

After School Excellence (ASE)



The After School Excellence (ASE) project addresses the need for stronger academics in afterschool programs as it is a unique, fun, structured and standards based academic program that disguises learning and engages students of all learning styles. ASE lesson plans cover all educational standards for K-3rd grade reading and 1-7th grade math. Once an afterschool program or school has selected ASE as their curriculum, students can benefit from these excellent resources for years to come.

The ASE curriculum utilizes many different visual, auditory and tactile resources to accommodate all types of learners. These include hands-on activities, manipulatives, 21st Century Tools, educational software and online activities, all of which may also benefit individuals with learning disabilities. ASE assessments are typed, include large fonts and graphics, and provide sufficient space for work and answers – accommodating students who read with difficulty. The delivery of the ASE curriculum allows for special attention from instructors as well as peer support for students with special needs. Specific strategies for assisting students with special needs are also addressed during instructor trainings on the ASE curriculum.

Unique Program Aspects

The general design of after school programs lends itself to an approach to academics that is not usually practical during the school day. While the After School Excellence curriculum is based on state standards to generate lessons, the delivery of these concepts is quite unique and well-suited for after school. Each child's learning style is attended to through a variety of learning avenues, including computer software, educational websites, other 21st Century Tools, hands-on manipulatives, educational games, real life applications, and direct instruction. This allows participants to not simply "catch up" to their grade level, but to truly achieve and even exceed expectations.

After School Excellence curriculum is available for purchase in bundles including K-3 Reading, 1-3 Math, 4-6 Math and Middle School Math. Contact us today for additional curriculum information and pricing.