



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY



# SCALED LEARNING™ CURRICULUM

Learning that grows with your child

SCALED Learning™, the Y's holistic before and after-school curriculum, presents kids with new challenges as they reach each stage of their development. SCALED Learning™ helps kids grow in the classroom and out in the world through engaging in STEM, hands-on arts, literacy, career-connected learning, diversity and global education, social development, and fun!

Kids who participate in the Y's before and after-school programs spend their time expanding the school day through active play with classmates and curriculum that augments what they're learning in school. Discovering the world is fun and safe with the Y, the experts on helping kids grow and learn in spirit, mind, and body.




## What SCALED Learning™ Means

Students discover what they love through our proprietary curriculum centered around STEM, career-connected learning, arts, literacy, education, and diversity and global learning.


## Our Staff

Our staff are caring and educated with a passion for encouraging kids to grow, learn, and thrive. Through regular staff development days, continuing education classes, on-the-job training, CPR and First Aid certification, and annual child abuse prevention courses, the YMCA of Snohomish County ensures our before and after-school program staff are some of the most highly skilled, engaged, and prepared in the country!




**S** STEM

- STEM projects engage kids in science, technology, engineering, or math to practice academic skills, critically think, and promote investigation, inquiry, and discovery.




**C** Career-Connected Learning

- Kids explore career paths through integrated lesson plans and get to know professionals in industries like engineering, medicine, business, and education through a variety of classroom visits.




**A** Arts

- Kids engage in hands-on art projects which grow in complexity as they get older. They will explore a variety of techniques and media as they discover ways to creatively express themselves.




**L** Literacy

- Literacy activities engage kids in reading aloud and discussion, creative writing, Reader's Theater, and word games to practice academic skills and promote expression.



**E** Education

- YMCA programs help students build confidence to become active learners both in and out of the classroom. From homework help to spelling bees and more, the Y helps kids love learning.



**D** Diversity & Global Learning

- Kids become good global citizens through cultural events and projects that explore diverse perspectives, ideas, beliefs, and customs.