

Summer Camp FAQ



Participation in our program requires accounts in good standing. Past due balances jeopardize enrollment in programs.

What are your hours?

We are open Monday – Friday from 7:00am – 6:00pm. This may be adjusted to earlier hours as we receive feedback from our survey.

What is the per child cost? We accept Child Care Assistance through HHS (formerly DHS)

\$18 per half day (up to 5 hours) or \$35 per full day (5+ hours)

\$130 per week maximum

\$35 per week minimum (only for weeks registered)

\$50 registration fee per child. *This is not covered by HHS (assistance.)*

Does my child have to attend all 11 weeks?

No. Children can attend just one week or all 11. If you don't sign up for a certain week, you are *not* charged for that week. The minimum amount charged for weeks registered is \$35.

Meals Provided

Lunch is served between 11:30am-12:00pm and snack at 3:45pm. We partner with the Mason City Community Schools. Menus are provided monthly. Children can bring their own sack lunch if they prefer.

No nut products please!

My child can't swim! Can they still attend?

Yes! We encourage our younger kids to bring a labeled lifejacket on their swim days or for any swimming field trip (local pools, Clear Lake Beach, etc.). We do have a small collection of lifejackets available for those who are unable to bring their own. All kids aged (K-2nd grade) are required to wear lifejackets in the pool unless otherwise stated by parent.

When do most activities occur?

We are in our groups from 9am-4pm. That is when most of our activities and stations occur. From 7:00 am-9:00am and from 4:00-6:00pm is structured free time.

When do you go on field trips?

Field trip days vary based on availability of our destination and could be any day of the week. We try to switch up the days so that our part time kiddos can catch a fun field trip on their days of attendance!

Can I put all of my children on the same registration form?

No. All children need a separate registration packet. You may fill out one credit card per family. You need to fill out the credit card form even if you have Child Care Assistance through HHS.