

First Day Jitters at Camp

The first day of camp can be quite a stressful experience for the parent and the children, especially for our younger campers. We do our very best to help make things as smooth as possible, and hopefully, by letting you know what to expect, you can help too. Please take a moment to read over this primer and let us know if you have any questions.

Camp Hours

Begin at 7:30 am and end at 6:30 pm. Please do not drop your child off any earlier than 7:30 am and please be mindful that we close at 6:30 pm.

Parking

Our parking lot is to the east of the Quillian Gym. The entrance to this lot is on Westcenter Drive.

Drop-Off

Monday Drop-Off: On Monday's, there will be check in tables outside of the gymnasium doors where children will be checked in with their counselors.

The remainder of the week, Tuesday through Friday, campers must be checked in at gymnasium office with an Administrator on Duty.

Pick Up

When picking up your child, please park in a designated space, not along the curb. There will be a check out table in front of the gym. Show your ID to the staffer on duty. We will then radio for your camper to be escorted out of the building. After 5:30 pm, parents must walk inside to check their camper out for the day. If at anytime you need to come inside of the center, please go into the Quillian gymnasium and check in at the front desk with an Administrator on Duty who will be happy to help you.

The Split

From 7:30 am to 8:00 am is general arrival. Starting at 8:00 am we begin to split our campers up. Our younger campers (Group 1 & 2) will go to the playground and our older campers (Group 3, 4, & Teen) will go to the gym. This will occur from 8:00 am to 9:00 am and then we will begin our program starting at 9:00 am. From 9:00 am to 4:00 pm the campers will enjoy an array of activities to keep them busy! Starting at 4:00 pm we will have indoor activities and swimming available from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm. The remainder of the day will be focused on final parent pick up and cleaning up to get ready for the next camp day!

Contact

If you need to reach the Quillian offices, you may contact us at 713-458-4707.

The first day of camp can be hectic with late registrations, snack purchases, addressing special needs and apprehensive campers. Please, if you can, don't wait until the first day of camp to take care of these things. All registrations, snack and lunch purchases can be done all online at www.quilliancenter.org. If your child has additional needs that need to be discussed (i.e., medication), please email Beverly Okosun at bokosun@quilliancenter.org where she can further assist you.

Thank You, Quillian Staff