Support afterschool for all!

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Our program exposes youth to new forms of Art and Science. Youths are exposed to paleontology, astronomy, forensic entomology, and even learning how to calculate calories, things schools would not even consider as a course.

Currently, nationwide after school programs are being cut. Congress should fund and support programs completely because these programs mold students positively, they truly mold our future.

The Afterschool Alliance is a nonprofit public awareness and advocacy organization working to ensure that all children and youth have access to quality afterschool programs. More information is available at www.afterschoolalliance.org.