

# What is a 21st Century Community Learning Center?

This program supports the creation of community learning centers that provide academic enrichment opportunities during non-school hours for children, particularly students who attend high-poverty and low-performing schools. The program helps students reach state and local standards in core academic subjects, such as reading and math; offers students a broad array of enrichment activities that can complement their regular academic programs, and offers literacy and other educational services to the families of participating children.

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**Our Mission:**  
**Lighted School House**  
**will empower students**  
**socially and academically**  
**by providing unique,**  
**extended-day learning**  
**opportunities in**  
**partnerships with the**  
**school, families, and the**  
**community.**



# A Typical Day

- ❖ 2:45-3:30- Healthy Snack & Recess
- ❖ 3:30-5:00- Academic & Enrichment Hours
- ❖ 5:00-6:00 - Supervised Academic and Physical Activities

\*During **academic hour**, students work with classroom leads or certified teachers on homework assignments and participate in skill-building activities designed to complement their day-school learning.

\*During **enrichment hour**, students participate in activities that expand on learning in ways that differ from the methods used during the school day. They often are interactive and project focused.

## Rates

Rates will vary per site

There is an additional charge of \$10 per month per student for extended pick up (5:00 p.m.– 6:00 p.m.)

Payment options and scholarships are available upon request.

Please see site coordinator for details.

# Who we serve:

Lighted School House is funded through a 21st Century Community Learning Centers grant from the Department of Public Instruction. The program began at Webster Stanley Elementary School in 2003. In 2009, it expanded to include Washington Elementary School. Emmeline Cook was awarded the grant in 2012. Merrill Elementary started a program in 2013, Roosevelt in 2015 and Smith in 2018.

The program serves any student that is in need of a safe and fun place to go after school. Programs are designed to enrich learning experiences in an afterschool setting.

**Kindergarten through 5th grade students are accepted into the program.**



# Early Release

On early release days, Lighted School House provides varied community experiences for students. We may take field trips to sites in the Fox Cities, participate in service learning projects, or even host artist residencies on site.



## LSH Partnerships

LSH partners with many community organizations. A few examples are:

UWO Extension 4H  
Oshkosh Public Library  
University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh  
YMCA of Oshkosh  
Boys & Girls Club of Oshkosh  
Barlow Planetarium  
NASA