

Frequently Asked Questions BASE Camp

Is there a Camp Handbook?

Yes, the handbook can be found on-line at www.sbschools.org, under Community Education. It will be available after June 15, 2016

How are the groups made?

The children are grouped at the following levels:

- Grades 1 & 2
- Grades 3, 4, & 5

Each group will be assigned a letter and color.

Does my child need to bring lunch or snack to camp?

This summer, enrollment in BASE Camp includes **a hot or cold lunch** at no additional cost provided by Chartwells Food Service .

To view the lunch menu, go to www.sbschools.nutrislice.com and choose Elementary Schools, and then Brunswick Acres School. Menus for June and July are available to view now.

- On days **when your child eats lunch at BASE Camp**, your child will make his/her **selection on the lunch line**. You do not pre-order lunch.
- **On most trip days, a cold bagged lunch** will be prepared for your child. You will need to **pre-order your child's cold lunch for trip days by the day before the trip**. Place your order online using the website above. If you do not pre-order, your child will be given the vegetarian option.

If your child does not want to participate in the lunch program, you must bring your child's lunch in a brown paper bag with his/her name clearly marked.

When there is a field trip, and my child doesn't want to attend, will someone remain at camp?

There will always be some groups at the building – your child may remain behind at camp. Please inform camp staff at least 2 days before the trip. **(Over)**

When does my child need to wear a camp t-shirt?

Your child needs to wear their t-shirt on all field trips. This helps the staff to easily identify the BASE camp students.

When will my child receive their camp shirt?

T-shirts will be distributed during the first week of the first session that your child attends. Each camper will receive one t-shirt for the summer.

What if my child takes medication?

All of you received paperwork re: camp in the mail. A medical release form was included in that packet. You must submit this form to the camp Nurse in order for your camper to be allowed to take their medications.

Does this pertain to over-the-counter medication?

Yes, any medication, whether doctor prescribed or over-the-counter, needs to be taken with the Nurse's supervision. And, you need to submit the medical release forms for over-the-counter meds as well.

Will field trips always return before 4:00?

We will make every effort to arrive back at Brunswick Acres by 4:00 on afternoon trip days; traffic in Central Jersey does not always allow us to accomplish this.

How will I know who my child's counselors are?

Photos of all camp staff will be posted on the camp bulletin board near the building entrance. Also, all staff are required to wear a district issued badge to identify them as district staff.

What is the camp contact number?

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