



New Life Academy

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Flex Time – *Enhancing the Student Experience*

An offering at New Life Academy that gives students the support and opportunities to enrich their school experience.



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Mission of New Life Academy:

Our mission at New Life Academy is to educate and energize each student to impact their world for Jesus Christ and to reach their full potential in scholarship, leadership and service out of love for God and one another.

Vision of New Life Academy:

To develop tomorrow's Christ-centered leaders today

Portrait of a Graduate:

- **Authentic Christ-followers**
- **Spirit Driven Individuals**
- **Accomplished Learners**
- **Mindful Doers**
- **Agents for Positive Change**
- **Wise Leaders and Discerning Followers**



Purpose of Flex Time:

Flex Time is a 30-minute period offered three times a week that allows students to get extra academic help, participate in clubs / activities and/or connect with staff and other students.

Flex Time Goals:

- To promote academic equity by giving all students a chance to have individualized access to teachers and resources during school hours.
- To give students the opportunity to experience different opportunities in unique areas of interest.
- To give the school leadership and teachers the time to meet with grade levels, promote community and training.
- To develop students spiritually, mentoring and discipleships opportunities, leadership development
- To provide opportunities for class unity

Flex Time Today and Where We Are Going:

In years one and two, Flex Time was focused on academic opportunity for students to connect with teachers, complete work and connect with other students. As we have moved forward, we have been adding the opportunities for students each year. At this time, we offer classes connected directly with our 15%IP initiative, clubs, students and grade level meetings. We look forward to more club and experiential offerings and student and grade level development opportunities. All with the same goal in mind, to make a great NLA student experience.



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<p><u>Flex Time</u> 9:40-10:10</p>	<p><u>Monday</u> Academic Support</p>	<p><u>Tuesday</u> Clubs / Activities</p>	<p><u>Friday</u> 15% IP / Academic Support</p>
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<p>Need Based Use of Flex Time</p>	<p>Grade Level and Student meetings are based on need and times of year</p>	<p>Travel Planning/Training Meetings (Washington DC, Junior Missions, Sophomore Retreat, Senior Trip)</p>	<p>Grade Level meetings for announcements or school updates</p>



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Flex Time Overview:

***Indicates that the options are available to students during the FLEX Time. Grade level meetings are subject to events during the time of the year and student's schedules.**

Flex Time Offerings and Clubs:

Academic Support

- Academic Support: Teacher are available for academic support
- New Life Academy Writing Center
- National Honor Society Tutoring / Meetings
- College Representative Visits

Club/Student Activities

- FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes)
- Class Level Prayer Groups
- Student Council Meetings (Middle School)
- Crochet Club
- Lawn-Game Clubs
- Frisbee Golf (Seasonal)
- Art Club (After School)
- Mock Trial (October-March)

15 IP / Steam Activities

- 15%IP Classes Session (Rocketing, Programing, etc.) Please see 15% IP class offerings schedule.

Grade Level Meetings

- Grade Level and Student meetings are based on need and times of year
- Travel Planning Meetings (Washington DC, Junior Missions, Sophomore Retreat, Senior Trips)