

LAKE STOCKWELL DAY CAMP

ACTIVITIES BY AGE

PRESCHOOL CAMP – ages 3 & 4

Arts & Crafts
Earth Education
Music
Nature
Playground Time
Science
Sports Games
Water Day (sprinkles and water tables)

LOWER CAMP – ages 5 to 8

Archery
Arts & Crafts
Boating – begins at 8 years old
Ceramics
Choice Activity Period – begins at 8 years old
Cooking
Earth Education
Indoor Gymnasium Games
Landsports
Music – ends at 7 years old
Playground Time
Science
Swimming

UPPER CAMP – ages 9 to 11

Archery
Arts & Crafts
Boating
Ceramics
Challenge Course
Choice Activity Period
Cooking
Earth Education
Fishing
Indoor Gymnasium Games
Landsports
Swimming
Volleyball

EXPLORERS – ages 12 to 15

Explorers' campers will have the ability to choose the activity of their choice almost every activity period.

Archery
Arts & Crafts
Boating
Ceramics
Challenge Course
Earth Education
Fishing
Indoor Gymnasium Games
Landsports
Photography
Swimming
Volleyball
Weekly Off-site Field Trips

Archery: Campers will learn how to safely use the archery equipment as well as gain the skill of learning how to aim for the targets. Variations are added to the program to ensure the activity remains fresh and returning campers are continually challenged throughout the summer.

Arts & Crafts: Campers will have the opportunity to use their creativity skills by choosing an art project for the week. Most of the projects are related to the theme of the week.

Boating: During the boating period, campers will learn to navigate with the different types of boats at camp: row boats, canoes and kayaks. Campers will have the opportunity to choose their boat preference and learn how to use the paddles. All boating participants will wear a PFD (professional floatation device) while on the water.

Ceramics: Campers will have the opportunity to use their creativity and sculpting skills by choosing a ceramics project for the week. The first activity period of the week is for sculpting the project of the week and the second activity period is for painting the sculpted project. Most of the projects are related to the theme of the week.

Challenge Course: Our oldest campers will spend a few hours per week on the challenge course while participating in low and high rope elements. The elements and activities are designed to develop skills critical to the success of any group: cooperation, trust, effective communication, commitment and leadership.

Choice Activity Period: "Choice" is an opportunity for campers to choose an activity of their choosing. Each day there will be a variety of activity options from our traditional programs (swimming, sports, arts & crafts, etc...) to activities designed by our skilled staff (drama and improv, exercising, reading, etc...).

Cooking: Campers will learn a variety of recipes each week and will get to enjoy their homemade item. This hands-on activity will teach the campers how to read recipe instructions and how to measure ingredients.

Earth Education: Our beautiful camp property provides the opportunity for our campers to learn about the environment in which we live in. Campers will participate in nature based activities from group games to miniature experiments.

Fishing: Campers will have the opportunity to learn how to use fishing poles and the supplies needed to catch a fish. Our activity period is held on Lake Stockwell's dam and offers a variety of locations to fish.

Indoor Gymnasium Games: Located in our indoor recreational facility, campers will have participate in indoor games similar to the health and physical education programs in school districts.

Landsports: Our sports field is home to many popular games such as soccer, kickball, dodgeball and so much more. We also play Quidditch during Harry Potter Week, just without the broom sticks!

Music: Our music program will allow our youngest campers to learn about the different sounds of various homemade instruments. This hands on activity will engage campers in creating music as a group.

Photography: Explorers will have the opportunity to photograph pictures of camp with provided digital cameras. They will learn about photography techniques and will have their photographs printed.

Playground Time: Our youngest campers will spend several activity periods each week at our playground at Cherokee Beach. Our playground has swings, slides, climbing elements and more.

Science: This hands-on activity is designed for campers to learn many different experiments while learning about subjects such as clouds, volcanoes, stars and much more.

Swimming: Each camper will have the opportunity to swim once per day. Our waterfronts are divided into three sections based on the depth of the water. Each camper will take our swim evaluation to determine the section in which he/she will swim. We instruct light swim lessons throughout the week.

Volleyball: Our volleyball activity is held on a sand volleyball court. Campers will have the opportunity to learn the skills to play volleyball, as well as variations to the game that includes beach towels, water balloons, beach balls and more!