# 2025 Summer Day Camps

# Camp registration opens April 1st at 8:00 am

Camps for kids going into 1st - 3rd grade. Children must have completed kindergarten.



#### **Fun with Bots**

Monday, June 9 @ Dubuque County Extension Office

Tuesday, June 10 @ Dyersville Social Center

Thursday, June 12 @ Cascade Public Library

Code your way through challenges using Dash & Dot robots, Bee Bots, Hex Bugs, and more! Engage in hands on learning through games, robots, block-based coding programs, plus build problem solving and creativity skills while having a blast with robots!



### **Space Explorers**

Monday, June 16 @ Dubuque County Extension Office

Tuesday, June 17 @ Dyersville Social Center

Thursday, June 19 @ Cascade Public Library

3-2-1 Blast Off! This camp involves going out of this world as we explore the Solar System. We will learn about the planets, comets, stars, rockets and the night sky.



#### **FUN-damental Science**

Monday, June 23 @ Dubuque County Extension Office

Tuesday, June 24 @ Dyersville Social Center

Thursday, June 26 @ Cascade Public Library

The Fun-damental Science Camp involves fun, hands-on activities that teach basic science principles. We'll explore bubbles, potions, light and much more. Campers will also explore chemical reactions, learn about famous scientists, and discover the "fun" in science activities through exploration and experimentation.



#### **Art Adventures**

Monday, June 30 @ Dubuque County Extension Office

Tuesday, July 1 @ Dyersville Social Center

Thursday, July 3 @ Cascade Public Library

Get in touch with your creative side by learning about the five elements of design in a day filled with fun, colorful art projects. Wear washable clothes.



#### Science of Flight

Monday, July 7 @ Dubuque County Extension Office

Tuesday, July 8 @ Dyersville Social Center

Thursday, July 10 @ Cascade Public Library

Earn your wings at the Science of Flight camp! Explore flight concepts while discovering how different aircraft types are engineered to enable flight. Experiment by creating your own helicopter and designing a glider that will fly.

Day Camps are from 9 am - 3 pm Campers need to bring a sack lunch and a drink. Cost: \$30 per camp.



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# Food Adventure Camps for kids going into 3rd - 6th grade.

These camps meet Monday through Thursday from 8:30 am - 3:00 pm and Friday from 8:30 am - Noon.



### **Kitchen Creations Week**

## Monday, June 9 - Friday, June 13 at the Dubuque County Extension Office

Step into the kitchen and become a chef for the week! Campers will learn essential cooking skills, including knife techniques, measuring, and recipe development, while experimenting with spices and herbs to enhance flavors. This immersive week is perfect for young foodies who want to build confidence in the kitchen, develop new skills, and have fun creating delicious dishes!

On **Monday** kick off the week by practicing knife skills, exploring kitchen tools, and mastering measuring while making tasty treats. On **Tuesday** learn how to use herbs and spices to enhance flavors and bring dishes to life. A field trip to Brazen Open Kitchen and Fincel's Farm Stand will give campers a behind-the-scenes look at how food gets from farm to plate!

On **Wednesday** explore the science of baking with breakfast favorites! We will enjoy making muffins, pancakes, and breakfast sandwiches, and find out how to make simple and balanced meals.

On **Thursday** experience a true farm to table adventure with a visit to City Girl Farming. The morning will be spent on a vegetable farm followed by cooking with seasonal ingredients from the farm for a true farm to table experience.

On **Friday** this half day of camp will focus on making dough, local grains, and flour. Students will leave with fresh pizza crust dough to enjoy at home.



### **Fabulous Farms Week**

## Monay, June 16 - Friday, June 20 at the Dubuque County Extension Office

Where Does Our Food Come From? This week, campers will embark on an exciting journey through the food system, discovering how ingredients travel from farms to our tables! This action-packed week is perfect for young foodies eager to explore, create, & understand where their meals begin!

On **Monday** explore both beef and dairy farming on the first day of camp! We will check out both types of cattle production with a field trip to Beringer Family Farm and O'Lynch Dairy and end the day with a sweet ice cream treat.

On **Tuesday** dive into the world of fish with a day focused on our finned friends. We will learn how to catch and cook fish from a local expert as well as other hands-on food activities.

On **Wednesday** learn about non-traditional agriculture products like maple syrup, honey, and others. Experience the excitement of being a farmer on market day by designing your own farm stand.

On **Thursday** take a look at how food gets from the gate to our plate with a visit to O'Connell Organic Acres and Sandhill Farm. Campers will also get to make some delicious dishes at Sprinkled Confections using local ingredients to bring the farm to table experience full circle.

On **Friday** this half day of camp will explore how to make seasonal treats from ingredients we have encountered on farms throughout the week. We will touch on kitchen basics and enjoy creating some tasty dishes!



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## **Registration Information:**

Camp registration opens April 1st at 8:00 am. Payment is due at registration.

**Cancellation Policy:** Camps cancelled prior to May 15th will be charged a \$5 processing fee (per camp and per camper). No refunds after May 15th. The fees for Camp will be used to offset direct expenses and to support the 4-H Youth Development County Extension Program.

One Day Camps are from 9 am—3 pm. Campers need to bring a sack lunch and a drink. Cost: \$30 per camp.

Food Adventure Camps are Monday - Thursday from 8:30 - 3 & Friday from 8:30 - Noon. Cost: \$250 per week.

Scholarships are available to help cover camp costs. Contact our office to apply for a scholarship.

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Camp Registration opens at 8 am on Tuesday April
1st. Use the QR Code to register or visit:
https://bit.ly/dbqcamps



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# **Camp Locations:**

**Dubuque Location:**Dubuque County Extension Office
14858 West Ridge Lane
Dubuque, Iowa 52003

<u>Dyersville Location:</u>
Dyersville Social Center
625 3rd Ave SE
Dyersville, Iowa 52040

Cascade Location:
Cascade Public Library
108 2nd Ave SW
Cascade, Iowa 52033

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