



## *an urban oasis*

Our location on the edge of the Wissahickon Valley Park is a place where kids can be kids. Summerside Camps provides a true outdoor experience unlike any other camp in the city. Campers can connect with nature - hike in the woods, splash in the creek, learn our local ecology and discover new moments inspired by our environment.

Our wilderness experiences build confidence and empower kids to love our earth. With over 50 miles of trails, woods, meadows and the Wissahickon Creek running through our backyard, campers are encouraged to develop a passion for lifelong outdoor adventure and an appreciation for nature.

## *a circle of friends*

Summerside Camps provide a place where children and teens will build friendships to last a lifetime. Although our campus spans over 62 acres, our camper community is tight-knit and heartfelt. We are committed to being an inclusive environment where everyone is welcome and can be themselves. Staff and campers know each others names and come together to celebrate summer at camp-wide programs such as talent shows, sporting events and weekly BBQs.

Summerside is a place where campers can feel comfortable, connect with one another and make unforgettable memories.

## *a dedicated team*

Our experienced staff ensures campers are safe, happy and having the best summer. Summerside's full-time directors are dedicated to creating an environment where campers will flourish and have fun. Our Directors' goal is to offer programming that strengthens campers' confidence and provides an inclusive community.

Springside Chestnut Hill Academy faculty lead many of our camps. Our instructors have a passion for encouraging children to reach their potential. Our trained coaches build teamwork, sportsmanship and work with every camper-athlete to improve skills and build confidence in their abilities.





all the sides  
of summer

## endless possibilities

We offer over 30 different weekly options from sports to science, arts, wilderness, digital gaming and tons of good old fashioned fun. Campers from Pre-K to 8th grade have access to **SPRINGSIDE CHESTNUT HILL ACADEMY'S** state-of-the-art facilities such as our award winning robotics lab, eight athletic fields and our innovative maker space. For a complete list of all of our camps visit [summersidecamps.org](http://summersidecamps.org).

*Our mission is to inspire children to be children. By having fun, building friendships, and discovering new passions, campers gain life-long skills to become independent, confident individuals.*

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