



SUMMER CAMP PROGRAM FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

This PDF contains all the essential information you need to apply for financial assistance for our summer camp program. Below, you'll find details on eligibility criteria, the application process, deadlines, and required documentation. We are committed to making our camp accessible to all families and ensuring every child has the opportunity to enjoy a memorable summer with us.

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Please read the following information carefully to ensure your application is reviewed:

- We begin accepting financial aid applications on February 1st, 2025.
- Do not register your child online if you need financial aid. Registering your child for a specific week of camp before scholarships are awarded will not guarantee funding assistance for that specific week (regardless of the status of your scholarship application). Registering for camp before you have heard from the financial aid committee is not necessary and it does not increase the chances of receiving a scholarship.
- The camp scholarship program is solely based on financial need. The more specific you can be about your financial situation and/or need for financial aid, the quicker the financial aid committee will be able to evaluate your application.
- Limited funds are available. Scholarships are awarded in various amounts; not all aid is equivalent to full camp fees.
- Scholarship requests will be reviewed by the financial aid committee and camp leadership team. Information is confidential and is treated as such. After review, scholarship recipients will be notified by email and must accept the scholarship award to proceed with registering for camp.
- Be sure to fill out the application in its entirety. Applications missing information and supplemental financial documents will not be reviewed. You must specify weeks of attendance and extended care needs on the application.
- In addition to the financial aid application, full tax returns are preferred, but acceptable documents also include bank statements, pay stubs, letters from employer, and/or confirmation of government assistance.
- Camp scholarships are to a specific individual and are not transferable to other youths.
- Scholarships cannot be combined with any other offers or discounts.
- Completed paperwork should be emailed to summercamp@gwya.org or dropped off at the Front Desk for SUMMER CAMP.