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**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF ADA



## our mission

To enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens.

## who we are

The Boys & Girls Club of Ada is a member of the Boys & Girls Club of America. We are a nonprofit agency that has served youth across Ada and Pontotoc County through a variety of programs and services since 1962. Our purpose is to provide a “Positive Place for Kids” by offering structured year-round programs and services designed to promote educational and social growth for youth ages 6-18. Our objective is to collaborate with local schools and community agencies who strive to improve the lives of others in the area.

# our youth development strategy

- A Sense of Competence:  
*The feeling there is something boys and girls can do and do well.*
- A Sense of Usefulness:  
*The opportunity to do something of value for other people.*
- A Sense of Belonging:  
*A setting where young people know they “fit” and are accepted.*
- A Sense of Power or Influence:  
*A chance to be heard and to influence.*





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## fun starts here.

The Ada Boys & Girls Club is currently serving over 1500 students a year through various programs.

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- Computer Education
  - NetSmartz
  - Homework Help
- Sports, Fitness, & Recreation
  - Soccer
  - Basketball
  - T-ball
  - Flag Football
  - Wrestling
- Character & Leadership
  - Police & Fire Departments
  - Drug Education
  - Girl Scouts
  - 4H
- Summer Day Camp/Field Trips
  - Swimming
  - Kids Ranch
  - Sports Camps
  - Concerts
- Health & Life Skills Prevention
  - Smart Moves
  - Triple Play
  - Crest Kids
- Education & Career Development
  - Money Matters
  - Power Hour



## our core beliefs

- Ada Boys & Girls Club Provides:
- A safe place to learn and grow...
- Ongoing relationships with caring, adult professionals...
- Life-enhancing programs and character development experiences...
- Hope & opportunity.

## you can help

### Ways to help:

- After school program: Mon-Fri, 3:00-6:00
  - *Prepare snacks, serve, & clean-up*
  - *Homework: Spelling, reading, math, etc.*
  - *Mentoring: One on one time with a child*
- Soccer program concessions:  
Saturdays, 9:00-1:00, Fall & Spring
  - *Donate baked goods*
  - *Work concession stand*
  - *Clean-up*
- Building maintenance: Mon-Fri, 8:00-5:00
  - *Interior: Sweeping, mopping, cleaning*
  - *Exterior: Mowing, weed-eating, etc.*
- Basketball program:  
Saturdays, 8:00-6:00 December-February
  - *Concessions:*
    - *donate baked goods*
    - *work concession stand*
    - *clean-up*
  - *Work the gate*
  - *Keep score clock & books*
  - *Clean-up*
- Administrative: Mon-Fri, 8:00-5:00 *(After hours)*
  - *Web Design: Editing, updating*
  - *Office Work: Data-entry, filing, etc*
  - *Community: Hand out flyers*

*We thrive and survive on community support.  
From a plate of cookies to an hour of tutoring, every little bit counts.*



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