

Ankeny Virtual Backpack

Community Education Courses

Name of Event: Do The Math 247

Grade Level: Elementary (K-5)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/6/2025

Start Time: 4:30:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/1/2025

Details: Do The Math 24/7 is a character-building school program with a positive message on respect, unity, and equality. Do The Math 24/7 Character-Building Program will cover such subjects as self-respect, leadership, teamwork, anti-bullying, and peer-pressure. Students will understand the importance of having good character, as a foundation to build on.

Location: Heritage Elementary

Cost: \$100

Organization Name: Do The Math 247

Contact Name: Kenny Lilly

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Event URL:

https://ankeney.revtrak.net/tek9.asp?pg=ws_redirect&Extra_params=newurl~eventDetail.html%3Fid%3D1485007

Name of Event: Skateboarding

Grade Level: Elementary (K-5)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/24/2025

Start Time: 4:15:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/18/2025

Audience: Grades 3 -8

Details: Students will receive an introduction to skateboarding. Skate DSM provides skateboards and helmets for all kids to use and keep! Advanced skaters will receive instructions on how to perform skateboarding tricks.

Location: Northwest Elementary

Cost: \$94

Organization Name: Skate DSM

Contact Name: Kristopher Koehler

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Event URL:

https://ankeney.revtrak.net/tek9.asp?pg=ws_redirect&Extra_params=newurl~eventDetail.html%3Fid%3D1465609

Name of Event: Extreme STEM: 'Copters & Spy Planes

Grade Level: Elementary (K-5)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/25/2025

Start Time: 4:00:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/21/2025

Audience: Grades K - 3

Details: Build a helicopter, egg beater, paddle boat, and spy plane using LEGO® bricks. Then use those projects to investigate basic engineering concepts.

Location: East Elementary

Cost: \$110

Organization Name: Youth Enrichment League

Contact Name: Logan Grote

Contact Email: logan@yelkids.com

Event URL:

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Name of Event: What Lies Between Us

Grade Level: Secondary (6-12)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/26/2025

Start Time: 7:00:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/21/2025

Audience: Ages 14 and up

Details: This Foundations course aims to equip learners with evidence-based knowledge to process racialized structures and recognize systems of inequality so that they are positioned to promote change. This trustworthy, eye opening education is designed to also build trust among participants.

Location: Northview Middle School: Ankeny Stadium Clubhouse

Cost: \$131.25

Organization Name: Ankeny Community Education

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Event URL:

https://ankeny.revtrak.net/tek9.asp?pg=ws_redirect&Extra_params=newurl~eventDetail.html%3Fid%3D1473158

Name of Event: Tae Kwon Do

Grade Level: K-12

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/27/2025

Start Time: 6:15:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/1/2025

Details: What are the benefits of Tae Kwon Do for you and your family? Quite simply – tons! Physical fitness, weight control, increased concentration span, self-esteem, stress relief, and personal protection skills. Along with these, you will learn the art of traditional Tae Kwon Do. Ages six and older. Family fun. This class will be held on Mondays and Thursdays unless communicated by instructor.

Location: Crocker Elementary

Cost: \$30

Organization Name: Martial Arts America

Contact Name: Nick Hass

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Event URL:

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Name of Event: {YEL!} Robotics: Rescue 'Bots

Grade Level: Elementary (K-5)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/27/2025

Start Time: 4:00:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/24/2025

Audience: Grades 1 - 5

Details: There is a panda bear trapped in a ravine. Build a robot helicopter to rescue it and then learn skills to create a floodgate, earthquake machine, or a helpful robot to better society.

Location: There is a panda bear trapped in a ravine. Build a robot helicopter to rescue it and then learn skills to create a floodgate, earthquake machine, or a helpful robot to better society. Learn coding and building to make a difference.

Enroll now!

Cost: \$120

Organization Name: Youth Enrichment League

Contact Name: Logan Grote

Contact Email: logan@yelkids.com

Event URL:

https://ankeny.revtrak.net/tek9.asp?pg=ws_redirect&Extra_params=newurl~eventDetail.html%3Fid%3D1485011

Name of Event: Young Emerging Scientists

Grade Level: Elementary (K-5)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/27/2025

Start Time: 4:00:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/24/2025

Details: Jewels Academy is excited to host the Young Emerging Scientist Program, a dynamic six-week STEM experience designed for young learners eager to explore and innovate. This program offers hands-on opportunities to delve into fields such as artificial intelligence, environmental science, mechanical engineering, and more. Join us to ignite curiosity, build skills, and inspire the next generation of STEM leaders!

Location: Northwest Elementary

Cost: \$225

Organization Name: Jewels Academy

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Event URL:

https://ankeny.revtrak.net/tek9.asp?pg=ws_redirect&Extra_params=newurl~eventDetail.html%3Fid%3D1483906

Name of Event: {YEL!} Grandmasters of Chess

Grade Level: Elementary (K-5)

Event Type: Community Education Courses

Event Date: 3/28/2025

Start Time: 4:00:00 PM

Registration Deadline: 3/24/2025

Audience: Grades K - 5

Details: New and returning students invited. Learn, Practice and Play chess each class. The {YEL!} Teach It! Practice It! Play It!® method keeps students on track with new chess lessons and puzzles each week as well as guided games and in-class tournaments.

Location: East Elementary

Cost: \$122.50

Organization Name: Youth Enrichment League

Contact Name: Logan Grote

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Event URL:

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