



Winter 2015

This brochure offers a snapshot of Invest-in-Kids activities offered by community-based organizations in partnership with the Office of Human Services.

This semester, program partners include: Dream Out Loud Center for the Arts; New Bedford Art Museum/Artworks!; PAACA; Seven Hills and the YWCA of Southeastern MA.

A schedule appears on the City's website: www.newbedford-ma.gov.

If you would like to learn more about these and other programs, please call the Office of Human Services @ 508.997.4889.

Sincerely,

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD INVEST-IN-KIDS PROGRAMS

Q: What is the Invest-In-Kids Programs?

A: Invest-In-Kids is the "umbrella" for out-of-school-time activities offered through the City's Office of Human Services. The program began Spring '99

Q: Where are the programs held?

A: At various sites throughout the City (agencies, schools, Art Museum, churches, etc.)

Q: What age groups are served?

A: Grades 4-5, Middle School & High School

Q: Who funds these programs?

A: The City of New Bedford in partnership with not-for-profit organizations.

Q: Are these programs effective?

A: Yes! According to evaluations conducted by Brandeis University's Center for Youth & Communities: "The Program is a solid program that is well thought out in terms of meeting the objectives of positive youth development. The program is worthy of continued funding and support."



Winter Program Listing 2015

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Semester II

January 24 – April 24



Program	Sponsor	Students & Location
Creative Careers 	Dream Out Loud Center for the Arts	Keith, Normandin & NBHS @Dream Out Loud
EdVentures 	Seven Hills Behavioral Health	Normandin & Campbell @ Aries Dr. & Amanda Ave
Exploring My City Through Art 	New Bedford Art Museum	Taylor @ NBAM
Girls Exclusive 	YWCA	Carter Brooks @ Carter Brooks

Program	Sponsor	Students & Location
KidzArt 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Rodman, & Kempton @ Buttonwood
KoolDays 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Hannigan @ Hazelwood
KoolDays 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Lincoln & Swift @ North Baptist Church
KoolDays April Vacation 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Ashley, Lincoln, Kempton, Rodman, & Swift @ North Baptist Church
KoolNotes 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Lincoln, Kempton & Swift @ Brooklawn

Program	Sponsor	Students & Location
Mayor's Youth Council 	YWCA	NBHS & GNB "Voc" @ YWCA
Insight Bridge to Success 	PAACA	Roosevelt, & Normandin @ Roosevelt
Saturday Academy 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Ashley, Parker, Lincoln, Hannigan, Rodman, Swift, Normandin, NBHS & Voc @Dennison
The Butterfly Program 	City of New Bedford Community Services	Ashley, Lincoln & Swift @ St. Andrew's Church