



Dear Families,

We are thrilled that you have chosen to share part your summer with us. For your child's safety and preparation, please read both pages carefully. We have updated and revised several procedures and expectations from previous summers.

The entire camp staff is looking forward to seeing you soon!

Drop-Off and Pick-Up:

- Morning activities start at 9 AM | Drop Off begins at 8:30 AM
- **No Parents should enter the building.** All Drop off will be via the Drop-off lane. Enter the Parking lot and drive around the building. There will be staff to guide you so that the lane is not backed up and other cars can pass. A camp aide will walk your child to their room. If your child is having separation anxiety, please park in the main lot and walk to our Preschool Lobby. A staff member at the drop off lane will be able to assist you.
- **Pick-up for ½ Day AM camp is at 12:30. Pick-up will also occur via the Drop-Off lane.** You will be given a sign with a number to display on your dashboard so that we can bring your child to you safely. If you arrive before the staff is out to direct traffic, please do not turn into the exit lane.
- Pick-up for Full Day camp is at 4:30. Pick-up will be on the playground on the parking lot side of the building. It is partially covered and will be used rain or shine.
- There will be a late pick-up fee charged if you are more than 5 minutes late.

What to Wear:

- We have a lot of fun and are both messy and active! Please dress appropriately. Ideally wear sneakers.
- If you wish, bring a change of clothes to keep on hand (they can be stored at the Institute all week in an assigned location).

What to Bring:

- Yourself! Ready to have fun.
- FULL Day Camp Sessions: Pack a ready-to-eat lunch that doesn't need to be heated or need refrigeration. Lunches are stored indoors, but please add a cold pack as needed.
- Please do not send toys, blankets or other personal items, including water bottles unless it is part of your full day camper's lunch, or there is a medical issue. This is especially important this summer.

Family Expectations Re Covid-19 Mitigation and Prevention

Masks:

- Please let your camper know that their teachers and leaders will be wearing face masks, but they are likely giving them a big smile behind the mask. (camp staff is in the process of getting photo badges of their full face)
- We do not require that children wear masks. It is preferred that they wear one, but if a child removes it, we will not enforce that they keep it on and will return it to you at the end of the camp day in a sealed bag.

Family Expectations Re Covid-19 Mitigation and Prevention Continued...**Health Check:**

- **If your child is sick, do not send them to camp.**
- Just like public school, if your child develops a fever they should not attend camp. A fever is defined as: measured orally (in the mouth): 100°F (37.8°C) measured rectally (in the bottom): 100.4°F (38°C) measured in an axillary position (under the arm): 99°F (37.2°C)
- If you think your child or anyone in your household, has been in close contact (less than 6ft for 2 minutes or more) with someone known to have COVID-19 with in the last 14 days, please contact us and we will arrange a transfer to a later camp. *If you have an Essential Healthcare Worker who lives in the same household as the camper, please let us know in advance.*
- Please also let us know if your child has a runny nose or cough due to environmental allergies

Daily Symptom Check Before Driving to Yocum Institute for Camp Drop Off:

If your child or anyone in your household is experiencing any of the following symptoms, do not attend camp without clearance from a health professional. We will work with you to transfer to a later camp if need.

- Fever
- Cough
- Difficulty breathing
- Sore throat
- Chills
- Muscle aches
- New onset of loss or taste of smell
- Unexplained skin rash, redness or swelling (specific to children)

Any questions or concerns should be directed to
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Thank you for your patience and understanding as we navigate these new challenges together!