos - mramos@carychristianschool.org; 919-917-8927 (CCS cellphone)

WHO SHOULD ATTEND AN AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM?

All K-8 students who are staying past their carpool time (without other designated adult supervision):

- The student is not picked up at the regular release/carpool time.
- The student is not with a parent or teacher.
- The student is waiting to participate in an athletic team practice or game, unless they are waiting in the area designated by the coach and are being supervised by a coach, assistant coach, or a parent volunteer.
- The student is waiting to attend an athletic or other after-school event (ex. tutoring, study session, drama practice, or music lesson).
- Children of on-duty CCS staff and children of in-season CCS coaches.
- Younger students may be released to an older sibling who is responsible for driving the student home, otherwise, a parent must pick up the student.

GRADES K-5: All K-5 students who are not picked up at the regular release/carpool time should be in after school care. Students must be registered by their parent before they can attend After School Care. **NOTE:** Register your child now in the event you may need to utilize the program.

GRADES 6-8: All Logic students who are not picked up at the regular release/carpool time will go to the Commons Area. They will sign in before waiting in the Commons Area. They will follow the Rhetoric School expectations (no phones or other technology) until 4:00 P.M. This will be a time to study as the school day is still in session. It is the parent's responsibility to communicate expectations with their child. **By 4:00 P.M., all Logic Students should be picked up by their parent/supervising adult or attending a sports/art event. The facility closes at 4:00 P.-M.**

SNACKS: send a snack for your child as they are often hungry after a full academic day. The vending machine is not available to students in the After-School program.

PICK-UP for K-5 AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM: TEXT Mimi Ramos at (919) 917-8927 and your child will be walked out to your car. Please do not text to have your child released until you are at the school.