

Explore your world

Adventures in STEM
(Science, Technology, Engineering, Math)

Science Explorers: Science in the Kitchen

Ages 3½-6 • Science Explorers

Our kitchens can be amazing science labs — throw open the cupboards and enjoy fun, “hands-in” science! We will explore states of matter, chemical reactions, and more with experiments that bubble, fizz, crackle, and pop. Be sure to dress so you can get messy! Note: flour, cornstarch, oil, and other common kitchen ingredients may be used, but not consumed.

#2040504-01: 4 sessions - limit 5 \$54
Thursdays, Jan. 24-Feb. 14 9:00-10:30 am
Minnetonka Community Center, St. Alban's Room

Science Explorers: Einstein's Lab

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Step inside Einstein's Lab to investigate physics! First, we will explore magnets as we learn about this fascinating, invisible force. We will experiment with attraction and repulsion, magnetic poles, and more. Then, we will discover the spellbinding world of light as we learn how light is created and how it travels. Finally, we will engage our sense of hearing as we learn how sounds are formed and how they travel by creating our own simple musical instruments. Join us as we learn about physics with fun, hands-on experiments and art projects!

#2040506-01: 4 sessions - limit 5 \$54
Thursdays, Feb. 28-Mar. 21 9:00-10:30 am
Williston Fitness Center, Studio B Classroom



create it, build it!

Arts & Crafts

Kidcreate Studio: PAW Patrol® – Chase

Ages 3-6 • Kidcreate Studio

In this popular class, your PAW Patrol® fan will get to create Chase, the German Shepherd police puppy, out of air-dry clay. After all, no job (or art project) is too big, no pup is too small — and this class is going to be loved by all!

#2040202-01: 1 session - limit 5 \$24
Thursday, Jan 3 1:00-2:30 pm
Minnetonka Community Center, Minnetonka Mills Room

Kidcreate Studio: Mommy and Me Big and Messy Art Camp

Ages 1½-6 • Kidcreate Studio

Let your little artist explore the messier side of art in a big way! Kids will enjoy many sensory experiences as they create enormous works of art. They will paint, sculpt, scribble, and giggle their way to discovering a grander scale of art. These projects are way too big and messy to tackle at home! Come and create right along with your child. Children must be accompanied by a caregiver.

#2040201-01: 4 sessions - limit 5 \$54
Thursdays, Apr. 11-May 2 9:30-10:30 am
Minnetonka Community Center St. Alban's Room



Register Online: Hop-Kids.com

By Phone: 952-988-4070 (8:30 am-4 pm, Monday-Friday)

Hop-Kids is your source for preschool fun!



Hop-Kids: Preschool-age play & learn!

A joint partnership of Hopkins-Minnetonka Recreation Services and Hopkins Public Schools Community Education.

Philosophy:

Hop-Kids was created for preschool-age children to provide opportunities for playing and learning that are fun, nurturing, and safe. We believe children learn best through meaningful, interactive play. Our classes offer an introduction to a variety of sport fundamentals, play adventures, art activities, and STEM (science, technology, engineering, math) skills taught by passionate instructors who encourage curiosity, discovery, and problem-solving in a stimulating, structured, and fun environment.

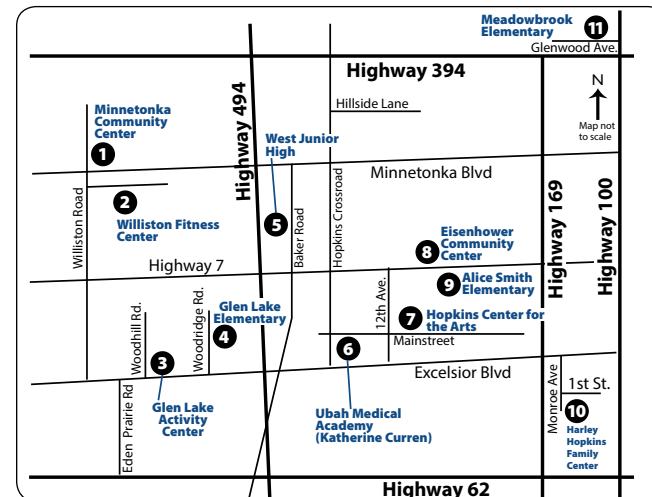
Your trusted local source for enrichment activities

As a program of Hopkins-Minnetonka Recreation Services and Hopkins Public Schools Community Education, our only goal is to bring quality, affordable programs to our residents and families. Enriching lives and the community is what we do best, and it shows — our participant satisfaction rates are outstanding! More than 90% of local families give our programming and staff high marks in a recent community survey.

Top satisfaction ratings!

Hop-Kids Winter/Spring 2019 Locations

1. **Minnetonka Community Center**
14600 Minnetonka Blvd., Minnetonka
2. **Williston Fitness Center**
14509 Minnetonka Dr., Minnetonka
3. **Glen Lake Activity Center**
14350 Excelsior Blvd., Minnetonka
4. **Glen Lake Elementary**
4801 Woodridge Rd., Minnetonka
5. **West Junior High**
3830 Baker Rd., Minnetonka
6. **Ubah Medical Academy (K. Curren)**
1600 Mainstreet, Hopkins
7. **Hopkins Center for the Arts**
1111 Mainstreet, Hopkins
8. **Eisenhower Community Center**
1001 Highway 7, Hopkins
9. **Alice Smith Elementary**
801 Minnetonka Mills Rd., Hopkins
10. **Harley Hopkins Family Center**
125 Monroe Ave S., Hopkins
11. **Meadowbrook Elementary**
5430 Glenwood Ave, Golden Valley



Register early for best selection! Hop-Kids.com

More great youth activities!

Looking for more great activities for your older children?

Both Hopkins-Minnetonka Recreation Services and Hopkins Public Schools Community Education offer exciting programs for school-age youth. Visit their websites for more information, or check out the links at Hop-Kids.com.



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1001 Highway 7, Room 170
Hopkins, MN 55305
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Preschool-age activities
Winter/Spring 2019

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Preschool-age
play & learn!



Super fun for your little one!

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Move it, move it!

Sports & Adventure



Amazing Athletes: Keeping Kids Active

Ages 2½-5 • Amazing Athletes
Master the fundamentals of nine different sports and seven areas of motor development. We'll play baseball, volleyball, lacrosse, football, basketball, golf, hockey, and tennis. Build confidence and practice teamwork!

- #2222101-01: 5 sessions - limit 6 \$59
Mondays, Jan. 7-Feb. 4 6:00-6:35 pm
- #2222101-02: 5 sessions - limit 6 \$59
Mondays, Jan. 7-Feb. 4 6:45-7:20 pm
- #2222101-03: 5 sessions - limit 6 \$59
Mondays, Apr. 1-29 6:00-6:35 pm
- #2222101-04: 5 sessions - limit 6 \$59
Mondays, Apr. 1-29 6:45-7:20 pm
Ubah Medical Academy Gym, all sections

HappyFeet Soccer

HappyFeet Legends Staff
HappyFeet soccer is a great way to see your little one continue their soccer development or introduce them to team sports. Each class will include skill building through fun games, instruction and support by coach, and support by peers in a game setting. All participants receive a jersey and socks as part of the registration fee.

- Ages 2-3**
#2220401-01: 6 sessions - limit 12 \$74
Tuesdays, Jan. 8-Feb. 12 6:00-6:45 pm
Ubah Medical Academy Gym
- Ages 4-5**
#2220401-02: 6 sessions - limit 12 \$74
Tuesdays, Jan. 8-Feb. 12 6:45-7:30 pm
Ubah Medical Academy Gym
- Ages 2-3**
#2220401-04: 6 sessions - limit 12 \$74
Tuesdays, Apr. 16-May 21 5:30-6:15 pm
Alice Smith Elementary Soccer Field
- Ages 4-5**
#2220401-05: 6 sessions - limit 12 \$74
Tuesdays, Apr. 16-May 21 6:15-7:00 pm
Alice Smith Elementary Soccer Field
- Ages 5-6**
#2220401-06: 6 sessions - limit 12 \$74
Tuesdays, Apr. 16-May 21 7:00-7:45 pm
Alice Smith Elementary Soccer Field

RevSports: T-Ball

RevSports
Learn to play T-ball and become more confident with the skills of the game. All equipment, except for gloves, will be provided. You are welcome to bring a glove if you have one, but we will use soft balls, so gloves are not necessary. Parents will be throwing partners with their child. Weekly topics will incorporate catching, throwing, base running, batting and more! All ability levels are welcome. This is a parent-child class. No equipment necessary. Please bring a water bottle. *The 4-6 year class is Coach-Pitch Baseball.*
Note: This is a parent-child class.

- Ages 2-3**
#2222701-01: 6 sessions - limit 8 \$59
Thursdays, Feb. 7-Mar. 21 6:00-6:30 pm
No class Feb. 21
Ubah Medical Academy Gym
- Ages 3-5**
#2222701-02: 6 sessions - limit 8 \$59
Thursdays, Feb. 7-Mar. 21 6:30-7:00 pm
No class Feb. 21
Ubah Medical Academy Gym
- Ages 4-6**
#2222701-03: 6 sessions - limit 8 \$59
Thursdays, Feb. 7-Mar. 21 7:00-7:45 pm
No class Feb. 21
Ubah Medical Academy Gym
- Ages 2-3**
#2222701-04: 6 sessions - limit 8 \$59
Thursdays, Apr. 18-May 23 5:30-6:00 pm
Glen Lake Elementary Softball Field
- Ages 3-5**
#2222701-05: 6 sessions - limit 8 \$59
Thursdays, Apr. 18-May 23 6:00-6:45 pm
Glen Lake Elementary Softball Field
- Ages 4-6**
#2222701-06: 6 sessions - limit 8 \$59
Thursdays, Apr. 18-May 23 6:45-7:30 pm
Glen Lake Elementary Softball Field

Looking for Aquatics or Tennis?

Check out Hopkins-Minnetonka Recreation Services at eminnetonka.com [Recreation-Activities].



TGA Premier Golf

Ages 4-6 • TGA Premier Sports
TGA Premier Golf offers children the opportunity to learn golf with full swing, chipping, and putting instructions. Students learn rules, etiquette, and the history of golf.

- #2221101-01: 6 sessions - limit 5 \$64
Thursdays, Apr. 4-May 16 6:00-6:50 pm
No class May 2
Ubah Medical Academy Gym

GO Families GO!

Free family fun event!

Come out for a morning of free family fun highlighting all of the great opportunities available in the Hopkins community. Games, activities, and much more!
Saturday, Mar. 9 9:00 a.m.-noon Eisenhower Community Center



Hands clapping, toes tapping!

Music & Dance Exploration



Kindermusik: Our Time

Ages 1-3 (with adult) • Kindermusik
Our Time encourages children to be curious and creative, while parents' participation gives them the security they need. We'll explore themes through singing, dancing, instrument play, story-telling, and art. *Required materials fee of \$50 payable at first class.*
Materials include: 2 music CDs, 2 books, home activity book, instrument, and carrying bag.

- #2040301-01: 13 sessions - limit 6 \$145
Tuesdays, Jan. 22-Apr. 30 9:30-10:15 am
No class Feb. 19, Apr. 2
Harley Hopkins Family Center 46

Hip Hop Hooray!

Ages 4-6 • Amy Shadis
This high-energy class will get dancers up and moving! Learn the basics of hip-hop dance, choreography, and tricks. Class will focus on learning through exercise and games, as well as self-expression through movement.

- #2221501-01: 6 sessions - limit 10 \$59
Tuesdays, Jan. 8-Feb. 12 5:30-6:15 pm
- #2221501-02: 6 sessions - limit 10 \$59
Tuesdays, Mar. 12-Apr. 16 5:30-6:15 pm
Eisenhower Community Center Theater, all sections

Wish Upon A Ballet: Pirate Fairy

Mayer Arts Staff
This dance program incorporates popular children's stories as well as ballet stories. Enjoy a complete fairy tale experience as dancers skip, leap, jump, and spin. Children learn an appreciation of dance and music while developing strength and flexibility.

- Ages 3-5**
#2040401-03: 7 sessions - limit 7 \$63
Wednesdays, Jan. 9-Feb. 20 11:00-11:45 am
- Ages 3-4**
#2040401-04: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Saturdays, Jan. 12-Feb. 16 1:15-2:00 pm
- Ages 5-8**
#2040401-05: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Saturdays, Jan. 12-Feb. 16 2:00-2:45 pm
Hopkins Center for the Arts 218, all sections



Wish Upon A Ballet: Aladdin

Mayer Arts Staff
This dance program incorporates popular children's stories as well as ballet stories. Enjoy a complete fairy tale experience as dancers skip, leap, jump, and spin. Children learn an appreciation of dance and music while developing strength and flexibility.

- Ages 3-5**
#2040401-06: 7 sessions - limit 7 \$63
Wednesdays, Feb. 27-Apr. 17 11:00-11:45 am
No class Mar. 27
- Ages 3-4**
#2040401-07: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Saturdays, Feb. 23-Apr. 6 1:15-2:00 pm
No class Mar. 30
- Ages 5-8**
#2040401-08: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Saturdays, Feb. 23-Apr. 6 2:00-2:45 pm
No class Mar. 30
Hopkins Center for the Arts 218, all sections

Wish Upon A Ballet: Carnival of the Animals

Mayer Arts Staff
This dance program incorporates popular children's stories as well as ballet stories. Enjoy a complete fairy tale experience as dancers skip, leap, jump, and spin. Children learn an appreciation of dance and music while developing strength and flexibility.

- Ages 3-5**
#2040401-09: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Wednesdays, Apr. 24-May 29 11:00-11:45 am
- Ages 3-4**
#2040401-10: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Saturdays, Apr. 13-May 18 1:15-2:00 pm
- Ages 5-8**
#2040401-11: 6 sessions - limit 7 \$54
Saturdays, Apr. 13-May 18 2:00-2:45 pm
Hopkins Center for the Arts 218, all sections



Enchanted Stars Dance

Little Girls and their Favorite Guy

Ages 4-12
Girls ages 4-12 and their dad, uncle, grandfather, or friend will enjoy an enchanted evening together with refreshments, dancing, a bling shop, photo opportunities, and more!

- Friday, Mar. 8 6:30-8:30 pm
Eisenhower Community Center Gym



Family Swim Saturdays!

Join us on Saturdays for a season of fun family swimming at the Eisenhower Community Center pool. An adult (at least 18 years old) must accompany all youth swimmers. Only \$10 per session for the whole family to swim! *Please pay at the reception area before entering the pool.*

- Saturdays, 1-3 p.m., through March 16**
Eisenhower Community Center Pool
1001 Highway 7, Hopkins

