



College Pilot Training Programs in Iowa

Two-year associate college programs

Indian Hills Community College

Ottumwa, Iowa
800-726-2585, ext. 5214
www.indianhills.edu

Programs: Associate of Applied Science - Aviation Pilot/Aviation Maintenance

Iowa Central Community College

Webster City, Iowa
515-832-1632 or 800-362-2793, ext. 2823
www.iccc.cc.ia.us

Programs: Associate of Science - Professional Pilot

Iowa Lakes Community College

Estherville, Iowa
712-362-2604
www.ilcc.cc.ia.us

Programs: Associate of Science - Aviation/Airport Management

Iowa Western Community College

Council Bluffs, Iowa
712-325-3200 or 800-432-5852
www.iwcc.cc.ia.us

Programs: Associate of Science - Aviation Flight and Administration, Aviation Maintenance

Scott Community College

Bettendorf, Iowa
563-441-4005 or 800-336-3907
www.eicc.edu

Programs: Associate of Arts for Aviation - Professional Pilot

Four-year bachelor programs

University of Dubuque

Dubuque, Iowa
563-589-3000
www.dbq.edu

Programs: Bachelor of Science - Aviation Management or Flight Operations

For more information on aviation in Iowa, contact:



Office of Aviation

Iowa Department of Transportation

800 Lincoln Way
Ames, IA 50010
515-239-1689

iowadot.gov/aviation

"When once you have tasted flight, you will forever walk the earth with your eyes turned skyward, for there you have been, and there you will always long to return."

Leonardo da Vinci

You Can FLY



People in all walks of life have dreams. Is your dream to fly? Some of the most frequently asked questions about learning to fly are listed below. While they will not answer all your questions, they will send you in the right direction—up.

Frequently asked questions

Q. How much does it cost to become a pilot?

A. A pilot certificate ordinarily costs from \$4,000 to \$7,000. Payments can usually be spread out over several months.

Q. Do you need your own plane?

A. You do not have to own your own plane to fly. You can rent an airplane. (Check with your local airport for more information on rentals.)

Q. How long does it take to become a pilot?

A. Learning to fly is not difficult, but it does require dedication and a minimum of 40 hours of training to earn a private pilot certificate. The more frequently you fly, the quicker you will earn your wings.

Q. What is ground school?

A. Flight training is divided into two parts - ground school and flight training. Ground school teaches the principles, procedures and regulations you will put into practice in an airplane. Before you can earn a pilot certificate, you must pass a computerized FAA knowledge test (with a score of at least 70 percent) on this information.

Q. When will I actually begin flying?

A. You'll be flying on your first lesson, with your certified flight instructor's help, of course.

Other ways to help you obtain liftoff:

- Talk to other pilots
- Visit your local airport
- Internet sites of interest:
 - iawings.com
 - beapilot.com
 - aopa.org
 - eaa.org
 - youngeagles.com



Check with your local airport manager about an introductory flight.



FLIGHT SCHOOLS IN IOWA

Where

Algona
Ames
Ankeny
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Atlantic
Bloomfield
Boone
Burlington
Carroll
Cedar Rapids
Centerville
Charles City
Cherokee
Clinton
Council Bluffs
Davenport
Decorah
Denison
Des Moines
Des Moines
Des Moines
Dubuque
Elkader
Estherville
Fairfield
Forest City
Fort Dodge
Hampton
Harlan
Independence
Iowa City
Iowa City
Iowa Falls
Indianola
Keokuk
Knoxville
Lemars
Marion
Marshalltown
Mason City
Monticello
Mt. Pleasant
Muscatine
Newton
Oelwein
Orange City
Oskaloosa
Ottumwa
Oxford
Pella
Pocahontas
Sheldon
Sibley
Sioux Center
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Spencer
Storm Lake
Vinton
Washington
Washington
Waterloo
Waverly
Webster City

Service

Algona Aero Service, Inc
Hap's Air Service, Inc.
Exec 1 Aviation
Aero America
Iowa Helicopter
Airworks
Heartland Aviation
Cy Aviation
Iowa Flight Training
Carroll Aviation, Inc.
Iowa Flight Training
Centerville Municipal Airport
Charles City Aeronautics, Inc.
Lauck Aviation
Iowa Flight Training
Advanced Air, Inc.
Carver Aero, Inc.
Connell Flying Service
Denison Municipal Airport
Des Moines Flying Club
Aero America
Flying JTD
Iowa Flight Training
Tegeler Aviation
Estherville Aviation
Fairfield Flying Service
Forest City Aviation
Fort Dodge Flight Support, Inc.
Schumann Aviation
Harlan Flying Service
Connell Aviation II, Inc.
Iowa Flight Training
Whirlybird Helicopters
Four Winds Aviation
Paul Berge Aviation
Linder Aviation INC.
Knoxville Aviation
Lite Plains, Inc
P & N Flight & Charter
Marshalltown Aviation, Inc.
North Iowa Air Service
Monticello Aviation, Inc.
Air Advantage, Inc.
Carver Aero, Inc.
Johnson Aviation Inc.
Tegeler Aviation
Orange City Aviation
Midwest Aviation Service INC
Ottumwa Flying Service
Green Castle Aero Club
Classic Aviation, Inc.
Pocahontas Municipal Airport
Midwest Flying Service
O'Leary Aviation, Inc
Sioux Center Aviation Ltd
Leading Edge Aviation
Avionics Training LLC
Bart's Flying Service, Inc
Iowa Flight Training
Mobile Aircraft Maintenance
Kalona Flying Service
Livingston Aviation, Inc
Cedar Valley Aviation
Storm Flying Service, Inc

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