



2024

**Williamsburg Northside
Summer Camp Program
Wild LIFE Explorers!**

(July 1 - August 23)

This summer, campers will take a trip through some of our earth's most amazing biomes: Aquatic (oceans and seas), rainforests, deserts, and forests! Campers will explore the vast differences in climate, flora, and fauna, within these diverse ecosystems in their classrooms and our rooftop garden, while also being treated to a daily dose of unstructured gross motor time on our spacious rooftop playground. This includes our water and sprinkler setup as well!



Summer Camp Sessions

Session 1 (July 1-July 12)

Aquatic

Our first camp session will dig into all that our oceans and seas have to offer. Through a myriad of art, sensory, and science explorations, campers will learn about the countless animals that inhabit these bodies of water, and how they float, move, and breathe in these waters.

Session 2 (July 15-July 26)

Desert

Through sensory explorations of desert soil and climate, campers will learn about the desert biome which covers nearly 1/3 of the earth's land mass. Campers will also engage in investigations that will serve to deepen their understanding of how desert flora collects and holds water throughout the longest droughts.

Session 3 (July 29-August 9)

Forest (Rainforest/Temperate Deciduous)

Forests are home to over 80% of the world's land-based animals, plants and insects, and can vary in composition from humid rainforests, to the temperate deciduous forest that our home, New York City, is home to. Deepening their explorations of soil composition and climate from session 2, in session 3 campers will dig into the unique terrain and climate of the earth's forests, paying special attention to the myriad of wildlife (especially insects!) that call this ecosystem home. As part of this session, campers will participate in a hands-on workshop in building their very own forest terrarium!

Session 4 (August 12-August 23)

Grasslands

Grasslands, both tropical and temperate, cover nearly half of the earth's surface and are marked by minimal trees and shrubs, and distinct dry and wet periods. Continuing their work in our rooftop garden, in the final session of camp, children will solidify their understanding of the relationships between flora and fauna within an ecosystem by creating their very own!



Enrichment Offerings and Descriptions

WR Arts

Rooted in Williamsburg, WR Arts will be in residency at Northside Summer Camp for the 2024 season! To learn more about creative movement with WR Arts [click here](#).

Music and Movement

Through music and movement campers will explore the flora and fauna of each designated biome. This will include experimenting with the ways in which they can move their body like a variety of animals and even mimic their sounds. Paired with a focus on creative self-expression, campers will explore basic music concepts, such as rhythm, pitch, and tempo.

Williamsburg Soccer Club

The soccer classes are designed to provide a fun and enjoyable introduction to soccer for young children. Our goal is to impart the fundamental skills and techniques necessary for playing soccer and to foster a love for the game. To learn more about WSC [click here](#).

Sports

Campers will build their body awareness, balance, coordination, strength, and self-esteem through a variety of sports adventures. They will learn the importance of teamwork, delegation, and how their position in a space affects others.

Gardening

Through hands-on engagement in Northside's Rooftop Community Garden campers of all ages will have the opportunity to explore nature by working cooperatively to plant flowers and crops, care for them, and eventually, harvest the fruits of their labor! Studies show that children who actively participate in gardening activities in the early years gain critical gross and fine motor skills, challenge their scientific reasoning, and develop positive associations with healthy food while also learning how to slow down and manage stress. We are looking forward to a plentiful season of growing on the roof!

Field Day Fridays

On each Friday of the summer, campers will be challenged with a new and exciting structured gross motor exploration. This will range from STEAM activities like cardboard boat races, to water balloon ring tosses!



Summer Camp Special Events: (to name a few)

- WNP Field Day Fridays
- Bounce Castle Water Play
- Splash Pads
- Animal Encounters - (Live animal visits)
- Cardboard Boat Races
- Camp Sing-a-longs
- Water Balloon Toss
- Popsicle Party
- Tie-dye Party
- Obstacle Course
- Spirit Day
- Wacky & Wild Day (where your wacky hair, socks, clothing, hats to camp)
- Cooking with Northside's Community Kitchen
- Mudding - Dirt, Water & Sand Sensory Play in Rooftop Garden

**(a complete summer calendar of events will be posted in the spring)*

Camp Facts

Class Sizes & Ratios

- Class sizes will range from 8 to 14 depending on the age of the children
- Each class will be assigned one Head Counselor and a minimum of one Assistant Counselor

Additional information

- Diapers, wipes sun lotion are provided by school
- All meals and snacks will be provided by Northside's Community Kitchen and prepared by the head chef and kitchen team.
- We are a nut-free school!
- Each class will have a designated area on the first floor for stroller/scooter/bicycle parking during the camp day
- Transition schedules for campers who are new to Northside can be discussed with your child's counselor and/or Amanda DiMeo the Head of the Preschool prior to the first day of camp
- Arrival/Dismissal
- Arrival will be 8:30am

Clothing & Gear

- All campers will have a cubby space in which to keep...
- A change of clothes, a pair of water shoes, sneakers, a bathing suit, a towel, and other items

Nap & Rest

Sleeping is not mandatory, but all children will be given the space and time to rest their bodies and minds in a dark, peaceful environment. Nap/rest periods are age specific.



Tuition and Schedule Options Per Rising Grade Level

Full Day = 8:30am - 3:30pm || Half Day = 8:30am - 12:00pm

Rising Grade Level By Birth Year

Rising 2s - (2022)

Rising 3s - (2021)

Rising PK - (2020)

Rising K - (2019)

Rising 1st & 2nd - (2018 & 2017)

Rising 2s Schedule Options and Tuition

			M-Th	M-Th	T/W/Th	T/W/Th	T/Th	T/Th
Registration by Week	5 Full Day	5 Half Day	4 Full Day	4 Half Day	3 Full Day	3 Half Day	2 Full Day	2 Half Day
7/1 - 7/3	\$610	\$455	\$610	\$455	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
7/8 - 7/12	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
7/15 - 7/19	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
7/22 - 7/26	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
7/29 - 8/2	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
8/5 - 8/9	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
8/12 - 8/16	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
8/19 - 8/23	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455	\$410	\$310
Summer 7/1 - 8/23	\$6,665	\$5,005	\$5,755	\$4,305	\$4,880	\$3,640	\$3,280	\$2,480
Full Summer Discount 7%	\$6,200	\$4,655	\$5,350	\$4,005	\$4,540	\$3,385	\$3,050	\$2,305

Rising 3s Schedule Options and Tuition

			M-Th	M-Th	T/W/Th	T/W/Th
Registration by Week	5 Full Day	5 Half Day	4 Full Day	4 Half Day	3 Full Day	3 Half Day
7/1 - 7/3	\$610	\$455	\$610	\$455	\$610	\$455
7/8 - 7/12	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
7/15 - 7/19	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
7/22 - 7/26	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
7/29 - 8/2	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
8/5 - 8/9	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
8/12 - 8/16	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
8/19 - 8/23	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550	\$610	\$455
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Rising Grade Level By Birth Year

Rising 2s - (2022)

Rising 3s - (2021)

Rising Pre-K - (2020)

Rising K - (2019)

Rising 1st & 2nd - (2018 & 2017)

Rising Pre-K Schedule Options and Tuition

Registration by Week	5 Full Day	5 Half Day	M-Th	M-Th
			4 Full Day	4 Half Day
7/1 - 7/3	\$610	\$455	\$610	\$455
7/8 - 7/12	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
7/15 - 7/19	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
7/22 - 7/26	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
7/29 - 8/2	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
8/5 - 8/9	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
8/12 - 8/16	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
8/19 - 8/23	\$865	\$650	\$735	\$550
Summer 7/1 - 8/23	\$6,665	\$5,005	\$5,755	\$4,305
Full Summer Discount 7%	\$6,200	\$4,655	\$5,350	\$4,005

K/1st/2nd Schedule Options and Tuition

Registration by Week	5 Full Day	M-Th
		4 Full Day
7/1 - 7/3	\$610	\$610
7/8 - 7/12	\$865	\$735
7/15 - 7/19	\$865	\$735
7/22 - 7/26	\$865	\$735
7/29 - 8/2	\$865	\$735
8/5 - 8/9	\$865	\$735
8/12 - 8/16	\$865	\$735
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Full Summer Discount 7%	\$6,200	\$5,350



Registration Fees and Refund Policy

Registrations Received By 3/31

- \$100 deposit per session due during registration
- Installments due 4/15, 5/15, 6/15
- Families may pay in full during registration if preferred

Registrations Received Between 4/1 and 4/30

- \$200 deposit per session due during registration
- Installments due 5/15, 6/15
- Families may pay in full during registration if preferred

Registrations Received after 4/30

- Full amount due during registration

Refund Policy

- Up to June 1st, if a cancellation is made families may receive a full refund (minus a \$50 change fee)
- Cancellation up to 14 days prior to the start date: families may receive a 50% a refund (minus a \$50 change fee)