

Our Program

The R*E*A*C*H program is dedicated to servicing children with disabilities and their families by providing quality after-school/summer childcare with enrichment activities and social interaction. Call or visit for more information!

R*E*A*C*H

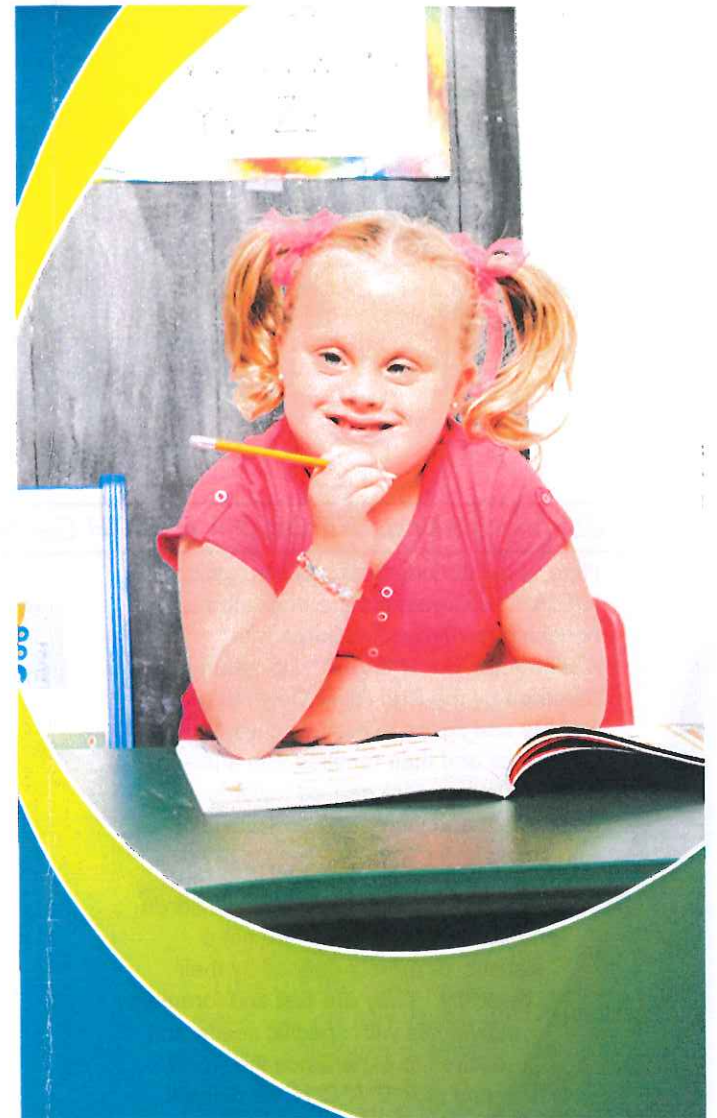
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After-School/Summer Enrichment



Enriching the lives of children with disabilities



Johnny Stallings Recreation REACH Center

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Here at the Johnny Stallings Recreation R*E*A*C*H Center we are dedicated to enriching the lives of children with disabilities. The R*E*A*C*H program is parented by the Red River Down Syndrome Society and seeks to provide children with disabilities and their families with after-school/summer care geared towards enrichment and increased socialization.

At R*E*A*C*H, our main goal is to raise expectations and create hope. Children enrolled in this program are not a statistic or merely defined by their disability. They are first and foremost individuals with specific needs and desires to experience the world, and at R*E*A*C*H, we deliver enrichment experiences to expand horizons.

What We Do:

- Design enrichment activities to engage the children in our care
- Provide social opportunities in the way of group games and projects
- Encourage community members to volunteer their time and/or skills to foster community awareness and acceptance
- Provide social opportunities for both children/adults with disabilities & their parents
- Provide the children with a fun, safe environment that exalts their varied differences

Hours and Tuition:

R*E*A*C*H is an after-school program that operates from the hours of 2-6 p.m. every day that any school is in session, as well as an all-day summer program operating 7:30 a.m.– 6 p.m., Mon – Fri. Transportation to schools outside the Paris district is limited to the North Lamar district, but is available. This transportation cost is included in the tuition fee.

Tuition for these programs is flexible. Our main goal is not profit, but to serve children with disabilities and their families. To help with the tuition cost for these programs, R*E*A*C*H works with CCMS and has a sliding-scale pay grade for tuition. We will make every effort to ensure the cost for your child to attend is affordable. For more information concerning tuition costs, contact sbryant@rrvdss.org or stop by the R*E*A*C*H Center.

We would love for you and your child to come tour the facility any weekday between 2-6 during the school year or 7:30-6 during the summer months! Drop ins are welcomed, or you can call to set up an appointment, whichever is most convenient for you. We look forward to serving you and your child in the near future!

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