



**Dear Parent(s) and/or Guardian(s),**

We would like to share some information with you regarding Fraser Valley Metropolitan Recreation District's 2023-2024 school-age youth licensed programs.

Kindergartners through Fifth Graders are welcome to participate in the FVMRD Rec Camp After-school Program and Field Trips offered throughout the school year. In order for your child to be enrolled in FVMRD's programs, you will first need to provide us with all pertinent information and waivers as required by Colorado's Department of Human Services, as we are a state licensed school-age care provider. **Once enrolled with a program ePACT will send an automatic email and you will receive an email invitation from "ePACT" requesting you to complete the required on-line forms.** You can either register online or by calling or visiting the Grand Park Community Recreation Center (GPCRC) at [www.fraservalleyrec.org](http://www.fraservalleyrec.org) or (970)726-8968 x0. Through ePACT.com you can opt-in for our Message Alerts texting program. We will send out a mass text for any late arrivals, emergencies or important changes. Once you have completed all required forms AND provided a copy of your child's immunization records, your child is qualified to be enrolled in FVMRD school-age programs. If you are enrolled and do not have proper paperwork filled out your child will be asked to leave until paperwork is complete.

You must register and pay for your child in advance of their attendance in order for them to attend the afterschool program. You can register until 3pm the "day of". COST is \$9 online or \$11 over the phone, if you register any time prior to midnight the day before your child's attendance the COST IS \$2 more and if you register the "day of" (up to 3pm). **CHILDREN WILL NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM IF THEY ARE NOT PRE-REGISTERED BY 3PM!** If you enroll your child day of it is important to notify FVE office staff. A note will be sent down to their classroom. ALL kids need to ride the district bus. All children will be provided with a snack, prior to taking part in a group activity, heading to the gym for active play, or playing outside on the playground. We will return to the classroom for crafts and free time. You may pick up your child any time prior to 5:30pm. **MORE INFO:** <http://www.fraservalleyrec.org/after-school-program/>

Friday field trips are offered in lieu of school on Fridays with drop-off from 8-8:45am, and pick-up 4:45-5:00pm at the GPCRC classroom. **You must register 48 hours in advance for all field trips** (to ensure proper staffing and transportation). All field trips require a bag lunch (unless otherwise noted), snacks, water bottle, and weather appropriate clothing. For all local field trips, please pack a swimsuit, goggles, and towel. Cost is \$45 per child. **MORE INFO:** <https://www.fraservalleyrec.org/programs/after-school-friday-care/>

**Please note that FVMRD programs have a new cancellation policy for all programs offered throughout the district. Due to the higher staff ratio requirements, ticket prices, and credit card fees, Rec Camp will only be giving a 50% refund for cancellations and changes.**

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me, as I am more than happy to help make your transition into the school year as seamless as possible. I look forward to meeting you and your child, and seeing familiar faces this upcoming school year!

**-Stephanie Ferguson, FVMRD Program Supervisor**

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