







## COVID-19 Day Camp Procedures and Information for Families

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### Screening

- Staff and participants will be screened and temperature checked every day.
- The following steps will be completed upon arrival at camp:
  - A staff member will use a checklist to confirm drop off and screening information. No signature will be required.
  - Parents/Caregivers will be asked a series of screening questions about the health of the participant.
  - The lead staff person will use a no-touch thermometer to screen each participant as he/she arrives.
- The following steps will be completed during camp:
  - If during camp a participant complains of illness or if the staff has a concern about a participant, the participant's temperature will be checked again and the participant may be asked a series of screening questions.
  - If a participant exhibits any concerning symptoms OR has a temperature in excess of 100 degrees Fahrenheit, the participant will be removed from the group. Parents/Caregivers will be notified and expected to pick up the participant as soon as possible.
- Masks will be optional due to small contained groups and maximized outdoor spaces. Parents/Caregivers may send their participant to camp with a mask and expect their participant to wear that mask for the day. Staff will encourage the participant to wear the mask, but will not be responsible for ensuring compliance.
- If severe weather requires us to shelter in the barn with closed doors, all staff and participants will wear masks in the enclosed space. Masks will be provided to anyone who needs one at that time.



## Spacing and Small Groups

- There will be 1-2 age-based small groups depending on the total number of participants. The staff and participants in each group will remain consistent for the entire day.
- Just as family members that live together do not distance from one another, it is not expected that participants and staff within a single group will distance from one another. HOWEVER, just as families distance from other families, it is expected that all group members (participants and staff) remain at least 6 feet away from other groups.
- Staff is expected to make reasonable adjustments to limit participant-to-participant, participant-to-staff, and staff-to-staff sharing.
- When feasible, each participant will have their own materials and supplies to use for camp. Sharing of materials will be limited and monitored for safety.
- The risk of spreading infectious disease is greater indoors than outdoors. For that reason, staff will keep participants outdoors whenever possible.

## Sanitation

- Handwashing - Handwashing opportunities and hand sanitizer will be provided for each group. Participants and staff will wash hands before snacks and lunch, and any other times deemed appropriate based on activities.
- All hard surfaces will be sanitized before camp begins, at the end of the day, and during the day as needed.
- Water Jugs - will be refilled and cleaned daily by camp staff. Staff will be responsible for refilling participant water bottles as needed.

## Positive Case Response

- If a participant or staff begins exhibiting symptoms of infectious disease while at camp, they will be removed from the group and rescreened. If they exhibit any concerning symptoms OR have a temperature in excess of 100 degrees Fahrenheit, they will be expected to leave camp and not return.
- Please notify The STEM Connection should a participant test positive for COVID-19 within two weeks of being at camp. Contact tracing will be handled in accordance with procedures determined by the local health department.