For students 5th grade and above, the 4-H Babysitting Clinic will give you the skills to become a great babysitter. Babysitting is an important job and can sometimes be scary if you don’t know what to expect. We’ll cover all of the skills and help you learn the ropes to be successful on the job!

- Caring for infants and young children
- Development traits of ages 0-5 years
- Safe cooking skills and safe meal prep
- What to do in an emergency
- Basic first aid skills (we’ll even give you a kit!)
- What to ask before parents leave
- What parents expect from you
- Activity ideas
- How to make babysitting a business

Cost: $30/student  
Date: Saturday, July 30th 2016  
Time: 9 AM—3 PM  
Location: Iowa State University Extension and Outreach, Polk County  
1625 Adventureland Dr. Suite A Altoona, Iowa 50009  
Instructor: Iowa State University Extension and Outreach– Polk County

The program cost will include a Babysitting Clinic workbook, lunch and snacks, and child care resources. Pre-registration is required (max. 20). Enrollment is complete when your payment has been made by Friday, July 22, 2016. Payment can be made over the phone via debit/credit card OR mailed to the following address. For questions about the program or to enroll, please use the contact information below.

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