

Camper Behavioral Contract

Every child has the right to have a very positive and enriching experience while attending camp. Clear rules and limits for the campers will be set at the beginning of each camp session and reviewed regularly.

However, we occasionally run across discipline problems during the summer. It is essential that parents and camp staff work together on this issue to encourage positive behavior for all of our campers. Listed below is our discipline policy, please review with your child before arriving at camp.

Campers are expected to be courteous and friendly to all campers and staff members. Improper language, name calling, bullying, fighting, stealing, and disrespect to others will not be tolerated. We reserve the right to remove a camper from camp or program for improper behavior without a refund.

Camp Staff will make every effort to redirect negative behavior. But if the negative behavior persists:

1. **1st violation:** A staff member will address and document the issue clearly with the child. The child may be removed from an activity (swimming, archery, arts & crafts, etc.), for an hour or the day.
2. **2nd violation:** A staff member will address and document the issue directly with the child. The parent or guardian will receive a phone call and be informed of the child's actions. The parent, Counselor, and Camp Director will decide on a course of action.
3. **3rd violation:** A staff member will address and document the issue directly with the child. Parents will be contacted to immediately pick-up their child from camp. There will be no refund given to families whose child was removed from the camp population due to behavior concerns.

****Note:** Any child causing intentional harm to another camper, staff member, camp property or wildlife will be dismissed from the camp program immediately.

I have reviewed and discussed the Camper Behavior Contract and agree to follow it to the best of my ability.

Camper's Signature

Date

Parent's Signature

Date