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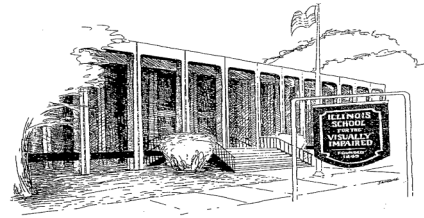
Illinois Department of Human Services
Grace Hou, Secretary



I.S.V.I.
Summer Camp
175 Years of
Change!
June 25-29 2023

*Illinois School for the
Visually Impaired
658 East State Street
Jacksonville, IL 62650*

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The vision of the Illinois School for the Visually Impaired is to provide a quality comprehensive education and serve as a statewide resource to students in Illinois with visual impairments assisting them in becoming personally productive and self-sufficient citizens.

The **Illinois School for the Visually Impaired (ISVI)**, established in 1849, is a residential/day school for students who are blind or visually impaired. ISVI provides accredited educational and related services for children from birth to twenty-two years of age.

All educational and social programs are designed to prepare students for successful living as independent, self-supporting citizens.

Programs, activities and employment opportunities in the Illinois Department of Human Services are open and accessible to any individual or group without regard to age, sex, race, sexual orientation, disability, ethnic origin, or religion. The department is an equal opportunity employer and practices affirmative action and reasonable accommodation programs.



To Request ISVI Camp Registration Forms, complete both sides of this form.
NOTICE! April 30-**LAST DATE Application Packets** will be sent out.
May 20-*LAST DATE* camp applications will be accepted by ISVI.

Put an "X" in the box to indicate the camp you wish to attend:

- Junior STEAM ages (9-12)** **STEAM (ages 12-16)** **Transition (ages 16-19)**

Mail to: Summer Camp-2023 Illinois School for the Visually Impaired, 658 East State Street,
Jacksonville, IL 62650

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____ - ____ - ____ M or F

Parent Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ Illinois Zip: _____

Purpose

The Illinois School for the Visually Impaired (ISVI) camps will bring together students who are blind and visually impaired from schools throughout Illinois for an exciting learning adventure. Each camp will present an overview of current trends in an area of concentration.

Cost

There will be a fee of \$15. No student shall be denied an opportunity to attend camp solely for an inability to pay. Scholarships are available by calling Heather Staats at 479-4447.

Where & When

Three camps will be held June 25-29, 2023. All camps will be held on the ISVI campus in Jacksonville, Illinois, west of Springfield on Interstate 72.

Who May Attend

Students who are visually impaired, ages 9–19, are eligible to attend the camp if they reside in Illinois, do not currently attend ISVI, are not high school graduates, and have appropriate independent living skills.

Transportation

Families are responsible for providing transportation to ISVI and we will provide transportation home to a designated drop off location near you.

Tours

Tours will be available before or after Registration on June 25th by appointment only. Please call 217-479-4404 if you would like to tour the campus.

Note: A physical is required and must be dated within 12 months of application.

Come be a part of our 175 Years of Change Camp! Explore ways to bring S.T.E.A.M. & Transition activities to life. Students will engage in exciting learning activities throughout the day and enjoy evening recreational activities, such as swimming, field trips and outdoor recreation.

Junior S.T.E.A.M. Camp

Ages 9-12
(Space is limited)

Engage in team building activities that apply S.T.E.A.M. skills. Discover and experience these concepts through games, fun activities, art and music!

S.T.E.A.M. Camp

Ages 12-16
(Space is limited)

Students will problem solve strategies using math, science, art and music skills, integrating technology and engineering.

Transition to Independence

Ages 16-19
(Space is limited)

Plan your future by learning independent living skills that promote successful transition to adulthood through nutrition, fitness, technology, employment skills, and recreation.

If you would like more information about ISVI, please visit our website at:
dhs.state.il.us/page.aspx?item=87427



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Day Phone: (_____) - _____ - _____ Evening Phone: (_____) - _____ - _____
E-Mail Address: _____ Grade in School This Year: _____
Vision Teacher: _____ School Name: _____
Have you attended an ISVI Camp in the past? **No** **Yes** (Year(s)) _____