

# What is a 21st Century Community Learning Center?

This program supports the creation of community learning centers that provide academic enrichment opportunities during non-school hours for children, particularly students who attend high-poverty and low-performing schools. The program helps students reach state and local standards in core academic subjects, such as reading and math; offers students a broad array of enrichment activities that can complement their regular academic programs, and offers literacy and other educational services to the families of participating children.

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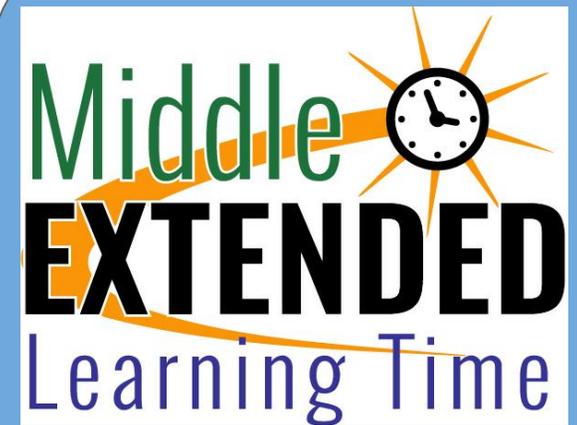
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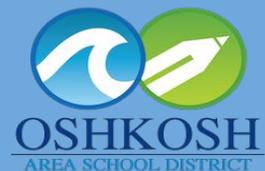
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## **Our Mission:**

**MELT will empower students socially and academically by providing unique, extended-day learning opportunities in partnerships with the school, families, and the community.**



# A Typical Day

- ❖ Healthy Snack
- ❖ Academic Enrichment Hour  
4:00-5:00
- ❖ Homework/Supervised free time  
with alternate activities 5:00-5:37

Activities vary daily. Students may work with staff or certified teachers to receive tutoring and participate in skill-building activities designed to complement their day-school learning.

Students participating in academic enrichment activities will expand on learning in ways that differ from the methods used during the school day. These activities are often interactive and project focused.

## Rates

Rates will vary by school, grade, and whether or not students will be attending the full year or a semester.

Payment options and scholarships are available upon request.

Please see site coordinator for details.

# Who We Serve:

Middle Extended Learning Time is funded through a 21st Century Community Learning Centers grant from the Department of Public Instruction. The program began at Merrill Middle School in 2013 the expanded to Perry Tipler/ ALPs in 2014.

The program serves any student that is in need of a safe and fun place to go after school. Programs are designed to enrich learning experiences in an afterschool setting.

**At Perry Tipler/ALPs 4th-8th grade is accepted. Merrill Middle School 6th-8th grade.**



# Early Release

On early release days, MELT provides varied community experiences for students. We may take field trips to sites in the Fox Cities, participate in service learning projects, or even host artist residencies on site.



## MELT Partnerships

MELT has various partners throughout the Oshkosh community. During the year we will work with clubs from UWO, Winnebago County 4H, re:THINK Tobacco Coalition, and many more.