## Registration

**Students must be pre-registered to attend CASE.** Registration is available online only via our Special Programs system powered by CampBrain. For detailed information on fees and procedures, and to register for C.A.S.E., please visit:

www.columbusacademy.org/case

The after school program will use the personal data you provide in the case of emergency, as well as for authorization of those who will pick up your child.

### **Program Fees**

The C.A.S.E. program fee structure is divided into four quarters as determined by the school calendar.

| 1st quarter | August 22 - October 24  |  |
|-------------|-------------------------|--|
| 2nd quarter | October 25 - January 12 |  |
| 3rd quarter | January 16 - March 15   |  |
| 4th quarter | April 1 - May 30        |  |

Fees are assessed as follows:

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| 5 days per week                             | \$1035.00 per quarter |  |
|---|-----------------------|--|
| Daily drop-in rate                          | \$27.50 per day       |  |
| Daily drop-in rate after specified programs | \$14.50 per day       |  |

If you do not need full-time C.A.S.E. 5 days per week, you will select the drop-in rate and be billed each month for the days attended.

Director of Special Programs ...... 614-509-2529

Special Programs Office ...... 614-509-2267 programs@columbusacademy.org

# After School Activities Fall/Winter/Spring

All students registered for After School Activities (A.S.A.) programs will report to the Schoedinger Theatre Lobby directly after school. C.A.S.E. will provide a snack and students will be picked up by their instructor for their A.S.A. programs at 3:30 pm. At 4:30 pm, ASA programing ends and participants will be directed to ASA carpool located at the front of the lower school. If students are not picked up by 4:45 pm, they will be checked into C.A.S.E. at the \$14.50 partial day drop-in rate if they are pre-registered for C.A.S.E. Parents must inform their child's classroom teacher of their A.S.A. registration to ensure the child is sent to the proper after school location.





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**Columbus Academy** 





C.A.S.E.

Children's After School Experience 2023-24

updated: February 2023

## Lower and Middle School C.A.S.E.

Columbus Academy's Children's After School Experience (C.A.S.E.) is a childcare program which provides a safe, supervised environment for CA students during the transitional time between the school day and the evening at home. For safety reasons, any child on campus after the school day is over between 3:15-3:20 pm, who is not in a school sport or other supervised activity, must attend C.A.S.E. and pre-registration is required.

#### *Hours*

C.A.S.E. is available from 3:15 pm to 6:00 pm daily. It is very important to make arrangements to have your child(ren) picked up no later than 6:00 pm. If your child remains in the C.A.S.E. program after 6:00 pm, you will be assessed a \$1.00 per minute charge for every minute thereafter.

#### Dress Code

Children are not permitted to change clothing for C.A.S.E. They are expected to stay in dress code.

#### **Pickup Procedure**

When picking your child(ren) up from C.A.S.E., parents/guardians should remain in your car and call (614) 509-2240. After you relay their name(s) to the C.A.S.E. staff member, they will:

- Be brought to the main C.A.S.E. desk
- Signed out
- Escorted to your car in Academy Circle

#### PLEASE NOTE:

If your child misses the bus, or if you are late coming to carpool, your child will be sent to the Lower School Office if your child is not preregistered for C.A.S.E.

| Explorers-PK           | K-1st   2nd-3rd       | 4th & 5th              | Middle School         |
|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| CASE is a highly       | These divisions dive  | Our 4th & 5th division | Homework is our #1    |
| engaging community     | deep into our themes  | creates a supportive   | priority in Middle    |
| for our Early          | of the week with the  | atmosphere to build a  | School CASE. Once     |
| Childhood friends.     | use of books, crafts, | community with their   | homework has          |
| This division enjoys   | and games. Our        | peers through theme-   | been completed,       |
| read-alouds, daily     | CASE staff creates a  | based activities,      | community and         |
| crafts, and games      | neighborhood-like     | outdoor play and       | creativity become     |
| all centered around    | atmosphere while      | sports, service-based  | next on the list!     |
| our theme of the       | they explore          | projects, and more!    | Students are provided |
| week. Our staff        | different topics      | The 4th and 5th        | with a weekly cart    |
| differentiates these   | such as the ocean,    | group enjoys time      | full of materials     |
| activities based on    | inventors, and        | outdoors around        | with themes such as   |
| developmental needs.   | archeology. The K     | campus as often as     | robotics, jewelry/    |
| Our CASE staff also    | through 3rd groups    | possible. If weather   | keychain making,      |
| ensures our students   | also enjoy time on    | does not allow us to   | canvas painting,      |
| have active and        | the Lower School      | be outside, we have    | board games, and      |
| engaging outdoor       | playground with       | indoor basketball      | more! This group      |
| play, with indoor      | indoor activities     | hoops and other        | enjoys time at        |
| activities available   | available during      | active and engaging    | different outdoor     |
| during inclement       | inclement weather.    | activities. This       | locations on          |
| weather. Students      | Students are offered  | division is offered    | campus. Our middle    |
| are offered an         | an afternoon snack    | an afternoon snack     | schoolers receive an  |
| afternoon snack and    | option and a light    | option and a light     | afternoon snack and   |
| a light early- evening | early-evening snack.  | early-evening snack.   | a light early-evening |
| snack.                 |                       |                        | snack.                |

All students are offered a quiet atmosphere to complete homework throughout the week.

#### Alternative Schedule Procedures

Professional Development Days: November 2-3, April 22

On professional development days, both Lower School C.A.S.E. and Middle School C.A.S.E. will be closed.

Conference Dates for Lower School: Aug. 31st (Back to School Night), Sept. 1, Oct. 19-20, March 7-8

Conference Dates for Middle School: Sept. 7 (Back to School Night), Oct. 18-20, March 7-8

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

C.A.S.E. will be available on the Wednesday of each conference series and only for registered C.A.S.E. students.