

Summer camp resources and recreation

-Raising Arizona Kids has summer camps 2023 on their site

<https://www.raisingarizonakids.com/summer-camps>

-Adaptive Recreation classes from Raising Arizona Kids- <https://www.raisingarizonakids.com/special-needs-resources-arizona/special-needs-recreation-and-enrichment-arizona/>

-Kids Out and About Phoenix also has a summer camp 2023 search-

<https://phoenix.kidsoutandabout.com/content/guide-summer-camps-phoenix-az-area>

-city parks of recreation adaptive programs and summer camps, check your city's parks and rec offerings**

- Tucson <https://www.campabilitiestucson.org/> (adaptive sports camp)

--YMCA and Boys and Girls Club- ask about scholarship opportunities- <https://bgca.org/>,
<https://www.ymca.org/>

-Ability 360 youth camps- <https://ability360.org/sports/youth/kids-camp/>

- Phoenix Zoo has a neat special needs program- <https://www.phoenixzoo.org/camps-programs/special-needs-programs/>

Sleep away camps for children with disabilities and medical conditions-

<https://www.civitanfoundationaz.com/camp-civitan/>

<https://camppatrick.com/>

<https://whisperinghoperanch.org/>

<https://www.camptatiyee.org/>

<https://www.swkidscancerfoundation.org/programs>

<https://www.epilepsy.com/local/arizona>

**Many families use DTS hours to cover summer programs for their children. This is a wonderful option we want to make sure our RSK families know about so let's go over some DTS facts.

-DTS stands for "Day Treatment & Training Summer" Program and they are hours you can request from your child's support coordinator to cover day programs or summer programs from DDD providers.

-What is the purpose of DTS hours? Day Treatment and Training Services (Day Programs) provide training, supervision, and activities to a member to develop skills. This service is primarily offered in a community setting. It is intended to help members learn safety skills and socialize. The main focus of DTS is skill building in a group setting with an emphasis on recreation, leisure and socialization. Functional goals for the DTS hours will be created by the child's support coordinator and parent or guardian.

-How many hours of DTS summer can be billed per day? A max of 4 DTS hours can be billed per day. Hours do not roll over to compensate for missed days.

-How are the children supervised in the DTS settings? All children are given a 1-4 ratio (one adult to four children) but an enhanced ratio can be assessed for children with physical, behavioral or medical issues. Approval from DDD is needed before we can provide services to your child.

-How do I find DTS summer programs near me? You can request a copy of the DTS summer programs happening this summer from your child's support coordinator or search on the DDD search engine on their site- <https://ddd.azdes.gov/Organization/DDD/DDDProviderSearch>