



Lawrence Youth Programs

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Organization	Program	Mission	Address	Contact Info
ACADEMICS				
Asian Center of Merrimack Valley		To support Asian immigrants and refugees in their efforts to build a stable future and to become participating members of their new community.	1 Ballard Way Lawrence, MA 01843-1070	Kaori Kelts Executive Director 978-683-7316 Ext. 14 kaori@asiancentermv.org
	Asian Center Preschool	Children learn to understand and speak English, are introduced to American customs and culture, while developing social, intellectual, and motor skills.		
	Youth Program	Ages 12 to 18, in the Greater Lawrence Area. Education on youth issues including communication, conflict resolution, healthy living, and financial education. Projects encourage leadership development and community service.		
Greater Lawrence Education Collaborative		To serve member school districts in meeting their unique needs in a changing global community through cooperative visionary leadership and coordination of resources and services. Collaborative services maximize efficiency, quality and equity of educational opportunity.	480 Broadway Methuen, MA 01844	John Mara, Executive Director 978 685-3000 x 125 jmara@glec.org
	Camp SteppingStone	Six-week educational day program for students that have moderate to intensive developmental delays or multiple disabilities. Ages 3-22.	Stiles Pond Road Boxford, MA	Bernie Pierce, Director 978-685-3000 Ext 122 bpierce@glec.org
	SCALE Program	Academic/vocational education and/or community-based vocational experiences for students and young adults with special needs ages 15-22.		Mary Ellen Dixon, Program Director medixon@glec.org
	VISIONS	Employment supports for individuals 22 years old and older with special needs.	476 Broadway Methuen, MA 01844	Mary Ellen Dixon, Program Director medixon@glec.org

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	Collaborative Alternative School Programs	A co-educational learning/treatment environment for special needs middle and high school aged students. Grades 9-12 up to the age of 22.	476R Broadway Methuen , MA 01844	Stephen Burnham, Director 978-685-3000 x 401 sburnham@glec.org
	The Lifeways School	To provide educational, behavioral, vocational and community supports to students with Autism Spectrum Disorders, developmental disabilities and challenging behaviors.		Margaret Moran Program Director 978-689-7200 ext. 50
HOPE, Inc.		HOPE exists to improve the quality of life and to increase the number and range of opportunities for low-income and Latino individuals and families in Massachusetts.	165 Brookside Avenue Extension Jamaica Plain, MA 02130	617-524-8888 hopeboston@hopemass.org
	HOPE for Youth (HFY) Mentoring	After school program in Lawrence for Latino children ages 11 to 14. Includes homework help, art activities, science, field trips, cultural awareness activities, college and career awareness, and goal setting.		Vivian Irrgang 617-524-8888 virrgang@hopemass.org
	GEAR UP: Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs	Follows the students through the 12th grade in Lawrence schools. Offers more challenging courses, tutoring, conducts workshops centered on college awareness, study skills and academic success.		Vivian Irrgang virrgang@hopemass.org
Youth Development Organization	MSEP. Various enrichment classes.	To grow a community of engaged capable learners increasingly aware of their capacity for excellence. Through long-term relationships with caring adults, we help our students discover who they are and who they can become. By focusing on their talents, abilities, and interests, we encourage our students to take charge of their futures and work to achieve positive outcomes that will benefit themselves and their families.	Mailing Address: PO Box 1758 Lawrence, MA 01842 Street Address: 78-82 Amesbury St. Lawrence, MA 01840	978-738-7125 lawrenceherc@comcast.net

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ACADEMICS: AFTER SCHOOL				
Community Day Care Center of Lawrence	Community Kids' Place	After school club house and summer camp for children from Methuen and Lawrence.	255 Lawrence Street, Methuen, MA 01844	John Cave, Assistant Director 978-686-4098 jcave@communitydaycare.org
	Latchkey Kid's Place After School Program	After school program. Located at five Lawrence schools: the Frost, Guilmette, Parthum, South Lawrence East, and Wetherbee School. Open full days on school vacations and a Summer Camp during July and August.	Latchkey Office: 255 Lawrence Street Methuen, MA 01844	Wanda Gines 978-686-4098 wgines@communitydaycare.org
	Teen Parent Program	For Lawrence High School Teens (and non-Lawrence high teens) and their children from 3 months to 3 years. Day care and weekly support groups.	7 Ballard Way Lawrence, MA 01843	Nitza Santiago, TPCC Coordinator-Family Child Care 978-685-4122 nsantiago@communitydaycare.org
Health & Education Services	Therapeutic After School Program (TAP)	Promotes the well - being that builds healthy individuals, families, and communities through the integration of quality health, behavioral health, education, and human service programs.	Administration Office 30 General Street Lawrence, MA 01841	978-683-3128 ynegron@hes-inc.org
Si, Se Puede	After School Program, High School Work/Study Program, Summer Program – Project, Clothing co-op	To enhance the educational opportunities and create community for and with low-income urban youth and their families in Lawrence, MA. Si, Se Puede encourages a spirit of co-operation and respect for differences in all of its programs and activities.	Mailing Address: P.O. Box 53 North Andover, MA 01845 Location: Merrimack Courts Housing Project 675 Essex Street, #4-1 Lawrence, MA	Peg Duddy, Director 978-685-4074 SSPLawrence@aol.com
ACADEMICS: COLLEGE PREP				
Adelante Youth Center: School Success	7th & 8th Grade Prep Program. Entrance exam preparation, academic enrichment for students seeking to attend area private schools. Operates from September	We provide programs and role models to support the growth and talent of all children, while being sensitive to individual cultural needs.	40 Lawrence St Lawrence, MA 01840-1412	David T. Hildt, Executive Director 978-687-9432 info@adelanteyouthcenter.org

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	through June.			
Youth Development Organization	Lawrence Higher Education Resource Center (HERC) Lawrence HERC will be closing as of September 4, 2009.	HERC awakens vision and purpose in the lives of the participants. HERC equips and empowers them to achieve their vision, to realize their potential and to transform their lives and communities.	Mailing Address: PO Box 1758 Lawrence, MA 01842 Program Address: 78-82 Amesbury St. Lawrence, MA 01841	Kathryn Yang Director 978-738-7125 lawrenceherc@comcast.net
Let's Get Ready		Let's Get Ready expands access to college in America by mobilizing, equipping, and empowering a movement of college students helping high school students get to college.	Boston Office: 89 South Street Boston, MA 02111	
	Summer program.	Intensive SAT preparation, college advising, and mentors.	Program Location: Notre Dame High School 205 Hampshire St. Lawrence, MA 01841	617-345-0080 lawrencelgr@gmail.com
ARTS				
Acting out Theater Company	Children's Theater Classes	A supportive, non-competitive environment that enhances self-esteem and encourages self-expression.	60 Island ST Lawrence, MA. 01840	Linda Schoonmaker 978-794-0001 actingout@earthlink.net
Essex Art Center	Various art classes offered for ages 5-adult.	To inspire and nurture the diverse artistic potential of the Greater Lawrence Community through classroom exploration and gallery exhibitions. Making the creation and enjoyment of art accessible to all.	56 Island ST Lawrence, MA 01840-1889	978-685-2343 info@essexartcenter.com
Lawrence Community Works	Movement City Membership network for youth ages of 10-18. Various Programs.	To empower Lawrence youth to participate in a wide range of creative, economic, academic, leadership development and collective action activities.	Our House Campus 168 Newbury St. Lawrence, MA 01841	Misael Martinez Youth Program Director 978-722-2629 mmartinez@lcworks.org
New England Civic Ballet	Dance school and company.	Enhances and expands the greater Merrimack Valley's cultural scene while supporting and rewarding our young people's talents and accomplishments.	4 Dracut St., Lawrence, MA. 01843	Roshni Pecora Director NECB School 978-758-7160
CAREER SERVICES				

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Merrimack Valley Workforce Investment Board		Through consensus-building and coordination, the board will create a leadership framework for the collective actions of workforce providers. Will serve as the repository of valid objective, factual, information on workforce issues in the Merrimack Valley, will demonstrate the integrity to serve as impartial convener, broker, and manager of relationships.	439 South Union Street, Suite 102 Lawrence, MA 01843	978-682-7099 info@mvwib.org
	Youth Council	Advises the Workforce Investment Board. Members are appointed by the Mayor and the WIB.		
Valley Works Career Center		The mission of the ValleyWorks Career Center is to build and promote workforce potential to support <i>regional business growth and economic prosperity</i> .	Heritage Place 439 South Union Street Building 2, Suite 106 Lawrence, MA 01843	978-722-7000 TTY: 978-722-7088
	Work ready youth workshops			Lisa Coy 978-722-7026 lcoy@detma.org
Work Opportunities Unlimited	School-to-Work Program, Community-based Youth Career Program	We create new opportunities for success in the workplace, everyday.	100 Merrimack St. #203 Lowell, MA 01851	Jessica Urriola 857-498-1807 JUrriola@WorkOpportunities.net
CONSTRUCTION				
Merrimack Valley Habitat for Humanity		Believes that a stable community begins with home ownership. By giving this opportunity to economically disadvantaged people in our community, we are enabling them to take control of their lives. Habitat's ultimate goal is to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness in the world by providing homeownership opportunities to those in need.		
	Student Build program	One Sunday a month. Teens 14 and older can be on-site, painting, installing vinyl siding, and doing other projects.	60 Island Street, Lawrence, MA 01840	Anne Broyles 978-681-8858 Ext 16 abroyles@merrimackvalleyhabitat.org

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Youth Build Lawrence	Construction		355 Haverhill Street Lawrence, MA 01840-1127	Shari Dennis-Belding 978-681-0548
ENVIRONMENTAL				
Groundwork Lawrence	Green Team youth program. Year long paid part time jobs for 10 local teens, ages 14-18.	To bring about the sustained regeneration, improvement and management of the physical environment by developing community-based partnerships which empower people, businesses and organizations to promote environmental, economic and social well-being.	60 Island Street Lawrence, MA 01840	978-974-0770
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES				
Arlington Community Trabajando		To empower residents and stakeholders through initiatives in Affordable Housing Projects, Business, Workforce and Youth Development, Green Spaces, Public Safety and other activities.	599 Canal St., 5th Floor West. Lawrence, MA 01840	Ana Luna Executive Director 978-685-6274 aluna@actinc.org
	Youth Leadership Program.	Jobs and leadership skills for youth. Summer camp for younger children who live in the Arlington neighborhood.		
Big Friends/Little Friends	Youth mentoring	Program that matches caring adult mentors with young people who could benefit from a relationship with a positive adult role model. Boys and girls between the ages of 6 and 14 who reside in service area.	430 North Canal St Lawrence, MA 01840	978-327-6640 BFLF@familyserviceinc.com
CLASS Inc	The ARC of Greater Lawrence. Family support services.	Through collaboration with individuals, families, and the community, CLASS, Inc. empowers people with disabilities by providing services that promote personal choice, growth, and full participation in their communities.	One Parker Street Lawrence, MA 01843	Bob Harris, President and CEO 978-975-8587 ext. 1202 TTY # (800) 439-2370 bharris@classinc.org
Department of Children and Families			Everett Mills 15 Union Street, 2nd Floor Lawrence, MA 01840	978-557-2700

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Department of Youth Services		Our mission is to protect the public and prevent crime by promoting positive change in the lives of youth committed to our custody, and by partnering with communities, families, and government and provider agencies toward this end.	Northeast Region 33 Gregory Street Middleton, MA 01949	John Brennan, Director Department of Youth Services 978-646-2300	
Family Continuity Programs	Home-based services and Community-Based Wraparound and Flexible Support.	Supporting family success in every community by empowering people, enhancing their strengths, and creating solutions through partnerships to achieve hope, positive change and meaningful lives.	11 Lawrence Street, Lawrence, MA 01840	978-687-1617 info@familycontinuity.org	
Family Service Inc		To strengthen individuals and families by building skills for successful home, school, work, and community life.	430 North Canal Street Lawrence, MA 01840	Info@FamilyServiceInc.com	
	Adolescent Family Life Program (AFL)	Helps pregnant and parenting teens gain the skills they need to create a healthy future for themselves and their children. The program provides individual case management, group support, parent education, family involvement and assistance with accessing community resources.		Raquel Mendez 978-327-6629	
	Adolescent Sibling Pregnancy Prevention (Sibs)	Engages siblings of pregnant and parenting teens in case management and group services with the intent of preventing early pregnancy.		Shirley Stella 978-327-6645	
	AMIGOS Mentoring Program	Adult mentors in one-on-one relationships with students from grades 4-8 at the Guilmette, Wetherbee, and South Lawrence East Schools in Lawrence. Meet weekly at the student's school; focus on improving student's academic achievement.			Lina Serna 978-327-6638
	Project Venture	After school program at the Guilmette Middle School, includes adventure-learning and community service.		Kate Nicholson 978-327-6635	
	WIC Program	Free healthy food and nutrition program for eligible pregnant, postpartum and breastfeeding women, infants and children under the age of five.	305 Essex St. Lawrence, MA 01840	Rebecca Sarver Program Director 978-681-4960 wic@glcac.org	

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	The Merrimack Valley Area Health Education Center (MVAHEC)- Student Intern Program	Bicultural/bilingual students interested in preparing for careers in health care professions. Paid after school work at many of the health center sites.	1 Canal St. Door B 3rd Floor Lawrence, MA 01841	978-685-4860
Health Quarters	Various health services and education.	Provide quality, sensitive, and affordable clinical care, education and advocacy. We believe everyone should have access to confidential reproductive health care and the opportunity to make informed choices. In all aspects of our work we encourage relationships that are respectful and that value sexuality as an integral part of life.	101 Amesbury Street, Suite 202 Lawrence, MA 01840	978-681-5258 michelec@healthq.org
Horizons for Homeless Children		The mission of Horizons for Homeless Children is to improve the lives of homeless children and their families.		info@horizonsforhomelesschildren.org
	Playspace Programs	Recreational spaces in shelters where trained volunteers participate in educational play activities with the children.	60 Island Street Lawrence, MA 01840	Amanda Browne, Playspace Northeast Region Director 978-557-2182 abrowne@horizonsforhomelesschildren.org
Lawrence Methuen Community Coalition			112 E Haverhill St. Lawrence 01841	978-975-8793
Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (MSPCC)		A private, nonprofit society dedicated to leadership in protecting and promoting the rights and well being of children and families.	439 South Union Street Lawrence, MA 01843	978-682-9222
Merrimack Valley Catholic Charities at Lawrence		Building a just and compassionate society rooted in the dignity of all people.	354 Merrimack St., Building 1, Room 305 Lawrence, MA 001840	978-685-5930
	Latino outreach pregnancy counseling			978-685-5930
	Outpatient Counseling			978-452-1421

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MIT @ Lawrence	What's Up Lawrence?	Telephone and web based news system for youths to organize and be informed about community events.		1-866-460.6602 extension 1 whatsup@media.mit.edu http://www.whatsuplawrence.org/
Northeast Center for Healthy Communities		To improve the lives of young people in Essex County by partnering with and increasing the capacity of the people and organizations that serve and care for them.		
	Youth at Risk "Northeast Youth Leadership Institute"	3 day, 2 night program empowering youth ages 13 to 19 to become leaders in creating healthier communities.	c/o NCHC 1 Canal Street Entrance C Lawrence, MA 01840	Kirsten Doherty, NYLI Coordinator 978-722-2861 kdohertry@glfhc.org
The Northeast Independent Living Program, Inc.	A Smoother Transition	Assists adolescents with disabilities and their family transition from school to adult human services system.	20 Ballard Road Lawrence, MA 01843-1018	978-687-4288 help@nilp.org
The Psychological Center			11 Union Street, Lawrence, MA 01840	978-685-1337
Office of Youth and Adolescent Development (OAHYD)		To implement strategies to enhance the overall health of youth, adolescents and young adults, ages 10 to 24. To promote services and policies that are formed from a holistic youth development approach. To create partnerships with state, federal, foundation, academic and statewide organizations across a broad range of adolescent health issues.	250 Washington Street Boston, MA 02108	Julia Gaggin Humphreys, Director 617-624-6057 TTY 617-624-5992 Julia.Gaggin-Humphreys@state.ma.us
Robert F. Kennedy Children's Action Corps		Dedicated to improving the lives of children and families throughout Massachusetts, and to making a lasting contribution to society as a whole.	11 Beacon Street, Suite 200 Boston, MA 02108	617-227-4183
	Lawrence Community Re-entry Center	Community-based court-diversion program providing outreach and counseling services to at-risk youths ages 12 to 18.		
SCHOLARSHIPS				
Adelante Youth Center: School		We provide programs and role models to support the growth and talent of all		

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Success		children, while being sensitive to individual cultural needs.		
	High School Scholarship Program	For students who complete the Prep Program, acceptance to private high schools may be accompanied by a maximum \$2000 annual Adelante scholarship. These scholarships are matched by participating partner high schools.	40 Lawrence St Lawrence, MA 01840-1412	David T. Hildt, Executive Director 978-687-9432 info@adelanteyouthcenter.org
Andover Artists Guild Inc.	Scholarships	Awards scholarships to a group of selected graduating seniors from various high schools in the Merrimack Valley, as well as to children of members in good standing. Students must be continuing their education in art in college or in art school.	4 Lorenzo Rd. Lawrence, MA 01843-3217	http://www.andoversartistsguild.com/page/Educational-ScholarshipProgram
Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Of Free Masonry: Valley Of Merrimack	Leon M. Abbott Scholarships Program	Applicants must be children or grandchildren of Scottish Rite Masons or members of youth organizations sponsored by the Masonic fraternity. Applicants must be graduates of a public or private secondary/preparatory school. Individual grants range from \$500 to \$1,000 or more.	19 Grafton St. Lawrence, MA 01843-2901	978-474-8973 http://www.valley-of-the-merrimack.org/
Daniel A. Edelstein Scholarship Fund	Scholarships	Helping financially needy, scholastically qualified Lawrence high school graduates attend college.	Temple Emanuel 7 Haggetts Pond Road Andover, MA 01810	
Lawrence Rotary Club		Strives to build a better community, emphasizing service activities by Club members that enhance the quality of life and human dignity, encouraging high ethical standards and creating greater understanding among its people.	130 Parker Street Lawrence, MA 01843	
	Scholarships	The club will award scholarships in varying amounts up to a maximum of \$1,500 per scholarship to deserving young men and women residents of		http://www.lawrencerotary.org/ScholarshipAwards.cfm

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		Lawrence, Methuen, Andover and North Andover.		
Saint Alfio Society	Scholarships	High school seniors who live in Lawrence, Methuen, Andover and North Andover who are bound for higher education at accredited colleges, universities or accepted vocational/technical institutions. Based on four criteria, Scholastic Ability, Financial Need, Character and Community Involvement, and School and Outside Activities.	20 Common St. Lawrence, MA 01841	Sal Torname 617-565-5787 scholarships@threesaintsinc.org
SCHOOLS				
Bellesini Academy		College preparatory middle school for boys.	94 Bradford St. Lawrence, MA 01840-1005	978-989-0004 info@bellesiniacademy.org
Cambridge College		To provide academically excellent, time-efficient, and cost-effective higher education for a diverse population of working adults for whom those opportunities may have been limited or denied.	60 Island Street, Lawrence, MA 01840	978-738-0502
Central Catholic High School	Catholic co-ed college preparatory high school.	To make Jesus known and loved, to educate the whole person, and to serve others, especially the least favored.	300 Hampshire St., Lawrence, MA 01841	978-682-0260
Community Day Charter Public School	Public charter school.	To provide a kindergarten through grade 8 school that will draw upon our considerable experience in working together as a community to develop and implement a curriculum that discovers and supports the special characteristics and unique learning style of each student.	73 Prospect Street Lawrence, MA 01841	978-682-6796 Upper School 978-681-9910 Lower School 978-722-2583 ELC
Esperanza Academy	Middle School for Girls		198 Garden Street, Lawrence, MA	978-686-HOPE
Greater Lawrence Technical High School	Imagination Vacation	A technical summer camp offering students in grades 6, 7, and 8 an opportunity to design, build and create a	57 River Rd. Andover, MA 01810	Ms. Joncas 978-686-0194 ext 5018

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		project in various subjects.		
	Freshmen 101	For incoming 9 th grade students in order to help them be successful as they transition to high school.		Ms. Viera 978-686-0194 ext 1002
Lawrence Family Development Charter School		Strong families, working in partnership with the school as advocates for academic achievement, will create an environment where every child has the opportunity to acquire the foundation skills and habits of mind that foster life-long learning, citizenship participation, and personal fulfillment.	34 West St. Lawrence, Ma. 01841	978-689-9863
Lawrence Public Schools	The Lawrence Public Schools will ensure that all students succeed academically, through standards-based instructional programs linked with rigorous, engaging professional development as well as collaborative parent and community partnerships. The District will create a college-going culture and will prepare all students — including English-language learners and those in general and special education — to achieve high levels of academic success in order to lead productive lives in the twenty-first century.		255 Essex Street Lawrence, MA 01840	978-975-5905
Merrimack College		Our mission is to enlighten minds, engage hearts, and empower lives.		
	Lawrence Math & Science Partnership	After school program for grades 5-8 at middle schools in Lawrence. Hands-on enrichment activities based in the areas of physical and biological science and math.	315 Turnpike Street, North Andover, MA	Professor Mary McHugh, Director 978-837-5123 mary.mchugh@merrimack.edu
	Merrimack Academic Partnership (MAP)	After school mentoring/ tutoring at Lawrence middles schools.	315 Turnpike Street, North Andover, MA	Professor Mary McHugh, Director Stevens Service Learning Center 978-837-5123 mary.mchugh@merrimack.edu
	Accept the Challenge (ATC)	Educational access program for Lawrence High School English as Second Language students. Includes after school classes, summer residential program and full scholarships to Merrimack upon acceptance.	315 Turnpike Street, North Andover, MA	Diana Figueroa 978-837-5468
	The Summer	Four-week-long intensive program for	Merrimack College – STI	Dr. Gary Spring, Director

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	Transportation Institute	10th, 11th, and 12th grade high school students.	315 Turnpike St. N2 North Andover MA 01845	Gary.Spring@merrimack.edu
	Academic Basketball Awareness (ABA) Camp	Free residential camp for 150 boys, offers intense basketball training. In collaboration with the Lawrence Boys and Girls Club.		Bert Hammell 978-837-5399
Northern Essex Community College		To serve the people of the Greater Merrimack Valley as a caring and comprehensive center of educational excellence that offers high quality, affordable adult and post secondary education through the Associate Degree level, as well as a broad range of occupational programs and community services which enhance the social, cultural and economic life of the region.	45 Franklin Street Lawrence, MA 01841	978-738-7000
Notre Dame High School		Is a family centered, college preparatory, coeducational secondary school founded by the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur, whose charism is <i>"to make known the goodness of God."</i>	207 Hampshire Street Lawrence, MA 01841	978-689-8222
Our Lady of Good Counsel	Small, private, Catholic school serving a diverse population of children in Grades K-8.	We are committed to Christ and the building of a faith community. We are dedicated to providing excellence in education in the Catholic tradition. We strive to develop respect through the formation of character within a diverse multicultural population.	526 Lowell Street Lawrence, MA	978-682-9761
Phillips Academy			180 Main Street, Andover, MA 01810	978-749-4000
	PALS	Educational enrichment program for 7 th and 8 th graders from Lawrence schools.		Tom Cone, PALS Director 978-470-0668 tcone@andover.edu
	Andover Bread Loaf	Works with U.S. and international public and private school teachers and students to enhance the teaching and learning of		Lou Bernieri Director 978-884-8452

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		writing and to help catalyze educational renewal in classrooms, schools, school systems, and communities.		lbernieri@andover.edu
Saint Mary of the Assumption School	Private Catholic school, Pre- k through 8 th grade.		301 Haverhill Street, Lawrence, MA 01840	978-685-2091
Saint Patrick School	Pre-K through grade 8 Catholic School		101 Parker Street Lawrence, MA 01843	Sr. Lucy Veilleux, Principal srlucy@stpatslawrence.org 978-683-5822
University of Massachusetts Lowell		To enhance the intellectual, personal and cultural development of its students through excellent, affordable educational programs. The University seeks to meet the needs of the Commonwealth today and into the future and supports the development of sustainable technologies and communities through its teaching, research, scholarship and engagement.	One University Avenue. Lowell, MA 01854.	978-934-4000
	College Prep	Enrichment classes in the areas of Math, Physical Science, Computer Literacy, and English Language Arts.	Office of School Partnerships Wannalancit Mills, 4th Floor, Room 400, 600 Suffolk St., Lowell, MA 01854	978-934-4650
	TEAMS Academy	Free college coursework for regional high school juniors and seniors in technology, engineering, math and science.	One University Ave, 400 Olsen Hall, Lowell, MA 01854	Don Rhine, Director Donna DeSimone, Project Manager 978-934-4613 TEAMS@uml.edu
	Young Scholars Program	Summer program for Lawrence middle school students, designed to improve their academic performance in Math, Science, Education Technology, and English Communication.		Hector N. Torres Program Director 978-934-4668
SPORTS/ RECREATION				
American Legion	Baseball league			Sy Uliano 978-685-0232

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Babe Ruth League	Baseball league	Ages 13 – 16 and 16 – 18.		Sy Uliano 978-685-0232
Boys and Girls Club of Lawrence		To maintain a Club for all youth without distinction of race, sex, color or creed; to provide behavior guidance, and to promote the health, social, educational, vocational and character development of all its members.	136 Water Street Lawrence, MA 01841	Markus Fischer Executive Director 978-683-2747 Ext. 111 mfischer@lawrencebgc.com
	Health & Life Skills Programs	Smart Moves, Project Advance		Magaly Hernandez Health and Life Skills Director 978-683-2747 Ext. 126 mhernandez@lawrencebgc.com
	Educational Programs	Science Club, Tutoring Program, Mentoring Program, Basketball/Honor Roll teams		Raquel Nova Director of Educational Program Services 978-683-2747 Ext. 129 raquelnova@lawrencebgc.com
	Sports and Recreation	Sports leagues, Karate, Summer program, Swimming, The Academic Basketball Awareness Camp (ABA)		
	Character Development	Keystone Club, Torch Club, Youth Council		
	The Arts	Arts & Crafts, Dance, Talent Shows, Club newsletter		
Boy Scouts Yankee Clipper Council		To deliver the lifelong benefits of Scouting to youth and their families in each of the Council's cities and towns through a vibrant and varied program of out door and indoor activities, leadership training and community service. The Council produces tomorrow's leaders and productive citizens by teaching the values of integrity, fitness, personal responsibility, self-reliance and duty defined by the Scout Oath and Law.	36 Amesbury Road, Haverhill, MA 01830-2802	
	Cub scouts, boy scouts, venturing.	An educational program for boys and young adults to build character, to train in		Tim Skelton District Chairman 978-372-0591

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		the responsibilities of participating citizenship, and to develop personal fitness. Ages 8-17 years old.		NorthEssex@YCCBSA.org
City of Lawrence Recreation Department	Sports and recreation programs.	Offers affordable sports and recreation programs for youth, teens and adults throughout the year.	200 Common Street Room 8 Lawrence, MA 01840	Linda Schiavone, Director 978-620-3250 lschiavone@cityoflawrence.com
Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts		To build girls of courage, confidence and character, who make the world a better place. Ages 5-17	1740 Turnpike Street, North Andover, MA 01845	978-689-8015
Greater Lawrence Community Boating Program		Is committed to providing safe, affordable boating for all Merrimack Valley residents. We strive to blend participants from all backgrounds and communities in a family atmosphere of cooperation and fun. Our goal is to teach responsible boating and environmental awareness, so we can all share a lifetime of water recreation.	1 Eaton St., Lawrence, MA 01842	978-681-8675
	Sailing Program	Sailing classes offered summer months in three week sessions at three skill levels, ages 10 and up. \$50.		Ellen Minzner or Meghan LaFlamme 978-681-8675 eminzner@boatingprogram.com
	Greater Lawrence Rowing	Year round competitive and recreational programs for youth and adults. Year-round competitive rowing traveling team open to any high school student in the city, no matter what school. Beginners welcome but swimming ability is required. Offers a limited number of free memberships to income eligible youth.		Director Paul Bea rowing@greaterlawrencerowing.com
Lawrence Police Athletic League			90 Lowell Street Lawrence, MA 01840	William Benjamin 978-794-5912 wbenjab@netscape.net
Lawrence Pop Warner	Football		39 Ridgewood Cir Lawrence, MA 01843	Fred Elwell 978-683-6150
	Cheerleading			978-683-6150
	Challenger Flag	Children with Special Needs, ages 5-16.		Karen

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	Football			978-683-6150
Lawrence Valley Forum	Public ice skating, learn to skate program, rink rentals.		654 South Union St. Lawrence MA, 01842	Mark Beaudoin Rink Manager 978-557-5521
Lawrence Youth Soccer				Zoltan Frasch 603-206-0989
Mill City Youth Football & Cheer			323 South Broadway Lawrence, MA 01843-2639	President Eric Tine ines@jrmaulers.com
Skating Club of Andover	Group classes, tiny tots programs, freestyle sessions, private instruction and more.		Program location: Lawrence Valley Forum 654 South Union St. Lawrence MA, 01842 Program location & mailing address: Haverhill Valley Forum 7 Parkridge Road Haverhill, MA 01835	978-478-5213 SkatingClubofAndover@yahoo.com
South Lawrence East Little League				Greg Morris 978-726-7334
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Valley Hockey League	Local ice hockey league		Haverhill Valley Forum 7 Parkridge Road Haverhill, MA 01835	978-557-5518
Yong K. Kim's USA Taekwondo	Traditional Korean Martial Arts	Taekwondo classes.	132 Parker Street, Lawrence, MA 01843	978-688-1037
YMCA Merrimack Valley	Various programs. Lawrence Music Clubhouse, 2009 Basketball Skills Camp, Counselor-in-Training (CIT) Program, Junior & Teen Achievers Program	The Merrimack Valley YMCA, a community-based organization governed by its members, is dedicated to putting Christian principles into practice through programs, membership opportunities, and community services that strengthen spirit, mind, and body for all.	40 Lawrence Street Lawrence, MA 01840	Francis J. Kenneally III, District Executive Director 978-686-6191 fkenneally@mvyymca.org

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YWCA	Offers a variety of Youth and Women's Services.	The YWCA is dedicated to eliminating racism, empowering women and promoting peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all.	38 Lawrence Street Lawrence, MA 01840	978-687-0331 TTY: 978-686-8840
YOUTH COALITIONS		MISSION/ GOALS OF GROUP		
Greater Lawrence Community Action Council		To encourage and promote the improvement of community life for low-income residents within its service area. ...to help those in need as they strive to achieve self-sufficiency for themselves and for their families.	305 Essex St. Lawrence, MA 01840	admin@glcac.org 978-681-4900
	Lawrence Teen Coalition	Its mission focuses on teenage pregnancy prevention and its linkage to related adolescent issues, such as drugs, tobacco, sexually transmitted infections, adolescent violence, and HIV/AIDS. <i>Currently has no funded program.</i>	112 East Haverhill Street Lawrence, MA 01841	cparadiso@glcac.org
Youth at Risk		Youth at Risk's (YAR) mission is to improve the lives of young people in Essex County by partnering with and increasing the capacity of the people and organizations that serve and care for them.		
	Youth at Risk Annual Conference	To address an unmet need for training focused on youth issues, increasing awareness of existing resources, sharing best practices, and advancing greater cooperation and collaboration among professionals and others serving and caring for youth in Essex County. Also an opportunity to tap the incredible wealth of expertise in Essex County around the topic of youth at risk.	c/o NCHC 1 Canal Street Entrance C Lawrence, MA 01840	Kirsten Doherty YAR Program Manager 978-722-2861 kdoherthy@glfhc.org