



2018-2019 Challenger Information

Do you have plans for after-school care? Rock Hill School District offers **CHALLENGER**, an after-school program in each elementary school. We support the development of children and nurture students to help build self-confidence as well as skills.

*Healthy Snacks * Homework Assistance * Enrichment Curriculum*

July 30, 2018, is the deadline to register students to begin Challenger during the month of August. During summer months, return completed registration packets; **Registration form pages A, B and C, Electronic Funds Transfer Payment Authorization and Form D**, to Rock Hill School’s Central Office 386 East Black Street, Rock Hill, SC, 29730, attention Challenger.

If you miss the July 30th deadline, the next Challenger start date is after Labor Day on Tuesday, September 4, 2018, and the deadline to register is Monday, August 20, 2018. Return completed registration packets; **Registration form pages A, B and C, Electronic Funds Transfer Payment Authorization and Form D**, to Rock Hill School’s Central Office 386 East Black Street, Rock Hill, SC, 29730, attention Challenger.

Students may begin Challenger the first Monday of each month, provided a completed registration packet is received at the Central Office by the deadline date. Please see the schedule below.

Challenger Enrollment and Deadline Schedule

START DATE	DEADLINE TO RETURN COMPLETED REGISTRATION PACKET
Monday, August 20, 2018	Monday, July 30, 2018
Tuesday, September 4, 2018	Monday, August 20, 2018
Monday, October 1, 2018	Monday, September 17, 2018
Monday, November 5, 2018	Monday, October 22, 2018
Monday, December 3, 2018	Monday, November 19, 2018
Monday, January 7, 2019	Monday, December 10, 2018
Monday, February 4, 2019	Monday, January 21, 2019
Monday, March 4, 2019	Tuesday, February 19, 2019
Monday, April 1, 2019	Monday, March 18, 2019

**Monday, April 1, 2019 is the last day for students to enroll for the Challenger After-school Program.*

***Friday, May 31, 2019 is the last day of Challenger for the 2018-2019 school year.*

Challenger Hours - Challenger operates from 2:30 PM – 6:00 PM each full day school is in session. We are unable to have Challenger on half days.

Tuition Fee for Challenger - The rate a parent pays for Challenger is based on their child's lunch status. Lunch applications are available online beginning July 1, 2018, through Food Service, which is located at the Flexible Learning Center, 1234 Flint Street Extension. Until your child is approved for a lunch reduction, Challenger rates will be coded at a full rate; \$60.00 per week.

Once your child is approved for a lunch reduction, please call the Central Office at 803-981-1093 and notify Challenger staff of the change in lunch status. Your child's Challenger registration form will be updated accordingly. As the parent, you will hear first of your child's lunch status change. We appreciate you informing us of your child's lunch status change. Please see listed the Challenger weekly rate.

Challenger Weekly Rate:

- \$60.00 - Regular Lunch Student
- \$55.00 - Regular Lunch Student, for families with multiple children enrolled in Challenger
- \$42.00 - Reduced Lunch Student
- \$35.00 - Free Lunch Student
- \$35.00 - Students of RHSD Employees

Draft Clarification: The draft is processed on the Friday before the Monday the fee is taken from accounts. Funds need to be in accounts by the close of banking on Friday before the Monday it is removed from accounts.

CheckRedi:

Challenger uses a third party, CheckRedi, to collect weekly fees. We are only able to draft weekly and are not able to vary from a weekly draft. If you are paid bi-monthly or monthly you may want to consider opening an account that only Challenger drafts from weekly. You will need to deposit ahead so the funds are available each Friday and remain in place until funds are electronically removed on Monday.

Central Office Contact Information:

Rock Hill Schools' Central Office Coordinator for Challenger After-School Program - Helen Taylor 803-985-3635 or email htaylor@rhmail.org

Challenger Administrator Assistance for Accounts - Debbie Garnett 803-981-1093 or email dgarnett@rhmail.org



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