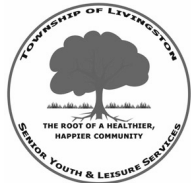


*"The Livingston Youth and Community Services prevention program prepares students for life challenges and opportunities. The program has a strong social and emotional learning component designed to prevent problems and promote well-being. It also creates knowledgeable, responsible and caring leaders for our future."*



-Maurice Elias, Ph.D  
Professor Rutgers University  
Author, Emotionally Intelligent Parenting  
and Raising Emotionally Intelligent Teenagers

**LYCS** is a program of the Township of Livingston: SYLS department, and is funded in part by the Livingston Municipal Alliance Committee

Evening programs and parties/events take place at Monmouth Court Community Center, 26 Monmouth Court, Livingston, NJ 07039

After-school programs take place at the Elementary Schools.

Visit: [www.livingstonlycs.org](http://www.livingstonlycs.org) for class/meeting schedule.

Please complete the Township of Livingston Registration form, and make checks payable to the:

**Township of Livingston**

**Registration fee: \$85 per student, per program**

**\*\*\* Program Discounts \*\*\***

***Dual Program Discount: Sign up for Grade 5 Elementary Program & Grade 5 Club for a total cost of \$110.00 and Save \$60!***

***Family Discount for 2 or more children: Take 10% off the total cost when you sign up for 2 or more programs***

By mail: Send forms and check to:  
Senior, Youth & Leisure Services (SYLS)  
204 Hillside Ave, Livingston, NJ 07039

Or register in person at the Senior Community Center  
204 Hillside Ave, Livingston, NJ 07039

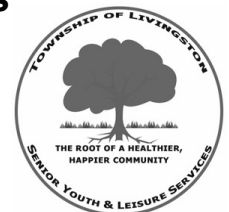
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***Leaders - Grades 3, 4 and 5***  
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***Peer Leaders Club - Grades 6, 7 and 8***  
***Community Leaders Club - Grades 9, 10, 11 and 12***

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## Livingston Youth and Community Services Program

**Livingston Youth & Community Services (LYCS)** is a community-based, after-school program that provides leadership training, healthy life choices, social skills, and substance abuse prevention education to grades 1-12. In addition, LYCS offers community service opportunities, expressive arts programs, family socials, and co-sponsors community events.

Our program is designed to:

- Teach healthy life choices and the dangers of alcohol, tobacco and other drugs to Livingston's youth.
- Train students to be leaders and provide opportunities to practice leadership skills by participating in community service activities and community programs.
- Provide opportunities for Livingston youth to engage in healthy social interactions.
- Build stronger healthy families through workshops and programs.

**Registration Ends December 1**

All programs start in October and run through May,  
with end-of-year party in June

**Program fees include two Family Socials  
(Halloween Party in October and End-of-Year Party in June)**

Visit: [www.livingstonlycs.org](http://www.livingstonlycs.org) for program information and schedules.

### Young Leaders (Grades 1 and 2)

Fee: \$85. Young Leaders meet once a month at the Elementary school from 2:40 pm to 3:40 pm. Each grade has a separate curriculum with a new topic each month which teaches social, emotional, and leadership skills in a fun, educational program that is age-appropriate. Topics include making friends, building self-esteem, dealing with feelings, communication, and listening skills.

### Leaders (Grades 3, 4 and 5)

Fee: \$85. Leaders meet at their school from 2:40 pm to 3:40 pm. This is a fun, educational program that addresses different topics for each grade once a month. Topics include bullying/cyber-bullying, internet safety, healthy life choices, positive self-identity, dealing with peer pressure, responsibility, respect, and teamwork.

### Grade 5 Leaders Club

Fee: \$85. Grade 5 Leaders Club meets once a month at Monmouth Court Community Center from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm. There is a core curriculum and students choose additional topics of interest to them. This club is designed to give all Grade 5 students (from different elementary schools) the opportunity to make new friends before moving to middle school next year. Pizza and refreshments are provided. Recreation takes place in the game room at Monmouth Court.

### Peer Leaders (Grades 6, 7 and 8)

Fee: \$85. Peer Leaders meet once a month at Monmouth Court Community Center from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm. Students choose topics of interest to them, adopt-a-charity, and participate in community services projects. Pizza and refreshments are provided. Recreation takes place in the game room at Monmouth Court.

### Community Leaders Club (Grades 9, 10, 11 and 12)

Fee: \$85. This is a community leadership program that provides high school students with opportunities to work with and mentor younger students including those with special needs. Students are provided with training on presentation skills, facilitating groups, and coordinating community-based programs. Previous program activities have included a variety of community service projects including volunteering and fundraising, cross-age teaching, environmental initiatives, participation in student conferences, summits, and/or panels. Students in this program are expected to be positive role models in the community and are committed to an ATOD-free lifestyle (Alcohol, Tobacco & Other Drugs). This program provides excellent experience in community programming which can enhance any college application. Students meet once a month at Monmouth Court Community Center from 5:30-7:00 pm as well as additional days/times, as needed. Pizza and refreshments are provided.

The goals of Community Leaders are:

- (1) To promote and maintain an ATOD-free lifestyle.
- (2) To give students an opportunity to make a positive contribution to their school and their community by engaging in service to others.
- (3) To provide personal growth experiences and opportunities for social bonding.