Southeast Service Cooperative

Student Programs

2024-2025

Young Authors Young Artists

The Young Authors, Young Artists Conferences welcome students in grades 3-8 from schools across southeast Minnesota. Students participate in active, motivating, idea-generating symposiums of sessions taught by professional authors, illustrators, sculptors, and other artists who've turned their passion into a career. Students are encouraged to explore their unique creativity.
Watch the video to learn more: www.ssc.coop/yayaelementary

Dates:
Grades 6 - 8: October 24, 2024
Grades 3 - 5: May 20-22, 2025

"The students had a wonderful time! It was well organized and a lot of fun."

"She truly enjoyed all the sessions. She couldn't pick a favorite, as they were each so wonderful!"

Let's Talk!

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BEE

The Spelling Bee is an exciting and challenging academic contest for students in grades 4-8. All levels of the Spelling Bee in Southeast Minnesota are possible due to the sponsorship of the Southeast Service Cooperative, and other local sponsors. The classroom, school-wide, and state-wide spelling bees eventually lead up to the National Spelling Bee in Washington, D.C. Watch the video to learn more:
www.ssc.coop/student-programs/spelling

Dates:
Regional: February 4, 2025
Final: February 18, 2025

Minnesota Service Cooperative Knowledge Bowl™

Knowledge Bowl competitions are interdisciplinary academic contests for students in grades 7-12. Teams compete in rounds by answering questions related to multiple areas of learning. Questions test students' recall, problem solving, and critical thinking skills. This competition provides a format for student growth centered around academics. Watch the video to learn more:

www.ssc.coop/student-programs/jhkb

Dates:
Senior High (Grades 9 - 12) Winter/Spring
Junior High (Grades 7 - 9) Fall/Winter