

The STEALTH Scoop

See how #AfterschoolWorks in the Wichita Public Schools



Special visitor at Gordon Parks Academy!

Our STEALTH friends at Gordon Parks Academy had some special visitors recently! Tanganyika wildlife park brought FOUR of their favorite animal friends to introduce to students. Dan (the legless lizard), Benjamin (the tortoise), Creeper (the Bearded Dragon) and Chewbacca (the sloth) were on hand with their keepers to teach students about life at the zoo, what kind of food they eat, and so much more! Students even got the chance to pet Chewbacca and Benjamin before dismissal.

If you're interested in having Tanganyika's animal ambassadors visit your school, please click here to book a call with the park: [Tanganyika Wildlife Park](#)





Save the Date - Lights On 2022!

We'll be back at Exploration Place on **April 12, 2022** for our annual Lights On Celebration after a two-year hiatus during the pandemic. Save the date and plan to join us for this celebration of the important work that afterschool programs like ours do every day! More information will come very soon!

Sewing at Washington Elementary

Students at Washington Elementary are learning how to sew! Sewing is a great activity that involves math, problem solving and creativity!



Reminders for Site Coordinators

1) Please ensure that your attendance is updated in EZReports.
End of semester data collection will be upon us before we know it - and having your attendance current will be critical to timely reporting. Please ensure that attendance is entered on all dates that you had program, and email Jennifer with any dates that need removed.

2) Sign-up for second semester kitchen carts.

Kitchen cart signups for the second semester need to be completed by **DECEMBER 1** so that work orders can be entered before the Christmas holiday. Sign up here: [KITCHEN CART SIGN UP](#)



From Our Friends at Arts Partners

Arts Partners is joining the Native American Indian Education Program to bring important Native American stories to the stage! Performances are Saturday, November 20th at 6:30 pm and Sunday, November 21st at 3:00 pm. Tickets are available now at <https://bit.ly/NAStorytellingTickets>. See the flyer below for more information.



Program Resource

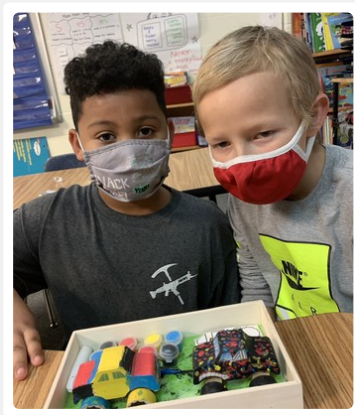
Teacher Created Materials has several different products available for afterschool programming. Please see the links below if you're interested - please let Jennifer know if there are materials you're interested in purchasing and we'll connect you with the vendor.

- [Reading and/or Math Intervention](#)
- [Social-Emotional Learning](#)
- [Take Home Backpacks](#)
- [English Language Development](#)
- [Book Rooms and/or Classroom Libraries](#)
- [Social Studies](#)
- [Science/STEAM](#)
- [Writing](#)



Simple Machines at White Elementary

Recently, students at White Elementary learned all about wheels and axles in Simple Machines Club and had the chance to design and decorate their very own cars and trucks!



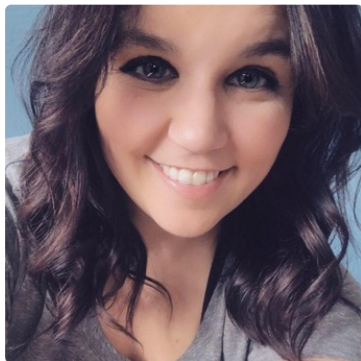
Happy Thanksgiving!

This Thanksgiving, we are especially grateful for our amazing STEALTH Site Coordinators and staff. You all put in the work to make this program exceptional - and we cannot thank you enough for your

efforts on behalf of our students. The incredible work you do matters so much, and I hope that you take this time to enjoy friends and family, and have a safe, restful and well-deserved break.

Happy Thanksgiving from the STEALTH Admin Team!

- Jennifer, Kim + Holly




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About STEALTH Afterschool

We love all things science, technology, engineering, arts, leadership, tutoring and health & wellness!

STEALTH is dedicated to offering academic assistance and enrichment activities in an afterschool setting. Students explore STEM, Fine Arts, Service Learning and Health & Wellness enrichment activities in an engaging environment that gets them excited to learn! STEALTH students improve their math, reading and science skills through structured and engaging grade level tutoring and homework sessions.

STEALTH is funded by the 21st Century Community Learning Center grant. The purpose of these grants are to establish community learning centers that provide students with academic enrichment activities designed to supplement the student's regular classroom academic program during out-of-school hours.

