

# SUMMER STEM CAMPS



SUNCOAST SCIENCE CENTER  
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## What is it?

Suncoast Science Center **Summer STEM Camps** connect students in grades 2-8 to experiential science, technology, engineering, art and math (STEAM) learning through immersive weeklong sessions in subject areas such as engineering, chemistry, forensic science, coding & game design, robotics, space science and more. Camps are developed and run by high school volunteers, fostering a unique peer learning model while providing instructors with the opportunity to build leadership and life skills.

## Why is it important?

In the traditional classroom, students don't often have the opportunity to explore different STEAM areas in a hands on manner. Through our summer camps, elementary and middle school students are able to **explore their particular interests through engaging, interactive activities**. In our safe, judgement-free zone, students are able to build new skills and rise to their potential, all while having FUN!

High school volunteers develop tremendous experience throughout the camp process. From designing the curriculum and activities and managing a camp budget to training support volunteers and leading a camp of over a dozen students, volunteers **build important soft skills including creativity, problem-solving, adaptability, time management, communication and much more**. Additionally, they create a camp template to help sustain the program for future instructors.

*"Bryce very much enjoyed his experience at Coding and Game Design camp. He's even expressed an interest in making programming a career, after being afraid of software prior to the camp!"* - Parent of summer camper



**WANT TO SEE FOR YOURSELF?**  
Scan this QR code to watch the "Best of 2019 Summer Camp" video!



# GET INVOLVED!

## There's many ways to get involved in the Summer STEM Camps:

- Sponsor a camp through a donation to the Suncoast Science Center
- Share your expertise as a camp guest speaker
- Special collaboration with you or your company
- *and more!*

Do you have an idea to enhance summer camps? ***Together, we can help unleash students' potential through STEAM learning!***

Let's set up a time to talk!

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Help support the next generation of scientists, engineers, designers & more!



## CONNECT WITH US!

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