



Prime Time

NEW HOURS

Prime Time is a free program for YMCA Family Members only. Prime Time allows parents to work out while we supervise and interact with your child.

Time Limits

Under 1 yr	1 Hour
1-2 yrs	1.5 Hours
2 yrs & older	2 Hours

	Mornings 6mo-6yrs	Evenings 6mo-14yrs
Monday	9:00-12:00 pm	4:00-7:45 pm
Tuesday	9:00-12:00 pm	4:00-7:45 pm
Wednesday	9:00-12:00 pm	4:00-7:45 pm
Thursday	9:00-12:00 pm	4:00-7:45 pm
Friday	9:00-12:00 pm	
Saturday	8:30-12:30 pm	

Prime Time is a first come, first serve program please be Respectful of others and follow the time limits. To make Prime Time run smother we request that you follow all the Prime Time guidelines located on the back. Please remember Prime Time is a NO FOOD environment, and we encourage that you do not bring in any outside toys.

Thank You, Nichole Daigle Family Coordinator

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PRIME TIME PROGRAM POLICIES

Welcome to Prime Time at the East Side/ Mt. Hope YMCA. We are proud to offer this essential member service to those with family memberships. These programs are designed to allow the entire family to utilize the Y at the same time. Prime Time is more than just babysitting. We provide a fun-filled learning environment that involves your child in structured activities; arts and crafts, sports, games, foosball, DDR and other interactive activities. We also have an area for children to do their homework.

GENERAL INFORMATION

We suggest that when using Prime Time for the first time, you visit and play with your child in the Prime Time Room for at least 20 minutes before leaving your child, especially if you are a parent of a young child. Our goal is to make your child feel comfortable with the room and the Y Staff. Children must be at least 6 months of age to participate in Prime Time. We will also ask that you fill out a Child Information Form and notify our staff of any changes.

Parents must remain in the building while their children participate in Prime Time .

Our Prime Time Program are very popular. To ensure the safety of all children, we must enforce a 2-hour maximum time limit.

Please have your child arrive in a clean diaper or have older children use the bathroom before you bring them to Prime Time. Based on health and safety regulations, we do not change diapers. If a child needs a diaper change, we will locate the parent. Older children will be escorted to the bathroom as needed.

Due to the increasing number of children with food allergies, **children are not allowed to bring any food.** Please remember, the children are only with us for a very short time. Children are allowed to bring a drink in a closed container such as a sippy cup or bottle

Please mark personal belongings such as jackets, cups, bottles and diaper bags with your child's name prior to arrival. **Please do not bring personal toys or games into Prime Time.** We have a great assortment of toys and games.

PROGRAM POLICIES

Prime Time families must sign in all children In the event this program needs to be closed for other YMCA events notices will be posted.

If your child has a problem adjusting to Prime Time, we will make every effort to calm and comfort your child. We will ask parents to attend to their child if unfavorable behavior persists beyond 15 minutes.

If your child is ill with a cold, cough, fever and/or runny nose, please keep your child home. If your child is absent from school for any reason, please do not bring your child to Prime Time. If your child develops a communicable disease, please inform Y Staff so we can notify other parents.

Children displaying unacceptable behavior will receive an age appropriate time out from their activity. Staff will inform parents if this situation occurs and will work with you to prevent future incidents. Our staff will strive to nurture individual character by teaching the YMCA Character Development values of caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility. The East Side/ Mt. Hope YMCA handles most discipline situations by helping children to develop problem-solving skills by providing positive reinforcement and by redirection.

It is our intent that all members have the opportunity to participate in our programming with enjoyment and success.

If modifications are needed to insure this goal, please address your concerns to
Nichole Daigle, Family Program Coordinator at 401-521-0155 ext. 107.