

2025 Fall After School Course Schedule:

SESSION 1

Sewing & Denim Design:

Mondays and Wednesdays/8 sessions total (September 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, October 1, 6, 8)

Beginner and advanced students will have the opportunity to learn and enhance their sewing machine skills as they design and create a body length blanket from repurposed denim material.

Course Lead: Susan Hershelman

Location: Erie City Mission Youth Classroom (1017 French Street)

Cost: \$30.00

Procreate – Digital Painting and Illustration:

Tuesdays and Thursdays/8 sessions total (September 16, 18, 23, 25, 30, October 2, 7, 9)

Bring your artistic vision to life as you explore the ingenuity of digital art. Students will take their creative and artistic skills to a new level as they learn how to efficiently and effectively create digital designs and illustrations using Apple's Procreate App. (iPads provided)

Course Lead: Andy Muscella

Location: Erie City Mission Youth Classroom (1017 French Street)

Cost: \$30.00

SESSION 2

Holiday Baking:

Mondays and Wednesdays/8 sessions total (October 20, 22, 27, 29, November 3, 5, 10, 12)

Students will not only learn foundational baking skills, but also how to apply them in making a variety of holiday cookies, rolls, pies, and candies from scratch in the Erie City Mission's professional kitchen.

Course Lead: Elaine Ghazinour

Location: Erie City Mission Professional Kitchen (1017 French Street)

Cost: \$30.00

Money Smart – Financial Literacy:

Tuesdays and Thursdays/8 sessions total (October 21, 23, 28, 30, November 4, 6, 11, 13)

It is critical for students to develop basic money management skills to make smart financial decisions now and in the future. Through a variety of hands-on lessons and activities, this course will cover key concepts like budgeting, saving, career choices, goal setting, debit and credit cards, interest, credit scores and practical strategies for sound financial success.

Course Lead: Jackie Ballay

Location: Erie City Mission Youth Classroom (1017 French Street)

Cost: \$30.00

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM DETAILS:

- Drop off time: 3:45p.m. – 4:00p.m./Pick-up time: 7:00p.m.
- Each course accepts between 8-12 students and includes a nutritious meal.
- Please note that our program meets regardless of days off from school. It will be expected that you consider dates such as vacation, family events, appointments, etc. against course schedule so that you may ensure your student's attendance for every session, unless they are sick.
- Scholarship and transportation needs are considered for qualifying families.

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SPECIAL FAMILY EVENTS:

Bocce Family Workshop:

Learn how to play this fun game and enjoy commUUnity and a little competition. Instruction and dinner included.
Saturday, September 27

2:00p.m. – 5:00p.m.

La Nuova Aurora Club (1518 Walnut Street)

FREE EVENT/SPACES LIMITED/PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Our Place In Space Family Workshop:

Discover the wonders of our solar system, the stars that make up the night sky, a laser light show, and a hands-on learning activity. Lunch included.

Saturday, October 25

10:30a.m. – 1:30p.m.

PennWest Edinboro [Planetarium](#) (220 Scotland Road, Edinboro)

FREE EVENT/SPACES LIMITED/PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Annual Operation Christmas Child Packing Party:

Join our commUUnity to help send [gift-filled shoeboxes](#) together with the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to children in need around the world.

Friday, November 14

5:30p.m. – 8:30p.m.

Erie City Mission Dining Hall (1017 French Street)

FREE EVENT/PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Annual Thanksgiving Meal Service:

Join us to help the Erie City Mission welcome, serve, and bless the guests of our community for a special Thanksgiving meal.

Wednesday, November 26

9:00a.m. – 1:00p.m.

Erie City Mission Dining Hall (1017 French Street)

FREE EVENT/PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED