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# 2025 SUMMER CAMP GUIDE



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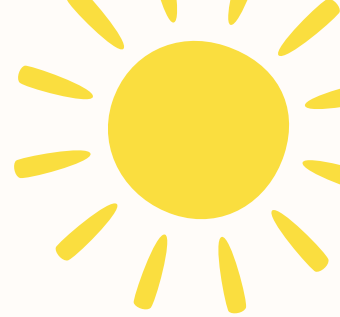
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# Hello Summer!

## Welcome to the sixth year of Next Level Kidz Summer Camps!

If you have been looking for a full day of camp with quality instruction, filled with fun and friends, then look no further.

Each week, Next Level Kidz will offer three specialty camp options for campers to choose from. These camps will provide a general overview and introduction into that STEAM or Sports activity. This is a great opportunity for your camper to explore a new area of interest, while having fun with their friends!

Each day, campers will participate in their STEAM or Sports Specialty Camp instruction from 9am-12pm\*. For the remainder of the afternoon (12-4pm)\*, campers will be split into groups by age and will enjoy traditional camp activities, such as field games, arts & crafts, group competitions, etc.

\*Before and After Care are available each day from 7:30am-9am and 4-6pm, for an additional charge.



# Who Is Next Level Kidz?



## Our Vision

To provide supplemental enrichment education in a hands-on learning environment, which will allow kids to go to the Next Level in their area of passion, giving them a competitive edge for the future.



Next Level Kidz is passionate about improving the lives of students and parents in our community. We do this by engaging students in Sports and supplemental STEAM education classes, after-school care, and summer camps in a safe environment led by qualified teachers and instructors.

## Get to know our core values!



### Respect

We treat our friends and coaches with value, empathy, and fairness



### Sportsmanship

We pursue victory with honor and enjoying activities for its own sake, and having a sense of fellowship with competitors.



### Honesty

We commit to being truthful, and sincere in all our conversations and actions.



### Confidence

We embrace our strengths and weaknesses, and we have the courage to take risks and learn from our mistakes.



### Excellence

We are committed to giving our all to every task, big or small.



# Registration & Payment



**Registration for all camps can be done online at [FortMill.NextLevelKidz.com](http://FortMill.NextLevelKidz.com).**

- **First time?** You will need to set up a new account to access the parent portal.
- **Experienced?** If you already have an account with Next Level Kidz, you can register by logging onto your parent portal at the same web address listed above.

## **Deposit**

All camps require a \$50 non-refundable deposit at the time of registration per week of camp, per child.

Payment must be made by credit card. If you need to use another form of payment, please email [info@nextlevelkidz.com](mailto:info@nextlevelkidz.com).

## **Payment Due Dates**

Full, online payment for each week of camp is due two Fridays prior to the start of the camp week for which your child(ren) is registered. Failure to submit payment will result in your child being removed from their week of camp.

## **Transferring Weeks**

Any transfers between camps done at least two weeks prior to the camp start date will be allowed, pending camp availability. The \$50 deposit will transfer to the new camp. Transfers done less than two weeks in advance will lose their \$50 deposit per week, per child.

All camps have a \$50 non-refundable deposit per week, per child. Cancellations made less than 14 days prior will be responsible for the full camp payment.





# What Do I Bring?

Ensure all belongings are marked with the camper's name. Campers are not allowed to bring electronics to camp.

## Sports Campers

Campers enrolled in a Sports Specialty Camp will spend the majority of their day in outdoor activities.

- Must apply sunscreen prior to camp
- Bring a reusable water bottle
- Wear sports cleats (metal cleats are not allowed)
- Bring a pair of tennis shoes for afternoon activities
- Wear light clothing and a baseball cap (optional)
- See each sport camp for additional equipment needed, if any

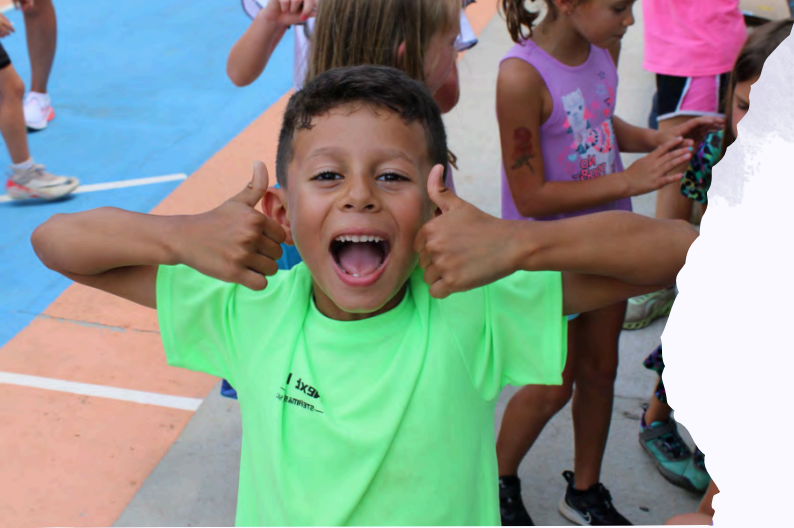
## STEAM Campers

Campers enrolled in a STEAM Specialty Camp will spend their day evenly between indoor and outdoor activities.

- Bring a reusable water bottle
- Wear light clothing, close-toed shoes and a baseball cap (optional)



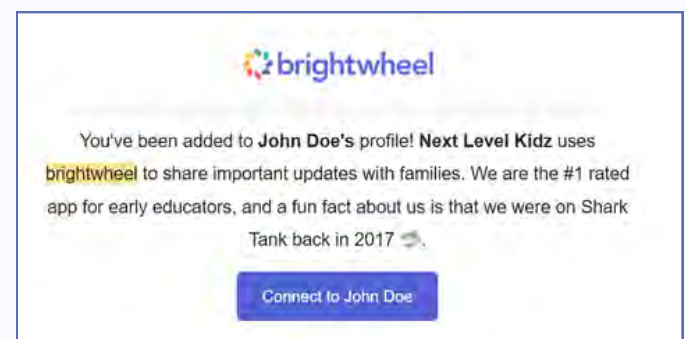




# Brightwheel

In order to provide a safe check in/out experience, to provide our staff with access to emergency information and to communicate with parents, we have partnered with Brightwheel.

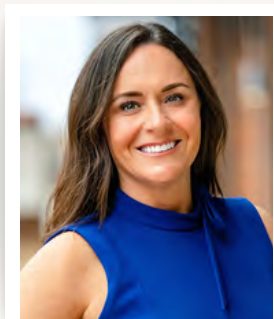
Upon registration, you will be sent an email by Brightwheel where you will be able to complete your family's profile prior to your child's first day of camp. Clicking the link inside this email will prompt you to create an account and add all of your important information such as emergency contacts, allergies, medications, authorized pick-ups, and more.



Once completed, you can also access your account via the Brightwheel app on your Android or iPhone. You will also receive a 4-Digit pin on your mobile device in the app. This 4-Digit pin will be used to check your child in and out of camp programming.

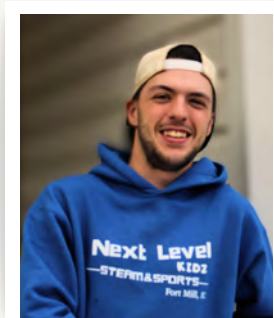


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# Sports Camps

## Baseball Camp

Ages 6-13

Baseball camp takes the rich history of the game from Cooperstown to your town! Our progressive curriculum teaches the fundamentals of fielding, catching, throwing, hitting and base running in a fun, positive environment by our elite coaches.

All athletes, regardless of skill level, will learn new baseball skills along with vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork, and responsibility. All participants will come away with new friends, new skills, and a love for the game.

### Additional Equipment Needed

- Cleats
- Glove
- Helmet / Bat (Optional)

Jun 23 - Jun 27

Jul 14 - Jul 18



## Basketball Camp

Ages 6-13

They shoot, they score! Basketball players of all ages will work on dribbling, passing, and scoring in this fun sports training camp for beginners. Games and drills will keep your athlete excited all week as they learn about one of our country's most popular sports.

Jun 9 - Jun 13

Jul 7 - Jul 11



## Cheerleading Camp

Ages 9-13

Every day is filled with cheer, chants, and challenges! Cheerleading camp is designed for young cheer enthusiasts to learn the fundamentals of cheerleading, including basic routines, chants and stunts, in a safe and supportive environment.

Jun 2 - Jun 6

Jul 21 - Jul 25



## Football Camp

Ages 6-13

Football Camp is the perfect program for your young athletes who want a complete introduction to America's Game or for those who simply want to brush up on their skills in preparation for league play.

Through our skill of the day campers will learn skills on both sides of the ball including the core components of passing, catching, and de-flagging or defensive positioning - all presented in a fun & positive environment. Speed & Agility conditioning will also be a component of this camp, to educate your athlete on how to improve their overall stamina.

Additional Equipment Needed

- Mouthguard
- Cleats

Jun 2 - Jun 6

Jul 21 - Jul 25





## Soccer Camp

Ages 6-13

If you are looking to refine your child's fundamentals of the world's most popular sport, this camp is for you! Using our progressive curriculum, our coaching staff will ensure your young athlete will gain the technical skills & sport knowledge required for their next step into soccer.

This camp focuses on dribbling, passing, shooting, and ball control. By the end of the camp your child will have learned the basic concepts of the game and will have improved their sport skills preparing them to play for the playground or league play!

Jun 9 - Jun 13

Jul 7 - Jul 11



## Softball Camp

Ages 9-13

Softball camp takes the rich history of the game from Cooperstown to your town! Our progressive curriculum teaches the fundamentals of fielding, catching, throwing, hitting and base running in a fun, positive environment by our elite coaches.

All athletes, regardless of skill level, will learn new softball skills along with vital life lessons such as respect, teamwork, and responsibility. All participants will come away with new friends, new skills, and a love for the game!

### Additional Equipment Needed

- Cleats
- Glove
- Helmet / Bat (Optional)

Jun 23 - Jun 27

Jul 14 - Jul 18





## Ultimate Sports Camp

Ages 6-13

During this camp, campers will enjoy learning about and playing a variety of sports, with a new sport being introduced each day. Sports will include soccer, flag football, basketball, and baseball. This is a great introduction camp for young athletes to sample different sports before committing to a full season of play.

May 27 - May 30

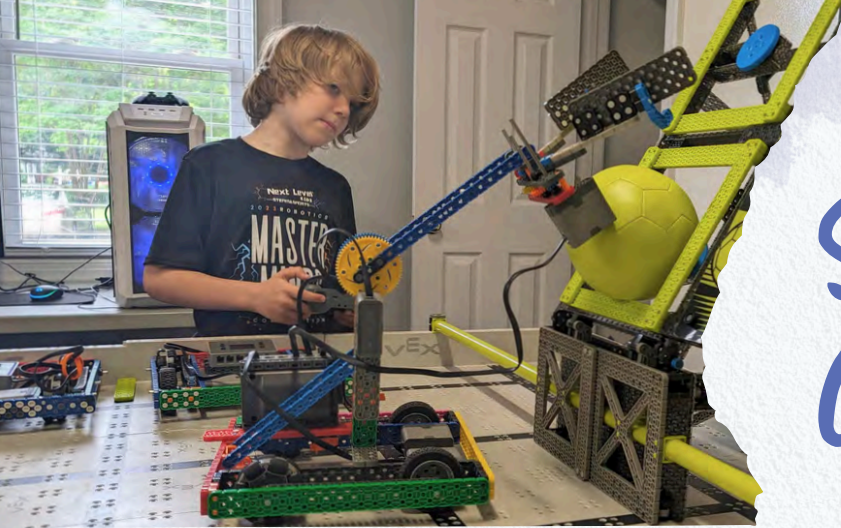
Jul 28 - Aug 1











# STEAM Camps

## Art Camp

Ages 6-13

Our fun & enriching art camp will educate, inspire & entertain your creative young artists! Variety is the spice of life, so this camp will offer a wide range of project topics and supplies that will spark their creativity & expose them to a stimulating mix of age-appropriate art techniques.

Campers will be guided by our staff in completing various painting, clay modelling, and collage projects each day!

Jun 9 - Jun 13

Jun 30 - Jul 3

Jul 28 - Aug 1



## Coding Camp

Ages 6-13

**Learn to Code with Minecraft and Roblox!**  
Discover the fundamentals of coding in the most fun way possible. This camp introduces basic programming concepts by using Minecraft and Roblox as learning tools.

Campers will create their own Minecraft mods with the Java programming language and Roblox worlds with the Lua programming language. Coding challenges will encourage problem-solving, logical thinking, and creativity.



May 27 - May 30

Jun 16 - Jun 20

Jul 7 - Jul 11



## eSports Camp

Ages 9-13

In this eSports camp, you will have fun with friends playing video games, while also preparing you to enter into local competition where you can test your skill and compete for prizes.

Playing on an eSports team helps students gain confidence, learn how to strategize, and understand logic. As eSports grows and high schools create teams, this will give will give your child the foundations to build to to make the high school team.

Jun 23 - Jun 27

Jul 14 - Jul 18



## Robotics Camp

Ages 9-13

Allow your camper to learn problem solving, critical thinking, and skills used in the fastest growing job industry of engineering. Your camper will design, build, and code a robot using VEX IQ Robotics equipment.

Campers will also be exposed to the new VEX IQ Challenge for the 2025 School Year, allowing them to prepare for the competition season. The camp week will conclude with a showcase of the campers' robots.

Jun 9 - Jun 13

Jul 28 - Aug 1





## Messy Science Camp

Ages 6-13

Calling all future scientists! This camp will create messy and interesting experiments. Your child will have fun with hands-on programming, while learning about the wonderful world of science.

Warning: Campers may get messy! Please wear appropriate clothing.

Jun 2 - Jun 6

Jun 23 - Jun 27

Jul 7 - Jul 11



## Young Chefs Camp

Ages 6-13

Campers will create delicious treats, learning kitchen safety and exploring the wonderful world of cooking and baking.

A lifelong skill, cooking uses math equations and problem-solving abilities. Your children will also learn about healthy meal options and the benefits of cooking at home.

Jun 16 - Jun 20

Jul 21 - Jul 25





# YouTube Camp

Ages 6-13

Learn the methods of being a digital creator! Dive into the world of YouTube by learning how to create engaging videos. From storyboarding to shooting and editing, our experience instructors will guide your child through each step of the video creation process using kid-friendly tools.

Your young creators will develop their on-camera skills including speaking, presenting, and acting. Our fun and supportive environment encourages every camper to shine in front of the camera.



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