

Summer 2024

Camps, Day Programs & Recreational Activities

CAMP LOCATORS:

1. **[American Camp Association \(ACA\)](#)**: Search by zip code or camp name to find summer camps, programs and sessions the camp offers close to you! Let ACA help you find the right summer camp for your child.
📌 To Search for Camps in your area that meet your criteria, [Click Here](#)
2. **[Colorado Summer Camps](#)**: Find your ideal Colorado Summer Camp, right here! You can locate camps such as overnight, day, academic/science, adventure, etc.!
3. **[The Collaborative of the SCFD](#)**: Find engaging summer camps for all ages in the Denver-Metro area. SCFD funded organizations offer camps in dance, history, music, science, theatre, visual arts, literary arts and more!
4. **[Kids Out and About Denver - Guide to Summer Camps in the Denver, CO area](#)**: Pick the dates you want to explore on our calendar and see what summer camps are available. Hundreds of local summer camps: day camps, overnight camps, sports, drama, music, theatre, arts & crafts, technology, robotics, horseback riding, preschool, & more!

ARAPAHOE COUNTY:

5. **[City of Aurora Camps, Programs & Classes](#)**: [Click Here](#) to search the following categories and activities for all ages & different prices: *Aquatic Classes, Camps & Activities, Fitness & Wellness, Lifetime Learning, Nature, Preschool, Sports, Recreational Center Drop-in Activities, Martial Arts, Older Adults, Theatre, Pottery, Music, Library Services, Excursions, History Museum, Cooking, Craft & Hobbies, Art, Therapeutic Recreation* 📌 To view the Summer Camp Guide, [Click Here](#)
6. **[South Suburban Parks and Recreation](#)**: Every day is a new adventure at South Suburban summer camps! Kids can stay active with sports, get creative with crafts or learn something new at day camps, workshops and activities offered throughout the area. South Suburban offers a huge variety of camps and classes at over a dozen facilities and parks in our community. Activities at licensed full-day camps include games, crafts, swimming and more. At specialty camps, campers can try outdoor activities like archery or BMX, game with friends at the Esports Lounge, explore the wonders of science, and much more. Space is limited, so don't wait to secure your spot. [Click here to view a full list of camps.](#)

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7. **[City of Englewood - KidConnections Camp](#)**: For ages 5-8 and ages 9-13 offered Mon-Fri 7am to 6pm. More information regarding camp can be found [HERE](#).
8. **[Denver Metro YMCA](#)**: Choose your fun, choose your adventure. Customize your YMCA Summer Camp experience. Adventure Camp, STEM, Dance, Art, Sports Camp and more! Ages 5-14, for more information and a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#) (CCAP accepted)
9. **[Cherry Creek School District Summer Camps/Learning](#)**: The Cherry Creek School District is proud to offer a wide variety of fun, unique and educational summer learning opportunities for students in all grade levels. 🌈 For a list of Summer Programming, [Click Here](#)
10. **[Aurora Public Schools \(APS\) Summer Programming](#)**: The APS Summer School program is a voluntary opportunity for ALL students to enjoy a wide variety of academic and enrichment activities in safe and supportive learning environments. Summer programming within APS runs during the month of June, [click here](#) for more information.
11. **[Littleton Public School District Summer Care](#)**: All LPS elementary schools offer in-house, before- and after-school childcare opportunities as well as summer care. For more information on Summer Care, [Click Here](#). For a summer camp flyer, [Click Here](#).
12. **[Global Teen Police Academy with City of Aurora](#)**: Interested in law enforcement? Enroll in APD's Global Teen Police Academy two (2) week program and learn more about the daily functions of the Aurora Police Department and what police officers do. The Global Teen Police Academy (GTPA) is open to students, 14 - 17 years old and is at no cost to participate. Dates are in June and July. [Click here](#) for more information.
13. **[Downtown Aurora Visual Arts \(DAVA\)](#)**: DAVA's community art center is an island of creativity in Aurora, Colorado. Every student that walks through our doors experiences the transformative power of high quality out-of-school programs that develop art, social, and life skills. Free year-round programming engages kids from pre-school through high school. For a list of programs, [Click Here](#) and for DAVA's monthly calendar, [Click Here](#)
14. **[Rainbow Alley](#)**: The Center on Colfax: Rainbow Alley is a safe, brave space where LGBTQ youth (ages 10-17) and their allies find support and acceptance. We provide events and activities, counseling and support groups, health services and life skills—all in a warm and welcoming environment. Please check our calendar for upcoming events. For a list of events all year round, [Click Here](#)

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15. **[Arapahoe/Douglas Workforce Monthly Events](#)**: A/D Works! provides no-cost services to job seekers & businesses, as a resource to connect talent and industry throughout metro Denver/Aurora. Events and classes offered such as resumes, interviewing skills, financial literacy, etc.
16. **[Exploration Pass with Arapahoe Libraries](#)**: Arapahoe Libraries card holders can reserve an Exploration Pass, which grants admission for up to 7 people to many metro-Denver attractions at no charge. [Click here](#) for more information such as how to gain a card and participating attractions!
17. **[Colorado SNAP Recipients Discount Admissions Locations](#)**: Individuals and families who participate in the Colorado [Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program](#) (SNAP) are also eligible to enjoy deeply discounted admissions to museums and cultural centers throughout the state just by showing their [EBT card](#) when purchasing tickets. In addition, some organizations are offering discounts for the services they provide. Most tickets are between \$1-3. For a list of participating locations and more information, [Click Here](#).
18. **[Macaroni KID\(Aurora\)](#)** Each Macaroni KID community is managed by a local publisher who publishes weekly, hyper-local e-newsletters and websites featuring events, activities, products and places for parents, kids and families. For a list of weekly and daily events in the Aurora area, [Click Here](#)
19. **[North Littleton Promise](#)**: North Littleton Promise builds life giving relationships with immigrant kids and families to foster faith, education, and leadership in Christ-centered community. North Littleton Promise provides an active and engaging summer programs where kids continue to learn and apply knowledge in a safe environment. For grades 1-8. For more information, [Click Here](#).
20. **[Girls Who Code](#)**: We offer two Summer Programs - a 2-week immersion program or a 6-week self-paced experience that will allow students an opportunity to learn in a style that works best for them while making meaningful connections. All high school students who identify as girls or non-binary can apply, and no prior computer science experience is required. These programs are free and for young adults ages 14-18. For more information, [Click Here](#). Girls Who Code also has additional [programming](#) throughout the year for grades 3-12!

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21. **[Aurora Community Connection](#)**: Aurora Community Connection (ACC) was founded in 2008 to address a gap in services for low-income, Spanish-speaking immigrant families in North Aurora. ACC aims to increase access to health and access to education for all local families.
 - ✚ Summer Camp, | MW/TR | 9:30am – 3:30pm | \$40 for 8 weeks
 - ✚ For more information on summer camps and other youth programming, [Click Here](#)

22. **[STAR Institute](#)**: At STAR we offer a variety of youth programs, ongoing groups, and summer camps that support your child and family with daily activities that focus on the skills they need to succeed. Our programs involve movement, language development, sensory and social skills for ages 3-18. Funding is available for eligible families through Developmental Pathways and Rocky Mountain Human Services. For a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#)

23. **[artSPARK Creative Studio](#)**: artSPARK Creative Studio is a space to explore ideas and processes in a variety of art media--Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, Sculpture, Collage, Fiber Arts, and more! Summer camps for children in preschool-8th grade. [Click here](#) for more information such as dates and registration.

24. **[MindCraft Makerspace](#)**: Each camp will go from Monday-Friday 8:30 am-12:00 pm or 12:30pm-4:00pm. Camps fill up quickly, so be sure to get signed up for your favorite topic! Check back for updates, or sign up for our newsletter for first look.
 - ✚ Children need to be 5+ years old and have completed kindergarten. For a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#)

25. **[Scholars Unlimited](#)**: K-5 Free 6 week full day summer program that infuses instruction, Social Emotional Learning, Enrichment activities and FUN! Summer Registration is open for locations in: *Alice Terry Elementary (Sheridan Public Schools), Ashley Elementary (Denver Public Schools), Castro Elementary (Denver Public Schools), Howell Elementary (Denver Public Schools), Inspire Elementary (Denver Public Schools), Lowery Elementary (Denver Public Schools), Park Lane Elementary* (Aurora Public Schools)*
Summer Scholars dates: Tuesday, June 11th to Friday, July 19th from 8:30 AM – 4:00 PM
For more information & registration, [Click Here](#)

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26. **[School of Rock Aurora](#)** School of Rock Aurora's music camps offer a wide selection of various music experiences. From beginner music camps to intermediate and advanced sessions, our music camps and workshops near you will further a student's musical foundation. Most of our camps end with a live show performed by the campers. Check School of Rock Aurora's upcoming music camps and workshops to sign-up today.
 - ✚ Ages 7-18+, Summer 2024 Programming: School of Rock Aurora offers a wide variety of music camps and workshops that cover topics such as these. Our local music camps are perfect for musicians of any skill level who want to play guitar, bass, drums, keyboard and vocals. For more information and 2024 dates, [Click Here](#)

27. **[Skyhawks Sports Academy](#)**: Skyhawks provides a wide variety of fun, safe and positive programs that emphasize critical lessons in sports and life, such as teamwork, respect and sportsmanship. Our programs are designed to give each child a positive introduction into sports while fostering a lifelong love for an active, healthy lifestyle. For a list of Kids Multi-Sport Camps, [Click Here](#)

28. **[Miller's Dance Studio Camps](#)**: Miller's Dance Studio has ballet intensives, musical theater and children's dance camps for ages 3-10+. For a list of summer dance camps, [Click Here](#) and [Saddle Rock Summer Schedule](#)

29. **[Inspire to Learn and Imagine](#)**: Founded in 2015, Inspire to Learn and Imagine is a proud local business serving local families. Inspire to Learn and Imagine seeks to allow children do what they do best, learning and imagining, through inspiring, hands-on, STEAM challenges and projects. Camps offers a safe place for kids to enjoy playing, learning and creating, where children build their self-confidence while triggering their lively imagination. During camps we work on special projects, play games, engage in challenges and contests. Children explore concepts of science, history, engineering, art and math while having lots of fun imagining and creating! Ages 4-14, for a list of current camps, [Click Here](#)

30. **[Ninja Nation](#)**: Ninja Camp is our all day Ninja drop off day care. Ninja Camp features professional instruction on obstacles, camp games, teambuilding exercises, competitions, and lots of fun.
 - ✚ Ages 5-12, for a list of summer Ninja Camps, [Click Here](#)

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31. **[Avid 4Adventure](#)**: At Avid4 Adventure summer camps, we're on a mission to get kids excited and empowered by outdoor adventure. We help kids gain confidence, make new friends, and improve their skills in our core outdoor sport activities. We offer day camps as well as extended overnight camp options. All camps provide daily adventures in our core sport activities: paddling, biking, rock climbing, or hiking.
- ✚ Avid4 Adventure has Day Camps, Week Long Expeditions & Resident Camp located in Colorado
 - ✚ Grades PreK-12th, for a list of summer camps and expeditions, [Click Here](#)
32. **[Innovation Learning Camp Discovery](#)**: Camp Discovery offers on site programming including STEAM activities, Sports & Games, Arts & Crafts, Teambuilding, Celebrations and Parties!
- ✚ Available to children entering kindergarten through eighth grade
 - ✚ For summer camp dates and locations, scroll to the Colorado drop-down section located [Here](#) (CCAP accepted)
33. **[PedalHeads](#)**: For over 30 years, Pedalheads has been a leader in children's programming, including learn-to-ride bike camps, swim lessons, and sport programs. Our goal is to positively impact communities by teaching children life skills through fun and exciting physical activity.
- ✚ Biking: A fun group setting specialized equipment, tailored cycling lessons, and advanced bike lessons that focus on road safety incredible instructors. Summer Biking Camp for ages 2-12. For more information for Biking Camps, [Click Here](#)
 - ✚ Trail Riding: Build a sense of fun and exploration in one of our Trail Riding camps! They'll ride on various surfaces and develop their riding skills. Trail Riding camps for kids ages 4-10. For more information for Tail Riding Camps, [Click Here](#)
34. **[SafeSplash Swim School](#)** - SafeSplash offers group, semi-private and private swim classes to students of all ages and abilities, from infants learning how to blow bubbles to competitive swimmers who want to shave seconds from their race times. We also offer adult classes and classes for special needs students. Use our Class Finder to find the perfect class for you!
- ✚ To find a location within Arapahoe County (Aurora & Littleton) and Denver Metro Area, [Click Here](#)
 - ✚ For SafeSplash Swim School located in Southlands Mall in Aurora dates, [Click Here](#)

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35. **[Steve & Kate's Camp](#)** - We believe life's most valuable lessons come from self-exploration. That's why we built our camp around self-directed learning. Every time a kid makes their own choice, they gain confidence. And every time they make a mistake, they gain knowledge. With a lot of freedom and a little guidance, our unique approach prepares kids to navigate real life.
- ✚ For Steve & Kate's Camp located in Greenwood Village, CO and summer registration/dates, [Click Here](#)
 - ✚ Other Colorado summer 2024 [Locations](#) by Zip Code (Denver area)
36. **[Renaissance Adventures](#)**: Since 1995, Renaissance Adventures has offered summer camps where the kids become the heroes of a dynamic and exciting adventure. It is not just a summer camp but a week-long experience that is fun and extraordinary. Each week is a different quest with its own plot, theme, and challenges.
- ✚ Ages 6-17, [Click Here](#) for summer camps
 - ✚ To view additional year-round programming with Renaissance Adventures, [Click Here](#)
37. **[Arapahoe Community College \(ACC\) Youth Camps](#)**: ACC Littleton Campus provides a variety of different camps for children both virtual and on campus. [Click here](#) for more information and current dates.
38. **[Therapies for Hope](#)**: Therapies for Hope has customized therapy programs to help children with developmental, social, language and physical disabilities develop the skills and confidence to reach their full potential. Therapy Intensives group children together based on age, diagnosis, current capability, and developmental need. Dedicated therapists work with the group and with each individual child toward their specific goals. These therapists specialize in Physical, Occupational, Speech, Music, Art, and Behavior and work together to maximize the growth of each child. 2024 dates are June 24-28, July 8-12, July 22-26 with location TBD. For more information about the program, [Click Here](#).
39. **[Autism Community Center](#)**: The Autism Community Center contains all the information you need regarding Autism and related conditions, from therapists, to support groups and more! We have information in both English and Spanish on a wide variety of topics. We also offer several monthly year-round activities for individuals with Autism and their family and friends in-store, online, and out in the Denver community, including training workshops. Check the Autism Community Center Calendar [here](#) for more information and dates.

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40. **Garden, Inc.:** Garden Inc. specializes in serving individuals of all ages with Autism Spectrum Disorders, Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities as well as their neurotypical peers & siblings. For more information and registration, [Click Here](#) and to view programming all year round for all ages, [Click Here](#)

DENVER COUNTY:

41. **Denver Public Schools Summer Program:** Summer programs are offered to DPS students when school is not in session during summer break. By offering both enrichments and academic content, these programs provide students with a safe and supportive environment for hands-on learning, exploring new skills and making new friends during the summer months. The following summer programs and resources are available through DPS and our community partners. For a list of Summer Camps and Programs [Click here](#)
42. **Denver Metro YMCA:** Choose your fun, choose your adventure. Customize your YMCA Summer Camp experience. Adventure Camp, STEM, Dance, Art, Sports Camp and more! Ages 5-14, for more information and a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#) (CCAP accepted)
43. **Denver Parks & Recreation Camps & Programs:** Denver Parks and Recreation strives to provide an environment that welcomes diversity and empowers communities to create a better place in which everyone can live and thrive. Inclusion support options are available for people with disabilities when registering for activities. Financial assistance is available for those who qualify. For more information around available activities, [Click Here](#). Additional activities (including FREE activities for children) [Denver Parks & Recreation Online \(activecommunities.com\)](#)
44. **Mile High On The Cheap:** Cheap is good, but FREE is even better, and some of our favorite Denver/Boulder area events and activities are always (or almost always) offered at no cost. For **Always Free** Activities in the Denver/Boulder area, [Click Here](#). Summer camps can be found [here](#).
45. **Struggle Of Love Foundation:** The program is available for underserved and at-risk children aged 3-14. Activities include arts & crafts, field trips, quiet reading time, outdoor activity, physical challenges, and behavioral health exercises. Open to ages K-5th grade. June 10th-Aug 2nd. For more information, [Click Here](#).

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46. **[Connect Us](#)**: Connect Us kids and families can expect a phenomenal team of facilitators leading EXTREMELY FUN, collaborative, social-skill building games and activities. Our curriculum incorporates evidence-based strategies designed to strengthen empathy, friendliness, perspective taking and social reciprocity. And we do it all through play! Activities will occur in small, age-based friendship groups of 10-12 kids, each facilitated by a minimum of two of our staff. Activities include music, science, drama, water play, arts & crafts and physical and creative games. For more information, [Click Here](#).
47. **[CSU Spur Summer Program](#)**: CSU Spur programs are designed to meet the interests of young learners, ages 5-18. Whether your student is interested in science, animals, or the arts, CSU Spur offers rotating program opportunities that combine grade-level learning with hands-on fun! Some programs are FREE while others have scholarships available. Priority will be given to students from the 80216 zip code. For more information, [Click Here](#). CSU Spur also has family friendly activities - 2nd Saturdays at CSU Spur (held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.) are free and open to the public for lots of family-friendly programming, including cooking activities in the CSU Spur kitchen, opportunities to watch veterinarians perform surgery on dogs and cats, see horses assisting with human therapies, engage with scientists at work, and play in a kid's kitchen and kid's vet clinic – allowing kids to become a veterinarian for the day and fix up stuffed animals. For more information about the 2nd Saturday program, [Click Here](#).
48. **[Museo de las Americas, Museo Summer Camp](#)**: For Children ages 4-11, Summer Arts & Culture Camp will be In-Person! Our maestrxs, presenters and partners will guide your kids through fun, enriching in-person activities and lessons each day. We'll take all the necessary precautions to ensure a safe summer camp experience, full of singing, dancing, art, and learning. Families will be invited to the final presentation. Each year we select a different Latin American country to focus on. The campers will be learning all about that country. They'll dive deep into the culture, music, art, history and ecology, and enjoy presentations and activities exploring this unique land and its people. Financial Aid and Scholarships Available. For more information such as current dates and registration, [Click Here](#)
- ✚ FREE program for youth ages 15-18, LXS Jovenes Leadership Lab -This vibrant, forward-thinking four week in-person program, uses arts and technology to cultivate self-empowerment, self-expression and community care in our jovenes (youth). For more information such as current date and registration, [Click Here](#)
49. **[Dream Big Day Camp](#)**: Some of their programs include the following: Soccer, Basketball, Golf, Volleyball, Street Hockey, Flag Football, Field Games, Yoga, Dance, Cooking, Science/Gardening, Performing Arts, Arts & Crafts, and more! ✚ Ages: PreK-11th Grade, for a list of Summer Programming, [Click Here](#)

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50. **[Young Americans Center for Financial Education](#)**: Build a business, rule the world, learn to be money smart! Summer day camps are a great way for young people to experience FUNancial education. These dynamic camps (which emphasize fun!) feature interactive activities, hands-on application of instruction as well as outdoor time on our beautiful program deck. Camps are available for youth entering 3rd-8th grade in the 2022-2023 school year. For summer camp information and registration, [Click Here](#)
51. **[Emerson St. with Wellpower](#)**: Emerson St. provides a supportive community for teens and young adults, ages 15 – 26, seeking connection and belonging. This inclusive, welcoming place offers a variety of activities and services that support young people in enhancing their mental health and overall well-being. Come join us for groups that support your well-being. All groups are free and open to youth ages 15-26. Some groups require RSVP in advance. Please check out our monthly calendar [here](#) to learn more.
52. **[Youth Employment Academy](#)**: YEA's mission is to serve young adults in breaking the cycle of generational poverty in Denver communities by gaining personal and economic stability through education and employment training. The [Osage Cafe](#) is social enterprise café serving breakfast and lunch options in Denver's Mariposa District – the café employs underserved young adults, ages 16-24, and trains them in skills to help them succeed in the culinary industry. [Arts Street](#) uses the creative arts to empower youth and young adults, ages 14-24, to pursue future education and employment opportunities. [Decatur Fresh](#) is a grocery market, workforce training, program and community space, providing youth training in careers in customer service or grocery store management. For more information about YEA, [Click Here](#).
53. **[Sims Fayola Foundation](#)**: We are excited to announce the dates and locations of our annual Fayola Man Summer Academies! Like last year, we will host two camps. One camp will be for incoming 4th and 5th-grade boys. The other camp will be for INCOMING 6th, 7th, and 8th-grade boys (Priority given to Denver County Residents or DPS enrolled). This opportunity is **free** for youth and the dates are in June and July! Registration can be found [here](#)
54. **[Denver Art Museum](#)**: Explore your creativity, attend special events and talks, enjoy the museum from home, and more! From June 5 to August 11, ignite your child's inner artist with the Denver Art Museum's summer camp offerings. These weeklong day camps encourage kids to get inspired by the DAM collection and to create their own art. This year, campers can sign up to practice their sketchbook skills, explore the intersection of art and nature, design a museum-inspired play, and more! A variety of camps will be available in June, July, and August for children ages 5-6, ages 7-8, ages 9-11, and now teens ages 12-14. For summer camp information and registration, [Click Here](#)

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55. **[Colorado Academy](#)**: Colorado Academy Summer Programs encourage Self Discovery. Campers identify passions, nurture talents, and increase skills. In our Traditional Camp, campers sample athletic, creative, and waterfront activities that are engaging and fun. And our Specialty Camps allow individuals to customize their own schedules with intriguing and challenging options.
- 🚦 Ages for camps include Pre-K through 12th grade. [Click Here](#) for more summer camp information.
56. **[Denver Christian School Summer Camp](#)**: Denver Christian School offers a wide variety of activities that engage an array of interests for students entering K-8! High Quality Camps at low cost! Our 20-acre campus is equipped with state-of-the-art athletic facilities, multiple playgrounds, a pond, STEM labs, and spacious fine arts rooms ... let the summer adventures begin! Summer Camps are open to all: School year enrollment at Denver Christian is not required. For more information and dates, [Click Here](#)
57. **[Summer Science Institute - MSU Denver](#)**: Middle school students (incoming 6th, 7th, and 8th) have the opportunity to explore fun applications of science, technology, engineering and mathematics in an exciting, hands-on, team-oriented atmosphere on the Auraria Campus. Metropolitan State University of Denver faculty will teach classes and prepare students in STEM concepts. This is a two-week, half-day program. For more information, [Click Here](#).
58. **[Dumb Friends League](#)**: Our goal is to teach children about compassion and respect for the world around them. By giving kids a rewarding experience learning about animals and animal welfare, we will provide them with lessons to help them make responsible decisions regarding the animals and people in their lives. For a list of youth programs, camps, and events, [Click Here](#)
59. **[Neighborhood Art Studio](#)**: Neighborhood Art Studio strives to provide a safe, supportive environment where there is no such thing as making mistakes. Through exploration of various techniques, materials, and processes, artists learn to solve problems and overcome obstacles using the resources that are available to them, while building self-confidence and pride in the art they create. 🚦 For a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#)

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60. **[Athena Project- Girls Create Camp](#)**: Our unparalleled Girls Create summer camp program ignites the passions and talents of 6th to 10th grade girls in playwriting, comedy, fashion design, and new this year, Artfully Minded. Professionals teach, guest artists share their expertise, and mentors from the community guide and encourage – empowering girls to lead and to affect change in themselves and others through creative learning. Emphasis is placed on the creation process and not the final outcome. For summer camp information, [Click Here](#)
61. **[Girls Inc. of Metro Denver](#)**: At Girls Inc. of Metro Denver, we know that our future leaders will be a generation of women leaders – and women leaders start as girls. Beginning the summer after kindergarten, our programs for elementary and middle schoolers encourage girls to explore, build a positive self-image, and develop their voice. Programs include age-appropriate financial literacy programs, nutrition and healthy living, early STEM programming, a robust mentoring program, and much more. Thoughtful programs, delivered in a pro-girl environment, that is physically socially, and emotionally safe, provide girls with the tools they need to succeed today and in the future. For more information, [Click Here](#).
62. **[Wings Over the Rockies](#)**: Our in-person camps cover STEAM-related subjects for Elementary, Middle Schoolers for children ages 8-14. Take a trip to Mars, fly drones, learn about deep space travel and a whole lot more.
✚ Ages 8-14, for more information regarding current camp offerings, [Click Here](#)
63. **[Lighthouse Writers](#)**: Lighthouse's Young Writers Program camps are led by published and award-winning writers, and each workshop is designed to foster creativity, self-expression, and excitement about writing. Half-day camps and lunch care are available for all age groups throughout the summer. A one-week, full-day summer intensive is offered once per summer for both middle school and high school writers. In-person and virtual camps will run June-August. For summer camp information, [Click Here](#)
64. **[Montessori Child's House of Denver](#)**: Montessori Children's House of Denver offers fun, theme-based day camps during the months of June and July for parents looking to give their child the opportunity to enjoy summer days full of exploration, learning, imagination and creativity. Thanks to the extended length of our sessions, our campers have the opportunity to take a deep dive into the various themes.
✚ Our [Summer Camp](#) is open to all children ages 1 through 12, regardless of whether they are a current student. Our only exception is toddlers (ages 12-30 months), as Summer Camp spots are only available to toddlers also enrolled during the school year. If you are curious about our school, the Summer Camp is an excellent opportunity to meet us, get acquainted with our educational philosophy, and see how your child fits into our community.

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65. **[Jewish Community Center Denver](#)**: Calling all young athletes and artists, engineers and explorers, gamers, and goofballs! Searching for a place to spend your summer learning new skills and games, surrounded by friends and top-notch counselors and teachers? A summer spent at JCC Camp Shai, Ranch Camp, Tennis, or the JCC Mizel Arts and Culture Center is sure to inspire growth that will continue for a lifetime. With specialty tailored programs and productions, our campers are exposed to a world of new experiences that will expand their perspective, foster curiosity, and connect them with lifelong friends. Summer camp at the J is a chance for children to step out of their comfort zone and toward their wildest dreams. For a list of summer programming for all ages K-12, [Click Here](#)

66. **[Generation Teach STEM Academy](#)**: 25-day summer learning program for DPS students in grades 5th, 6th, 7th. This program is at no cost to families and for more information on activities and how to apply, [Click Here](#)

67. **[Brains & Motion \(BAM!\)](#)**: Our camp offers a vibrant mix of fun, learning, learning, and creativity, designed to spark imagination and foster new friendships. BAM! Provides programs for kids 4 to 14. Ages and grades for every program can be found on the website. For more information on the programs offered in Denver, [Click Here](#).

JEFFERSON & DOUGLAS COUNTY:

68. **[Royal Family Kids Camp - Parker](#)**: Serves kids, ages 6-12, from the foster care system in Arapahoe, Douglas and Jefferson Counties. In the summer, kids are invited to a week long camp filled with fun activities, renewed hope, and individual attention. Camp is usually open first to returning campers and then to others. In connection with Royal Family Kids, is [Kings Team Camp](#) which is a faith based Christian camp for teens (13-16 yrs) in foster care or adopted. Returning campers are given first priority, then Royal family kids graduates then open to the public.

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69. **[UpRoutes with PPCH](#)**: By combining therapy, outdoor adventure, and social interactions, UpRoutes creates a unique environment for addressing trauma for individuals who often do not benefit from typical intervention. Adventure therapies add an exposure and physical component to retrain thought processes and behavioral and physiological responses, which is difficult to simulate in an office setting. Building self-esteem, regulation, social skill can help build resilience leading to post ecstastic growth after a trauma. Ideal for youth who have experienced trauma and/or those who have intellectual/developmental disabilities. For more information, [Click Here](#).
70. **[Camp Paha](#)**: Camp Paha is a unique summer day camp for children and young adults with disabilities living in Lakewood and surrounding communities. Enjoy swimming, sports, games, nature, music, sensory, arts, crafts, and field trips in a safe, challenging, and fun environment. Camp Paha is a licensed Colorado Child Care program for campers ages 6-17. Paha Adults in Transition (PAT) is for adults ages 18-25. For more information, [Click here](#)
71. **[Easterseals Colorado Yay! Camp](#)**: A summer day camp where children are able to overcome daily challenges, meet expectations and have FUN! Theme days, arts & crafts, recreational activities and a lot of fun! For children ages 7-18 living with any disability or any special health care need. Summer 2024 Yay! Camp will run Mondays through Thursdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. from June 10 to July 18, 2024 (Closed June 19 and July 4, 2024) at Cougar Run Elementary School, 8780 Venneford Ranch Rd, Highlands Ranch, CO 80126.
72. **[Dinosaur Ridge](#)**: Our camps keep kids moving and discovering in the incredible setting of our National Natural Landmark. These experiences are designed to foster excitement and wonder for science, art, and the outdoors while engaging in our hands-on educational curriculum. Ages: 5-13 years old. 5 year olds will need to have completed kindergarten in order to qualify For a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#)
73. **[Sagebrush Stables](#)**: Every camper is assigned their "own" horse for the week. During this week, they learn what it is like to care for the animal. Feeding, watering, brushing, saddling, bridling, and (of course) RIDING. Once we are winding down our camp day, they also help us do their end of day grooming. We ride daily, whether it be in the arena, or out on trail. Ages 7+. Mon-Fri 9am-3:30, May 20 2024 to Aug 26, 2024. For more information, [click here](#).
74. **[Chatfield Stables](#)** - We offer other activities that allow you to learn much more about horses, horse care, and riding! From riding lessons, recurring weekly trail rides, and week-long camps- there are so many opportunities for you to learn true horsemanship skills!

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75. [The Aspen Effect - Mini Horse Leadership Camp](#): During the summer, we offer several 3-hr Mini Horse Leadership Camps. During each session, youth will be taught hands-on leadership principles by mini horses. Every experience will be debriefed with activities and discussions that relate to their own leadership, important relationships and life lessons. Leadership is not just about becoming the captain of a sports team or even the CEO of a company! It is about navigating life with mental resilience and confidence, and learning to walk in the shoes of those we want to build trust with. To learn more, [Click Here](#).

76. [Highlands Ranch Community Association](#): There is no limit to the many classes, camps, and activities for children and adults. HRCA's cultural and educational classes, outdoor activities, sports and fitness programs, and swimming lessons and competitions, and community events offer something for everyone from infants to seniors. Keep the kids busy while they are out of school, get them involved in swimming or a new sport, or get them interested in the great outdoors. For more information about programs, [Click Here](#).

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77. [Cheley Colorado Camps](#): At Cheley Colorado Camps, we live by our core values and beliefs, which embrace harmony, honesty, integrity, unselfish love, and concern for human dignity. We are passionate about creating an inclusive camp community that celebrates, supports, and thrives on diversity. With infinite elements of one's identity, we welcome, affirm, and support youth no matter their background or how they choose to identify themselves. For a list of camps, [Click Here](#)

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78. **[Camp Indigo](#)**: Camp Indigo was founded on the belief that trans and gender diverse kids deserve a 'normal' summer day camp experience. When so much of a child's life is based on educating others and trying to find their place in the world, Camp Indigo is what childhood is meant to be: fun, friend-centered, and full of wonder. Located in Boulder. For a list of available summer camps, [Click Here](#)

79. **[Camp Erin® Denver](#)**: Camp Erin® Denver is a free weekend bereavement camp for youth who are grieving the death of a significant person in their lives. Children and teens ages 6 to 17 attend a weekend camp experience that combines grief education and emotional support with fun, traditional camp activities. Led by bereavement professionals and caring volunteers, campers are provided a safe environment to explore their grief, learn essential coping skills and make friends with peers who are also grieving. For more info, [Click Here](#).

80. **[Women's Wilderness Youth Programs](#)**: Youth programs allow girls and non-binary youth the opportunity to learn leadership and find self-confidence as they meet new friends and create life-changing experiences in unexplored landscapes. Programs vary from exploring nature in day hikes, backpacking trips, rock climbing trips, and more! For more information, [Click Here](#).

81. **[Colorado Lions Camp](#)**: The Colorado Lions Camp is nestled in the scenic Pike National Forest in Woodland Park, Colorado. Our camp offers a variety of programs throughout the year, including week-long summer camp sessions (Sunday to Friday) and weekend respite camps (Thursday to Sunday). Our activities, ranging from eight-year-old campers to senior adults, are specifically tailored to meet the needs of individuals with Down Syndrome, Autism Spectrum Disorders, Learning Disabilities, blind or visual impairments, deaf or hard of hearing, physical disabilities, or psychological conditions.

82. **[Adam's Camp](#)**: Adam's Camp serves children and young adults of both genders and all ethnicities with developmental disabilities, and their families. Intensive Therapy Family Camps specifically serve children with developmental disabilities ages 6 months and older, as well as their families. Participants in Adam's Camp programs are children, youth and adults with developmental disabilities, and their family members. For a list of summer camps and programs, [Click Here](#)

83. **[Easterseals Colorado Rocky Mountain Village](#)**: Easterseals Colorado's Rocky Mountain Village Camp (RMV) in Empire, Colorado is regarded as one of the top Easterseals camps in the country. RMV is fully accessible and used by more than 1,200 children and adults living with disabilities throughout the year. RMV is about all the things people living with disabilities do -- campers enjoy swimming, fishing, overnight camping,

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outdoor cooking, travel camp, day trips, arts & crafts, sports & recreation, hiking, dances, music & drama, zip-lining and more. Our camp provides a safe, barrier-free environment for children and adults living with disabilities to experience all aspects of camp without usual limitations. For more information on the 2024 camp dates, [Click Here](#).

84. [Camp Colorado](#): American Diabetes Association's Camp Colorado is a lifeline for children with diabetes to develop the critical skills needed to thrive while managing this disease. Attending summer camp helps children develop social skills, self-respect and life-long friendships. We give kids the opportunity to meet other kids just like them while fostering independence, building self-confidence and gaining an awareness of a healthy lifestyle through education, nutrition, exercise, emotional well-being and glucose control. Ages 8-17
85. [Roundup River Ranch](#): Roundup River Ranch offers old-fashioned, pure fun camp experiences for children with serious illnesses and their families. At our beautiful Colorado ranch and through year-round activities, we offer our campers and families the chance to enjoy the most extraordinarily ordinary joys of childhood. Our campers can take a true vacation from being "a patient" and get back to the fun of being a child. For more information about the 2024 camp schedule, [Click Here](#).
86. [Camp IdRaHaJe](#): IdRaHaJe is a Christian summer camp that offers week-long sessions for kids ages 6-17 located in Bailey, CO 🇺🇸 For a list of summer camps, [Click Here](#)
87. [Sonlight](#): Camp provides the opportunity to be who God created you to be and discover a greater sense of self through community living. Our programming is intentional as we work and play, we value learning to live together cooperatively. Camps for all ages. [Click Here](#) for a list of summer camps at Sonlight.

Please note that most of these organizations within this document have programming throughout the year. Continue to check out the organization's website for year-round activities!

Looking for additional resources? Check out Arapahoe County's resource locator, [ArapaSOURCE](#), to find resources closest to you!