

December 2024

Gateway Elementary

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BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SOUTHERN UTAH

The mission of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Utah County is to inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive and responsible citizens and leaders.



Our Social Emotional Learning Focus this month is: Self Awareness with Our Feelings, Attention to Our Feelings, Gratitude & Frustration

Happy Birthday



- 12/11 Liam
- 12/13 Quinn
- 12/13 Elishai
- 12/13 Charlotte
- 12/14 Deacon
- 12/15/ Gio
- 12/22 Hudson
- 12/31 Grace

UPCOMING EVENTS

Gateway Winter Carnival
December 5
6:00-8:00pm
Free Entry for BGC Members

Winter Break
December 20-January 6

CLUB CLOSED

Friday, December 20
December 23-January 6



Get To Know



Hi Everyone! I'm Zhane and I am so excited to be back with BGC as Program Manager! I love working with children. Being part of their growth and development fills my heart with joy! When I'm not working I love to read, listen to music, crochet, and watch Korean dramas. I look forward to a great rest of the school year!

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PARENT RESOURCES

- [Parent Handbook](#)
- [Membership Handbook](#)

Project Learn

Monday & Wednesday

K/1: 4:20-4:55

4/5: 3:40-4:15

Tuesday & Thursday

2/3 Purple Group: 3:50-4:35

2/3 Blue Group: 4:40-5:25

Wednesday & Thursday Homework Help

Students will have the opportunity to work on homework, class projects, and assignments. Students will also engage in math and reading through grade appropriate games, projects, and activities

STEM Labs

Monday & Wednesday

2/3 Blue Group: 3:40-4:15

2/3 Purple Group: 4:20-4:55

Tuesday & Thursday

K/1: 3:40-4:15

4/5: 4:20-4:55

Clubs & Enrichment

See Detailed Description Below

Monday & Wednesday

K/1 Afterschool Club: 3:40-4:15

4/5: Afterschool Club 4:20-4:55

Tuesday & Thursday

2/3 Afterschool Club Blue Group:

3:40-4:15

2/3 Afterschool Club Purple Group:

4:20-4:55

Tuesday

K/1A Group: Lego-Robotics 3:30-4:30

K/5 Option: ASL Club 4:05-4:50

Fridays

Afterschool Fun Friday Club, PE Club,

Creation Club 4:05-4:55

These activities are age appropriate, tactile, and fun.

They promote learning in a playful way, that

encourages students to try new things, and

encourages team building along the way.

Social Emotional Learning

(Prevention & Behavior)

Positive Action & SmartMoves

Monday & Wednesday-Positive Action

2/3 Purple Group: 3:50-4:35

2/3 Blue Group: 4:40-5:25

Tuesday & Thursday-Positive Action

4/5: 3:50-4:35

K/1: 4:40-5:25

Friday: SmartMoves

K/5: 1:25-2:20

This time will be centered around learning ways to develop our sense of self, how we can better ourselves and improve our relationships with those around us. We will focus on identifying emotions, learning healthy coping skills, and building healthy relationships with peers.



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Daily Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
K/1-Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Afterschool Club 4:20-4:55 Project Learn/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 2/3 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Social Emotional Learning: Positive Action 4:20-4:55 STEM/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 4/5 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:55 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Project Learn 4:20-4:55 Afterschool Club/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick-up	K/1-Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 STEM 4:20-4:55 Social Emotional Learning: Positive Action/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 2/3 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:55 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Project Learn 4:00-5:00 2/5 ASL Club 4:20-4:55 Afterschool Club/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 4/5 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Social Emotional Learning: Positive Action 4:00-5:00 2/5 ASL Club 4:20-4:55 STEM/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick-up	K/1-Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Afterschool Club 4:20-4:55 Project Learn/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 2/3 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Social Emotional Learning: Positive Action 4:20-4:55 STEM/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 4/5 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:55 Snack/Recess 3:00-5:00 Lego Robotics 3:40-4:15 Project Learn 4:20-4:55 Afterschool Club/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick-up	K/1-Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 STEM 4:20-4:55 Social Emotional Learning: Positive Action/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 2/3 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:55 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Project Learn 4:20-4:55 Afterschool Club/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick up 4/5 Lunch Room-Check-in 2:50-3:35 Snack/Recess 3:40-4:15 Social Emotional Learning: Positive Action 4:20-4:55 STEM/Snack 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities 5:30 Parent Pick-up	K1: Lunch Room-Check-in 12:50-1:25 Check-in/Recess 1:35-2:05 K/1 Sharing & Small Snack 2:05-3:15 After School Club Fun Friday Activity, Reading mentors 3:20-4:00 Big Snack/Recess 4:05-4:55 Project Learn 5:00-5:30 Choice Activities in Gym 2/5: Lunch Room Check-in 12:50-1:25 Check-in/Recess 1:35-2:10 Book Club & Small Snack 2:15-3:15 Afterschool Club Fun Friday Activity & Homework Help 3:20-4:00 Big Snack/Recess 4:05-4:50 Club Choice (2/5) 4:55-5:30 Choice Activities

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December Club & Activity Details

Message to Parents:

Seasons Greetings! December is here and we are excited to jump into winter and holiday fun during after school time. Activities and clubs this month will offer a variety of ways to get up and move, create fun new crafts, and engage with the winter season and all of the joy and holiday cheer that it offers. Thank you for sharing your children with us. We are so proud of the connections and friendships that kids have made over the past few months. We love being a part of their growth and learning, and value each of their individual contributions to our after school community. We wish you and yours all the love, warmth and joy that your cups can hold!

PE Club with Mrs. Goodrich:

Fridays 4:05-4:50

During this club, students will learn how to play a variety of different physical education activities such as sharks and minnows, red light green light, completing obstacle courses and more! This club will run December-January and is guaranteed to be a fun way to get kids up and moving!

Week 1: Learn/play red light green light. Students will take turns being the “light” and learn how to listen and follow the rules of the game.

Week 2: Learn/play sharks and minnows. Students will take turns starting the shark game. Learn the safe places to tag another student (U.S.A: Upper back, shoulders, and arms).

Week 3: Learn/play the game switch. (Refer to jumpstart notes for rules of the game)

Week 4: Students will learn different tricks with a hola hoop.

Week 5: Students will learn/play the head shoulders knees and toes game.

Week 6: Students will learn/play Rock, Paper, Scissors, Rockstar. (Refer to jumpstart notes for the rules of the game)

Week 7: Complete different types of relay races on different teams. Students will work together to complete the relay races as quickly as they can.

Week 8: Creating and completing obstacle courses. Students will be given different materials that they can create an obstacle course out of. While looking at the different materials, they will design an obstacle course on a piece of paper. Then we will go through each design while the student who created the design facilitates the course.



Creation Club with Miss Halli

Fridays 4:05-4:50

During the month of December kids can participate in the Creation Club with Miss Halli! Each week students will be given the tools and instruction to create a variety of arts and crafts 'pieces'. From jewelry to clay work this club will let kids' creations shine.

Week 1: Students will learn how to work with clay, and will create their own beads for jewelry making

Week 2: Students will learn a simple crochet stitch and pattern and make their own towel/oven mitt

Week 3: Students will work with clay again this week. They will be asked to create a spoon rest that they will decorate and share with their families.

Book Club with Miss Halli

Fridays 1:35-2:10

Miss Halli will be choosing fun books to read together during this time. After each book, each child will get the opportunity to do a fun craft or activity based on the reading for that day.

K/5 Afterschool Club with Miss Avery & Mrs. Goodrich

Monday-Thursday 3:40-4:15 & 4:20-4:55

Fridays 2:15-3:15

Miss Avery and Mrs. Goodrich will be exploring our weekly themes and reinforcing what we have learned in our Positive Action and SmartMoves lessons over the course of the month. December is the month for winter and holiday fun!. Children will create their own snowflakes and snowmen, create sledding courses, find ways to create joy for themselves and for the people around them through generosity and a giving spirit. Children will also share their families holiday traditions and create fun crafts to add to the festive vibe to their homes.

4/5 Lego Robotics with Mrs. Thorpe

Wednesday 3:15-5:15

In LEGO League, students engage in hands-on STEM experiences, building confidence, growing their knowledge and developing habits of learning. The program teaches six core values: discovery, innovation, impact, inclusion, teamwork, and fun. This club is geared specifically toward 4-8 grade students. Each student will get the opportunity to build and learn at an age appropriate level.

2/5 American Sign Language (ASL) Club with Mrs. Gregerson

Tuesdays 4:00-5:00

By beginning at the basics like the alphabet, basic verbs, and simple communication, students will learn to communicate through American Sign Language. This non-verbal communication will be learned through repetition and muscle memory. An important part of this club is also deaf culture and history.



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Lastly, we know this time of year can be especially challenging emotionally and financially, so we wanted to list a few extra resources that are available in our community this time of year and always—

***Boys and Girls Club** also provides food, housing, and mental health resources. Please, please, please reach out to us for more info on these important services. We are here to help in any way we can!

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Food Pantries:

Iron County Care & Share Food Bank

Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am-12pm, 1pm-3pm

Address: 222 West 900 North Cedar City, UT 84720

Phone Number: (435) 586-4962

True Life Center

(The Food Pantry is open to everyone in the community and does not require income or household verification)

Hours: Wednesday 2:00 to 6:00 PM

Address: 2111 N. Main St. Cedar City, UT 84721

Phone Number: (435) 867-0405

Shelter Services:

Canyon Creek Services

Free, confidential, and comprehensive emergency housing and services to individuals and families who have been impacted by domestic violence and sexual assault

Address: 297 N Cove Drive, Cedar City, UT 84720

Phone Number: 435-867-9411

Monday - Friday, 9 AM - 5 PM

Hotline: 435-233-5732

Available 24/7

Iron County Care & Share Emergency Housing

Address: 244 West 900 North, Cedar City, UT, 84721

Phone Number: 435-586-5142



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