

The Hoover On Campus Care encourages all Hoover students to attend. Hoover On Campus Care program does not discriminate against anyone because of race, sex, color, creed, national origin, or ethnic background in any of its policies.

Homework/Reading-Everyday we will have time for the kids to do their homework (at parents request), or reading/quiet time. The staff and I will be there to help those who are asked to do some homework after school.

At the beginning of each school year, each family will be asked to fill out a new emergency contact sheet, health statement, and travel/picture release form. This will help us keep track of when to update each year.

A new summer travel/picture release form will be needed each summer because of the need for sunscreen.

Program registration forms may be turned in on or after May 1st.



Hoover On-Campus Care
Before and After School Program

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Purpose and Philosophy of HOCC

The Hoover On Campus Care (HOCC) program was founded to provide before and after school care for children who are enrolled at Hoover Elementary School. Children from kindergarten through sixth grade are eligible. The program offers a variety of activities to help stimulate self-expression, exploration, and further development of the children in a safe, friendly, and supervised environment.

Organization of the Program

While the program is housed on the Hoover campus, the HOCC program is not affiliated with the school. The program is licensed by the Iowa Department of Human Services and follows its guidelines and regulations. The program is incorporated in the State of Iowa as a non-profit corporation.

The program is governed by a Board of Directors of at least six members who are parents or guardians of children enrolled in the program, plus the principal of Hoover Elementary School, and the HOCC Director, *ex officio*. The Board meets monthly during the school year to plan the budget, hire and evaluate staff, determine policies, and deal with other program related matters.

All HOCC parents are invited to attend monthly meetings and encouraged to serve on the board at some time during your child's enrollment in the program.

Program Schedule

The HOCC program operates on the following hours:

Before school program: 7:00-8:20 AM
After school program: 3:00-5:45 PM
Thursdays: 2:00-5:45 PM

The program follows the Iowa City Community School District calendar. HOCC does not operate if school is delayed, cancelled or dismissed early due to weather conditions or any other building emergency.

HOCC does offer childcare on conference days on a first come/first served basis for all Hoover students. HOCC also operates a camp during the summer that is open to all K-6 students.

Activities

Healthy breakfasts and snacks are served everyday and listed on monthly menus. Special consideration is given for food allergies and special food needs.

Students are engaged daily in indoor and outdoor activities that encourage exercise while having fun with friends. Students are given a choice of arts, crafts and games. We also offer a number of staff supervised and planned club activities each semester.

Homework time is provided to allow students a structured time to work on assigned homework.

Daily HOCC Schedule

AM Monday-Friday

7:00-7:30 Arrival/coloring/quiet games
7:30-8:00 Breakfast (after 8:00 we will offer a granola bar, milk or Juice)
8:00-8:20 wind down/clean up/group game

PM Mon, Tues, Weds, Friday

3:00-3:15 Arrival/announcements
3:15-3:30 Snack
3:30-4:30 Physical activity/inside choice/
outside choice/club activities
4:30-5:00 Quiet time/home work/reading/
quiet games
5:00-5:45 Free time/clean up

PM Thursday

2:00-2:15 Arrival/announcements
2:15-2:45 Group Game/outside time
2:45-3:15 snack
3:15-4:30 physical activity/inside choice/
outside choice/club activities
4:30-5:00 Quiet time/home work/reading/
quiet Games
5:00-5:45 free time/clean up