SIXTH STREET YOUTH PROGRAM

SIXTH STREET COMMUNITY CENTER
DAILY HOMEWORK SUPPORT + WORKSHOPS
ARTS || CREATIVE WRITING || COOKING || URBAN GARDENING || DIY CRAFTING
AFTER SCHOOL FOR YOUTH AGES 5+

WORKSHOPS WE OFFER

EACH DAY, Mondays through Thursdays we offer various academic enrichment workshops focused in urban gardening, environmental sustainability with a lens on justice, arts, creative writing, holistic health, cooking or DIY crafting. We expose our students to project based workshops that span over the course of a few days or a few weeks. This past year we participated in a community arts climate action called Ecological City with Earth Celebrations and over 20 other community partners. Fridays is a flex day where we dance, have extended park time or screen a kids film!

WHAT TO BRING

- Students should come prepared with homework, a book or something academic to work on during homework time.
- We do offer fruit from our center's CSA program, if your child tends to require a heartier snack, please send them with snack (no nuts please).

ARTS WORKSHOPS

Taught by professional and experienced teaching artists, we explore a diversity of mediums such as acrylic, textiles, ink, clay and watercolor. Past projects have included batik dye, tye-dye, pillow making, weaving, mixed-media, Suminagashi water ink prints, collograph and linoleum carving printmaking.

CREATIVE WRITING

We explore poetry and a variety of creative writing approaches, seeking to show students how they can find inspiration in their everyday experiences, personal and communal. We've found that facilitating writing in a non-rigorous, relaxed setting often leads to a deeper appreciation of writing for our students.

PROGRAM FEES

$190/WEEK || 5 DAYS/ WEEK
$160/WEEK || 4 DAYS/ WEEK
$120/WEEK || 3 DAYS/ WEEK
$80/WEEK || 2 DAYS/ WEEK
*** FEES INCLUDE PICKUP ***

** REDUCED SLIDING SCALE FEES FOR FAMILIES EARNING LESS THAN $80/K **

WHO WE ARE

Sixth Street Youth Program is a hidden gem of an after school program that offers Lower East Side youth a strong sense of community in a creative and nurturing environment. We provide daily homework support and quality enrichment workshops in an intimate class setting. With a limited enrollment to 20 students per day, each child receives thoughtful guidance and support that is needed to foster individual and creative growth.

638 EAST 6TH STREET
BETWEEN AVENUES B & C
MONDAYS - FRIDAYS 3 PM TO 6 PM
[PICK-UP FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS AVAILABLE]

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URBAN GARDENING
We have partnered with the 5th Street Farm located on rooftop of the Earth School. We take our students up there once a week. At the rooftop farm, our students learn how to maintain an urban garden, growing and harvesting delicious organic fruits and vegetables!

COOKING
Students learn the importance of eating healthy and making nutritious food choices. We’ve found that fun cooking classes using the veggies they harvest up on the rooftop garden and from Sixth Street’s own CSA deepens this understanding for us all!

A SAFE PLACE TO EXPLORE AND GROW
At Sixth Street Community Center, we pride our student programs on quality enrichment based workshops that offer students an encouraging environment to discover their expressive selves.

We are continually striving for progressive and innovative ways to maintain our strong sense of community, culture and diversity.

We seek to provide working and growing families with a nurturing space, where their child can feel comfort and stability after school. We enjoy deepening our relationships with our families, often serving children from elementary school to their transitions into high school. It is common that our former students will return to our youth program to volunteer, or gain experience as junior counselors.

DAILY SCHEDULE
2:30 PM - 3:00 PM: PICK-UPS FROM SCHOOL, STUDENTS ARRIVE TO SIXTH STREET!
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM: HOMEWORK SUPPORT, STUDY TIME, RELAX TIME & SNACK.
4:30 PM - 4:45 PM: DAILY CIRCLE
4:45 PM - 6:00 PM: ENRICHMENT WORKSHOP
6:00 PM: DISMISSAL & PICK-UP!

MORE INFORMATION
QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!
We love and welcome any questions.
Feel free to email jen@sixthstreetcenter.org or laura.sixthstreet@gmail.com
Or call us, Monday through Friday, 10 AM - 6 PM 212-677-1863
Visit us at www.sixthstreetcenter.org

ADDRESS AND DIRECTIONS
We are located at 638 E 6th Street, between Avenues B and C, in the East Village/Alphabet City neighborhood of Manhattan.

The closest trains are the L to First Avenue or the F to Second Avenue. We are accessible by the 14A, 14D and M9 bus routes.