

# Iowa Department for the Blind

## 2019-2020 Weekend Retreat Schedule

Students ages 14+

September 20-22, 2019: Self-Advocacy at Work and School

November 1-3, 2019: 50 Years of Space Travel

December 13-15, 2019: July in Winter

January 24-26, 2020: Technology Discovery

February 28-March 1, 2020: Braille Challenge

April 17-19, 2020: Outdoor Adventure



Each weekend retreat will run from 5:00 PM Friday until 12:00 PM Sunday. Each retreat will have a different theme, though all will include fun activities, socializing, and opportunities to learn and practice blindness skills. Activities are designed to help students become more independent and prepare for college and/or employment in a wide range of fields. Students may attend as many retreats as they would like and are encouraged to attend as many as they can.

To register, please complete the form at

<https://iowadepblind.wufoo.com/forms/z176te8n0tet64q/>

For more information or if you need assistance with the application please contact

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