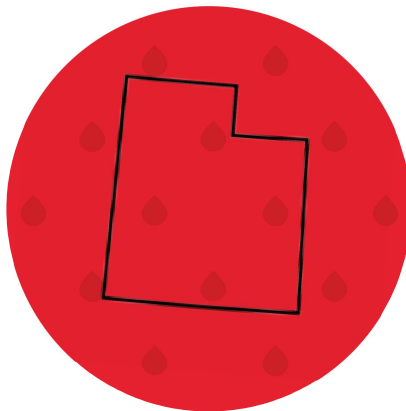


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SUMMER *Resource* **GUIDE**



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**STATEWIDE RESOURCES FOR
SUMMER ACTIVITIES**

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**Bringing Hope
Opening Doors
Elevating Inclusion**



This list of activities for children, youth, and young adults with disabilities and special health care needs is compiled by the staff at the Utah Parent Center. Every effort is made to ensure that these resources and the information about them is current, but contact with each program is encouraged to verify availability. Unless otherwise noted, current Covid-19 protocols should also be checked with each entity.

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Tips for Creating Inclusion for Any Community Resource

STEP ONE:

- Begin by identifying your child's likes and preferences.
- What is their vision for a perfect summer?
- Help your child brainstorm a list of ideas.
- Write a list of your child's strengths, getting input from others who know your child well. Share this list with your child, and consider these strengths in your brainstorming.

STEP TWO:

- Make a list of places in your community that offer programs that align with your child's vision for the summer. Don't limit yourself to those that only offer special needs programs.
- Ask around for others that might know of possibilities: neighbors, teachers, rec centers, tourism bureaus, non-profit organizations, school districts, community colleges, social workers and provider agencies.

STEP THREE:

Define what is important **TO** your child:

- Being with or making friends
- Sports
- Arts
- Being outdoors
- Staying indoors

Define what is important **FOR** your child:

- Physical Activity
- Continuity and structure
- Full-time, part-time, or occasional care
- Trained staff
- Constant supervision

Consider the specific needs of your child:

- Medical needs
- Assistance with diapering or hygiene
- Safety
- Working on specific skills
- Continuity in schedule

STEP FOUR:

Gather information on the potential places of interest on your list.

- Call the organizations, businesses, or facilities that align with your child's vision and meet their needs.
- Share your child's vision and strengths
- Share 2-3 specific needs that will need to be accommodated for your child to participate

Offer to volunteer support that can help your child be successful. This might include things like training staff on how best to interact with your child, staying nearby or even at the location during your child's participation, providing necessary snacks or drinks for dietary restrictions or needs.

Many programs accommodate special needs when they can; do not assume your child can't go just because a special/adaptive program isn't necessarily offered. If it sounds like something your child will enjoy, ASK! Many of these places want to offer inclusive environments.

ADDITIONAL TIPS AND CONSIDERATIONS:

- Consider your child's safety needs.
- Beware of overscheduling: do you use summer to to schedule extra therapy or medical appointments?
- Use your child's IEP or 504 plan to provide a starting point for what accommodations might be needed in order for your child to participate. For instance, will your child be more successful in small groups or with reduced expectations. Will they need high repetition when learning new skills? What forms of prompting might be needed (give specific words or gestures to use).

Looking for inclusive childcare?

Summer can create a unique need for childcare options. This resource can give parents skills to find the right fit for their family:

<https://www.usu.edu/careaboutchildcare/inclusivechildcare/>



Salt Lake County Area

Contact programs for current coronavirus updates and precautions.

Adaptive Recreation Salt Lake County:

SL County offers many adaptive rec programs.

Website: <https://www.slco.org/adaptive/>

- **Otters Swim Club** provides swimming instruction for kids and teens age 3yrs + with autism or intellectual disabilities.
- **Adaptive Swim Club 9** is for adults and youth age 15 yrs + with physical, visual, or intellectual disabilities. Inclusive Swim Lessons, Water Polo, Archery, Baseball, Bowling, Hockey, and many more! Locations vary across the SL valley visit website for details, registration, and cost of each program. Currently providing Adaptive Recreation on Facebook.
- **Disability Fitness Pass:** <https://www.slco.org/adaptive/disability-fitness-pass/>

Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/SaltLakeCountyAdaptiveRecreation>

- **Copperview adaptive programs:** <https://www.slco.org/copperview/adaptive/>
- **Adaptive Summer Camps/Classes:** <https://slco.org/copperview/adaptive-camps/>
- **WalkN'Roll Club:** <https://slco.org/copperview/adaptive/fitness-programs/walk-n-roll-club/>

Phone: (385) 468-1515

Location: Varies in SL County

Angel Hands: AHF provides monthly social outings for our families of children with rare disorders. Many of our children do not go out in public due to their conditions or physical limitations. AHF has taken families to professional hockey, basketball, and baseball games. We have had private swimming parties, pizza parties, Christmas parties, fishing parties, picnics, taken kids snow skiing, and we also have gone to movies and the circus. Many of these events are luxuries that our families cannot afford due to the financial hardships brought on by the diseases.

Website: <http://angelshands.org/>

Location: 11152 Sunup Way, South Jordan, UT 84095

Art Access/VSA Utah:

Art Access hosts two types of public workshops:

- Accessibility and Disability Justice Workshops
- Professional Development for Emerging Artists (coming this spring)

Website: www.accessart.org

Phone: (801) 328-0703

Location: 230 S 500 W #125, SLC

Email us at workshops@artaccessutah.org

Aqua-Tots Swim School: Offers S.N.A P. (Special Needs Aquatic Program), creating lessons tailored to each child's needs and abilities

Website: <https://www.aqua-tots.com/midvale/>

Phone: 801-901-2852

Email: midvaleinfo@aqua-tots.com

Bear-O-Care: Offers year-round respite care services for children and adults with significant disabilities. Children will have a variety of activities to choose from. Every session has a Manager, Respite leaders, and volunteers from local high schools and universities.

Depending on need, an RN or LPN can be onsite to administer medications, deliver g-tube feedings, or assist with other needs (please specify your needs in the registration form).

Website: <https://www.bearocare.org/>

Phone: (801) 419-4731

Ages: 6 through adulthood

Location: 2464 W 12600 S Ste. 180 Riverton

Email: Trudi O'Brien trudibearocare@gmail.com

<https://www.bearocare.org/contact-us>

Best Seats in the House: We provide life-changing experiences for children during difficult times; be it health or under-privileged situations. We create an opportunity for these children and families to experience joy and most importantly hope.

Website: <https://bestseatslc.org/>

Email: info@bestseatslc.org

Location: 1570 East 8600 South, Sandy, UT 84093



Boys and Girls Club: Programs for children of all abilities.

Website: <https://www.gslclubs.org/>

Age: Grades K-12

Murray: 244 E Myrtle Ave 801-484-0872

Sugar House: 968 E Sugarmont Dr 801-485-0101



Club U Camps: Club U Summer Camp programs are the place to be for children and young adults looking to engage with their community. Inclusive summer programming offers children of all ages opportunities to explore the world around them, while developing 21st century skills enabling them to navigate an ever changing world.

Website: <https://continue.utah.edu/clubu>



Camp Kostopulos: Offering year-round programs for children, teens, and adults with physical, developmental, and intellectual disabilities. We proudly serve people of all abilities.

Programs include:

Summer Camps (May - August)

Partner Day Camps (May - August)

Community-Based Programs (Recreation activities September - April)

Specialty Programs (4 week programs offered September - April)

Equestrian Programs: Offered year round (indoor arena)

SWEET--Summer Work, Exploration, Experience, and Training (A Voc Rehab program offering high school students a chance to practice employment skills and earn a paycheck.)

Team Building Activities

Website: www.campk.org

Phone: (801) 582-0700

Location: 4180 E Emigration Canyon Rd.

Cost and Duration: Vary based on program

Columbus Community Services: Offers programs to provide transition services including social and interpersonal skills, skills to access the community, and employment skills. Serves families looking for community-based respite and supervised care for individuals who want to participate in structured activities that may or may not have DSPD services. The program operates from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday-Friday.

Website: <https://www.columbusserves.org/>

Age: 16-through adulthood

Phone: (801) 262-1552

Location: 3495 S West Temple, SLC UT

Dancers with Disabilities: Our unique fine arts half-day camps will include dance, music, theater, visual arts, and film. With our positive approach and engaging philosophy, this experience will be different from any other. Discover and celebrate your artistic capabilities! DSPD funding accepted.

Website: <https://tannerdance.utah.edu/programs/disabilities-programs-for-children-and-adults/>

Ages: 5-18

Email: joni.wilson@utah.edu

Location: Tanner Dance (U of U)

Cost: \$200

Girls on the Run: Programs run April 4 - June 4, 5K Celebration on June 4

Eight-week program with two 60-90 minutes lessons per week. More than running! At Girls on the Run, we inspire ALL girls to build confidence and make intentional decisions while fostering care and compassion for themselves and others. Trained coaches use physical activity and dynamic discussions to build social, emotional, and physical skills in every girl while encouraging healthy habits for life.

Elementary School Program: 3-6 grades

Middle School Program: 7-8 grades

Summer Camp GOTR: Dates and Locations TBD

Fall Program: Sept 12-Nov 9



Girls on the Run of Utah is proud to now serve Box Elder, Cache, Carbon, Davis, Morgan, Salt Lake, Summit, Tooele, Utah, Wasatch, and Weber counties in Utah. Check our website for team locations near you!

Website: <https://www.girlsontherunutah.org/>

Cost: Varies- Scholarships available

Phone: 801-913-5584

Harmony Music Therapy: All ability music groups. Individual and group music therapy. Individual adapted music lessons. There are also adaptive musical instrument lessons.

Website: <https://harmonymusictherapy.com/>

Email: info@harmonymusictherapy.com

Phone: (801) 200-3273

Location: 8261 Viscounti Dr Sandy

Ages: All

Price: See website \$30 to \$125 per session



Hydrotherapy with Liz Egan: Liz Egan provides hydrotherapy and has a wealth of experience helping children with special needs move, stretch, and relax using water therapy techniques.

Location: Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center

Cost: \$20 per half hour session

Phone: Liz Egan (801) 209-1521

I See You Utah: This new organization's purpose is to help individuals and entire families with invisible illnesses. They will be hosting activities throughout the year, such as support groups, music therapy, and art therapy.

Location: Davis, Salt Lake & Utah Counties

Phone: (801) 410-1773

Cost: Free

Website: www.iseeyouutah.org



Jewish Community Center Summer Camps: Enrolls children and teens with special needs into their summer camps program depending on the needs.

Website: <http://slcjcc.org>

Phone: (801) 581-0098

Age: entering 1st-10th grade



Just For Kids Pediatric Occupational Therapy: Provides occupational therapy services to children with sensory processing disorder, autism, and developmental delay. In the summer, Just for Kids provides intensive individual occupational therapy, social skills camp, writing camp, and field trips.

Website: <https://www.otjustforkids.com/>

Email: susan@otjustforkids.com

Phone: 801-231-9207

Kyle Pease Foundation: Helping individuals complete endurance races from 5Ks to Marathons to various distances of triathlons. They pair each differently-abled athlete with an assistant.

They also aid each athlete with obtaining equipment or coaching required to complete the race.

Website: <https://www.kylepeasefoundation.org/>

Utah Chapter: <https://www.walkingwithkpinutah.com/>

Mascot Miracles Foundation

MMF kids and their families enjoy special experiences designed just for them - where they are safe, allowed to be themselves and enjoy activities at their own speed and abilities. We host at least one experience per month for these special kids including Night at the Aquarium, Stick Horse Rodeo, Cowabunga Bay, Polar Express Rides with Santa, one-on-one events

Website : <https://www.mascotmiraclesfoundation.org/About>

Facebook : Join - "Mascot Miracles Family Information" group for updates

Kearns Oquirrh Park Fitness Center Adaptive Aquatics

This class is designed to work with children ages 3 and up who have special needs/disabilities.

Our Adaptive Aquatic instructors are trained to lead participants through a range of water experiences that encourage independence in the water, socializing and specific swimming or exercise skills and routines. The ratio is one student to one teacher. Classes run with our regularly scheduled lessons. View schedule now.

Website: <https://kopfc.com/programs/>

Address: 5624 S. Cougar Ln ▪ Kearns, UT 84118

Phone: 801-966-5555

Cost is the same as our group lessons per session (6×30 minute classes):

\$39.00 per session for general

\$33.00 per session for members

Murray Greenhouse Foundation: Offers a solution for individuals with disabilities age 22 and older. Conceived as a safe and nurturing learning place whose cornerstone is their greenhouse. The foundation provides the teaching of individualized independent living skills and employment skills for people with disabilities. Space is limited.

Website: <https://murraygreenhouse.org/>

Phone: (801) 266-0669

Age: 22 and older

Program hours: M-F, 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Location: 6366 S 900 E, Murray

Neighborhood House: Neighborhood House provides a safe, home-like environment for non-aggressive individuals 18 years and older who need supervised care during the day. Our programs ensure our clients receive the physical, mental and social services they need. We also have summer camps for children ages 6-14. Children with disabilities are welcome!

Website: <https://nhutah.org/children-s-center/summer-program>

Cost: Varies

Children's Campus: 1050 W 500 S (801) 363-4589

Riverside Adult Day Center: 423 W 1100 W (801) 363-4593

Cottonwood Adult Day Center: 1580 E Vine St (801) 277-3264

Rite Care Learning Centers: A speech therapist is paired with the child and parent for weekly sessions. The participation of the parent or other attending adult is essential. When the adult learns along with the child, the concepts taught can be reinforced at home.

Website: <https://www.ritecareutah.org/>

Phone: (801) 486-0579

Location: 650 East South Temple, SLC

Email: sarah.farr@ritecareutah.org

SLCC Summer Reading Skills Program: Offers a 5-week long summer program for struggling reader's grades k-12. They provide individualized attention, group instruction, and engaging materials.

Website: <http://www.slcc.edu/continuinged/programs/youth-summer-reading.aspx>

Phone: (800) 964-8888

Age: Grades K-12

Various Location: Taylorsville, Sandy, West Jordan, West Valley City, Sandy



Special Needs Scouts and Autism Spectrum Inclusive Scouts: David can help support local groups to include kids with special needs, or connect you to current special needs groups. Call for more information.

Phone: 801-440-5070

Contact: David Lyon



Spyhop: Let your child's creativity run wild with Spy Hop in a weeklong summer camp. Campers put their creativity to work to create their own art; from wacky to silly, uber-cool, and weird, each camp allows kids to express their wildest ideas by making movies, animations, music, video games, and more! All camps are guided by Spy Hop's talented artist mentors, giving campers a caring counselor, hands-on instruction, and ample opportunities to connect and collaborate with their friends. Explore strictly Spy Hop camps and others that combine the Spy Hop experience with a camp partner such as Wasatch Community Gardens, 1520 Arts, or Clever Octopus. With days that are jam-packed with equal parts play and project-based activities, kids have endless opportunities to have fun and make the art in their head come to life!

Spy Hop Summer Camps June 6 – August 12, 2022

- Registration opens April 11, 2022
- Daily Camps: 9:00 am – 3:30 pm (early drop-off available at 8:30 am)
- Spy Hop Hangout (Extended Care): 3:30 – 5:30 pm (no additional fee, but sign up for extended care is required)
- Weekly Tuition: Sliding scale \$75 – \$315 per week



Website: <https://spyhop.org/program/summer-camps/>

Location: 208 West Harvey Milk Blvd., SLC, UT 84101

Email: info@spyhop.org

Stable Place: Dedicated to improving the lives of people and horses. They work to create an environment where horses and people can help heal each other, regardless of physical, mental, or emotional challenges. Please contact and schedule a visit to this private residence. The address is not posted.

Website: <https://www.thestableplaceslc.com>

Email: info@thestableplaceslc.com

Location: West Valley City

Phone: (801) 860-3906

SwimKids: Where Fun & Safety Meet. With over 30 years' - worth of experience teaching children 4 months and up, SwimKids can tailor lessons specifically to your child's needs and abilities. Our well-trained, enthusiastic, and caring instructors are eager to teach your child to swim.

Website: <https://www.swimkidsutah.com>

Email: holladay@swimkidsutah.com

Phone: (801) 691-7946 (call or text)

Locations: 4679 S 2225 E, Holladay UT and 11916 S Woodridge Road, Sandy UT

Superior Adaptive Swim School: S.A.S.S. teaches swimming lessons based on safety, survival, technique, and fun. S.A.S.S. instructors each have their own way of teaching children and focus individually on what their swimming needs are. Morning and evening private, semi-private, and group classes are available. All levels are covered. Swim therapy is also available.

Website: <https://www.swimsass.com/>

Phone: (801) 637-7140

Main Office: 2012 S 1300 E, Salt Lake

Email: sapswim32@gmail.com

Location: varies, call or email for specific pool & class locations

TOPSoccer: A Program of Utah Youth Soccer Association: Designed to bring the opportunity of learning and playing soccer to any boy or girl, ages 4-99 that has a mental or physical disability, to provide meaningful learning, development, and physical participation opportunities through soccer.

Website: <https://www.utahyouthsoccer.net/top-soccer>

Phone: (801) 307-5150

Age: All ages

Tracy Aviary and Botanical Garden in Liberty Park: Tracy Aviary inspires curiosity and caring for birds and nature through education and conservation.

Website: <https://tracyaviary.org/>

Phone: 801-596-8500

Location: 589 E. 1300 S., Salt Lake City, UT



TRAILS (Technology Recreation and Independent Lifestyles): TRAILS is an outreach program designed specifically for persons with spinal cord injuries. They facilitate recreational activities to help individuals return to the community. The services they provide are available year-round, including skiing, hand cycling, kayaking, canoeing, swimming, wheelchair tennis, and more.

Website: <http://healthcare.utah.edu/rehab/support-services/trails.php>

Phone: (801) 581-2526

Location: University of Utah Health Care

U Can Learn Center: Non-profit learning/tutoring center specializing in evaluating and treating the 'blockages' to learning, in particular, central auditory processing, visual processing, language delays, ADD and ADHD, and dyslexia, with locations in Murray and South Jordan.

Website: <http://www.ucanlearn.net/>

Phone: (801)683-5999

Location: 6375 S Highland Drive, #202, Salt Lake City

U of U Reading Clinic: Offers Reading Assessment and Intervention, Professional Development, Mobile Reading Clinics, and Consultation Services. The clinic helps students become successful readers and is a resource for parents, teachers, and struggling readers, especially those students in grades one through three. Children who qualify for services are enrolled on a “first-come, first-served basis” when space is available. Programs are available in the summer.

Website: <https://uurc.utah.edu/>

Location: 5242 S 480 W, Suite 100, Murray

Phone: (801) 265-3951

Email: uurc@ed.utah.edu

U-FIT: is a family-centered program designed for children and youth with special needs. We provide physical activities in a fun, noncompetitive atmosphere that will help individuals reach their goals!



Website: <https://special-ed.utah.edu/u-fit/>

Utah Independent Living Center: Dedicated to assisting persons with disabilities to achieve greater independence by providing services and activities to enhance independent living skills and promote the public’s understanding, accommodation, and acceptance of their rights, needs, and abilities. ASL Video Phone: 801-657-5220.



Website: <https://uilc.org/en/>

Location: 3445 S Main St, Salt Lake City

Phone: (801) 466-5565

Cost and Duration: Vary based on program

Wasatch Trampoline and Tumbling: **MAY 7TH 2022 only!** Join us for a free, 1 on 1, adaptive gymnastics class for children with physical or mental disabilities. All ages welcome! Our staff and team athletes are excited to create a fun and safe environment for your children to come and learn. Please call the number below to reserve your free lesson.

Phone: 801-889-9375

Email: wasatchtumbling@live.com

Location: 13702 S 200 W, Suite B6, Draper, UT

Wasatch/Snowbird Adaptive Sports: Various program available spring, summer, and fall! Options include nature hikes, fishing, adaptive biking, Snowbird activities (Tram rides, bungee jumping, alpine slide, and Zip Rider rides), mine and water tunnel tours, GPS/orienteering classes, etc. Register online.

Website: <https://wasatchadaptivesports.org/>

Phone: (801) 933-2188

Email: info@wasatchadaptivesports.org

West Valley Family Fitness Center: Land, aqua, and outdoor fitness programs for individuals with disabilities are available. Offerings are constantly being added and adapted, so contact us for the latest available options.

Beach entry pool and pool lifts are available

Website: <https://www.wvc-ut.gov/1616/Adaptive-Recreation>

Location: 5415 W 3100 S West Valley

Phone: (801) 955-4156

Contact: Parker Chapple

Wheelchair Tennis Camp: Wheelchair activities are organized through Utah Tennis Association and Utah Wheelchair Tennis Committee members. Junior Wheelchair workouts are held weekly at Liberty Park during summer months. Adult clinics are held weekly throughout the year. Wheelchairs are available to borrow upon request. Utah annually hosts a national, week-long All-Comers wheelchair camp.

Website: <https://www.utahtennis.com/wheelchair-tennis>

Phone: (801) 944-8782 ext 112

Ages: Teens and adults

Location: Main office 2469 E. Fort Union Blvd Suite 104

Zoo for You: Hogle Zoo offers hands-on animal classes for children with a variety of special needs. There are classes for children with autism, students that are deaf/blind, and children with general special needs. Cost includes an accompanying adult. Visit the website for details, times, and to purchase your admission.

Website: https://www.hoglezoo.org/education_programs/zoo_classes/

Phone: (801) 584-1700

Age: 6-22 (depending upon exhibit)



Statewide or National Resources

Contact programs for current coronavirus updates and precautions.

A Buddy Just Like Me: A Buddy Just Like Me helps individuals with a diagnosis, their families, and caregivers find and create meaningful connections. Finding connections within a diagnosis. Currently building a database of “Buddy” matches. App to be released in Spring 2022
Website: <https://www.abuddyjustlikeme.com/>

Accessible Wildlife for People with Disabilities: The Utah Department of Natural Resources (DNR) encourages people with disabilities to take advantage of our natural resources. DNR's Divisions and other public and private agencies have developed parks, campgrounds, trail systems, fishing piers, and other programs to enable access to our natural resources throughout the state.

Website: <https://wildlife.utah.gov/disabled-access>

Age: All Ages

ActivityTree.com Virtual resource

Website: <https://activitytree.com/>

Put in your zip code you would like to use. Narrow your search by adding filters for the types of activities you are most interested in. Great for planning vacations!

Adaptive Adventures: Based out of Boulder and Chicago, Adaptive Adventures has multiple Lake Powell adaptive water “sport weeks” where participants can enjoy fishing, kayaking, water skiing, boating, etc. Programs are for all ages and abilities.

Website: <https://adaptiveadventures.org/>

Cost: Prices vary but price will include food, lodging, and equipment.

Autism on the Seas: Autism on the Seas has been in collaboration with Royal Caribbean International since 2007 in developing cruise vacation services to accommodate adults and families living with children with special needs, including but not limited to Autism, Asperger syndrome, Down syndrome, Tourette syndrome, cerebral palsy, and all cognitive, intellectual, and developmental disabilities. We provide cruises with our staff that assist adults and families in accommodating the typical cruise services, as well as providing specialized respite and private activities/sessions that allow our guests the use of the ships entertainment venues in an accommodated and assisted manner.

Website: www.autismontheseas.com

Phone: 1-800-516-5247

AYSO VIP Soccer: Where Everyone Plays®: Provides a quality soccer experience for children and adults with physical or mental disabilities that make it difficult to successfully participate on mainstream teams. VIP Buddies ensure that every player has a great AYSO experience.
Website: www.ayso.org/play/programs/

Best Buddies: Dedicated to enhancing the lives of people with intellectual disabilities by providing opportunities for one-on-one friendships and integrated employment.
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/bestbuddiesut>
Website: <https://www.bestbuddies.org/utah/>

Blue Star Museums- <https://www.arts.gov/initiatives/blue-star-museums> (Not just Utah!)
Blue Star Museums is a collaboration among the National Endowment for the Arts, Blue Star Families, the Department of Defense, and more than 2,000 museums across America to offer free admission to the nation's active-duty military personnel their families, National Guard Camp; Reserve, from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

Camp Roger: Provides a residential summer camp with counselors trained in the needs of campers with disabilities. Other day and holiday camps are available.
Website: <https://ymcautah.org/camps>
Phone: (877) 690-9622
Age: 4-18

Hiking Utah Mountains: Enjoy the great outdoors as a family on wheelchair accessible trails. TrailLink has a list of accessible, paved hiking trails in Utah. Each trail will be short in length, surfaced for accessibility, and provide descriptions of the hike. You can look at the website or they all can be downloaded from the your App Store (look for TrailLink).
Website: www.traillink.com/stateactivity/ut-wheelchair-accessible-trails.aspx

Museums for All: Through Museums for All, those receiving food assistance (SNAP benefits) can gain free or reduced admission to more than 800 museums throughout the United States simply by presenting their EBT card. Search below to find a participating museum near you!
Website: <https://museums4all.org/>

Utah Burn Camp: The University of Utah Health Burn Camp Program was established in 1993 to help support burn survivors with the personal challenges associated with surviving a burn injury. We currently run five different programs geared toward specific age groups, providing a safe and supportive atmosphere for everyone involved.
Phone: 801-585-2847
Website: <https://healthcare.utah.edu/burncenter/burn-camp/>

I See You: This new organization's purpose is to help individuals and entire families with invisible illnesses. They will be hosting activities throughout the year, such as art therapy. To learn more visit their website, call, or e-mail. Like their Facebook page to receive info on events.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/iseeyoufoundation/>

Website: www.iseeyouutah.org

Phone: (801) 410-1773

Kids Camps.com--An online resource to find specialty camps all over the US

https://www.kidscamps.com/summer_camps/utah-summer-camps.html

MDA Camp: MDA Summer Camp is a magical place where anything is possible — from swimming to zip-lining and horseback riding to dancing under a disco ball and gaining valuable life skills. Each summer, thousands of kids attend life-changing, overnight camps around the U.S. — at no cost to their families, thanks to our generous supporters.

Website: <https://www.mda.org/summer-camp>

Megaplex: Offers a sensory friendly summer movie series for children. All sensory friendly showings will be at 10:30 am. Just \$10.00 for 10 weeks!

Website: <https://www.megaplextheatres.com/i/kidsmovies>

National Ability Center: National Ability Center is definitely worth the drive up to Park City. They offer just about every kind of outdoor recreational activity a person could do (including: rock climbing, swimming, archery, sledge hockey, cycling, water-skiing, kayaking, wakeboarding, paddle board, snowboarding, snowshoeing, and Nordic skiing, (to name some activities). It empowers individuals of all abilities by building self-esteem, confidence, and lifetime skills through sport, recreation, and educational programs. Forms and a complete list of programs can be found on their website.

Website: www.discovernac.org

Location: Park City, UT

Phone: 435.649.3991 x 625

National Parks and Federal Recreation Lands: Free Access Pass is a lifetime pass for U.S. citizens or permanent residents with permanent disabilities. The pass provides access to, and use of, Federal recreation sites that charge an Entrance or Standard Amenity. The pass admits the pass holder and passengers in a non-commercial vehicle at per vehicle fee areas and pass holder + 3 adults, not to exceed 4 adults, at per person fee areas (children under 16 are admitted free). The pass can only be obtained in person at the park.

Website: <https://www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/passes.htm>

Special Olympics: Offers summer games where individuals with disabilities can compete in a variety of sports including things like cycling, track and field, soccer, and softball.

Website: <https://www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/passes.htm>

Ages: 8-Adulthood

Phone: (801) 363-1111 ex 223

Email: information@sout.org

Special Needs Scouts and Autism Spectrum Inclusive Scouts : Contact David

Lyon for local group information.

Phone: (801) 440-5070



Summer Fun National Summer Camp Directory: Links to over 200 camp Web sites serving children with disabilities, as well as useful information and resources to help create a rewarding summer camp experience for you and your child.

Website: <https://fcsn.org/camps/>

Utah Hemophilia Foundation: Bringing people with bleeding disorders together for support and learning. Community events, Camp Valor, Teen Weekend.

Website: <https://hemophiliautah.org/new-events>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/283017781722742>

Utah Lakes and Rivers: Utah Division of Wildlife Resources has free licenses for Utah residents with physical and cognitive disabilities. Individuals must apply for the license at <http://wildlife.utah.gov/disabled-access/> . The DWR website has a complete list of over 50 accessible fishing docks. They will also have many different accommodations for hunting as well.

Phone: (801) 538-4700

Website: <https://wildlife.utah.gov/>

Email: DWRcomment@utah.gov



Utah State Parks: Many Utah State Parks, like the National Parks, have trails that are accessible by everyone. State parks in Utah with such trails are Dead Horse Point, East Canyon, Fremont Indian, Jordanelle, Snow Canyon, and the Historic Union Pacific Rail trails. Many others have accessible fishing docks, including Bear Lake, Deer Creek, Huntington, Millsite, Quail Creek, Red Fleet, Rockport, Sand Hollow, Starvation, Utah Lake, Willard Bay, and more.

Phone: (801) 538-7220

Website: <https://stateparks.utah.gov/>



Utah Life Elevated: The links on this page lead you to a myriad of choices to help you discover more of what Utah has to enjoy.

Website: <https://www.visitutah.com/things-to-do>

Utah's National Parks : Utah's National Parks do not have specific programs for those with disabilities. They still offer junior ranger programs that can be tailored to the needs of your child. Stop by the visitor center as soon as you get to the park to talk with a ranger about such accommodations. Some parks offer "kits" or ranger-led programs that allow children of all abilities to experience Utah's great natural resources. Check park websites or visitor centers for wheelchair accessible trails and paths.

Website: www.nps.gov/Utah



Classes & Camps

Non-Disability Specific



Contact programs for current coronavirus updates and precautions.

4-H Summer Camps: The structure of these camps is unique and helpful for both the kids attending and parents looking for summer activities.

Website: <https://utah4h.org/projects/specializedprograms/camps/>

Phone: (435) 797-4444

Star Camp: Missions to Mars, Rockets, Astronaut training, Field trips, Science classes, experiments, and engineering. Stay overnight, work in a team, and have the time of your life at Star Camp!

Website: <https://www.douglassciencecenter.org>

Phone: (801) 917-4829

Email: info@douglassciencecenter.org

Ages: 5-15

Location: DaVinci Academy of Science and the Arts- 2033 Grant Ave, Ogden, UT 84401

Cost: \$75-\$399 Payment plans and discounts available

Bike Collective: Earn a Bike program with Bike Collective. It is a rigorous six-week introductory bike mechanics course offered free to anyone ages 6-18. Each class is 1.5 hours long, twice a week, totaling 18 solid hours of instructional time. Upon graduation, students earn their own bicycle to keep and ride with pride.

Website: <https://bicyclecollective.org/>

Phone: (801) FAT-BIKE (328-2453)

Ages: 6-18

Location: Salt Lake, Provo, Ogden, St. George

Camp Resource: Filter by State for Utah and specific choices about camp types.

Website: <https://www.campresource.com/>

Camp Snowbird: There is a new adventure each day in beautiful Little Cottonwood Canyon for all campers ages 4-12. Campers will explore the canyon through nature hikes, science experiments, arts and crafts and supervised swims.

Website: www.snowbird.com/summer/summercamps

Phone: (801) 947-8222

Fun on the Farm Summer Day Camp: Located in Farmington, Utah in a beautiful barnyard setting, Fun on the Farm is a fun farm experience for young children. We provide a safe, supervised, family atmosphere for your kids. They will have busy days full of fun activities and get an old-fashioned fun on the farm experience.

Location: 218 West 1000 North- Farmington, UT 84025 Phone: 801-879-1933

Website: <https://www.funonthefarmutah.com/>

The Living Planet Aquarium Youth Camps

We look forward to seeing you this summer for another fun camp season! Camps will run from June to August, serving campers aged 4 to 17 years old. Wheelchairs available to rent

Website: <https://thelivingplanet.com/education/youth-camps/>

Location: Draper

Higher Ground Learning: Higher Ground Learning has partnered with the University of Utah's Youth Education program since 2004. Each summer we offer over 30 workshops designed to get kids off of the couch and excited about learning. Classes such as Freakonomics, Build Your Own Longboard, Fashion Design and Dissection Inspection provide an opportunity for kids of all interests to learn in a fun and safe environment. Whether you have an artist or a scientist, our workshops are designed to create love for a lifetime of learning.

Website: <https://www.highergroundlearning.com/summer>

Phone: (801) 524-0817

Email: info@highergroundlearning.com

Location: Salt Lake City

Ages: 8-18

Kids Camps.com- http://www.kidscamps.com/summer_camps/utah-summer-camps.html

Different categories to search from. Click on the advanced search to be more specific.

The Leonardo: The Leonardo programs are an excellent match for children with curious minds, who love hands-on experiments and fun experiences! Your child will encounter academically and socially interesting topics that engage in multi-disciplinary themes. Our programs provide a cohesive experience that stretches the imagination, challenging your child to see the world around them in a different way. We want to encourage campers to use critical thinking skills to answer any questions they may ask!

Website: <https://theleonardo.org/programs/>

Phone: (801) 531-9800 Ages: 6-13

Little Gym: Combining physical activity, gymnastics, games, and arts & crafts, we'll help your child beat the summer heat or winter blues with seasonal camps at The Little Gym! Check out your location for more information.

Website: <https://www.thelittlegym.com/Parties-Camps#camps-anchor>

Phone: (801) 581-9866 Location: Cottonwood Heights, Draper, Park City, SLC

Ages: 3-12 Cost: Varies by location

Mathnasium: Our goal is to significantly increase your child's math skills, understanding of math concepts, and overall school performance, while building confidence and forging a positive attitude.

Website: www.mathnasium.com

Location: Over 10 locations to choose from

Phone: (877) 601-6284

Ages: 2nd grade-12th grade

location and local: <https://www.mathnasium.com/maps/maps/search/?q=Utah>

Red Butte Garden: Hey kids! Spend a week at Red Butte Garden in our fun and educational day camps. Discover science, nature, art, and more—all while making new friends, and exploring the great outdoors! Morning and full-day week-long camps offer flexible scheduling options. Spend a week or more with us this summer in the Garden!

NOTE: We are happy to accommodate all children in our Summer Camp program. Please let us know if your child has physical, emotional, educational, or medical special needs so we can plan accordingly. If your camper has any severe allergies or chronic illnesses (including food or other allergies) please let us know and advise us on what we can do to help your camper have a safe and fun time at camp. To discuss specific details about your camper, please call.

Website: <https://redbuttegarden.org/kids-classes/summer-camp/>

Phone: 801-581-8454

Location: Salt Lake

Email: summercamps@redbutte.utah.edu Ages: 1st-4th grades

Cost: Members: \$124-\$252, Public: \$155-\$315 Dates: June 7th-July 30th 2021

Rowland Hall Summer Works: Provides an active and engaging day camp experience for students from a wide variety of schools across the Salt Lake area. Every summer, campers make friends, learn new skills, create memories, and have a blast!

Website: <http://www.rowlandhallsummer.org/>

Phone: 801-924-2971 Email: summerworksadmin@rowlandhall.org

Age: 4-those entering 9th grade Location: Salt Lake City

Cost: <http://www.rowlandhallsummer.org/tuition.html>

Scales & Tails Utah: We offer entertaining, educational, and interactive reptile and bird shows to cities all over Utah. We will travel to your location and perform our show for your child's birthday, scout group, classroom, school assembly, or any kind of event that you would have us come to. This will be the second year we are offering a summer camp for kids to be held in our animal shop!

Website: <https://www.scalesandtailsutah.com/>

Phone: (801) 577-7182

My Summer Camps- Find a camp geared to a particular interest or location

<http://www.mysummercamps.com/camps/utah-summer-camps.html>

Summer Fit: Fit promotes a Whole Child approach to learning and helps build healthy habits during the summer for a successful school year. The Summer Fit Activity Book series reviews and previews basic skills in reading, writing, math, and language arts, along with weekly core values and a daily fitness routine to keep children busy, active, and learning. Includes free summer supplemental activities, free summer fitness videos, downloadable kindergarten readiness kits and more.

Website: <https://www.summerfitlearning.com/>

E-mail: kelly@summerfitlearning.com

Phone: (480) 665-1042

Utah Museum of Natural History Camps: At NHMU, we are committed to cultivating lifelong skills in STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) investigations that promote independence, nurture teamwork, and inspire resiliency and innovation while providing time to explore the natural world. This summer, we're offering two experiences; at home and at the Museum! NHMU summer camp experiences at the Museum and at home deliver fantastic science- and nature-based experiences to your kids. Our Summer@NHMU programs take full advantage of the Museum's exhibits and collections as well as the incredible natural environments around our site. Our Summer@Home lineup provides the supplies, the excitement, and the expert facilitation you expect of our programming, all in the comfort of your own home. No matter which camp program you choose, your child will:

explore the natural world from new perspectives,

put the scientific method into action,

engage in authentic experiences with Museum staff and collections,

make new friends and have fun!

Website: <https://nhmu.utah.edu/summer-camp>

Phone: (801) 585-3948 Age: Kinder-5th grade

Email: programs@nhmu.utah.edu Cost: \$100-\$310

Utah Olympic Oval: Family Fitness and recreation. Children participate in FUNdamental classes where they learn the fundamentals of sport such as throwing, balance, and more.

Website: <https://utaholympiclegacy.org/utah-olympic-park-summer-sport-programs/>

E-Mail: mterwillegar@uolf.org Phone: (801) 968-6825

Ages: 7-10

Wasatch Community Gardens: We invite you to explore the garden and the natural world and eat health, tasty snacks with us through our Summer Camp in a Box program! All of the elements that campers love about being in the garden - experiments, crafts, games, and healthy snacks - will again be available in a take-home format so campers can participate remotely. Sign up for a box full of activities and recreate the wonder of garden-based learning at home - no garden or internet required!

Website: <https://wasatchgardens.org/youth/summer-camp-box>

Phone: (801) 359-2658 Ages: Kinder-8th grade

Cost: \$35/week-\$85/week

Wasatch Kids Camp: Wasatch Kids Camps is thrilled to offer both day camps and overnight travel camps for children ages 6-13! Registration is done on a week-by-week basis, allowing parents and children to decide between several camp options throughout the summer.

Whether you fancy regular day camps, or travel camps, we have something for you!

Website: <https://www.wasatchkidscamps.com/calendars>

Phone: (801) 263-2267

Email: office@wasatchkidscamps.com

Age: 6-16

Wheeler Historic Farm: Boys and girls, ages 6-10 years old enjoy turn of the century farm life and outdoor adventure. Activities include: milking cows, farm chores, horseback riding, feeding animals, gardening, historic house tours, hiking, art, wagon rides, and more-- Half and full day.

Website: <https://slco.org/wheeler-farm/camps--classes/summer-camp/>

E-Mail: wheeler1@slco.org

Ages: 6-10

Phone: (385) 468-1755

Cost: \$100-\$125

Youth Garden Project Moab: We're gearing up for the 2022 season of camps! Get all the details about Spring Break Camp and Summer Camps below.

Spring Break Camp registration opens on March 15

Summer Camp Registration opens on March 22.

Website: <https://www.youthgardenproject.org/youthcamps/>

Location: 530 South 400 East St Moab Ut, 84532

Phone: 435-259-2326

Email: info@youthgardenproject.org

Free or Low Cost Activity Ideas

Contact programs for current coronavirus updates and precautions.

Clever Octopus: Our nonprofit, located in Salt Lake City, helps you find discount art supplies through the resale of thrifted arts & crafts materials that would otherwise end up in a landfill. We also offer affordable community classes on a variety of art and science topics. Create art, waste less, and save money with us. We host youth workshops throughout the Salt Lake Valley, including on-site programs, take-home art activities, summer camps and more.

Address: 2250 S West Temple, SLC, UT, 84115

Website: <https://www.cleveroctopus.org/>

Find a Museum: Find a local Utah Museum (some are free, we recommend calling for pricing/hours.)

Website: <http://www.utah.com/museums/>

Golden Spike National Monument: The site where the last spike was driven is located within a hundred yards of the Visitor Center and is commemorated by a polished wooden tie with a plaque resting inches from where the 1869 ceremony was held.

Website: <https://www.nps.gov/gosp/index.htm>

Gilgal Sculpture Gardens: Gilgal Sculpture Garden was envisioned, designed, and created by Thomas Battersby Child, Jr. in the mid-twentieth century. Tucked in the middle of the block behind houses and businesses, many are still unaware of its existence and enjoy a true sense of discovery when they visit the garden for the first time. Gilgal Sculpture Garden contains 12 original sculptures and over 70 stones engraved with scriptures, poems, and literary texts. As a whole, Gilgal Sculpture Garden is significant as the only identified “visionary art environment” in Utah.

Address: 749 East 500 South, SLC, UT 84102

Website: <http://gilgalgarden.org/about-gilgal-sculpture-garden/>

Utah Motorsports Campus: Go Karts, Race Track UMC Family Fun Center

Address: 512 Sheep LN, Erda, UT, 84074

Phone: (435) 277- 8000

Website: <https://www.utahmotorsportscampus.com/>

Letterboxing: It's like getting a treasure map and looking for a hidden treasure. There are letterboxes all over the United States. The website has all the instructions of how to get started and on your way. There are a wide variety of adventures to suit all ages. This is a good alternative for geo caching!

Website: <http://www.letterboxing.org/GettingStarted.php>

Now Playing Utah: A website that offers information on upcoming activities including free events.

Website: <http://www.nowplayingutah.com/#>



Hill Aerospace Museum: 30 acres of military aircraft to look at and walk through. It is located at the northwest corner of Hill Air Force Base. Most of the museum is wheelchair accessible.

Address: 7961 Cottonwood Street, Building 1955, Hill Air Force Base, UT, 84056

Website: <https://www.aerospaceutah.org/>

Phone: (801) 825-5817

Gale Center Museum: Offers a unique look at the history of South Jordan and Americana. With its interactive displays and hands on approach to learning, it is a great place to visit with young children.

Website: <http://www.sjc.utah.gov/gale-center-museum/>

Granite Unplugged: Play Unplugged is all about encouraging kids to put down their electronics and get out and play. This is done by creating a symbiotic relationship between kids, parents, and local businesses. This relationship creates an incentive for all to participate as one motivates the other. Kids earn a Brag Badge for every activity they complete. The badges are specifically designed to be fun, colorful, and highly collectable. Some examples of Brag Badge activities include: fishing, hunting for bugs, hiking and more!

Website: <https://www.weplayunplugged.com>

Email: info@weplayunplugged.com

Phone: (435) 625-1289

Wheeler Farm: Free historic working farm. There are small fees for hayrides and milking cows.

Website: <http://slco.org/wheeler-farm/>

Start your own 4H club! Kids K-12 can join an open club or create one with 5 kids (from 3 families) at your school or in your neighborhood – 4H provides training and curriculum to parent volunteers who lead the group – dues are \$1 (covers insurance). Not just horses and livestock, 4H offers opportunities in everything from robotics to mock legislature to cooking to dog training! Summer Camps are open to all kids.

Website: <http://saltlakecounty4-h.org>.

Tooele Historical Sites: Tooele County is home to many free/low-cost sites.

Website: <https://tooeleco.org/recreation-and-tourism/tooele-county-guide-to-historical-attractions/>

Adaptive/ All Ability Playgrounds

All Together Playground

Website: <https://orem.org/atp/>

Address: 200-298 100 N, Orem, UT 84057

Phone: (801) 229-7099

Adventure Heights All-Abilities Park

Website: https://www.spanishfork.org/departments/parkrec/parks/adv_heights.php

Address: 1321 E Canyon Rd, Spanish Fork, UT 84660

Chloe's Sunshine Playground at Centennial Park

Website: <https://www.syracuseut.gov/Facilities/Facility/Details/Centennial-Park-5>

Address: 1800 S 2000 W, Syracuse, UT 84075

North Park Unlimited Play

Address: 500 N 500 W, Provo, UT 84601

Phone: 801-852-6606

Thunder Junction All Abilities Park: Employs over 30 workers with disabilities to work at the train attraction and concessions located at the park.

Website: <https://www.sgcity.org/cityparks/thunderjunction>

Address: 1851 South Dixie Drive, St. George UT 84770

Veteran's Memorial Park: 1985 W 7800 S, West Jordan, UT 84088

Pavilions are available to reserve at both Veterans Memorial Park and Constitution Park.

Reservations for pavilions must be made online at: <https://www.westjordan.utah.gov/make-a-reservation>

West Valley City- Peachwood Park Inclusive Playground: Peachwood Park is open!! This includes the new inclusive playground, which is amazing. What is an inclusive playground? An inclusive play space is where children of all abilities can play with a rich rang of physical, sensory, and social experiences.

Address: 3510 W 3965 S, West Valley City, UT 84119

Website: <https://www.facebook.com/WVCParksAndRec/posts/peachwood-park-is-open-this-includes-the-new-inclusive-playground-which-is-amazi/773395726793889/>

Virtual and Online Only Opportunities

Music Together Online – Hello Music MT - Online Classes are open now

<https://www.hellomusicmt.com/mtonline.html>

Red Butte Garden Virtual Resources

<https://redbuttegarden.org/plan-your-garden-visit/online-classes-virtual-resources/>

Mindful Classes for Kids

<https://www.mindfulschools.org/free-online-mindfulness-class-for-kids/>

National Park Virtual Tours

<https://www.nationalparks.org/connect/blog/take-virtual-visit-national-park>

Louvre Museum Tour

<https://www.louvre.fr/en/visites-en-ligne>

Animal Live Cams – Bears, Birds, Dogs, Cats, Africa, and more!

<https://explore.org/livecams/african-wildlife/olifants-river>

Arts and Culture Harry Potter History of Magic Exhibit

Google Arts and Culture App

For Apple devices: <https://apps.apple.com/app/arts-culture/id1050970557>

For Android devices: [https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.google.android.apps.cultural&hl=en_US)

[id=com.google.android.apps.cultural&hl=en_US](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.google.android.apps.cultural&hl=en_US)

Virtual Tour of the National Museum of the United States Airforce and a virtual cockpit experience

<https://www.nationalparks.org/connect/blog/take-virtual-visit-national-park>

FREE Educational Resources and Tips for Parents by Danika Taylor

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kTO20KQgSzNuo0JvaeJjeQpuQYLy2mqZhJB23L2rQ_U/edit?fbclid=IwAR3EI-JFHm7yzltQovy5t7df5mdx7NCVRCSmCPUXPCI2_W1NFp8QB_oMpAQ

Learn to Code for Free - Coding Programs for Kids

<https://mommypoppins.com/coding-kids-free-websites-teach-learn-programming>

Ocean Voyager Live Web Cams - Georgia Aquarium

<https://www.georgiaaquarium.org/webcam/ocean-voyager/>

Story Time From Space - Real astronauts read stories from space!

<https://storytimefromspace.com/ada-lace-part-1/>

Story Pirates Podcast

<https://cms.megaphone.fm/channel/storypirates?selected=GLT2527227675>

Hogle Zoo Virtual

<https://www.hoglezoo.org/virtual-experiences/>

Virtual Tech Camp

<https://www.idtech.com/virtual?>

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Outschool: Offering many online programs at low costs. Truly something offered for every interest and age group! Social Skills and Executive Function Classes are available as well!

Ages: 3-18

Website: <https://outschool.com/summer#abl01njg7b>

Additional Resources

Care About Childcare: Offers summer childcare guides for counties throughout the state. The website also helps match parents with childcare providers and has a link to locate free summer lunches and meals for kids under “Summer Activity Guides”

Website: <https://jobs.utah.gov/occ/cac.html>

211 -Utah: Comprehensive resource lists by region/zip code. Resources include food, clothing, disability, etc.

Website: <https://211utah.org/>

Community Education Centers: Many local school districts and colleges offer Community Education programs for all ages! Check your local area for a Community Education Center near you! Easy to find information--just do an online search for "Community Education Centers near me."

Easter Seals GoodWill: Assists families in the Provo, Utah school district who have infants or toddlers ages birth to 3 years old with developmental delays and/or disabilities with a no-cost screening evaluation.

Website: <https://www.esgw.org/provo-early-intervention/>

Phone: (801) 852-4525

Location: 3550 N University Ave Suite 100-125, Provo UT 84604

Eaton Alliance: Provides around the clock living solutions to people with Autism and other developmental disabilities in all aspects of life in a variety of programs. Programs include: residential, day programs, supported living, host homes, and professional parenting. DSPD Funding and private pay accepted.

Website: www.eatonalliance.com

Phone: (801) 766-8541

Location: 679 N 1500 W, Orem UT

Family Support Centers of Utah: Centers are located across the state and offer crisis nursery care, scheduled respite, parenting classes, and supervised custody visits.

<https://utahfamilies.org/>

Free meals for children through the Utah Food Bank: The Utah Food Bank runs a program called “Kids Café” that feeds children throughout the state at various locations.

Website: <https://www.utahfoodbank.org/programs/kids-cafe/>

Family to Family Network (FtoFN): The Family to Family Network (FtoFN) is a statewide family support network run by volunteers. It is designed to educate, strengthen, and support families of persons with disabilities, especially those who are on the waiting list or are in services with the Division of Services for People with Disabilities (DSPD). Network leaders are parents of individuals with special needs and link families to local resources, services, and disability-friendly events. Please see their Facebook page for information on events in your area, or contact the Utah Parent Center at 801-272-1051 to be added to their mailing list. The FtoFN is a project of the Utah Parent Center.

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/utahfamilytofamilynetwork/>

Website: <https://utahparentcenter.org/projects/family-to-family/>

NorthEastern Services: Supports opportunities for people to achieve independence, enhance self-esteem, and sustain a full quality of life. Programs include residential, day services, behavior supports, afterschool and summer programs, finance support, and supported living.

Website: www.nesutah.com

Phone: (801) 701-0872 for girls program in Lehi, (801) 426-4961 for boys program in Orem

RISE Services, Inc.: After school and summer programs that give children the opportunity to enjoy recreational activities that include skill development and behavior support in a safe setting. DSPD services accepted, along with private pay.

Location: Various locations throughout Utah.

Website: <https://riseservicesincut.org/after-school-summer-programs/>

TURN Community Services, Inc.

Offers various activities through their summer day camps. They also offer Saturday Day Camp and activities throughout the year for all ages. TURN accepts private pay and DSPD clients.

Ages: 6-22 (Specifically summer camp)

Website: <https://www.turncommunityservices.org/>

Location: Located throughout Utah; programs may vary by location

Phone: (801) 359-8876

USDA Free Meals For Kids Through Summer Food Service Program: Free meals at various locations for kids. Find a summer site in your community with our [Summer Meal Site](#) Finder mapping tool. You can also text “Summer Meals” to 97779 or call 1-866-348-6479 to find a site near you.

Website: <https://www.fns.usda.gov/sfsp/summer-food-service-program>

Utah Caregiver Alliance: Provides a free online registry, in partnership with HireMyCare.org, where individuals and families can find support for their family member.

Website: www.caregiveralliance.com