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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

The RSG Afterschool program in Gettysburg funded by the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers grants of the PA Department of Education is now enrolling for the 2019-2020 school year. The program will start on Monday, September 10, 2019, and will follow the Gettysburg Area School District (GASD) calendar. Please consider the following information when deciding to enroll your children in the program:

- This program is free for all families of GASD, Vida, Montessori, and St. Francis schools and is fully funded by the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE); therefore, we must comply with their requirements. NOTE: We are not childcare and don't have one on one service.
- The components of the program are:  
Academic reinforcement (homework tutoring and STEAM activities), Social Emotional Learning (SEL) opportunities (Positive Action and Incredible Years Series), and Physical Activity (SPARK, Sports, Physical Activity and Recreation for Kids).
- Attendance and Participation:  
All students should be enrolled for and attend at least two (2) regular days per week. All attendees should stay at the program for at least the first hour of academic reinforcement every day and must participate in the group activities as planned.
- Enrollment:  
Enrollment is limited as our capacity is determined by our ability to staff each center. We are giving preference to our current students and their siblings, and those wishing to attend every day. After reaching our capacity, we will place applicants in a waiting list.
- Our program's schedule includes natural transitions from one component to the next as part of our teachings about SEL. It is not healthy for our students to be disturbed in the middle of an activity by open pick-up time so, dismissals will occur from 4-4:15 and 5-5:30 daily. In case of emergency, you can always reach your child by calling our program coordinator at the number listed in the brochure, and at the parent pick-up door. The implementation of these dismissal changes will decrease the staffing costs associated with open pick-up times. We appreciate your continued understanding and cooperation as our programs implement these changes.
- To ensure your space, please complete the enrollment form including emergency contact information and mail it to my attention, RSG Afterschool, 353 Buford Ave. Gettysburg PA 17325. Enrollment will be confirmed to you by phone during the week of August 5 – 9, 2019.

We are looking forward to continuing to support your family by partnering with schools to promote academic success and social, emotional development.

Sincerely,  
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