

# SPECIAL SPRING MINI SERIES OPTIONS:



## CAD & Graphic Design

We built the computers last semester & now it is time to put them to use & see what they are capable of doing!

This multi part mini series will allow you to work side by side with professionals for the best experience.

## Workforce Readiness

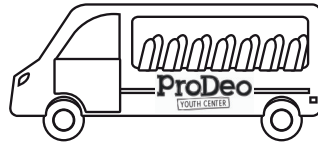
This special series will give you exposure to careers in trades, hospitality and customer service. Over the course of several sessions you will build professional resumes, hold mock interviews & attend a mini a job fair.

You may walk away with a summer internship!

Any job training & equipment needed will be provided!

**BOTH SERIES WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAYS DURING TUTORING HOURS**

## Important Things to Know:



WE PICK UP AT:

- LSHS
- LSW
- SRA



**Students MUST sign-up to get picked up by our van and join us after school!**

### Please note:

We can transport teens home from programming if registration is complete, student lives within LSR7 boundaries & there is a family hardship. All other students must be picked up at 5pm Mon-Thurs when programming ends.

## Tutoring Tues & Thurs

A quiet study space from 2:30-5pm.

If you need help with a specific subject, let us know & we can connect you with a tutor!

## Thank you to our Partners!



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# ProDeo

YOUTH CENTER

Winter/Spring 2025  
 Program Guide

## FAQS

### WHAT IS PRO DEO YOUTH CENTER?

Pro Deo serves teens in 9th-12th grade in Eastern Jackson County. We provide free after-school & weekend activities to help teens interact & grow into productive adults, all while enjoying their teen years in a safe, fun & inclusive environment.

### HOW DOES A STUDENT REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE?

Visit our website & click the TEEN PROGRAMS button to complete the registration online. Once completed, you will receive a phone confirmation by a staff member & an invitation to join the BAND app. From there, students are welcome to sign up to join us for any of our free after school & Friday night events.

### WHO CAN ATTEND PRO DEO?

Pro Deo welcome ALL teens in the Lee's Summit area who are looking for a safe & welcoming place to belong.

### WHAT ARE THE HOURS?

Student hours are Monday - Thursday 2:30-5pm, Friday evenings we begin at 5pm, end time will vary.

### IF THIS IS FREE, HOW ARE YOU FUNDED?

Pro Deo Youth Center is a 501 (c)3 nonprofit that relies on donations from individuals, companies, foundations & grants to remain open. Find out how you can support at [prodeoyouthcenter.org](http://prodeoyouthcenter.org)

### WHERE CAN I LEARN MORE?

For more information, scan here.



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Our free programming fits into our 5 pillars:



Creative Arts



Personal & Social Skills



Sports Health & Wellness



College Career & Job Skills



Academic & STEM

## JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH

**January 8 (Wed 3-5)  
Welcome & Expectations**  
New semester & fresh starts, but let's review the rules.

**January 13 (Mon 3-4)  
Spill It!**  
Learn what makes a relationship (peer, family or romantic) healthy and signs of distress.

**January 13 (Mon 3-4)  
Floral Bookmarks**  
Using dried flowers we will create one of a kind bookmarks that you can keep for yourself or give as a gift.

**January 15 (Wed 3-4)  
Candle Making**  
Choose a scent, color and pour a candle to take home and light when you need to find your peace.

**January 22 (Wed 3-5)  
Ice Skating**  
Twirl and leap or just hang tight onto the wall and hope not to fall. Join us for an afternoon on the ice or by the fire.

**January 27 (Mon 3-5)  
Community Service Day**  
We will help our friends at Lee's Summit Social Services clean, sort and arrange their shelves. After let's grab a little ice cream treat!

**January 29 (Wed 3-5)  
Hanging with Tina**  
Our friend, Tina, will guide us through a workshop with a fun activity and delicious snacks.

**February 3 (Mon 3-5)  
Paths to Entrepreneurship**  
Tamara is going to teach us college readiness and career building skills that will help you with future life planning.

**February 5 (Wed 3-4)  
Cooking with Jodi**  
Let's chop, dice or bake the afternoon away with a fun lesson in the kitchen with Jodi and her friends.

**February 5 (Wed 4-5)  
Pickleball**  
Are your skills at the beginner level or will you run the court? Either way, let's have some fun with the paddle and the ball playing pickleball!

**February 10 (Mon 3-5)  
MCPL Visit**  
We are going to visit a local library to learn about the exciting events and resources they offer to teens. We can spend some quiet time browsing the books and soaking it all in too!

**February 12 (Wed 3-5)  
Love Day Party**  
Celebrate the LOVE that fills our space with a fun party. You know there will be food, games and a good time, because that's LOVE!

**February 19 (Wed 3-4)  
Fossil Forge**  
We are taking a field trip and heading to DTLs for a visit with our friends at Fossil Forge. See behind the scenes of the coolest fabrication business in town!

**February 19 (Wed 4-5)  
Creators Workshop**  
Have fun painting something that is meaningful to you or just let your brush and the paint do the talking.

**February 24 (Mon 3-5)  
Community Service**  
We are heading to Coldwater to give back to our community who gives so much to us. Bring your community service sheet to get it signed for school!

**February 26 (Wed 3-5)  
Open Gym Play**  
Come hang out and get your body moving during open gym. You can shoot hoops, play pickleball or just hangout on the sidelines and chat with friends.

**March 3 (Mon 3-5)  
Career Building**  
Northpoint friends will be here to kick off our College and Career Readiness Series. Learn more about what this mini series will look like and if it is the right fit for you!

**March 5 (Wed 3-4)  
Cooking with Jodi**  
Pull up your sleeves and let's get our hands messy as we work as a team in the kitchen creating something tasty!

**March 5 (Wed 4-5)  
Shootin' Hoops**  
Relax and have fun while we play a friendly game of basketball.

**March 10 (Mon 3-4)  
Guided Art**  
Chris is going to lead us through a fun art project that is easy enough for any skill level.

**March 10 (Mon 4-5)  
Park Play**  
Hopefully the weather cooperates so we can head over to the park for some fun in the early spring sun.

**March 12 (Wed 3-4)  
Spill It!**  
Learn all about effective communication and problem solving with today's lesson. It's a skill everyone can use to help them be a better human towards others.

## MARCH, APRIL, MAY

**March 17 (Mon 3-5)  
St Paddy's Day Party**  
We will eat the green snacks, drink the green drinks and have all of the fun together to celebrate St. Patrick's Day. Don't forget to wear your green!

**March 19 (Wed 3-5)  
No Sew Blankets**  
Let's get cozy and turn on a movie while we make simple no sew blankets.

**March 24 (Mon 3-5)  
Adopt-a-Street**  
It's time to clean up our little corner of the world after a long winter for this community service Monday.

**March 26 (Wed 3-5)  
Open Gym Play**  
Come hang out and get your body moving during open gym. You can shoot hoops, play pickleball or just hangout on the sidelines and chat with friends. Being together is always better!

**March 31 (Mon 3-4)  
Word Art**  
Find a word that means something special to you or even just your name. We will create a unique word art that you can take home.

**March 31 (Mon 4-5)  
Corn Hole**  
Test your skills and toss the bag. Can you make it in the hole?

**April 2 (Wed 3-4)  
Cooking with Jodi**  
It's that time again to spend with our friends in the kitchen and learn how to create another dish you can make home

**April 2 (Wed 4-5)  
Bump, Set, Spike!**  
Show off your skills and serve it up. Don't worry, we will keep this volleyball match friendly for all levels!

**April 4 (Mon 3-4)  
Guided Art**  
Follow step by step instructions on how create a fun art project.

**April 14 (Mon 4-5)  
Park Play**  
Hopefully the weather cooperates so we can head over to the park for some fun in the early spring sun.

**April 16 (Wed 3-5)  
Tie-Dye Shirts**  
Learn the skill of tie-dye! We will bring the supplies, you bring the skills.

**April 21 (Mon 3-5)  
DTLS Scavenger Hunt**  
Explore downtown and see if you can spot the hidden marks on this scavenger hunt.

**April 23 (Wed 3-4)  
Spill It!**  
How's your memory? This team building activity that takes everyone to succeed!

**April 28 (Mon 3-5)  
Community Service**  
We are visiting our friends at Addington Place for a friendly game of BINGO!

**April 30 (Wed 3-4)  
Just Imagine**  
This improv comedy workshop will stretch you out of your comfort zone, but we promise you'll have fun.

**April 30 (Wed 3-4)  
Magic Milk**  
You'll just have to come and see it for yourself. That's the deal.

**May 5 (Mon 3-5)  
Cinco de Mayo**  
We're thinking tacos, pinata, chips and salsa and a good time together as we start the final month of the school year.

**May 7 (Wed 3-4)  
Cooking with Jodi**  
You know whatever is being mixed up in the kitchen will always be delicious when Jodi and friends lead us!

**May 7 (Wed 4-5)  
Pickleball**  
Dink! Pick up a paddle and play a friendly match with some friends.

**May 12 (Mon 3-4)  
Guided Art**  
Come ready to create as Chris guides us with a simple guided art activity.

**May 12 (Mon 4-5)  
Park Play**  
We can fly a kite, throw the football or toss a frisbee. Spring is always the best time to hang out at the park and get some fresh air.

**May 14 (Wed 3-4)  
Spill It**  
It's not always fun to discuss, but it is important to know the dangers of substance abuse, the warning signs of suicide and learn resources like 988 to help you in times of crisis.

**May 14 (Wed 4-5)  
Choose Your Chill**  
After filling your brain with all that knowledge, it's time to chill with a craft, game or just hanging out with friends.

**May 19 (Mon 3-5)  
Learning Garden**  
Time to head over to the garden to see how things are growing and what weeds need to be pulled.

**May 21 (Wed 3-5)  
DIY Window Clings**  
Create something fun to decorate your windows for the upcoming summer season and bring some extra joy to your space at home.

# FRIDAY

## 5-9pm Fun Nights

Ending times may vary

FRIDAY NIGHTS ARE ALWAYS FREE AND DINNER IS ALWAYS SERVED, BUT YOU MUST SIGN UP!

**JANUARY 10**  
Grade Incentive

**JANUARY 17**  
Open Gym Play

**JANUARY 24**  
MLK Celebration & Game Night

**JANUARY 31**  
KC Mavericks Game

**FEBRUARY 7**  
Prehistoric Golf

**FEBRUARY 14**  
BINGO

**FEBRUARY 21**  
Rink Ratz

**MARCH 14**  
Swimming @ Lovell Community Center

**MARCH 21**  
Dave's Gymnastics

**MARCH 28**  
Karaoke Night

**APRIL 4**  
Movie @ B&B Theater

**APRIL 18**  
Bowling @ Aaron's Fun Center

**APRIL 25**  
Murder Mystery

**MAY 2**  
Graffiti Attic

**MAY 9**  
Bonfire

**MAY 16**  
Senior Celebration & Hang Out

**MAY 23**  
Amazing Race

\*Events and schedule is subject to change

SUMMER PROGRAMMING  
WILL KICK OFF ON  
MONDAY, JUNE 2ND

Incoming Freshman and graduating seniors are welcome all summer long!