

Since 1999, the Youth Enrichment Fund has helped more than 4,000 kids.

It provides opportunities for kids to experience activities that develop individual skills, offer interaction with positive adult role models, and encourage teambuilding and friendship.

“ Our family was in transition when we moved to Columbia this fall. Our child was able to participate in something fun and not dwell on family issues. ”
– Parent

“ Our kids act nicer to each other and made new friends. ”
– Parent

“ I was able to attend two basketball camps out of state & receive a four-year scholarship to a Division 1-A college. ”
– Hickman student

If you know someone who could benefit from the Youth Enrichment Fund, please call VAC at (573) 874-2273.



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Parents and kids select programs that the Youth Enrichment Fund helps them afford.

You can make their dreams a reality.

Popular opportunities include:

- Summer programs
• Swimming lessons
• Gymnastics and dance classes
• Karate and Tae-Kwon-Do classes
• Art, music, and dance classes
• Therapeutic learning equipment
• Baseball, basketball, soccer, & football
• College application and testing

What is the Youth Enrichment Fund?

Voluntary Action Center believes all youth should have the opportunity to participate in activities many people take for granted. In accordance with that belief, VAC established the Youth Enrichment Fund in 1999 to help local children achieve their dreams and develop their interests.

This fund enables children and teenagers from low-income families to participate in activities they would otherwise be unable to access. Such activities are designed to increase their feelings of self-worth and expand their horizons.

VAC staff identify eligible families who come to the VAC office and also work closely with local schools, social service agencies, and youth organizations to identify children in our community who would benefit from this fund.

Your donation makes a difference.

- \$35 A child can enroll in a summer program. (Sun icon)
\$50 A gifted teen can enroll in an art class. (Paint palette icon)
\$100 Two children can take swimming lessons. (Swimmer icon)

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