

Learn to Skate Ages 2+

The Bloomington Ice Center presents a Learn to Skate 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 – 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 – 12

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 13 +

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.



**SAVE THE
DATE**

Winter & Spring registration begins

Dec. 1st

for Bloomington Ice Center
programs and classes!

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Class	Day	Winter 1	Time	Fee
Ice Explorers	Thurs	1/11 - 2/15	10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	\$70
Tots 1-3	Tues	1/9 - 2/13	5:30 PM – 6:00 PM	\$70
Tots 1-3	Wed	1/10 - 2/14	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Tots 1-3	Fri	1/5 - 1/19	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$39
Tots 1-3	Sat	1/6 - 1/20	10:50 AM – 11:30 AM	\$39
Blades 1-6	Tues	1/9 - 2/13	6:00 PM – 6:30 PM	\$70
Blades 1	Wed	1/10 - 2/14	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Fri	1/5 - 1/19	5:40 PM – 6:20 PM	\$39
Blades 1-6	Sat	1/6 - 1/20	11:40 AM – 12:20 PM	\$39
Jump & Spin	Tues	1/9 - 2/13	5:30 PM – 6:00 PM	\$70
Jump & Spin	Sat	1/6 - 1/20	11:40 AM – 12:20 PM	\$39
Teen/Adult Advance	Tues	1/9 - 3/13	5:00 PM – 5:45 PM	\$80
Teen/Adult	Tues	1/9 - 2/13	5:45 PM – 6:30 PM	\$80
Teen/Adult	Fri	1/5 - 1/19	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$39

Specialty Classes

Skate and Sweat	Sat	1/6 - 1/20	12:20 PM – 12:50 PM	\$35
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Class	Day	Winter 2	Time	Fee
Ice Explorers	Thurs	2/22 - 4/4 (not 3/28)	10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	\$70
Tots 1-3	Tues	2/20 - 4/2 (not 3/26)	5:30 PM – 6:00 PM	\$70
Tots 1-3	Wed	2/21 - 4/3 (not 3/27)	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Tots 1-3	Fri	2/9 - 3/15	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Tots 1-3	Sat	2/10 - 3/16	10:50 AM – 11:30 AM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Tues	2/20 - 4/2 (not 3/26)	6:00 PM – 6:30 PM	\$70
Blades 1	Wed	2/21 - 4/3 (not 3/27)	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Fri	2/9 - 3/15	5:40 PM – 6:20 PM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Sat	2/10 - 3/16	11:40 AM – 12:20 PM	\$79
Jump & Spin	Tues	2/20 - 4/2 (not 3/26)	5:30 PM – 6:00 PM	\$70
Jump & Spin	Sat	2/10 - 3/16	11:40 AM – 12:20 PM	\$79
Teen/Adult Advance	Tues	2/20 - 4/2 (not 3/26)	5:00 PM – 5:45 PM	\$80
Teen/Adult	Tues	2/20 - 4/2 (not 3/26)	5:45 PM – 6:30 PM	\$80
Teen/Adult	Fri	2/9 - 3/15	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79

Specialty Classes

Create a Routine	Sat	2/10 - 3/16	12:20 PM – 12:50 PM	\$70
Learn to Compete	Sat	2/10 - 5/11	12:20 PM – 12:50 PM	\$112

Class	Day	Spring	Time	Fee
Ice Explorers	Thurs	4/11 - 5/16	10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	\$70
Tots 1-3	Tues	4/9 - 5/14	5:30 PM – 6:00 PM	\$70
Tots 1-3	Wed	4/10 - 5/15	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Tots 1-3	Fri	4/5 - 5/10	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Tots 1-3	Sat	4/6 - 5/11	10:50 AM – 11:30 AM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Tues	4/9 - 5/14	6:00 PM – 6:30 PM	\$70
Blades 1	Wed	4/10 - 5/15	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Fri	4/5 - 5/10	5:40 PM – 6:20 PM	\$79
Blades 1-6	Sat	4/6 - 5/11	11:40 AM – 12:20 PM	\$79
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Specialty Classes

Aspire to Figure Skate	Fri	4/5 - 5/10	5:00 PM – 5:40 PM	\$70
Create a Routine	Sat	4/6 - 5/11	12:20 PM – 12:50 PM	\$70

Speciality Classes

Skate and Sweat

Pre-requisite: Enrollment in Jump & Spin or higher.
Join us for a fun filled half hour of conditioning and skating skill development! Each week will have a different musical theme and focus. Skaters are encouraged to bring a bottle of water.

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 the discounted class fee.

Theatre on Ice - Bloomington Pops:

Pre-requisite: Blades 3/Tots 3
Skaters will be exposed to diverse styles of choreography through musical programs. All participants must be a member of USFS basic skills, \$21.00 yearly fee to participate in performances. Skaters will learn and refine routines that will be performed at a figure skating exhibition. Additional fees will apply for costumes.

Day: Tuesdays: 1/9-5/7 (Not 3/26)
18-week session Min/Max: 8/24
Time: 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM
Fee: \$180.00 (Payment Plans available online)

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.

Learn to Compete:

Pre-requisite: Blades 2/Tots 2
This program is designed to train and prepare skaters currently enrolled in Bloomington Ice Center's LTS program for participation in the Illinois Basic Skills competition series. Skaters learn a choreographed routine to music that will be refined for competition. Learn to Compete is intended to introduce skaters to the excitement of competition, improve individual skating skills, and foster feelings of accomplishment and good sportsmanship. There will be a parent information meeting prior to the competition to provide all the information necessary to make your child's competition experience rewarding.

What you get with this class:

- 1) Skaters receive a professional choreographed routine to music
- 2) A copy of their skating music (to practice)
- 3) Certified USFS skating coach will put child out for competition
- 4) Receive an award for competing
- 5) 12 - 1/2 hour skating lessons
- 6) 4 FREE 1/2 hr. freestyle practice sessions (valued at \$25.00)

Saturdays: 2/10 - 5/11 (not 3/23, 3/30)

Time: 12:20 - 12:50 PM

Fee: \$120.00 (doesn't include competition entry fee)

Competition: 5/18/24 - 5/19/24

Aspire to Figure Skate:

Pre-requisite: Blades 3 and 4 and up
This special program combines all the elements of developing a figure skater! Skaters will partake in on-ice edge class, program artistry, technique development and parent education! All skaters enrolled will receive an Aspire shirt!

Private Lessons

The Bloomington Ice Center is excited to offer one-on-one private lessons to your skaters! Skaters of all ages and levels in both hockey and figure skating can benefit from private lessons. The personalized attention you get from a coach helps you to learn and progress at an accelerated rate. Plus, each session is tailored to you or your skater's goals and ability level.

Interested in getting started with private lessons for you or your child? Please contact the Skating Director ldanner@cityblm.org to get started!