



# The Henry Ford Summer Camps 2020

## Got a curiosity-driven, daydreaming, question-asking kid?

Fast-paced artifact hunts, orienteering, exclusive experiences, hands-on experiments and mind-expanding explorations transport your dreamer, doer, mover or maker through the stories of American innovation for an unforgettable week.

All camps are based in the Henry Ford Academy classrooms in Greenfield Village, where campers will enjoy upgraded amenities, including air conditioning, while still being immersed in the museum and village atmosphere. To ensure high-quality experiences, staff-to-camper ratio will not exceed 1:8.

Each camp runs 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily with extended care available before and after camp. The Henry Ford Summer Camps are packed with unique activities, including special tours, rides and plenty of fun. An afternoon snack is included. Each camper will receive two camp T-shirts on Monday. The T-shirts should be worn the remainder of the week.

### 2020 SUMMER CAMP SCHEDULE

<b>Week A</b>	<b>June 22-26</b>
<b>Week B</b>	<b>July 6-10</b>
<b>Week C</b>	<b>July 13-17</b>
<b>Week D</b>	<b>July 20-24</b>
<b>Week E</b>	<b>July 27-31</b>
<b>Week F</b>	<b>August 3-7</b>

### Mavericks

**Level 2 - Entering 2nd Grade**

**Members: \$272 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$320**

Mavericks barter, play and craft their way through the ages, absorbing the spirit of innovation by living it. Competing in a spelling bee in Noah Webster's house, discovering how Harvey Firestone's sheep got so wrinkly and bartering their way to a goody are just some of the fun and fulfilling activities.

### Movers

**Level 3 - Entering 3rd Grade**

**Members: \$272 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$320**

Movers learn the freedom created by transportation innovations from our unparalleled collection of cars, bicycles — right up to airplanes. Campers travel through some of the most powerful American experiences, including those of Native Americans and enslaved African Americans. They make moccasins and whirligigs, hunt down artifacts throughout the museum and pump a real railroad handcar down the tracks. Movers keep moving all week long.

### Growers

**Level 4 - Entering 4th grade**

**Members: \$272 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$320**

Growers get their hands dirty in the history and innovations of American foodways. A delicious and nourishing week complete with growing the "Three Sisters," meeting helpful bugs and getting up close and personal with draft horses.

### Makers

**Level 5 - Entering 5th grade**

**Members: \$272 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$320**

Makers get a feel for what it really means to be an inventor in the labs and workshops of America's greatest innovators. The week is filled with learning about the powerful aha moment that is sometimes a wonderful accident, studying and making simple machines (catapulting to knowledge), creating stop-motion films on cellphones and building solar cars. Makers take the first step toward becoming history makers. And only Makers go to the Giant Screen Experience.



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### **Dreamers\***

**Level 6 - Entering 6th grade**

**Members: \$281 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$330**

Dreamers recharge their imaginations and bodies, just like Henry Ford and Thomas Edison did. Nature walks, fishing, canoeing, a visit to the environmental area of Ford Rouge Factory Tour and fast-paced artifact hunts let Dreamers discover that genius requires re-energizing. Reconnecting to nature, not just hard work and book-learning, helps release the innovative spirit. After all, that's what summer is all about!

### **Apprentices\***

**Level 7 - Entering 7th Grade**

**Members: \$281 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$330**

Campers apprentice with a skilled craftsman at one of five village crafts before gearing up for the Industrial Revolution. Campers get hands-on experience at Armington & Sims Machine Shop and move on to Henry's Assembly Line to discover how mass production shaped history.

### **Masters\***

**Level 8 - Entering 8th Grade**

**Members: \$281 per child/week; Nonmembers: \$330**

Masters absorb the entirety of American innovation in a rich week of activities and experiences, like cutting a record on Thomas Edison's phonograph, assembling a real Ford Model T, participating in a *Shark Tank*-style challenge and casting a plaster hand. And Masters take the Ford Rouge Factory Tour, an immersion in automotive power and sustainable innovations. A masterful camp culmination.

**\* Level 6, 7 and 8 camps include a Thursday evening pizza dinner. Camper pickup is at 8 p.m. from A Taste of History Restaurant.**

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### **Extended Care**

Extended care is available for an additional fee. The morning session runs 7-8:50 a.m., and the afternoon session runs 4-6 p.m. A variety of tabletop games are offered in both sessions.

### **Registration and Refunds**

For your child's enjoyment, please register him/her for the grade he/she will be entering in the fall. Priority registration for donors and members is March 18-31, 2020. Open registration begins April 1, 2020. **Full refunds must be requested by April 30, 2020; refunds will not be given after May 1, 2020.**

### **Register Online!**

**[thf.org/summercamps](http://thf.org/summercamps)**



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