**2022 Summer Camps**

**(Located in or near school divisions in Regions 6 & 7)**

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| **Radford University Speech-Language-Hearing Clinic Summer Programs** |
| **Address:**  Radford University, Radford VA **Email:**  speech@radford.edu  **Phone:**  (540) 831-5824 **Families Served:** Toddlers and preschoolers with a variety of communication needs and Kindergarten through 8th grade students who are having difficulty meeting age or grade level expectations in reading, writing, spelling, speaking and/or listening comprehension. |

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| **STEMABILITY****Exploring Science and Engineering** |
| **Address:**  Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA **Website:**  [www.stemability.org](http://www.stemability.org)  **Email:**  stemability@vt.edu  **Families Served:** Rising high school junior and senior students with disabilities who -expect to attend a 2 or 4 year college, -are seeking a Virginia Advanced Studies or Standard Diploma, -have a letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor, -are able to function independently in residential and dining activities, -want to explore science, engineering and technology related fields.**Program Description:**  A college transition program for rising high school juniors and seniors with disabilities and their parents. While on VT campus students will participate in engineering, technology and science learning activities designed to enhance success in the college and work environment. Participants will explore career majors, engage in hands on learning activities, try out assistive and learning technologies and use self-advocacy skills to plan for accommodations. |

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| [**Camp Easter Seals UCP Virginia**](http://www.easterseals.com/NCVA/our-programs/camping-recreation/camp-schedule.html) |
| **Address:**  Physical Location 900 Camp Easter Seals Rd. New Castle, Virginia 24127  Mailing Address 201 East Main St. Salem, VA 24153 **Website:**  <http://www.easterseals.com/NCVA/our-programs/camping-recreation/camp-schedule.html> **Telephone:** (540) 777-7325 or (800) 662-7119  **Email:**  camp@eastersealsucp.com **Type of Service:**  Summer camp, weekend respite **Location Served:** Western Virginia (primarily) and other regions of Virginia **Families Served:**  Families of children and adults with cognitive and/or physical disabilities **Ages Served:**  7 yr. -Adults **Fee Schedule:**  Varies depending upon the program; financial assistance available **Program Description:** Summer Programs: With options of 6-12 days. -Children Camps ages 7-18 -Adult Sessions: 19 and up -Specialty Camps -Family Camps |

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| [**MDA Summer Camp**](https://www.mda.org/services/mda-summer-camp) |
| **Address:**  Roanoke Muscular Dystrophy Association Professional Park 4502 Starkey Road #107 Roanoke, VA 24018 **Website:**  <https://www.mda.org/summer-camp>  **Telephone:**  540/772-3237**Fax:** 540/989-4932 **Type of Service:** Summer camp (one week) Wirtz, VA, Wakefield, VA and King, NC **Location Served:** Southwestern & Central Virginia **Families Served:**  Families of children and youth with muscular dystrophy and related neuromuscular disorders **Ages Served:**  6-17 years **Fee Schedule:**  Free to families registered in MDA's program Program Description: MDA camp offers a wide range of activities specially designed for young people who have limited mobility or use wheelchairs. Although structured, camp programs are conducted in a relaxed atmosphere that gives campers an unmatched opportunity to develop lifelong friendships, share interests and build self-confidence. |

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| **Super Summer Camp (Sponsored by the Dept. for the Blind and Vision Impaired)** |
| **Telephone:**  (804) 625-3972 **Email:** Caren.Phipps@dbvi.virginia.gov **Contact Person:**  Caren Phipps **Website:**  <https://supersummer.campbrainregistration.com/>**Type of Service:**  Residential, outdoor adventure and recreation, summer camp **Location Served:**  Virginia **Families Served:**  Families of an individual who is a client for the Dept. for the Blind and Vision Impaired **Ages Served:** Ages 8 through 10th grade, plus counselor in training program for student who are at least 17 and have attended the camp previously **Program Description:** The Virginia Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired (DBVI) is hosting a free residential camp, Super Summer Camp (SSC), at Camp Easter Seals located in New Castle, VA near Roanoke. The purpose of SSC is to offer children who are blind, vision impaired, or deafblind an opportunity to have a summer camp experience, make new friends, practice independence, and develop self-confidence. Camp activities include sports, swimming, canoeing, fishing, hiking, archery, rock wall climbing, horseback riding, and arts and crafts. The camp staff includes Teachers of the Visually Impaired, O&M Instructors, Teacher for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Camp Easter Seals staff, and a Nurse.  |

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| [**River's Way Outdoor Adventure Center**](http://www.riversway.org/) |
| **Address:**  10 6th Street Bristol, TN 37620 **Website:**  [www.riversway.org](http://www.riversway.org)  **Telephone:**  (423)-789-2011 **Contact Person:** Tom Hanlon**Email:** tom@riversway.org **Type of Service:**  Outdoor adventure and recreation, summer camp **Location Served:**  Southwestern Virginia; Upper East Tennessee **Families Served:**  Families of youth with and without disabilities **Ages Served:** 16 years and up **Fee Schedule:**  Financial aid available **Program Description:** During the summer months, Rivers Way provides team building and adventure programming for a wide variety of organizations, the majority of who serve youth from disadvantaged families and/or youth with disabilities. River’s Way also runs a weeklong inclusive camp for youth and young adults with disabilities. |

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| [**Blue Ridge Autism and Achievement Center Summer Programs**](http://braacroanoke.org/our-programs) |
| **Address:**  **BRAAC-Roanoke** (located in Roanoke off of Peter’s Creek Road)  312 Whitwell Drive Roanoke, VA 24019 Contact: braac.roanoke@gmail.com **Website:**  <http://braacroanoke.org/our-programs/summer-programs>  **Telephone:**  540-366-7399, 540-777-1218  Fax: 540-366-5523 **Type of Service:** BRAAC hosts a summer program for children with autism, learning disabilities and children without unique learning challenges (We call these children our peer models!). Special emphasis is placed on social play and development, communication skills and social skill development, while targeting certain learning goals.  **Location Served:** Roanoke Area **Ages Served:**  School age **Fee Schedule:**  Visit website for more information and details on each camp. |

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| [**Infinity Acres**](https://www.infinityacres.org/) |
| **Address:**  136 Joppa Rd. Ridgeway, VA **Telephone:**  (276) 358-2378 **Website:**  <https://www.infinityacres.org/animal-adventure-summer-camp.html>  **Type of Service:**  Animal Adventure Summer Day CampsBoys & Girls: Ages 7 - 17 $125 for the week Animal handling activities, games, crafts & lots of FUN!!!   **Ages Served:**  7-17 years **Program Description:** Animal Adventure Day Camp |

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| [**Roanoke County Parks and Rec ACE Summer Camp**](http://www.roanokecountyparks.com/ACE) |
| **Address:**  Roanoke, VA **Telephone:**  (540) 777-6357 **Website:**  <https://www.roanokecountyparks.com/ACE> **Type of Service:** Summer camp designed for children that have severe or profound developmental disabilities. **Ages Served:**  5-21 years **Activities Include:** Arts, crafts, games, music, movement, swimming and field trips  |

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| [**Unbridled Change**](https://unbridledchange.org/) |
| **Address:** P.O. Box 157, Boones Mill, VA 24064**Telephone:** (540) 334-2171 **Website:** [www.UnbridledChange.org](http://www.unbridledchange.org) **Type of Service:** Unbridled Hope is a mental health program for children and teens. Participants learn skills by building a relationship with horses. **Ages served:** 6-16 years |

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| **Other Summer Camps/Programs in Virginia** |
| 1. [Camp Baker](https://www.soar365.org/summer-camp), (<https://www.soar365.org/summer-camp>) Chesterfield, VA supports children from age six through adulthood with intellectual disabilities and similar developmental disabilities.
2. [Camp Holiday Trails,](http://www.campholidaytrails.org/) (<http://www.campholidaytrails.org/> ) Charlottesville, VA believes that all children with special health needs should be given an opportunity to enjoy a summer camp experience.
3. [Camp Bruce McCoy](http://www.biav.net/camp-bruce-mccoy.htm), (<http://www.biav.net/camp-bruce-mccoy.htm> ) Chesapeake, VA for young adults with brain injury, Ages 18 and up.
4. Camp Horizon, (<https://www.theupcenter.org/how-we-help/disabilities/summer-camp-therapeutic-recreation> ) Norfolk, VA for children with developmental disabilities.
5. Apple Ridge Farms, (<http://appleridge.org/blog/childrens-programs/summer-camp/> ) Copper Hill, VA for Roanoke inner city youth ages 6-16.
6. Carilion- Camp Catch UR Breath, (<https://www.carilionclinic.org/camp-catch-ur-breath>) Roanoke, VA for children ages 6-12 with asthma.
7. Camp Loud and Clear, (<https://www.holidaylake4h.com/camp-loud-clear.html> ) Appomattox, VA for children and youth that are deaf and hard of hearing ages 8-13.
8. Carilion Camp Too Sweet, (<https://www.carilionclinic.org/camp-too-sweet> ) Fincastle, VA (Camp Bethel) for children and youth (ages 8-16) who have Type 1 or Type 2 diabetes.
9. Camp Rainbow Connection, (<http://www.vaumc.org/camprainbow> ) Glen Allen VA for individuals with intellectual disabilities ages 16 and up. 1-800-768-6040 ext. 153
10. Good Beginnings, Falls Church, VA. Sensory Integration group classes, ages 3-8. (703) 536-1817.
11. Kellar Camp and Challenge Camp, Fairfax, VA. ADD and ADHD, ages 6-16. (703) 218-8523.
12. Virginia Institute of Autism-Pathways Program, social skills summer program, ages 8-16. keagle@viaschool.org
13. [Brainy Camps Association](https://www.brainycamps.com/), Dyke, VA. Provides residential summer camps, retreats, leadership training and transitional youth programs for children with chronic health conditions.
14. Healing Strides of Virginia, (<http://www.healingstridesofva.org> ) Boones Mill, VA Offers equine assisted activities and therapies, therapeutic riding, hippotherapy, mental health support through equine assisted learning and psychotherapy.
15. Unbridled Change, (<http://www.unbridledchange.org/> ) Boones Mill, VA Offers an equine therapy program that provides services such as: anger management, parenting and reunification model. This program also offers military service support for PTSD, MST Trauma and family therapy.
16. United States Department of Agriculture-Summer Meals for Kids and Teens,

 (<https://www.fns.usda.gov/summerfoodrocks> )1. Signs of Fun Summer Camp,([www.signsoffuncamp.org](http://www.signsoffuncamp.org) ) Fredericksburg, VA
2. Deaf Science Camp, (<http://education.jlab.org/sciencecamp> ) Newport News, VA
3. Brenthen Woods Camp and Retreat Center Junior and Junior High Camp American Sign Language, (email: camp@brethrenwoods.org) Keezletown, VA
4. Camp Connect ASD (Autism Spectrum Disorder) , (<https://www.brainycamps.com/camps/high-functioning-autism.html> ) Dyke, VA
5. Camp LIGHT, <http://www.camplight.org/> Waynesboro, VA
6. [Oakland School](https://www.veryspecialcamps.com/summer-camps/Oakland-School-and-Camp-2122.html), Troy, VA <https://www.veryspecialcamps.com/summer-camps/Oakland-School-and-Camp-2122.html> For students ages 7-13 (9-13 for boarding), with or without learning difficulties, enjoy small class sizes and 1:1 instruction along with recreational activities like horseback riding, swimming, archery, arts, and more.
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