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Air Camp to Visit Dayton International Airport

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On Tuesday, July 19, Air Camp students will again visit Dayton International Airport for a one-of-a-kind, interactive experience designed to foster a passion for flight and launch future science, technology and aviation careers.

Air Camp brings middle school students from throughout the Dayton region and across the country (plus a few international students) for a week at Wright State University, with visits to several sites throughout the region to experience all it has to offer in aviation and aeronautics.

The stop at Dayton International Airport is just one half-day of a six-day experience, which culminates in the young scholars each co-piloting a plane at Dayton-Wright Brothers Airport, with guidance from Aviation Sales, Inc.

The emerging leaders will visit Dayton International's fire station, get a-behind-the-scenes look at TSA's in-line baggage system, enjoy a bird's eye view from the control tower, and watch aircraft take off and land.

The airport welcomes three classes of Air Camp students and their chaperones yearly, in groups of about 50. This is the fourth year the program has visited Dayton International.

Terrence Slaybaugh, Dayton International Airport director, said the airport is eager to help fuel the interests of the young learners by giving them an all-access pass to airport areas not usually seen by the general public.

"It's a great opportunity to explore your passions at a young age," Slaybaugh said. "Not many students can say they've been where these students get to go. That

experience makes an impact."

More information on Air Camp is available at aircampusa.com.

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