

GATEWAY ACADEMY

SUMMER 2025

# Career Exposure

## Summer Camps



**EARN  
HIGH SCHOOL  
CREDITS** in  
technology, foods,  
trades, science  
and the arts

**GAIN  
REAL-WORLD  
experience**  
while earning an  
industry certification

**FREE Camps**

FOR STUDENTS GRADES 9-12

Register at  
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# Welcome to Career Exposure Summer Camps 2025.

Earn high school credits and gain hands-on experience while honing a skill, exploring a passion, or trying out a new interest.

Camps are FREE and offered to students in Grades 9-12. With the exception of the two-week bootcamps, camps run for one week and are offered in Week 1 and/or Week 2. Take advantage of the summer and register for both weeks.

## CAMPS RUN:

June 30-July 4 and/or July 7-11, 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. at Hilltop Jr/Sr High School in Whitecourt, with transportation provided from Onoway, Sangudo, Mayerthorpe, Fox Creek, and Valleyview.



## Aesthetics & Hairstyling

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Unleash your inner esthetician with a week of glam! From nail art to bridal updos, you'll learn top beauty techniques with a journey person Cosmetologist. Whether you're into makeup magic or perfecting the perfect braid, this course is your backstage pass to the beauty world.

## Art & Design

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Paint, draw, and explore different media through a week of creative discovery. Learn about Art as a potential career through the development of an artist's portfolio. Whether you're a doodler or a future designer, this is your space to shine.

## Baking Brilliance

**WEEK 1: June 30 - July 4**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Whip, knead, and sprinkle your way through a week of sweet and savoury success! Under the guidance of a pro baker, you'll create breads, desserts, and international treats while mastering ovens, mixers, and pro culinary skills.

## Construction

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Hammer, saw, and measure your way to mastery! Get hands-on with trade tools to build useful and creative wood projects and structures. Whether you're new to construction or looking to sharpen your skills, this course covers building basics, tools, measurement, and project planning and finishing.

## Creative Writing & Publishing

**WEEK 1: June 30 - July 4**

**EARN 3 CREDITS**

Love writing stories, poetry, or blogs? This is your chance to explore creative writing in different forms and build your own publishing portfolio. Let your words shine as you experiment with fresh ideas, discover your writing voice, and consider the media you create and participate in.

## Criminal Justice

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Step into the world of law and order! From policing to courts to corrections, you'll get an inside look at the justice system. Dive into real-world cases and discover how you could turn your curiosity into a rewarding career.



## Dynamic Dance

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN 3 CREDITS**

Feel the rhythm and move to your own beat! This beginner-friendly course lets you explore a variety of genres of dance. Express yourself, gain confidence, take creative risks and discover the power of storytelling through movement.

## Exploring the World of Travel

**WEEK 2: July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Get ready to wander! Learn how to travel smart on a budget, plan epic adventures, and explore careers in travel and tourism. Taught by a globe-trotting instructor who's seen it all!

## Forensic Science Investigations

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN 3 CREDITS**

Dive into the world of forensic science with hands-on labs and real-life scenarios. Investigate career opportunities as a criminalist, lab technician and many more.

## Forestry Fundamentals

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 4 CREDITS**

Grow your understanding of the forest industry and ecology! Explore career options and gain hands-on experience in nature and on state-of-the-art simulators with Woodlands Operations Learning Foundation (WOLF) instructors.

## Introduction to Self Publishing

**WEEK 2: July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Bring your creative ideas to life! Design and publish your own low content publications like journals, colouring books, or activity guides using tools like Canva and Adobe. Discover how self-publishing can turn your designs into real products.

## Learners Permit Preparation

**WEEK 1: June 30 - July 4**

**EARN 1 CREDIT**

Rev up your brain for the road! This course helps you prepare for your Class 7 Learners Permit exam. You'll learn about safety and routine car care. Start your journey behind the wheel with confidence!

## Photography

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Express your creativity through the lens! Using digital cameras and editing software, you'll learn how to capture and enhance powerful images. Explore career pathways in photography while building skills to shoot and edit photos for a variety of purposes.

## Redline Your Automotive Knowledge

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Get your hands dirty and your gears turning! Learn from a journeyman automotive technician as you explore vehicle systems and perform basic maintenance tasks. Build practical skills and boost your confidence in the garage—whether for work or everyday life.

## Welding and Fabrication

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS.**

Discover the art of welding and fabrication! Learn safe welding practices, try wire feed welding, and dive into chaos fabrication to create your own custom metal sculptures and other works of art. PPE provided—just bring your creativity!

## Wildlife

**WEEK 1 OR 2: June 30 - July 4 OR July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Love animals and the outdoors? Explore wildlife diversity, human impact, and conservation efforts. Come examine local and global wildlife issues and their significance to society.

## World of Cooking

**WEEK 2: July 7-11**

**EARN UP TO 3 CREDITS**

Slice, sauté, and serve up dishes from around the globe! Cook alongside a Red Seal chef, learn pro kitchen techniques and knife skills, and earn your Safe Food Handling Certificate while preparing for a career in food and hospitality.



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# Two-Week Bootcamps

## Early Childhood Care

*TWO WEEKS: June 30 - July 4 AND July 7-11*

EARN 5 CREDITS

### Love working with little ones?

This two-week course is your hands-on introduction to the world of early childhood care and education.

Explore how children grow, learn, and thrive while gaining real experience in childcare settings. From playful learning strategies to foundational child development, you'll build the knowledge and skills to support young minds—and take the first step toward your Level 1 Early Childhood Educator Certificate.

Whether you're considering a career or just curious, this course is your launchpad into a rewarding and impactful field.



## PE 10 / CALM 20 Combined Course

*TWO WEEKS: June 30 - July 4 AND July 7-11*

EARN 6 CREDITS

### Get ahead on your credits with this power-packed two-week course!

Knock out PE 10 and CALM 20 while staying active, learning life skills, and opening up space in next year's schedule. This combined course is perfect for students looking to free up their schedule or who need to fulfill these credits for graduation. Attendance in the full two weeks is required to receive credit in both courses.

Priority is given to students going into Grade 12 who require both courses for graduation.



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