



McGINNIS WOODS
Country Day School

Summer Camp 2019 Frequently Asked Questions

How long is summer camp? Summer camp is 10 weeks long beginning May 28, 2019 and ending on August 2, 2019. You may register for the entire summer OR for 1-week sessions.

Who can I contact about summer camp? Call the school at 770-664-7764 or by email at elementaryschool@mcginniswoods.org.

Specialty Camps: Weekly Specialty Camps such as cooking and swimming will be available at an additional fee.

Are there part-time programs available? We have a limited number of part-time programs available for regular camp. Specialty Camps are not available on a part time basis.

Fees for campers:

The following pricing and fee schedule applies to all camp programs:

9-5 PM - \$225/week of camp or \$925/month

Before/After Care - \$50/week (Before 9 AM, After 5 PM)

One Time Fees:

-Summer Camp Fee (includes most field trip fees, camp T-shirt and transportation costs) \$125*

*Summer Camp Fee will be reduced to \$25 for any camper coming for one week *only*, except week 8.

All fees are non-refundable.

Are parents welcome at Summer Camp or on field trips? Parents are always welcome – let us know if you would like to join us. Depending on the number of people attending a trip, you may ride on the school bus or need to drive your own vehicle.

What are the ages of the children? Jr. Camp is for students currently in or entering PreK4&5. The children must be at least 4 years old by the start of camp. Sr. Camp is for current Kindergarten – 8th grade students. The campers will be placed in small groups according to age.

Is my child ready for 1 field trip a week? Our field trips are age-appropriate. Our ratios are low to ensure safety and enjoyment by all. Parents are also always welcome. We stress with the campers that field trips are a privilege.

When does my child need to wear the summer camp T-shirt. Your camper will receive one shirt the first week of camp. Your child must wear the summer camp t-shirt on all field trips. Campers not wearing the t-shirts on a field trip will be given an additional t-shirt and your account will be charged \$15.00. Additional T-shirts may be purchased for \$15.00.

What should my child bring for summer camp? Please bring a labeled: bottle of sun-block, water bottle, hat and complete extra outfit to be kept at school. Please apply sun-block in the morning before coming to camp and we will reapply as needed. LABEL ALL ITEMS!

What is needed for water activities? These activities take place on our turf. Water slides, sprinklers and supervised activities are scheduled for water days. Jr. Campers go to water activities at least twice a week in the afternoon. Sr. Campers will participate in water activities every day at least twice a week. Please provide a LABELED bag, swimsuit, water shoes and towel daily.

How will I know updated information? You will have access to Renweb, the district code is MCGW-GA and the username is your email. Once logged on you will be able to view our website to see the latest information on summer camp classes, field trips, email the teachers or elementary administration. Field trips will be added to the website once confirmed. A weekly newsletter will also be sent home.

How should my child dress for camp? Your child may wear any school-appropriate clothes that are comfortable. They **must wear sneakers or closed toed and heeled shoes** for safety and comfort – no sandals are allowed. Bring a pair of water shoes that are labeled for water play! Please keep a complete change of clothes labeled with your child's name at school at all times. Toys are not permitted unless we have a designated day for Show and Tell.

What are the hours? McGinnis Woods is open from 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Summer Camp Hours are from 9:00a.m.- 5:00p.m. Before and after care are available for \$50 a week. Summer Camp begins in the elementary building at 9:00am. On field trip days, the children must be here by the scheduled departure time or they will miss the trip. Elementary building hours are 8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Children arriving before or after these hours should be dropped off or picked up in the preschool building. Please check in and out daily on the computer at the front.

Are lunch and/or breakfast included? Yes, meals and snacks at the school are included, unless noted. Some field trips require a nutritious sack lunch and drink be brought from home. In order to enjoy the breakfast snack, the children must be enrolled in before care and in the preschool by 7:30 a.m. Because we are a licensed facility, children may not bring snacks unless a note from a doctor is on file.

How do I register?

New students: complete the Summer Camp registration form and Application as soon as possible. Space is limited and is on a first-come basis. Application, Emergency Information Form and Immunization Forms must be submitted.

Currently enrolled students: complete & turn in the Summer Camp Registration Form with \$125 summer camp fee.

What is the cancellation policy?

There is a \$110 cancellation fee per week for dropping session(s) after you enroll. A 2 week notice of cancellation must be in writing and handed in to administration or emailed. There is no refund for any camp unless proper, timely notification policy is followed.

We are looking forward to a great summer at McGinnis Woods! We hope this helps with any questions you may have. Please let us know if you have any other questions.