

Goals and Outcomes

In addition to all of the fun activities your camper will enjoy at camp, we also want your camper to achieve observable personal growth during their time at camp. Our primary goals are the following:

1. For each camper to enjoy himself/herself in a responsible manner within the environment provided by the camp.
2. For each camper to grow in maturity through cooperation with others, learning and developing skills, and expressing their unique creativity.

At camp, we look for the following behavior to know that we are meeting these goals:

- The camper communicates, either by spoken or written word to his/her parents, families, peers, and/or counselors, that the experiences they had at camp were pleasing.
- Camper follows all safety regulations prescribed for each activity and encourages others to do likewise.
- Camper attends activities when scheduled.
- Camper assists another camper(s) in developing or improving a skill or performance of duties at least three times in one session.
- At each meal, the camper selects their portion of food from the first serving platter in a manner that enables each camper on their team to be served from the platter.
- Campers perform at least three physical skills that they could not perform before coming to camp, or which they performed at a lower level upon their arrival at camp.
- Camper completes in the manner of their choice at least one art project.
- Camper makes a choice within the framework of the camp rules as to the use of their non-scheduled time.

Upon your camper's arrival back home, we hope that you will be able to observe the following:

- Excitement and appreciation for the time they spent at camp.
- Good habits in general hygiene and self management tasks that they practiced at camp including: making their bed, brushing teeth, keeping a neat and organized area, regularly applying sunscreen, etc.
- Increased independence in decision making, particularly with how to spend unstructured time.
- Continued desire to try new activities and learn new skills.
- Healthy communication skills with both peers and adults.