




S.O.A.R.

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WHO WE ARE

S.O.A.R. is an after-school program for middle school students, 5th-8th grade. The program is comprised of four main focuses: Social, Occupational, Academic and Recreational.

WHAT WE DO

S.O.A.R. provides a safe learning environment for all students by providing development opportunities and support in social, occupational, academic, and recreational skills.

Social - Staff will help students navigate peer relationships, build appropriate communication skills and cope with such things as peer pressure. This will be achieved by establishing and actively maintaining positive relationships, as well as utilizing the Teaching Tolerance curriculum to further promote compassion and empathy. These values will be applied while implementing service based projects within the Dover community. The program also has the potential to offer counseling services on site for students who qualify.

Occupational - The program will partner with a variety of organizations on the University of New Hampshire campus and local businesses to expose the students to secondary education as well as a variety of potential occupations, providing a *leg up as they look to their future.

Academics - The program will be specifically designed to work in partnership with the school, to compliment learning goals and needs. This will be done by offering homework help and partnering with the STEAM Academy. In addition, S.O.A.R. will offer students a variety of enrichment activities.

Recreational - S.O.A.R. will offer a variety of programs designed to get kids up and moving, encourage creativity, and promote a sense of community. The students will be an active part of creating a safe, welcoming, fun environment for all participants to enjoy.

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