



SKIES *Unlimited*

Schools of Knowledge, Inspiration, Exploration & Skills



What would your children like to be when they grow up ?





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Instructional programs have been offered as a part of CYSS for many years. Traditionally, these instructional programs have been run without a standardized formal structure.

SKIESUnlimited strives to introduce a standardized framework to CYSS instructional programming while offering the flexibility to start small and expand.

The Army believes that soldiers and their families are entitled to the same quality of life as those they are pledged to defend. The SKIES Unlimited approach provides as wide a programming net as possible, while ensuring that countless learning options are available for skill development, knowledge building, exploration opportunities and inspiration for Army children and youth.

Every youth has fundamental human needs that must be met in order for him or her to become a functioning member of society. These needs include access to a healthy sense of hope, opportunity and an optimistic life philosophy. The instructional programs are one vehicle by which to reach this goal of CYSS.

Our instructors are knowledgeable in their area and nurture all of the participants with positive guidance and support. Each participant leaves with a feeling of increased competence in his or her ability.





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The name SKIESUNLIMITED is an acronym for “*School of Knowledge, Inspiration, Exploration, and Skills*” with the word “Unlimited” for the unlimited possibilities this program can offer Army children and youth.



The program is in its early stages. Right now, Tobyhanna CYSS is conducting surveys and gathering information from kids and parents to find out what programs CYSS kids are interested. With the support of our community and the parents, the program will grow and expand offering various programs and classes which will benefit the youth of our community.



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Young people spend as much as 80% of their waking time outside the classroom. When involved in instructional programs during the critical hours of 3-8 pm, they are less likely to engage in undesirable behavior. The latest education research confirms that students' involvement in after-school instructional programs is beneficial on all levels.



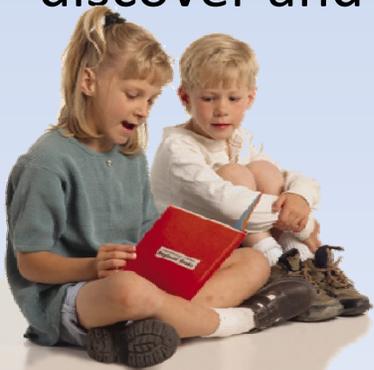


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SKIESUnlimited offers a wide variety of programs that will unlock our children's potential.

It is with the knowledge that all children are born with special talents and abilities that SKIESUnlimited can exist. It is our goal to create an environment that offers a multitude of instructional programs, through which children and youth can discover and develop these skills and talents.





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EXPLORATION

- Respect for self and others
- Teamwork skills
- Healthy relationships
- Positive interpersonal skills
- Conflict resolution skills
- Cooperation and consideration for others
- Compassion
- Assumption of responsibility
- Contribution to society

Inspiration

- Self-reliance
- Resiliency
- Discipline
- Self-motivation
- Positive self-identity

Knowledge

- Critical thinking
- Problem solving
- Recognition of original ideas, thoughts and expressions
- Self-analysis
- Listening, speaking, reading, writing and computation
- Strong moral compass
- Broad-based knowledge
- Ethical values
- Creativity

SKILLS

- Personal safety
- Personal fitness
- Healthy lifestyles
- Learn by doing
- Hygiene
- Taking healthy risks
- Coordination



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TYPES OF SKIESUNLIMITED INSTRUCTIONAL CLASSES, CREATED TO SERVE YOU BEST...

PARTNERSHIPS

Classes near your homes will offer you, Tobyhanna Army Depot families, a discount. Find out what classes are offering partnerships on our website and visit Central Enrollment in building 335 to receive your discounts.

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SKIES *Unlimited* programs provide instruction that is developmentally and intellectually appropriate for children from 18 months to pre K. These classes are often offered during the school day and can be used to peak children's interests and speed up motor skill development.





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Beautiful Ballerina

ENJOYS MATH FOR THE FIRST TIME

BELIEVES IN THEMSELVES

HAS THE JOY AND KNOWHOW TO COOK THEIR FAMILY A MEAL

Scholar

Excited about making their own gifts this year

Knows how to write

their own resume and

Interview for jobs

As an infant, is catching

Up to peers developmentally

Can teach mom and dad about the constellations

Ability to read and write

Sign up for
Classes and
enjoy watching
these benefits
arrive in
your home.

Comes home with a smile

Knowledgeable in two languages

POSITIVE IN BEING ABLE TO MAKE THE BASEBALL TEAM

Can finally serve the ball over the net

Knows their manners

Able to improve SAT scores

Confident in making friends





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INTERESTED IN A SKIES CLASS?

Contact Central Registration
at Tobyhanna bldg 335
(570) 895-9013

See the next slide for
Registration
requirements





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REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

If your child is not already registered in at least one of our programs, be sure to bring the required documents when you come to sign up for your first SKIES class.

1. Latest copy of LES and/or pay stub to calculate total family income.
2. Dates of your child's immunization record.
3. Your health insurance card, physician's name, phone #, and address and your hospital preference in the event of an emergency.
4. 3 emergency release contacts, their addresses and phone numbers (someone other than sponsor and spouse).
5. Sponsor & spouse phone #'s for work, cell, and home, address and e-mail addresses (if applicable).
6. [Health Assessment](#), only if you are signing your child up for a sport





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Army Family Covenant Discounts available for:

- ➔ Families of Wounded Warriors and Warriors in Transition
- ➔ Families of Fallen Warriors
- ➔ Families of Deployed Military and DOD Civilians
- ➔ Families of Deployed Soldiers as identified on the Rear Detachment and Personnel Availability Report.
- ➔ Families of Military and DOD Civilians serving under orders



Depending upon the sponsor's status Tobyhanna youth may be eligible for free instructional classes – please check with Central Registration for eligibility. A copy of the sponsor's orders must be on file at Central Registration when registering. Benefit are based on space availability in each class desired. Current CYSS pass is required. CYS S Annual Registration is FREE!





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Child Youth and School Service

Children enrolled in Tobyhanna Child, Youth & School Services are eligible to participate. CYS enrollment is conducted at CYS Central Registration (CER), 11 Hap Arnold Blvd. Tobyhanna, PA 18466 at 570-895-9013. CYSS-registered children may register for SKIES classes at Central Enrollment Building 335

How you can participate:

Please feel free to offer suggestions of class offerings. If there are enough children and youth to justify a class, course, seminar or clinic, we will be more than happy to accommodate the request if at all possible. We would be happy to help you and can be contacted at 570-895-6559 or via email at [SKIESUnlimited programs](#)





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SKIESUnlimited Instructors Needed



Join the Child, Youth & School Services family as a child/youth instructor. The new Schools of Knowledge, Inspiration, Exploration and Skills are looking for qualified, caring instructors for the four schools: arts, academics, sports and life skills. Our classes will serve infants through high school seniors in a wide variety of subjects and interests.

CYSS offers a free training program to our instructors suitable to use for future employment; a background clearance is required; SKIES will work with instructors to assist in days and times which are most convenient for the instructors as much as possible.

For information on Instructor applications, stop by CYSS central enrollment, bldg 335, or call 570-895-9013. You can also email the

[SKIESdirector](#)





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**Unlock your child's imagination with
programs at SKIES *Unlimited***

Ever wonder what your child will be when he or she grows up? Maybe the next Mozart, the one who tops Tiger Woods, or maybe both.

