Learn to Skate Ages 2+

The Bloomington Ice Center presents a Learn to Skate hybrid program creating a fun environment for skaters to learn new and challenging skills! Our program is designed to develop skaters of all ages as they progress through each level to reach their goals!

Pre-School Ice Explorers

Ages 2-5

Join us for a fun introduction to the ice with helpful direction from our instructors. Skaters will participate in coloring activities, fieldtrips around rink and on-ice obstacle courses.

Tots 1 – 3 Ages 3 to 5

The tot program is designed to introduce basic skating skills to young skaters through a safe and controlled atmosphere using on-ice games and activities. Skaters will learn 2-foot glides, dips, 2-foot hops and introduced to backwards skating! *Skaters who have passed Tot 1 may move to the Learn to Play program!

Blades 1 - 6 Ages 6 to 14

The Blades program is designed for skaters to learn the essential skills for ice skating. The six-level curriculum introduces the fundamental moves: forward skating, backward skating, stops, edges, crossovers, turns and jumps. Upon completion of the Blades program, skaters will have knowledge of the sport, enabling them to advance to more specialized areas of figure skating. *Skaters who have passed Blades 1 may move to the Learn to Play program!

Jump & Spin:

Level 1-3: Ages 6+ Pre-requisite: Blades 6 (Participants must wear freestyle skates) Skaters will learn basic freestyle elements, jumps, spins and spirals in a group lesson.

Teen /Adults Ages 14+

Designed for the beginner teen/adult skater to promote physical fitness, balance and coordination. The class is divided into four levels, adult skaters will progress at an individual rate while being challenged and motivated.



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LEARN TO SKATE SUMMER SESSION 1 SCHEDULE

Class	Day	Summer 1	TimeFee
Tots 1-3	Tues		
Tots 1-3	Thurs		
Tots 1-3	Sat		
Blades 1-6	Tues		
Blades 1-6	Sat		9:20 AM-10:00 AM\$72
Teen/Adult	Tues		
Jump & Spin	Tues		
Jump & Spin	Sat		
Specialty Classes			
Intro to MIF	Sat		
Create a Routine	Sat		

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Specialty Classes

Spin Variation Class Pre-requisite: Pass Jump & Spin Level 3

Skaters will take the basic spin positions (upright, sit, camel) they have mastered and enhance them into spin variations and combinations. These variations are vital to skaters wanting to compete in IJS and develop their spins!

Axel and Beyond Class Pre-requisite: Pass Jump & Spin Level 3

The Axel can be a difficult element for skaters to learn and master. The Axel and Beyond Class is a stand-alone curriculum designed to ignite enthusiasm and accelerate the advancement of your students in a cost effective, group lesson environment. The class will also start the process of training muscle memory for multi-revolution jumps!

Create a Routine Pre-requisite: Blades 2/Tots 3

For skaters wishing to take the skills they have learned in group class and develop them into solo programs! This program is geared towards skaters who do not have a private coach but are looking for the opportunity to learn routines and perform! Skaters must be enrolled in group LTS classes to take advantage of discount class fee.



LEARN TO SKATE SUMMER SESSION 2 SCHEDULE

Class	Day	Summer 2	TimeFee
			5:30 PM - 6:00 PM\$65
Tots 1-3	Thurs	7/21-8/25	5:00 PM - 5:30 PM\$65
Tots 1-3	Sat	7/23-8/27	10:10 AM - 10:50 AM\$72
Blades 1-6	Tues	7/19-8/23	6:00 PM - 6:30 PM\$65
			5:30 PM - 6:10 PM\$72
			9:20 AM - 10:00 AM\$72
Teen/Adult	Tues	7/19-8/23	5:45 PM - 6:30 PM\$79
			5:30 PM - 6:00 PM\$65
			9:20 AM - 10:00 AM\$72
Specialty Classes			
	Sat	7/23-8/27	8:10 AM - 8:40 AM\$65
			8:40 AM - 9:10 AM\$65
Axel and Beyond	Thurs	7/21-8/25	5:00 PM - 5:30 PM\$72

'Camp Sub-Zero' - The Coolest Camp in Town

The Bloomington Ice Center will be hosting the 9th annual summer skating camp! This 4-day camp will focus on: on-ice jump, spin technique and edge quality, off-ice musical interpretation, and off ice jumping. Your child will take part in a 5 hour on and off ice instruction camp with Bloomington Ice Center's professional coaching staff! Your skater will also receive a ½ hour of freestyle practice from 2:20 PM -2:50 PM, and camp T-shirt.

When: Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri 8/1 - 8/5 (Not 8/3) Time: 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM (Drop off and pick-up at Ice Center) Fee: \$165.00 Level Requirements: Blades 6 and up



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Intro to Moves in the Field Class: Pre-requisite: Jump & Spin 1-3

Combines instruction and practice with an introduction to the USFS test structure, Moves in the Field. Recommended for skaters working towards their first test Pre-Preliminary through Pre-Juvenile

Theatre on Ice Team - Bloomington Pops: Pre-requisite: Blades 3

Tues: 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM Session: 6/7 - 8/23 Fee: \$120.00

> *Theatre on Ice uses all aspects of figure skating to incorporate a theme, emotion, and storyline, enhanced by music.* All participants must be a basic skills member of USFS, \$21.00 yearly fee in order to participate in performances. Skaters will learn and refine routines that will be performed at special events! Additional fees will apply for costumes. *Payment plans available online!

Enhance your skating progress and experience by signing up for our Olympic Medal Packages! The more you skate, the more you save and quickly develop your skating skills! Please contact Lindsay Danner ldanner@cityblm.org to receive package discounts! Enrollment must be in the same session to obtain discount.

Bronze 10% Off When you enroll in 2nd group or specialty classes

Silver 15% Off When you enroll in 2nd & 3rd group or specialty classes

Gold 20% When you enroll in 4 group or specialty classes

Helpful Learn-to-Skate Information

Arrive at the rink 15-20 minutes early to collect your rental skates and prepare for your lesson. Bloomington Ice Center skate rental employees will assist you with proper sizing.

Please make sure young children use the restroom before class starts.

Wear long pants (no shorts), jacket or sweater, socks, and gloves or mittens. Dress in layers of clothing. Clothes should not restrict movement.

Helmets (bike, hockey, etc.) are strongly recommended for children under six, and should have a snug fit.

Classes will only be made up if the rink cancels a class.

Bloomington Ice Center Learn-to-Skate staff reserves the right to cancel any class, combine classes, change instructors on any class and move students to a different class level based upon instructor evaluation.

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