

4-H Afterschool National Initiative



What is 4-H Afterschool?

4-H Afterschool is a special focused effort within the 4-H Youth Development Program that helps 4-H and other youth-serving organizations create and improve after-school programs in urban, suburban, and rural communities across the U.S. 4-H Afterschool is one of the various delivery methods through which 4-H programming is implemented.

Our primary goals in 4-H Afterschool

- For young people...4-H Afterschool provides opportunities to participate in fun, exciting programs while developing valuable skills with lifelong benefits.
- For parents and family members...4-H Afterschool creates safe, healthy, enriching environments that enhance young people's social, emotional, physical, and academic success.
- For volunteers...4-H Afterschool offers an opportunity to share a special skill with young people.
- For youth-serving organizations...4-H Afterschool offers extensive resources to help train staff, implement sound youth development practices, create new after-school programs, and strengthen existing programs.
- For communities...4-H Afterschool is a partner that builds unique, customized programs around the diverse interests and needs of youth.

To see what Iowa State University Extension, Scott County is doing in afterschool, click [here](#).

Afterschool Resources

National 4-H Headquarters

Iowa State University Extension 4-H Youth Development

Iowa Afterschool Alliance

National Afterschool Association

Harvard Family Research Project

National Summer Learning Association

www.4-h.org

www.extension.iastate.edu/4h/

<http://www.icyd.org/iaa/>

<http://naaweb.site-ym.com/>

<http://www.hfrp.org/out-of-school-time>

<http://www.summerlearning.org/>