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.

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Fees are assessed as follows:

- **5 days per week**: $1075.00 per quarter
- **Daily drop-in rate**: $28.50 per day
- **Daily drop-in rate after specified programs**: $15.00 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.

Contact
C.A.S.E. ................................... 614-509-2240
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 programming 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 $15.00 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

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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 pre-registered for C.A.S.E.

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### Alternative Schedule Procedures

**Professional Development Days:**

November 8, April 21

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. 29th (Back to School Night), Aug. 30th, Oct. 17-18, March 6-7

**Conference Dates for Middle School:**

Sept. 5 (Back to School Night), Oct. 16-18, March 5-7

**IMPORTANT NOTE:**
C.A.S.E. will be available ONLY on the Wednesday of each conference series and ONLY for registered C.A.S.E. students.

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### Explorers-PK

CASE is a highly engaging community for our Early Childhood friends. This division enjoys read-alouds, daily crafts, and games all centered around our theme of the week. Our staff differentiates these activities based on developmental needs. Our CASE staff also ensures our students have active and engaging outdoor play, with indoor activities available during inclement weather. Students are offered an afternoon snack and a light early-evening snack.

### K-1st | 2nd-3rd

These divisions dive deep into our themes of the week with the use of books, crafts, and games. Our CASE staff creates a neighborhood-like atmosphere while they explore different topics such as the ocean, inventors, and archeology. The K through 3rd groups also enjoy time on the Lower School playground with indoor activities available during inclement weather. Students are offered an afternoon snack option and a light early-evening snack.

### 4th & 5th

Our 4th & 5th division creates a supportive atmosphere to build a community with their peers through theme-based activities, outdoor play and sports, service-based projects, and more! The 4th and 5th group enjoys time outdoors around campus as often as possible. If weather does not allow us to be outside, we have indoor basketball hoops and other active and engaging activities. This division is offered an afternoon snack option and a light early-evening snack.

### Middle School

Homework is our #1 priority in Middle School CASE. Once homework has been completed, community and creativity become next on the list! Students are provided with a weekly cart full of materials with themes such as robotics, jewelry/keychain making, canvas painting, board games, and more! This group enjoys time at different outdoor locations on campus. Our middle schoolers receive an afternoon snack and a light early-evening snack.

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