

PROGRAMS AND SPECIALS AT GATEWAY ACADEMY

SPECIALS DURING THE SCHOOL DAY

- **Spanish:** three periods per week, K - 8
- **Computers:** one period per week, K - 8
- **PE:** two periods per week, K - 8
- **Art:** one period per week, K - 5
- **American Founding Principles course:** One period per week, grade 8
- **Classical Composers Course:** TBD
- **Student Government**

SUMMER

Math: A math enrichment course during the summer for six weeks, one day a week, 1.5 hours each day, for students entering 7th and 8th grade

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Model Rocketry Program -- *After School in the Spring*

Our Model Rocketry Program will be led by Mr. John Falcone with over 15 years of experience

- Introduction to model rocketry: what it is and how it works
- Learn about data acquisition, statistical analysis and mathematical formulas
- Build and launch a model rocket (competition for longest rocket flight)
- Ability to bring home a model rocket that can be launched time and time again

Soccer Program – *After School in the Spring*

Our spring after school soccer program is led by local celebrity soccer coach Ed Hynes

- Led Wagner College's team to its only postseason appearance in the program's history
- Named the 1996 Northeast Conference Coach of the Year
- Guided Farrell High School to three straight State Island CHSAA divisional crowns

Basketball Program – *After School in the Fall*

Learn the basic skills of dribbling, passing, shooting, rebounding, and positions.

- Scrimmages and competition

Journalism Program – *During and After School in the Fall and Spring*

Led by Mr. John Falcone, former editor of the College of Staten Island's school paper

- Students involved will learn basic journalistic writing, editing, and revision and put these skills to use in the production and composition of a school newspaper
- Positions: Editor in Chief, Section Editors, Staff Writers and Reporters, Contributors

Chess Program – *After School in the Fall*

Led by Mrs. Joanne Miller who has extensive experience teaching Chess to school age children

American Sign Language Program – *After School in the Fall and Spring*

This fall ASL program is led by teacher and sign language enthusiast Mrs. Policarpo

*Programs and specials are subject to change at the discretion of Gateway Academy's administration.
Dates and costs for after school programs to be determined.*