

Day Camp Registration FAQs:

We have many different options to register for one or two weeks at a time.

What days do you offer camp?

- We offer 3 days/week (M, W, F) OR 5 days/week
 - Parents cannot choose specific days. If they know in advance that they
 are unable to attend on one of the days that they have registered for, we
 do not pro-rate the fees.

What are the camp activities?

• In addition to games and crafts, all campers, except JRs (see JR description below) will go on weekly field trips, and swim in the outdoor pool. (Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Fri., Weather permitting)

How do I know where they will go on field trips, which days they will swim, etc?

 Once camp has started, the counselors will post a newsletter and a schedule of all activities on our website. It is updated every Friday afternoon for the following week.

Can parents go on field trips?

No

What if I don't want my child to swim or go on a specific field trip?

 You have the option of not sending your child to camp that day. However, please note our policy for refunds/pro-rating fees.

Registration is by grade-level. Do I go with the current grade, or grade in Fall 2024?

Go with the grade that the child(ren) will be in in Fall 2024

Can siblings or friends be together if they are different ages?

- No. Not unless they will be in the same grade in Fall 2024.
- If they are in different grade groups, they will still have the opportunity to see each other during swimming and other large-group activities.
- If one of the children has a birthday within no more than two weeks of the start date of the week(s) that you select, we MAY be able to make an exception to put them together.
- If this is the case, you need to call or email to request permission for an "ageoverride. If you receive permission, you will need to come to the Park District office to register that child(ren) in person.

Are there half-day options?

- The only half-day option is for our JR (4-6 yr olds) camp.
- Kids who attend JR camp do not swim or go on field trips.

We are not Lemont residents, but the kids' grandparents/nanny will be bringing our kids. How do we register?

- Non-residents may attend camp. However, the children must be registered at their permanent home address, with their parent/guardian(s).
- If the child's family does not already have a Lemont Park District account, at least one parent needs to come to the Park District office with their ID and the child(ren)'s birth certificate to set that up prior to registration for camp.

How do I find out more?

- There is a Parent Orientation meeting on **May 22 at 6:30 p.m**. at the Centennial Community Center.
- If you are unable to attend this meeting, you can find more information in our **Spring Program Guide** (pp. 23-28)
- Once you register, you will receive a receipt that will include a link to a detailed information packet.

How far in advance do I need to register for a given week?

Online registration will be closed at noon every Friday for the following week.

What is your refund policy?

- You can cancel up to 5 days before each week for a full refund
- After that your refund will be reduced; you will be charged a \$10 cancellation fee, plus any costs (field trip tickets) that may have already been incurred.
- You will not receive any refunds for cancellations after noon on the Friday before the following week.