

Camp Weaver

Camper Discipline Policy & Transportation Procedures

The safety of your child, and ALL children entrusted to us, is our top priority. We believe that spending time at Camp Weaver is a privilege, and therefore a camper's behavior should reflect their appreciation. Camp Weaver has a zero tolerance policy for bullying, inappropriate language and inappropriate behavior. The following actions will take place when behavior issues occur. An early dismissal does not warrant a refund of fees.

DISCIPLINE PROCESS

Behavior: Unacceptable behavior such as not following directions, inappropriate language, disrespect of other campers, staff or property and not following rules.

Action Taken: A counselor will notify a Director. After a conversation with the child, a warning is given.

Behavior: Repeated unacceptable behavior after Director has had a conversation with the child.

Action Taken: A counselor will notify a Program Staff Member or Director. After a conversation with the child, a Director will contact a parent for a conference.

Behavior: Repeated unacceptable behavior after 2 different conversations with the child and a parent conference.

Action Taken: A counselor will notify a Director. After a conversation with the child, a Director will contact a parent and the child will be picked up that day and suspended the next day. Repeated unacceptable behavior could bring about permanent expulsion.

Behavior Warranting Immediate Expulsion

Any illegal activity, or extreme behavior deemed unacceptable by the directors. Examples include but are not limited to drugs, alcohol, running away, violence, bullying, fighting, behavior that would endanger themselves or other campers.

The Camp Director reserves the right to analyze the information available in each disciplinary situation and make appropriate decisions for the good of the camp community.

Transportation and Emergency Procedures

1. In the event of severe weather, campers will be moved inside the YMCA or Church Buildings located at the specific sites. A staff member will be posted at the door to check in/out campers and communicate with parents/guardians.
2. Campers will be kept calm at all times. Roll will be taken whenever campers are moved to or from locations.
3. In the event of an accident, a director will travel to the bus site to communicate with parents.
4. If a child gets injured, becomes sick or suffers an allergic reaction, the camp nurse will be contacted immediately. The nurse has access to all health information. For severe emergencies, call 911 immediately.
5. First Aid Kits are kept on the bus at all times.

Please take note of the following rules for safe bus travel, and share them with your camper.

1. **Always listen to staff instructions**
2. **Remain seated at all times, with no portion of the body extending through the windows**
3. **Do not throw anything from vehicle**
4. **Stay away from moving vehicles at bus sites**
5. **Only come towards a vehicle if a staff member calls you for check out.**

I _____, the parent of _____,

Have taken time to discuss these policies with my child, We both agree to seek opportunities to support the motto of Camp Weaver.

Parent Signature

Camper's Signature

