

Our Learn to Skate Program

General Information

- We offer classes for all ages. See the Learn to Skate Class chart for more information.
- Classes are designed to teach skaters fundamentals of skating in a supportive and enjoyable environment and focus on proper skill development to foster a lifelong love of skating.
- Group classes run in seven or eight-week sessions.
- During the first two weeks of each session, our coaching staff will evaluate each student and if necessary change their class, to ensure that they're learning at the correct skill level.
- Each skater will also be evaluated during the second to last class of each session, to determine if that session's curriculum has been mastered and if they are ready to move to the next level.
- Some levels may take more than one session to master as the range of difficulty varies.

What to Wear to Class

- Layer in warm, comfortable clothing that allows for unrestricted movement (jeans are not recommended)
- A helmet (bicycle or ski) is required to be worn by all skaters registered for Snowplow 1-4, Basic Skills 1-4 and all skaters 10 and under. Admission to the ice for class without a helmet is not permitted.
- Warm gloves
- Thin socks or stockings that rise above the skater's ankle.

How to Tie Ice Skates

- Start with properly-fitting skates (not too big, not too small)
- Begin by loosening the laces, put your foot firmly in the skate, then tighten the laces starting from the toe up to the ankle.
- Make laces tightest where the foot and ankle bend.
- Lace around the hooks in a crisscross pattern, using all the hooks.
- Finish with a secure bow (a double knot to finish is recommended).
- If the skates do not feel secure after being completely laced, the laces are probably too loose, and the lacing process should be redone.

Learn To Skate USA Membership

- All Learn to Skate class participants must be current members of Learn To Skate USA. All participants must register / renew each year at learntoskateusa.com. Membership runs from 7/1-6/30 in any given year.
- Skaters not permitted on the ice without current Learn To Skate USA membership.
- Annual fee is \$16 plus \$1.25 processing and handling, regardless of when skater is enrolled, and includes secondary sports accident insurance.

Additional Things to Know

- Class registration is online only. Go to cityicepavilion.com to set up an account.
- Tuition must be paid in advance. No payment plans, credits, refunds or prorates.
- \$15 late fee with registration submitted after stated deadline. Same day walk-in or call-in registration not permitted.
- Missed classes cannot be transferred to another session, rescheduled, credited or refunded for any reason (including due to COVID-19 and/or quarantining) unless canceled by City Ice Pavilion. Your registration guarantees you a space in the class regardless of your attendance.
- Parents are allowed on the ice only with Parent and Me registration.
- City Ice Pavilion reserves the right to change or cancel the day or time of any given class.
- Maximum 10-12 students per class. Levels may be combined if fewer than three skaters are registered for a given class.
- Name tags will be given to, and must be worn by, all registered class participants during each class. A \$5 fee will be charged for all lost or forgotten name tags.
- A name tag is only valid when used by the person to whom it's registered. Any breach of this term will entitle City Ice Pavilion to demand surrender and cancellation of the remaining classes, with no refund issued.
- Using your name tag, skaters may practice for free on the Sunday Public session during the semester in which you're enrolled. No other Public Sessions are available.

**Online pre-registration required
at cityicepavilion.com.**

**Any questions about curriculum,
coaching, skating level for your skater?
Please contact the Skating School Department, at
(718)706-6667 ext. 8002
or email skateschool@cityicepavilion.com**

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Register Online at cityicepavilion.com

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SKATING SCHOOL 2022-2023 Classes and Holiday Camps



(718)706-6667

Learn to Skate Session Dates

Session 1

Seven Weeks

September 7-October 24

Registration deadline, September 2

Session 2

Seven Weeks

October 26-December 18

(No classes November 23-27)

Registration deadline, October 21

Session 3

Seven Weeks

January 2-February 19

Registration deadline, December 23

Session 4

Eight Weeks

February 27-April 30

(No classes April 7-13))

Registration deadline, February 21

Session 5

Seven Weeks

May 1 -June 25

(No classes May 24-29)

Registration deadline, April 25

Session 6

Eight Weeks

July 5-August 27

Registration deadline, June 30

Session Cost

Seven Weeks

Snowplow Sam 1-4, Basic Skills 1-6, Academy Bridge: **\$210**

Parent and Me, **\$280**

Adult 1-6, Adult Academy, **\$350**

Eight Weeks

Snowplow Sam 1-4, Basic Skills 1-6, Academy Bridge: **\$240**

Parent and Me, **\$320**

Adult 1-6, Adult Academy, **\$400**

A \$15 late fee will be added to the cost of all classes after registration deadline. Same day and walk-in registration not permitted.

Learn to Skate Class Details

Select a Class, Select a Day!

| Class | Monday on the Main Rink | Wednesday on the Studio Rink | Friday on the Main Rink | Sunday on the Main Rink | Sunday on the Studio Rink |
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| Parent and Me (Ages 2-3) | | | | | 12:30-1:00 pm Parents must have prior skating experience |
| Snowplow Sam 1 & 2 (Ages 4-6) | | 4:30-5:00 pm | | | 1:00-1:30 pm |
| Snowplow Sam 3 & 4 (Ages 4-6) | | 5:00-5:30 pm Must have prior skating experience | | | 1:30-2:00 pm Must have prior skating experience |
| Basic 1&2 (Ages 7 and up) | | 5:30-6:00 pm | | 11:10 am – 11:40 am | |
| Basic 3-6 (Ages 7 and up) | | | | 11:10 am – 11:40 am Must have prior skating experience | |
| Youth Bridge | | | | 11:10 – 11:40 am (Pre-Free Skate to Free Skate 6) | |
| Adult 1-6 (Ages 16 and up) | | | | 10:10 – 11:10 am | |
| Adult Bridge (Ages 16 and up) | | | | 10:10 – 11:10 am (Pre-Free Skate to Free Skate 6) | |
| Adult Figure Skating Academy (Ages 16 and up) | 6:20-7:20 am Beginning | | 10:30-11:30 am Intermediate | | |

Monday and Friday Classes are not available in Session 6.

Class Descriptions

Snowplow Sam: Pre-School aged children learn skating fundamentals through games and fun.

Basic Skills: Fundamental skating skills including forward and backward skating, stops, edges, forward and backward crossovers, forward and backward three turns, and two foot and one-foot spins.

Bridge: Pre-Free Skate skills and above. Introductory figure skating including Jumps & Spins.

Adult 1-6: Fundamental skating skills, same as Basic Skills but structured for the Adult student.

Parent and Me: Learn to skate with your little ones (parents must have prior skating experience).

Monday Adult Academy: Beginning – Pre-Free Skate and up (Adult Pre-Bronze and Bronze).

Friday Adult Academy: Intermediate – Pre-Free Skate and up (Adult Silver and Gold).

When You're Off from School, Our Holiday Clinics are Just the Thing!

Columbus Day

Monday, October 10

Registration deadline: **October 3**

Veteran's Day

Friday, November 11

Registration deadline: **November 4**

Thanksgiving Weekend

Friday, November 25 to Sunday, November 27

Registration deadline: **November 18**

Holiday Break

Monday, December 26 to Friday, December 30

Registration deadline: **December 19**

MLK Jr. Day

Monday, January 16

Registration deadline: **January 11**

President's Day Week

Monday, February 20 to Friday, February 24

Registration deadline: **February 13**

Spring Break

Monday, April 10 to Friday, April 14

Registration deadline: **April 3**

Cost

Single morning clinics, \$125

- Three-days, **\$360**
- Four-days, **\$480**
- Five-days, **\$550**

Pre-Register and Save!

See each clinic for deadlines

\$15 fee will be incurred with registration received after deadline