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October 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian:

I am excited to inform you that the Elizabeth Public Schools will once again provide academic and athletic after school and Saturday programs during the 2024-2025 school year.

Students enrolled in our after school and Saturday programs can anticipate toptier instruction designed to elevate their academic, athletic, and artistic skills. We have even included a Port of Entry afterschool program to meet the needs of entrant elementary English language learning (ELL) students by offering academic and social emotional supports.

After reviewing the various programs available, you may enroll your child into programs in which they are eligible to participate by completing the online form or registration as directed by the departments who operate each respective program.

We look forward to providing your children with rewarding academic, social emotional, and athletic programs that enhance their learning experience.

Very truly yours,

Dr. Olga Hugelmeyer

# ELEMENTARY PROGRAMS





### ACADEMIC ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS / MATHEMATICS AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

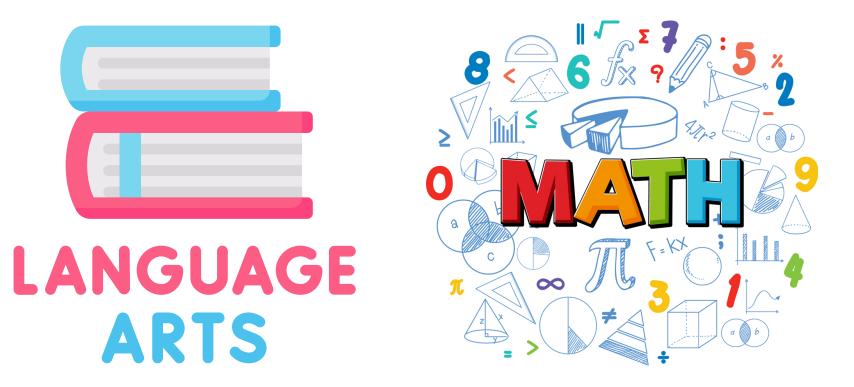
Grades K-8 students will be offered an academic program focusing on English Language Arts and Mathematics standards. Students will learn through an adaptive, personalized experience utilizing SuccessMaker. You will be notified by your principal if your child needs to attend. The selection of the students for participation in the program is based on ELA and Mathematics academic needs.

The ASP-Academic Program will include "Homework Help" for the first ten (10) minutes and SuccessMaker will be implemented for the remaining fifty (50) minutes of the program daily. General Education and In-class Support students will be included.

**Date:** October 15, 2024 – May 1, 2025 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday

**Time:** 3:05 PM-4:05 PM

**Transportation:** None





### POINT OF ENTRY AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

This afterschool program is designed for new entrant elementary ELL students. The purpose of the program is to provide students with scaffolded grade level instruction in ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies via engaging activities. Social emotional support and activities is provided by our district bilingual psychologist. **You will be notified by your principal if your child needs to attend.** The selection of the students for participation in the program is based on ELA and Mathematics academic needs.

Date: October 15, 2024 – May 1, 2025 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday

Time: 3:05 PM-4:05 PM

Transportation: None



### SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM ESL Point of Entry Program

This program is offered to students in the ESL Point of Entry program. Our Bilingual Psychologist will conduct social emotional learning activities and sessions with students in the ESL Point of Entry program. **You will be notified by your principal if your child needs to attend.** The selection of the students for participation in the program based on ESL academic needs.

Date: October 15, 2024 – June 6, 2025 Monday - Thursday and Saturday

Time: 3:05 PM-4:05 PM

Transportation: None



### SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

The Elizabeth Public School's K-12 Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) After School Program is designed to empower students with essential life skills. **Your School Counselor or School Social Worker will reach out to discuss the benefits of your child attending this program.** The program offers a safe and supportive environment where children can explore their emotions, develop empathy, and strengthen their interpersonal skills through group discussions, arts and crafts, team-building exercises, and mindfulness practices. This program is led by our School Counselors and School-based Social Workers.

Date: October 22, 2024 – May 22, 2025 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday

**Time:** 3:05 PM-4:05 PM (K-8) 2:30 PM-3:30PM (9-12)

Transportation: None



### ARTS ENRICHMENT AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

The Arts Enrichment Afterschool Program is a stimulating program that blends the arts, literature, and technology in a creative atmosphere that offers elementary and middle level students an opportunity to explore their imagination and artistic talents. Registration for the Arts Enrichment Afterschool Program will take place via online form.

**Date:** October 21, 2024 – May 16, 2025 Monday and Thursday

**Time:** 3:05 PM-4:05 PM

**Transportation:** None



### FALL SATURDAY YOUTH ATHLETIC PROGRAM

The Athletic Department will facilitate the Fall Saturday Youth Athletic Program. It is for students in grades 1-8. The purpose of the youth programs is to provide a safe and healthy environment that promotes physical development by teaching the fundamentals in sports. Registration for the Fall Youth Athletic Program will take place online.

**Date:** October 19, 2024 – December 14, 2024 Saturday

**Time:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM (Grades 1 and 2) 9:00 AM-10:30AM (Grades 3-5) 10:31 AM-12:00 PM (Grades 6-8)

**Transportation:** None

**Location:** Various





# ELELMENTARY/ HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS







### SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPPORT AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

The Special Education Support Afterschool Program provides students in Kindergarten through 12th grade with homework support and tutoring to assist in meeting classroom, school and district expectations. This is a voluntary program for all students with disabilities. **Registration for the Special Education Support Afterschool Program will take place via online form.** 

Date: October 22, 2024 – May 29, 2025 Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday

**Time:** 3:05 PM-4:05 PM (K-8) 2:39 PM-3:39 PM (9-12)

Transportation: None



### ARTS ENRICHMENT SATURDAY PROGRAM

The Arts Enrichment Saturday Program is an innovative program providing middle level and high school students an opportunity to learn in a creative atmosphere, while incorporating fine arts and music into creative literature and technology. Registration for the Arts Enrichment Saturday Program will take place via online form.

**Date:** October 26, 2024 – May 17, 2025 Saturday

**Time:** 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

**Transportation:** None

**Location:** FJC-EHS (Grades 6-12)





# HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS



### LUNCHTIME AND AFTERSCHOOL TUTORING PROGRAM

Multiple tutors are available during each lunch period and can help with English Language Arts, Math, Science and Social Studies skills. During the afterschool session, there are multiple faculty members that are available to help students. Tutoring is offered at all high school academies.

Date: September 6, 2024 – June 19, 2025 Monday through Friday

**Time:** Various Times (Lunch) 2:30 P.M. – 3:30 P.M. (Afterschool)

Transportation: None



### AFTERSCHOOL TUTORING PROGRAM Princeton Review

Princeton Review's Tutor.com offers a range of tutoring services for High School students. It provides personalized one-on-one tutoring in various subjects, including math, science, English, and test preparation. Key features include:

- **1.Live Tutoring:** Students can connect with tutors in real-time for immediate help. **2.On-Demand Help:** Access to tutoring sessions 24/7 for homework assistance and study support. **3.Subject-Specific Resources:** Study guides, practice problems, and instructional videos to enhance learning.
- **4.Test Prep:** Specialized support for standardized tests like the SAT, ACT, and more.

The student or parent is able to request the tutoring services by notifying the Principal.

**Date:** October 15, 2024 – June 1, 2025 Monday through Friday

**Time:** Various Times



## Bilingual Achievement Afterschool Program

This afterschool program is designed to support high school Multi-lingual learners in accruing and/or recovering courses in addition to those who also have excessive absences. You will be notified by your principal if your child needs to attend.

**Date:** October 15, 2024 – May 30, 2025 Monday through Thursday

**Time:** 2:30 P.M. – 4:30 P.M.

**Transportation:** None





### Best of Both World Afterschool Program

This program is designed for High School new entrant Multi-lingual students whose English Language Proficiency is between a level 1 and level 2. The purpose of the program is to provide foundational literacy and math skills. The skills and strategies taught will assist students in enhancing comprehension skills in the second language. You will be notified by your principal if your child needs to attend.

- **Date:** October 15, 2024 May 30, 2025 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
- **Time:** 2:30 P.M. 3:30 P.M.
- **Transportation:** None
- **Location:** Centralized High School Location





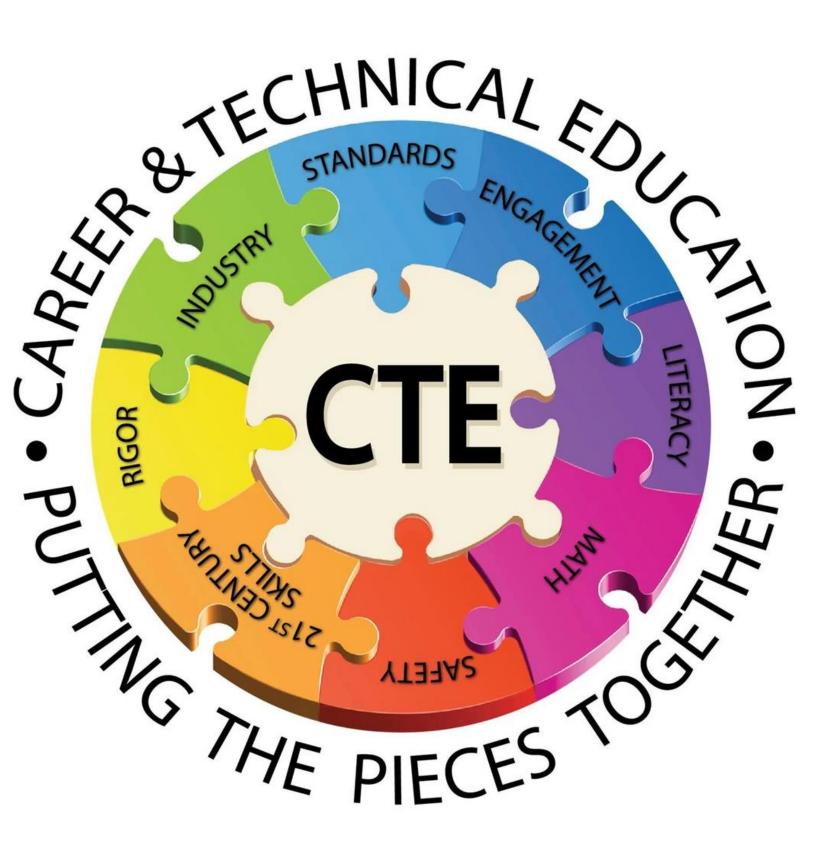
## CTE Afterschool Tutoring Program

Provides academic support and enrichment to the CTE programs (Auto Tech, Collision, and Cosmetology), in addition to providing additional seat hours for industry valued credentialing requirements as per state or licensing bureaus.

Students are selected/recommended based on need. Parent signup required through PowerSchool Forms.

Date: September 2024 – May 2025 Monday through Friday

Time: 2:30 PM-4:30 PM



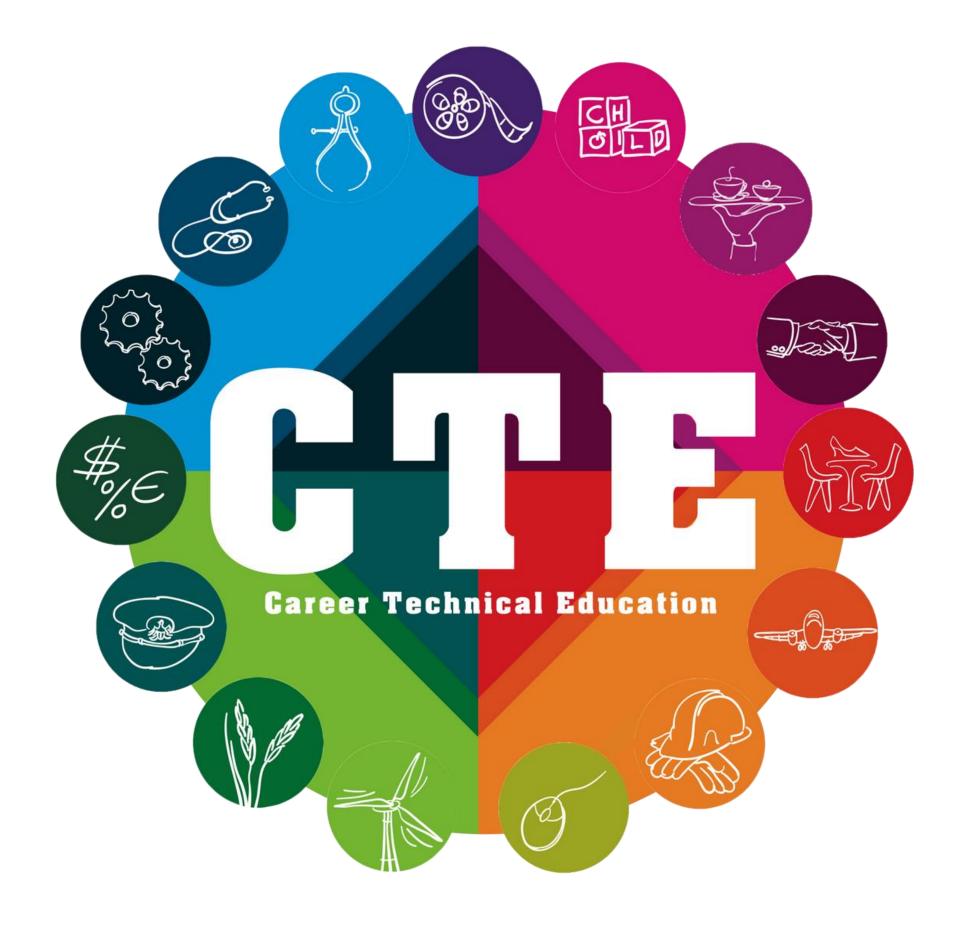
## CTE Saturday Program

Provides academic support, career counseling and mentoring to students enrolled in and to increase awareness and non-traditional program enrollment.

Students are selected based on interest, need and parent enrollment and availability through PowerSchool Forms.

Date: Session 1- October – December Session 2- February – April Saturday

**Time:** 9:00 AM-10:30 AM (6-8) 10:30 AM-12:00 PM (9-12)



## APEX Saturday Program

Apex Learning is the leading provider of blended and virtual learning solutions to the nation's schools. Their digital curriculum provides an active learning experience that engages all students in rigorous coursework to prepare them for college and work. The standards-based digital curriculum — in math, science, English, social studies, world languages, electives and Advanced Placement — is widely used for original credit, credit recovery, remediation, intervention, acceleration and exam preparation.

## Student selection is based on need for accrual or recovery of specific courses needed for graduation.

Date: September 21, 2024-May 24, 2025 Saturday

**Time:** 9:00 AM-1:00 PM



## High School Afterschool Clubs

A broad spectrum of after school clubs are provided among our eight district high schools. Please check with your respective school to find out the available clubs in which you may participate.

Fitness Club Autism Awareness Club Art Club **Community Service Club** Literacy Club Community Outreach Club Spanish Club Outdoor Appreciation Club **Future Business Leaders** STEM National Honor Society **Forensics Club** Journalism & News club Visual Arts Club Music Club Digital Media & Music in Technology Radio & Technology Club Mindfulness Meditation Club

New Jersey Future Educator Associations Club Performing Arts Club Analog Gaming Club Rho Kappa – National Social Studies Honor Society Chess Club WE Have Character Club Yearbook Club Environmental Club Interact Club Haitian Club Multicultural Club Prism, LGBTQ+ Club Gay-Straight Alliance Club Girls Who Code Key Club Character Club

Student Government Freshman/Sophomore/Junior/Senior Clubs Art Honor Society Club Science Honor Society National Honor Society English Honor Society Mathematics Honor Society Science National Honor Society History Honor Society **Portuguese Honor Society** Spanish Honor Society Fall Play and Fall/Spring Musical Art and Literacy Club AVID Leadership Club **AVID Reader Club** Creative Arts Society Club Chess and Game Club

