



Summer Camp Procedures 2024

Welcome to Hope Summer Camp! We are excited for camp and want to share our guidelines and expectations to help ensure a fun summer camp! Please read through this carefully so you know what to expect.

Drop-off Procedures

Older students will be dropped off at the Oregon Street entrance; families may park in the lowers parking lot across the alley or find street parking. Younger students will be dropped off at the north playground entrance. Summer Camp Director Mrs. Figgins will email out summer camp location assignments prior to camp starting. Please sign your child in and ring the doorbell to alert staff that you have arrived for the day. Staff will then guide each camper to enter the building and go to their class. Campers arriving after 9:00 AM may have to wait briefly for a staff person to check them in.

Pick-up Procedures

At pick-up, parents/guardians should ring the school doorbell to signify arrival. Staff will then direct camper to finish their day and go to classroom entrance (same as drop-off). Parents/guardians who arrive prior to 3:00 PM may have to wait briefly for staff assistance.

Sunscreen and Items from Home

Campers must apply sunscreen prior to arrival at camp, and must bring personal sunscreen to camp or leave it in their cubby. Campers should limit items from home as much as possible; items needed should be limited to a change of clothes (required), a lunch (required), a jacket, and one small personal item.

Health and Sickness Policy

Prior to drop-off, adults should assess their camper each day for illness in order to maintain a healthy summer camp environment. Campers who are ill should remain home until they are well. Signs of illness to watch include a very low fever, stomachache, runny nose, coughing, tiredness, or irritability. If you are keeping your child home because of illness please notify summer camp director Christina Figgins by 9:00 AM. Reasons to keep campers home include:

- Fever over 100.4 degrees – must be below that for at least 24 hours in order to return to camp
- Green or yellow discharge from nose or coughing
- Vomiting or diarrhea within past 24 hours
- Pink eye (conjunctivitis) until on medication for at least 24 hours
- Chickenpox
- Skin rash
- Head lice
- Just not feeling well and up to being at summer camp

If your child becomes sick at camp, we will call you and ask that someone come pick up your child. When your child returns to camp, they should be well enough to participate in all activities.

Returning to Hope after COVID-19

Staff and students who were diagnosed with COVID-19 will follow current protocols. Typically, individuals testing positive are eligible to return after five days of isolation, as long as symptoms are improved, they are well enough to attend camp, and they have a negative antigen test on day 6 and wear a face mask through day 10.

Cleaning and Disinfecting Procedures Hope Summer Camp will clean and disinfect tables, toys, and other surfaces multiple times per day.