



MIDWEST CITY YMCA

We Build Strong Kids, Strong Families, Strong Communities

Kids Zone: Policies and Procedures

1. Kids Zone hours are as follows:
 - During the summer*
 - Monday – Friday
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
 - Monday – Thursday
5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
 - During the school year*
 - Monday – Thursday
5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
2. Members may not enter the room before or after normal operating hours. There will not be a Kids Zone staff member on duty after 12:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Children left after this time will be directed to the basketball gym.
3. The Kids Zone program is for ages 7 – 12 years old.
4. Kids Zone participants must be YMCA members and must present their YMCA membership card at the front desk upon arrival. Participants in the Kids Zone may be asked by the staff at any time to show their member ID.
5. Parents must be aware of and agree to the ‘drop in basis only’ terms. All children are able to come and go on their own. They may also re-enter at any time as long as the Kids Zone is not at maximum capacity. Parents of 7-year-old children must sign a waiver stating they understand and agree to this policy because the YMCA policy states if you are under 8 you must be accompanied by a parent in unsupervised areas.

6. Due to fire codes as well as for the children's safety, the count will consist of both children and staff. Maximum occupancy is 2 staff members and 18 children.
7. Health care policies state that if your child displays any signs of illness including but not limited to: sinus/eye drainage, persistent cough, fever, diarrhea or vomiting within the last 48 hours, please do not send your child to the Kids Zone. If the symptoms are chronic, a doctor's note stating they are not contagious will be accepted.
8. We will have regularly scheduled outside activities. A calendar of scheduled activities will be posted in advance. Be sure your child is dressed appropriately to avoid injury.
9. All participants are expected to participate in scheduled activities and remain courteous to others and display good behavior during all activities. If at any time participants do not follow the rules of the Kids Zone he/she may be asked to leave.
10. Please direct all inquiries/correspondence to Statia Jackson (Youth and Family Coordinator) or Tammy Newton (Youth and Family Director).