



NOE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Co-Curricular and Extra-Curricular Activities for 2020-21

At Noe, we whole-heartedly believe in the development of the 'whole child' and feel that after-school and co-curricular activities can provide students with additional opportunities for physical, intellectual and social development. Our goal is to offer a wide variety of those opportunities through academic competitions, athletics and clubs. The following is a list of after-school activities with a general description and the sponsor's name and email contact information. Most activities are offered during a particular time or season of the school year. For any additional questions, you may also contact Steve Weber, Athletic Director/Co-Curricular Activity Coordinator, (313-4511), John Gribbins, YSC Coordinator, (313-4511) or Tara Hengartner, Academic Coordinator, (485-8307).

Note: Information regarding sign-ups, try-outs, fees and special requirements are usually displayed on the daily lunchtime announcements. It is important that students pay attention to the daily announcements for this information.

Academic Teams/Competitions

Future Problem Solving

Students work as a team to discover rich and varied ways of thinking about and solving complex problems. During interscholastic competitions, the students work together to present original and creative proposals under tight deadlines. Initial team meeting and tryouts take place in August/September. Sponsor: Stephanie Hagan
stephanie.hagan@jefferson.kyschools.us

MathCounts

This activity is for students with a high interest and ability in mathematics. Students work on a variety of higher-level math problems and learn various strategies for solving them. Weekly practices prepare team members for regional and state competitions in the spring. Initial team meetings and practices begin in the fall (September/October)
Sponsors: Stephanie Fields
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Quick Recall

6th Grade Team/Varsity Team

Students work as a team to answer Jeopardy style questions under timed conditions. Weekly practice and team competitions begin during the fall and winter. In the spring, the team competes in the Governor's Cup as well as Regional and State competitions.
Sponsors: 6th Grade-Linda Woods
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Varsity-Richard Verweibe
richard.verweibe@jefferson.kyschools.us

Quiz Bowl

Quick recall team members also have the opportunity to participate district, regional, state and national Quiz Bowl team competitions.
Sponsor: Tara Hengartner
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PTSA Reflections Contest

Open to all students, the PTSA Reflections Contest is held in the fall and includes categories in Dance Choreography, Film Production, Literature, Music Composition,

Photography, and Visual Arts. Stages of competition include school, district, state and national levels.

Sponsor: Noe PTSA/YSC John Gribbins
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Robotics

Robotics is both a club and a competitive team with regular meetings beginning in late August/ Early September. Students of all ability levels are encouraged to participate. Team competitions take place throughout the school year with opportunities to participate to all levels of club & team members.
Sponsor(s): Janet Seibert & David Lechleiter
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david.lechleiter@jefferson.kyschools.us

Science Olympiad

For students interested in a hands-on, active approach to science and problem-solving. Sample events include: Egg Drop, Mouse Trap Cars, and Aerodynamics. Weekly practices are held in the late fall/ winter to prepare students for Regional, State and National competitions in the spring.
Sponsor: Kim D'Amato
kimberly.damato@jefferson.kyschools.us

Science Fair

Students are invited to design, create, display and showcase their interest and abilities in the areas of Science and Engineering. Competitions available through Louisville Regional Science & Engineering Fair. Regular student led planning, developing and creating meetings to be held leading up to competitions.
Sponsor: Lauren Archer
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Scholastic Art Competition

Entries for this competition are limited to 8th Grade Visual Arts students. If chosen students can win a Gold Key, Silver Key or Honorable Mention Award(s). These are celebrated with a ceremony and exhibition in Louisville. Gold Key winners are automatically considered for national awards. Those that win nationally are honored in a ceremony in New York City.
Sponsor: Samantha Brooks
samantha.brooks@jefferson.kyschools.us

Athletics

Archery

Archery is a year round club with the opportunity to participate in school, district, regional and state level competitions. Archery is for students of all ability levels. Students begin with basic archery safety skills and are followed up with shooting protocols and finally students begin to shoot. Regular meetings will be set by the sponsor(s). Sponsor: Mallory Murry, Colleen Oylar
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Baseball

6th Grade Team, Junior Varsity Team, Varsity Team

For students interested in playing high level/ competitive baseball. Tryouts held in winter (February) to assign students to the 6th grade, Junior Varsity or Varsity Teams. Weekly practices and games against other middle schools run from late February through May. Faculty Sponsor: Matthew Key
Coach: Seth Stevens (parent)
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Basketball

Boys-6th Grade Team, Varsity Team Girls-JV Team, Varsity Team

Late fall tryouts (late September/early October) for teams of 12 - 15 students are selected for each team and will compete in regular season games as well as Pre, During and Post Season tournaments. Weekly practices and all games are scheduled after school.
Sponsors: Boys-Barry Methner,
barry.methner@jefferson.kyschools.us
Girls Varsity-Gary Brown
gary.brown@jefferson.kyschools.us ;
Girls JV-Jackie Raque,
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Cheerleading

Clinic and tryouts are held at the end of May for spots on both Competition level and Game Cheer level squads. A secondary tryout can be held at the beginning of September to allow girls new to Noe to audition for the team. Weekly practices are at an off campus gym, with performances at home and away games throughout the school year, as well as local and regional competitions. Fees include the rental/purchase of outfits, supplies, and competition fees. Cheer is a year round activity
Sponsor: Susan Stoneburner
susan.stoneburner@jefferson.kyschools.us

Cross Country

Pre-season practices begin in mid-July in preparation for fall (August- October) weekly Meets held on JCPS sanctioned courses as well as Regional and State Open Competition Meets. A minimum of one practice per week on campus during school season. JCPS Meets are held on Tuesday evenings with Open Meets held on the weekends.
Sponsors: Kathy Ames, Molly Sullivan, & Rebecca Spalding
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rebecca.spalding@jefferson.kyschools.us

Dance Team

Tryouts take place late May with opportunities for students new to Noe to audition in late August for this competitive team. The Dance Team creates, practices, and performs choreographed routines during home basketball games, school functions as well as local and regional competitions. Practices are held two or three afternoons a week. Fees include the rental/purchase of outfits, supplies, and competition fees.
Sponsor: Currently Vacant

Field Hockey

6th Grade Team/ Junior Varsity (6th & 7th) Team/ and Varsity (6th, 7th & 8th) Team
Field Hockey is comprised of teams of a minimum of 15 girls on each team. All teams are designed for both experienced and beginner level players. Practices begin in mid-July and are arranged by coaches for multiple evenings during the week. The primary season is held during the fall (August-early October) with the availability of winter and spring off season leagues as well.
Sponsor: Frank Kalmbach
frank.kalmbach@hotmail.com

Football

Varsity Team w/ possibility of Junior Varsity depending on the number of players at each level.
Football is a no-cut fall sport (August through October) with practices beginning in mid-July. Practices are held on multiple evenings in the summer, and immediately after school when school is in session. Most games are played on Saturday. Spring Football practices/ conditioning sessions are available during May-June.

Head Coach: Tevin Faulkner
faulknertf1992@gmail.com
Parent Coordinator: Cas Jessee
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Golf

All Grades, Co-Ed
Golf is a fall sport that begins in August and ends in early October. Teams consist of 6 players with limited enrollment.
Sponsor: Currently Vacant

Lacrosse

Girls, All Grades
Spring (late February-May). Girls Lacrosse team is a no-cut team for all girls interested in the sport of Lacrosse. Practices are held multiple evenings with as many as two games weekly during the season.
Sponsor: Todd Donaldson
TDonaldson1969@hotmail.com

Soccer

Boys and Girls Varsity level team(s)
Soccer is a spring sport (late February-May) with tryouts for teams taking place in late February. Teams are comprised of a minimum of 18 students based on their ability to contribute to a specific team's needs. Practices are held multiple afternoons after school pre-season with as many as two games scheduled per week.
Sponsors: Boys-Scott Barber
SBarb3r@gmail.com
Girls-Dug Barker
DougB01731@aol.com

Softball

Junior Varsity and Varsity Teams
Softball is a spring sport (late February-May) with tryouts taking place in late October. Softball teams are comprised of a minimum of 10 girls assigned for each team's specific needs. Practices are held multiple evenings pre-season with as many as three games per week during the season.
Sponsor: Katie Gibbons
mary.gibbons@jefferson.kyschools.us

Swim

Swimming is a no-cut sport offered during the fall (September-October) with practices taking place off campus as pool times are available. Meets will be scheduled as the number of schools participating are determined.
Sponsor: Stephanie Jeffers
stephanie.jeffers@jefferson.kyschools.us

Tennis

Tennis is a no-cut sport with limited availability. Tennis is a fall sport (late August-October). Practices are held at local parks with matches throughout the district. Players are rated by USTA to provide opportunities to play against like ability opponents.
Sponsor: Tyren Edwards
tyren.edwards@jefferson.kyschools.us

Track Team

Track is a spring sport (late February-May) where all participants are encouraged to participate in preliminary meets to establish base line scores/times for events. Students with qualifying scores/times will be invited to participate in District/City/State Championship level meets at the end of the season.
Sponsor: Jason Nelson
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Volleyball (JV and Varsity)

*6th Grade Intramural Team
JV and Varsity Competitive Team*
Volleyball is a fall sport (August-October) with initial tryouts held in late May for Junior Varsity and Varsity team positions. Tryouts are for all girls, with the availability to participate in a 6th grade developmental team for 6th graders that do not make the JV or Varsity teams. JV and Varsity practices begin mid-July and are a minimum of two evenings per week. During the season teams play two matches per week during most weeks. The 6th Grade team will practice on campus in the evenings and play one match per week at Moore High School.
Sponsors: Varsity-Bridgette Mathews
bridgette.mathews@jefferson.kyschools.us
Junior Varsity-Erin Kleier
erin.kleier@jefferson.kyschools.us
6th Grade-TBA/ Parent Volunteer(s)

Clubs

Art & Activism Club

This focus of this club is to foster community activism through the creation of art projects. Open to all students. Meets weekly from late fall through spring.
Sponsor: Samantha Brooks
samantha.brooks@jefferson.kyschools.us

A Capella Music Group

Students audition for opportunities to perform in local, regional, state and national performances. After group is selected, regular after school practice sessions are held to prepare for performances.
Sponsor: Russell Cooper
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Best Buddies

A program that allows students with disabilities to interact with non-disabled peers in a fun and friendly environment. Members build a paired bond with their buddy with the goal of participating in club, school and social events together throughout their time at Noe Middle School.
Sponsor: Jessica Stinson
jessica.stinson@jefferson.kyschools.us

Beta Club

7th, 8th Grades- 3.5 GPA
Noe's academic honor society is open to recommended students who maintain a 3.5 grade point average, have good conduct, and who perform at least four hours of community

service each month during the school year. Students are selected after the sixth grade. Regular after school meeting attendance is required for members.

Sponsors: Beth Calhoun & Molly Sullivan
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molly.sullivan@jefferson.kyschools.us

BSU

The mission and philosophy of black student union organizations should be to help students strive for academic excellence, promote positive images of African Americans and help students become an integral part of a school community (JCPS).

Sponsors: Latonia Bland & Stephanie Hagan

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stephanie.hagan@jefferson.kyschools.us

Chess Club/Team

The Chess Club is for any student interested in the game of chess. Practices are throughout the year with the availability to participate in local, regional and state tournaments against players of like ability.

Sponsor: Currently Vacant

Comix Makers Club

Students meet weekly to develop visual art projects revolving around the world of comics. Students have the opportunity to do hand drawings as well as computer aided drawings.

Sponsor: Joe Welsh

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Dance Theater

Provides students an opportunity to further develop dance technique, physical endurance as well as apply a variety of choreographic approaches. Goal for participants is to perform for families, peers as well as visit other schools to demonstrate their craft. Open to all potential dancers at all levels of expertise.

Sponsor: Amberly Simpson

amberly.simpson@jefferson.kyschools.us

FCA

Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Group meets weekly to discuss and share issues related to spirituality as it relates to scripture and student's daily life. All are welcome to attend.

Sponsors: Ryan Cook & Tyren Edwards

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Girls Who Code

Opportunity for girls to explore the development and refining of computer based programs. Regular after school meetings are held throughout the school year.

Sponsor: Janet Seibert

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Guitar Club

Program in partnership with the Youth Performing Arts Guitar magnet program. Students that play the guitar are given a forum to play, learn and develop guitar music.

Regular meetings take place after school at the YPAS Annex.

Sponsor: Michael Kagan (YPAS)

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Jazz Band

(Fall Auditions)

The Jazz Band is designed for students who want to explore more advanced Jazz musical techniques. Students must audition for the group by playing selected music. The following instruments are included: saxophone, trumpet, trombone/baritone, piano, bass, drums, or vibraphone.

Sponsor: Linda Pulley

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Journalism Club

Journalism is a student run club for those who are interested in informational writing, editing, and/or layout. Students will also have the opportunity to film their segments and upload them to our journalism site.

Sponsors: Mary Kay Barfield & Beth Calhoun

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KUNA/KYA

Kentucky United Nations Assembly (KUNA) and Kentucky Youth Assembly (KYA).

Students work in teams to develop presentations around a theme with the goal of presenting at an off campus multi-day/ evening conference. KYA is held during the fall KUNA is held during the spring. Students meet both during school (PAW) and after school with leaders to work on their projects. Program is through the YMCA. Fees associated with conference participation.

Sponsors: Dana Neichter, Jacquelyn Cox, Ryan Cook, Richard Verwiebe

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Literary Magazine

Students meet throughout the school year. Students submit examples of creative writing or visual art for Noe's Literary magazine, *Visionary*. Students may also meet to work on/share their writing. An editorial staff is chosen from the writers/artists and others who apply to work on layout for the publication.

Sponsors: Eric Schmidt & Beth Calhoun

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Minecraft Club

Students use creativity and problem solving skills to plan, build, develop and navigate in a virtual Minecraft world. Players will have the opportunity to work individually and cooperatively in both the development and the gameplay.

Sponsor: Stephanie Hagan

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Outdoor Club

This after school activity is for students with an interest in nature. Activities include camping, backpacking, white-water rafting and

hiking in local parks. Meetings on various dates throughout the year, weather permitting.

Sponsor: Kelsey Blandford

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SAGA

Sexuality and Gender Acceptance group. Group organized to discuss and show support for issues related to LGBTQ students/ family and friends. All are welcome.

Sponsor: Samantha Brooks

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School Musical Production

Students audition for roles in our annual Student Led Musical performances. Past shows included *Peter Pan*, *Bye Bye Birdie* and *Annie*. Students can participate as performers as well as set design, stage hands and management positions.

Sponsors: Russell Cooper & Amberly Simpson

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Sign Language Club

Students learn the basics and conversational ASL sign language with the leadership of our school interpreters. Regular meetings throughout the school year.

Sponsor: Currently Vacant

Ski Club

Opportunity for students and families to take affordable lessons and regular ski passes to local slopes (Paoli Peaks last year) . Master the Mountain passes made available in fall for the Winter Season. Skiers of all ability levels encouraged to participate.

Sponsor: Peter Hawkins

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Yearbook

For students who are interested in working on the development and organization of our school's annual yearbook. *Application to sponsor is required.*

Sponsor: Sarah Griffy

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Students are encouraged to propose new teams/clubs throughout the school year. If you have an idea, send a proposal to Steve Weber, AD with a description of your proposed team/club. Include a minimum of ten participants that would be interested as well as a prospective sponsor. All new clubs/teams must be approved by the Noe Middle School SBDM Council prior to beginning their meetings.