Program Update!

Columbus State’s ESL Afterschool Communities program at Wedgewood is in full swing as we head into the holiday season! We spend our afterschool days completing any unfinished homework and participating in fun academic enrichment activities. In addition, students partake in a different activity every day of the week including art and fitness, an ipad based service learning project, study island math program, and Kidzlit. With our main focus on improving math and reading skills, we design lessons and activities to engage the students while educating them as well! At our afterschool program we also have opportunities to participate in fun events such as COSI on wheels. We learned about weather and did a crime scene investigation on this day. It was tons of fun!

Field Trip Fun

One of the wonderful benefits of being a part of the ESLAsC program are the exciting field trips. This year we have been able to go to the Ohio Historic Society for some spooky Halloween fun, COSI, and to a holiday ice skating party. The evening at the Ohio Historic Society was a special trip for our eighth graders. These are wonderful opportunities to get out and see what exciting things our city has to offer!

Upcoming Dates

- Winter Break: Dec. 23-Jan. 3
- Last day before break: Dec. 18
- Program resumes: Jan. 6

Mohamed and Mohamud (both 8th Grade) at the Ohio Historic Society
Mujiwa (8th Grade) and Binti (6th Grade) at the Ice Skating party put on by Children’s Hunger Alliance

http://www.cscc.edu/workforce/eslas/index.shtml
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