

GENERAL INFORMATION

AGES

Children who have completed Kindergarten through 5th grade (2023-24 school year) and will be entering 1st grade through 6th grade for the 2024-25 school year. Summer Care is open to the community.

DAYS/HOURS

Monday — Friday, 7:30A — 5:30P

Week 1 – May 28-31 (closed May 27 for Memorial Day)

Week 2 – June 3-7

Week 3 – June 10-14

Week 4 – June 17-21

Week 5 – June 24-28

Week 6 – July 1-3 (closed July 4 & 5)

Week 7 – July 8-12

Week 8 – July 15-19

Week 9 – July 22-26

Week 10 – July 29-Aug 2

LOCATION

3601 South Staley Road, Champaign, IL 61822

COST

1. **Part-Time Care**

\$145 per week, per child (3 days per week).

You must specify which 3 days on registration form.

2. **Full-Time Care**

\$190 per week, per child (4+ days per week).

3. **Holiday Week**

\$165 per week, per child for full time care. Week 1 we will be closed Monday for the holiday.

4. All payments will be made online at [SUMMER CARE PAYMENTS](#)

CHANGES

Upon submission of your form, you may make changes without approval from the Summer Care Director. We understand that schedules change, however, transportation and available space will determine the feasibility on our end to accommodate requested changes.

DEPOSIT

A NON-REFUNDABLE deposit of one week's camp, per child is due by Sunday, April 28. For example, if you register one child for 5 weeks of Full

Time Summer Care, your deposit due by April 28 is \$190 to reserve your spot. For 2 children for 5 weeks of Full Time Care, the deposit due by April 28 is \$380. Deposits are applied to your account balance as the final week of camp.

PAYMENTS

Payments are due by 9:00A Monday the week your child is attending.

DIRECTOR

Elaine Stone
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WHAT TO EXPECT

CHECK IN

Check in begins at 7:30A at the entrance of the Playground. You may not enter the building before 7:30A. At 8:30A check-in will move to the Warehouse (Room 155). For safety, parents must walk their children in and sign them in every day.

CHECK OUT

Parents must come in to check their children out and exit the building by 5:30P from the Playground or Warehouse. If your child needs to be changed for an activity after Summer Care, please bring items with them in the morning so they can change during our final Warehouse time and let a staff member know. If we are not in the Warehouse or on the Playground a sign with our location will be posted on the Warehouse doors.

The person picking up must present a valid photo ID or key tag **EVERY DAY** and be listed on the check in sheet for release of the child. If you would like to request a key tag, please ask at Check In. This is for your child's safety.

If the person picking up the child is not listed on the check in sheet, a phone call will be made for verification to the person who dropped the child off that morning. If children are picked up late from Summer Care, there is a \$5/minute late fee assessed that must be paid by the following drop off.

DOOR CODE

The door code will be sent in the weekly email the week prior to attending camp to gain access to the Breezeway/Playground. This will be active from 7:30A - 5:30P.

WHAT TO BRING

Campers should bring a Bible, lunch, refillable water bottle, sleeping bag/blanket, pillow, an extra pair of clothes INCLUDING UNDERWEAR AND SOCKS, and a pair of tennis shoes (unless tennis shoes are worn every day). Each child will have a basket to keep their personal items in during the week and items may be left in these baskets. All items must go home on Fridays.

CELL PHONE POLICY

Children are not allowed to have cell phones during Summer Care. We want the children to be actively involved in all activities.

LUNCH/SNACK

Campers should bring their lunch each day. Please do not send microwaveable items. If a camper wishes to pack his/her own snack he/she can, however, a snack is provided twice a day. Candy may not be brought as a snack.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Electronics and cell phones should not be brought to camp. If your child needs to have a cell phone for afterhours activities, it should be checked in with the staff and picked up with the child. For wheels day, campers may bring scooters, bikes, skateboards, roller blades, or other wheeled items. It is the responsibility of the parent to send safety items (helmets, wrist guards, etc.) and the responsibility of the camper to wear them. FIRST is NOT responsible for any lost, damaged, or stolen property.

MEDICATIONS

Medications will be stored in a locked box. A medication release must be signed, and the medication must be in the original labeled container with the camper's name. The parent/legal guardian must give the medication directly to the Summer Care Staff. A medication log will be kept with the date and time given.

FIELD TRIPS/SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

The costs of all field trips and activities are included in your Summer Care cost.

SICKNESS POLICY

If your child has a fever, green or yellow discharge, vomiting, diarrhea, new cough, or other communicable symptoms in the past 24 hours, please keep them home until they are 24 hours symptom free WITHOUT the aid of acetaminophen or ibuprofen.

SUMMER CARE RULES

1. Respect, obey, and stay with staff.
2. THINK before you speak. (Is it TTrue? Is it HHelpful? Is it IInspiring? Is it NNecessary? Is it KKind?)
3. Respect property and others.
4. Control your body.
5. Be a decent human being.

Failure to comply with these rules will result in natural consequences, removal from group activities, conversations with the Director, or parent notification. If the issue persists, the parent will be notified, and the child may be dismissed from the program with no refund.

WEEKLY EMAIL

You will receive an email the week before your camper is scheduled for camp that will include the details for the week. Theme, field trip, special announcements, and schedule changes will be noted in this email. Please be sure to read through it!

SCHEDULE

GENERAL DAILY SCHEDULE

7:30-8:30A	Playground
8:30A-9:00A	Team Meeting (Rules/Announcements/Music)
9:00A-10:00A	Bible (Worship/Bible Lesson/Small Group/Snack)
10:00A-11:00A	Morning Activities* (all together like wheels or Activity #1)
11:00A-12:00P	Lunch/Outside Recess
12:00-12:15P	Silent Reading
12:15-1:00P	Rest (Music/Silent Free Time/Educational Video)
1:00-3:00P	Afternoon Activities* (Activity # 2 and #3 or Water Day)
3:00-3:30P	Team Building (Snack/Summer Care Jobs/Music)
3:30-4:30P	Free Choice (Board Games/Puzzles/Science Kits/Cards/Table Toys/Coloring)
4:30-5:30P	Playground

Based on activities offered, times may be shifted. Generally, to get the most from Summer Care, kids should be in attendance from 8:45A-3:30P to not miss out on activities. Many kids are sad when they miss Snack, Playground, or Free Choice time, please communicate to your child if you are picking them up early or consider running an errand childfree.

*Morning and Afternoon Activities include arts and crafts, field trips, STEM, special activities, games, projects, etc. Times may slightly vary based on activities.

DAILY SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

The weekly email will include special things specific to that week of camp.

MOVIE MONDAY

To kick off our week and ease back into our routine, we will start with a movie and popcorn. The movie we show will relate to the weekly theme. We will only show G or PG rated movies.

WATER FUN TUESDAY

In the afternoon, we will break out the hoses and have some water fun. Activities may include slip 'n slide, water games, sprinklers, slip 'n slide kickball, water balloons, water races, etc. Be sure to pack a swimsuit (girls' swimsuits should cover their midriff - no bikinis please), water shoes or flip flops, and a towel.

FIELD TRIP WEDNESDAY

Summer Care will take one off site field trip or have a special activity brought into the building. The cost of this trip/activity is included in your fees. Summer Care reserves the right to cancel or change the date due to scheduling issues, bad weather, or unforeseen circumstances.

WHEELS DAY THURSDAY

Kids are invited to bring their scooters, bikes, skateboards, roller skates, and other wheeled outdoor items. We will close off the Curtis Road parking lot and let them enjoy the outdoors with free play that morning. Please send any safety gear you wish for your child to use - helmets, wrist guards, etc.

FOODIE FRIDAY

Kids will participate in a cooking/food prep activity that focuses on food safety and fun in the kitchen.

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT

REGISTRATION FORM

Registration **MUST** be completed online using the **REGISTRATION FORM**. You must complete the Camper Information Form for each child. Once your registration has been received you will receive a confirmation email.

The online registration form must be filled out completely to be processed, please enter N/A if the question is not applicable to your child. Each child must have their own registration form completed.

PAYMENTS

Deposits and payments must be made using the online **PAYMENT FORM**. Please be sure to include your Camper's Name on the form.

Weekly balances must be paid online by 9A Monday. Summer Care Staff can **NOT** take credit card payments.