

About Earn-A-Bike

We aim to provide a safe place for middle school students to develop social skills that encourage healthy decision making and build self-esteem. Participants will learn the technical skills needed to refurbish a bike as well as safety protocols necessary to ride a bike on the road.



Program Objectives

The goal of the Earn-A-Bike program is for participants to work together building social skills while increasing their mechanical knowledge and awareness of the safety requirements for riding on the road. The importance of exercise and nutrition is also emphasized.

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*Empowering youth and families to
build positive and fulfilling lives.*

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Program will focus on:

- Communication Skills
- Decision Making
- Risks & Choices
- Coping Skills
- Problem Solving
- Individuality
- Self-Esteem
- Responsibility
- Community Involvement

Registration for the 2024 Earn-A-Bike Spring session is now open

for students in **6th—8th grade**

Sessions begin February 12th, 2024

Earn-A-Bike will meet
Mondays and Wednesdays

4:30 to 6:30 pm

And Fridays

4:00 to 6:00 pm

at Danbury Youth Services
91 West Street in Danbury

Return registration form to DYS no later than February 5th.

Youth Will Learn To:

- Listen to others
- Trust their opinions & choices
- Be positive
- Build confidence
- Make healthy & safe decisions
- Accomplish goals
- Work with a team
- Mechanical bike knowledge
- Road safety
- Knowledge of the community
- Use a traditional map



At the end of the program the participants will have earned a bike that they refurbished on their own along with the knowledge of how to ride safely. Participants can use their own bike or one provided by DYS donors.

Registration

Participant Information

Name: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____

School: _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Emergency Contact Information

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Relationship: _____

By signing below I agree that:

- I give permission for chaperones, administrators, and personnel affiliated with Danbury Youth Services, Inc. to seek medical attention for my child should he/she become injured. I hereby release chaperones, administrators, personnel, Danbury Youth Services, Inc and their agencies, commissioners, representatives and employees from all claims with respect to any injury sustained by my child as a result of participation in any program sponsored by Danbury Youth Services, Inc.
- I authorize Danbury Youth Services, Inc. to use photographs taken of my child/youth during program time and on field trips. I grant permission for these photographs to be used in promoting the work of Danbury Youth Services, Inc. I further authorize permission for the media (newspaper, television, radio) to interview my child and use his/her name if the media publishes an article or conducts an interview concerning any program sponsored by Danbury Youth Services, Inc.
- I give permission for my child to attend any field trips to various local points of interest in Danbury, CT. This will be allowed throughout Danbury Youth Services Programs. These trips will be under the supervision of Danbury Youth Services staff members.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____