

CAMP ADLER 2021 FAQ

What new health and safety measures can we expect at the Adler Arts Center?

Please review our [Summer Health and Safety Procedures](#).

Who can attend Camp Adler?

Camp Adler is open to children ages 5-11. Campers must be of the appropriate age on the start date of the session they are registering for. Youth entering grades 7-10 may apply for our Junior Counselor Program.

Where does the camp take place?

Camp Adler takes place at the Adler Arts Center. Camp classes take place in outdoor classrooms whenever possible. In the event of extreme heat or heavy rain, all camp activities will be conducted indoors.

How does camp insurance work?

To give families additional flexibility and peace of mind, Camp Adler will offer camp insurance this year. Camp insurance is \$135 per child and covers all three sessions of camp. Purchase insurance for each camper when you enroll. If your plans change before June 7 and you need to withdraw from camp, your tuition will be refunded no questions asked. Conversely, if the Adler Arts Center experiences a coronavirus closure, you will receive a prorated refund.

What is your 2021 refund policy?

Tuition and extended care fees are **non-refundable**. We recommend purchasing camp insurance.

Can my child enroll in half-day camp?

No. In years past, we offered half-day spots once our full-day enrollment was complete. Due to the limited number of full-time spaces for summer 2021, we will not be able to accommodate any half-day campers.

Can my camper build their own schedule?

No. This summer, students will remain with their squad throughout the entire camp day. Faculty will visit each squad's classroom to provide age-appropriate curricula in art, music, and drama. This is an important change that will keep our campers in small groups throughout the day, allow for social distance within squads and help our counselors and faculty better-enforce health and safety measures.



What is the Junior Counselor Program?

The Junior Counselor Program is designed to offer young teens entering 7th – 10th grade an opportunity to learn the basics of being a camp counselor. For more information, please visit our [Junior Counselor Program](#) site.

How are campers divided into Squads?

Campers are divided into coed squads based on age. Each Squad is capped at 12 campers for health and safety. We are unable to guarantee that friends or siblings will be in the same squad in 2021.

Who staffs the camp?

4 camp counselors, 4 faculty, and the Camp Director.

Will there be a performance at the end of each session?

We will not hold public performances at the end of each session in 2021. Students will display their work in an outdoor public art gallery, and photos and videos will be shared daily via social media. Campers will enjoy classroom celebrations and games on the final day of each session.

What should my child bring to camp?

Two clean masks, water bottle, packed lunch labeled with camper's name, backpack or small bag, insect repellent, sunscreen.

What should my child NOT bring to camp?

Personal electronics, toys, cellular phones.

Do you allow nut items at camp?

Due to allergies and dietary restrictions, please do not bring nuts, nut products, chocolate, legumes or any type of fish to camp.

May I send treats with my camper to share with the other children?

As many of our campers have allergies, please do not send any food for your camper to share.

What kind of medical and emergency information do you need for my child?

If your child is currently taking any over the counter or prescription medication, a Medication Information Form must be filled out. The Adler Center may only administer medications if we have this form on file. Please list any allergies on your registration form in the medical section. If your child has an IEP or 504 Plan, please provide a copy so we can better facilitate the instruction of your child.



Do you administer first aid? How do you handle emergency situations?

Minor bruises, bumps, bug bites, and wounds will be taken care of at camp. If anything more serious arises, we will contact you immediately. If emergency care is required, we will call an ambulance, which will go to the closest medical facility.

What should my child wear to camp?

All campers should bring an art smock or an old t-shirt to protect their clothes. Water games are often played during squad time, so we recommend sending an extra change of clothes in case they get wet.

Can I visit during camp hours?

Visitors are not allowed at camp this summer.

What are your drop-off and pick-up procedures and attendance policies?

Drop off begins at 8:45am. Pick up begins at 4pm. If your camper will be absent or late, please contact the Adler Center office at (847)367-0707 or damac@adlercenter.org. If your camper will arrive late, or leave early for any reason, please come to the reception desk to sign-in/out.

