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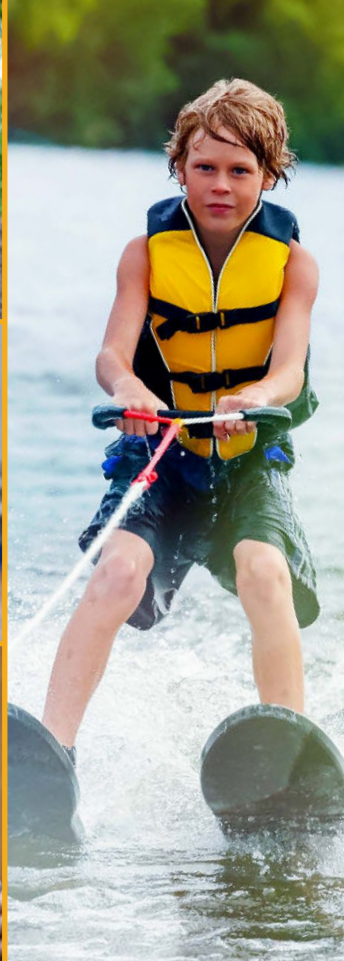
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Chaparral Ice Summer Camp Age 5-14
Austin | (512) 252-8500
chaparralice.com

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athletics.concordia.edu

Crowe's Nest Farm Age 5-11
Austin | (512) 272-4418
crowesnestfarm.org

UT Sports Camps Ages Vary
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texassports.com

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campotx.com

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Pine Cove Summer Camps Age 10-16
Columbus | (800) 474-6326
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Camp Rio Vista Age 6-16
Ingram | (830) 367-5353
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vistacamps.com

Kickapoo Kamp Age 7-17
Kerrville | (210) 690-8361
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Marble Falls | (830) 693-2267
campiscool.com

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Marble Falls | (830) 598-2571
campchampions.com

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Marble Falls | (800) 848-1731
camppeniel.org

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newktennis.com/texas-adventure-camp

Camp Doublecreek Age 4-14
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**Round Rock Express
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Alamo Volleyball Ages Vary
San Antonio | (210) 499-5620
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All-Star Sports Camps Age 5-14
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soccerzonetexas.com

Contact Football Camps Age 8-18
San Antonio | (800) 433-6060
contactfootball.com

The Factory of Champions Ages Vary
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factoryofchampions.com

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Olympian Fencing Ages Vary
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olympianfencing.com

San Antonio Zoo Adventures Gr. K-8
San Antonio | (210) 734-7184
sazoo.org

Seaworld Adventure Camp Age 3-18
San Antonio | (800) 700-7786
seaworld.org

UTSA Athletics Camps Ages Vary
San Antonio | goutsa.com

YMCA of Greater San Antonio Age 6-16
San Antonio | (800) 765-9622
ymcasatx.org

**Seguin Outdoor
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facebook.com/SeguinOutdoorLearningCenter

Camp Lonehollow Age 7-16
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lonehollow.com

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rockyriverranch.com





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Austin | (512) 331-7806
austininternationalschool.org

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Austin & San Antonio | bitsbytesbots.com
Austin - (512) 415-4120
San Antonio - (210) 745-8123

Digital Media Academy Age 7-17
Austin | (866) 656-3342
digitalmediaacademy.org

ID Tech Computer Camp Age 7-17
Austin | (888) 709-8324
idtech.com

Mad Science Age 6-12
Austin & San Antonio
austin.madscience.org

Odyssey School Summer Camp Gr 4-9
Austin | (512) 472-2262 | odysseyschool.com

The Thinkery Ages 4-10
Austin | (512) 469-6200 | thinkeryaustin.org

VentureLab
Austin & San Antonio | (800) 672-5921 |
venturelab.org

Wild Basin Wilderness All Ages
Austin | (512) 327-7622
wildbasin.org

Camp Invention Gr 1-6
Round Rock | (800) 968-4332
campinvention.org

Adventure Camp at the Witte Gr 1-5
San Antonio | (210) 357-1900
wittemuseum.org

Bricks 4 Kidz Age 3+
San Antonio | (210) 803 2676
bricks4kidz.com

Challenger Learning Center Ages 5-16
San Antonio | (210) 486-0000
alamo.edu

**San Antonio Zoo
Adventure Camp** Age 4-9
San Antonio | (210) 734-7184
sazoo.org/education-programs/zoo-camp/

Summer at St Luke's Age 4+
San Antonio | (210) 826-0664
sles-sa.org

Trinity University Tech Camps Age 7-17
San Antonio | 1-888-709-8324
idtech.com

UTSA Camps Gr K-12
San Antonio | (210) 458-5201
utsa.edu/summercamps

Cibolo Nature Center & Farm Age 6-12
Cibolo | (830) 249-4616
cibolo.org

Art, Music, & Drama

Austin School of Film Age 10-19
(512) 236-8877
austinschooloffilm.org

Cafe Monet Age 6+
Austin | (512) 892-3200
cafemonet.org

Capital Music Center Age 5-18
Austin | (512) 458-1933
capmusic.com

Dougherty Arts School Age 3^{1/2} -12
Austin | (512) 974-4000
austintexas.gov

Texas State Band Camps
Middle-High School
San Marcos | (512) 245-3399
txstate.edu/bands

Kids Acting Studio Age 4-18
Austin | (512) 836-5437
kidsactingstudio.com

Kids Sewing Camp Age 5-10
Austin | (512) 459-3961
nwsewingcenter.com

Orpheus Academy of Music Age 5+
Austin & Cedar Park | (512) 231-8999
orpheusacademy.com

Rock Camp USA Age 5-19
Austin | (512) 476-7666
rockcampusa.com

RTF Filmmaking Camps Gr. 7-12
Austin | (512) 471-6617
rtf.utexas.edu/camps

Salvage Vanguard Theater Age 6-16
Austin | (512) 474-7886
salvagevanguard.org

Stunt Ranch Age 8+
Austin | (512) 843-3867
stuntranch.com

VSA Arts of Texas Age 8-22
Austin | (512) 454-9912
artsparktx.org

Zachary Scott Theatre Camp Age 7-15
Austin | (512) 476-0541
zachtheatre.org

Boerne Community Theatre Age 8-14
Boerne | (830) 249-9166
boernetheatre.org

Georgetown Palace Theatre Age 7-12
Georgetown | (512) 868-SHOW
georgetownpalace.com

Acting Up Creative Drama Academy
Age 14-17 | San Antonio | (210) 508-5894
actingupcda.com

Artworks Summer Camps Age 4-12
San Antonio | (210) 826-2787
artworksartstudio.com

Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center
Age 7-17 | San Antonio | (210) 271-3151
guadalupeculturalarts.org

Little Brushes at Pinot's Palette Age 4+
San Antonio | (210) 832-8004
pinotspalette.com

Magik Theatre Camp Age 5-17
San Antonio | (210) 227-2751
magiktheatre.org

Southwest School of Art Age 3+
San Antonio | (210) 224-1848
swschool.org

UTSA Music Camps Gr. 6-12
San Antonio | (210) 458-4354
utsamusiccamps.com

Woodlawn Academy Theater Camps
Age 5-17 | San Antonio | (210) 267-8388
woodlawntheatre.org



Equestrian

Rio Vista Farm Age 7-16
Austin | (512) 247-2303
riovistafarm.net

Switch Willo Stables Age 6-16
Austin | (512) 345-2507
switchwillo.com

Rancho Cortez Age 8-16
Bandera | (830) 796-9339
ranchocortez.com

Sugar & Spice Ranch Camp
Mother/Daughter
Bandera | (830) 460-8487
texashorsecamps.com

Bear Creek Stables Age 7-16
Manhaca | (512) 282-0250
bearcreekstables.com

SunCrest Farm Age 6+
Manor | (512) 797-6220
suncrestfarm.net

Austin Tri-Star Age 6-14
Round Rock | (512) 775-7978
tristarfarm.com

Turkey Creek Stables Basic-Advanced
San Antonio | (210) 494-3080
turkeycreekstablesa.com

Rocky River Ranch Age 7-16
Wimberley | (512) 847-2513
rockyriverranch.com

Faith

Pine Cove Christian Camp Gr. 1-12
Austin | (800) 4PineCove
pinecove.com

Camp Young Judea Age 8-15
Wimberley | (713) 723-8354
cyjtxexas.org

Summer J-Camp Gr. K-12
San Antonio | (210) 302-6820
jccsanantonio.org

Summer at the Hall Age 3+
San Antonio | (210) 483-9100
smhall.org

His Hill Ranch Camp Age 6-18
Comfort | (830) 995-3388
hishill.org

Camp Mystic for Girls Ages Vary
Hunt | (830) 238-4660
campmystic.com

Camp Waldemar Gr. 4-11
Hunt | (830) 238-4821
waldemar.com

Slumber Falls Camp Age 6-18
New Braunfels | (830) 625-2212
slumberfalls.org

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New Braunfels | (830) 620-4263
tbarmcamps.org

Martial Arts

Austin Karate Academy Age 3+
Austin | (512) 335-5425
austinkarateacademy.com

Austin Kenpo Karate Ages Vary
Austin | (512) 459-1806
austinkenpokarate.com

Austin Martial Arts Age 2+
Austin | (512) 698-9591
austinmartialarts.com

Kuk Sool Won of Oak Hill Age 3+
Austin | (512) 899-8710
kswoakhill.com

Sun Dragon Elementary-Middle School
Austin | (512) 416-9735
sundragon.org

Tiger Rock Age 5-12
Austin | (512) 918-8025
northaustinmaf.com

Shaolin Do Kung Fu Ages Vary
Round Rock | (512) 218-8081
texaskungfu.com





Dance & Gymnastics

Alisa's Dance Academy Age 2+
Austin | (512) 327-2150
alisasdanceacademy.com

Capital Gymnastics Age 3-11
Austin | (512) 251-2439
capgym.com

Dance International Age 8-18
Austin | (512) 327-2623
dancein.org

Dancers Workshop Age 3+
Austin | (512) 349-7197
dancersworkshopaustin.com

The Little Gym Austin Age 3+
Austin
thelittlegym.com

National Elite Gymnastics Age 3-12
Austin | (512) 288-9722
neg-usa.com

Capital City Ballet Age 7-11
Austin | (512) 371-1213
capcityballet.org

Star Center Age Vary
Austin | (512) 280-8532
austinstarcenter.com

Tapestry Dance Age 9-12
Austin | (512) 4-RHYTHM
tapestry.org

Platinum Gymnastics Academy
All Ages
Round Rock | (512) 251-2776
platinumgymusa.com

Alamo Gymnastics Center Age 18mo+
San Antonio | (210) 479-8282
alamogymnastics.com

Cheer-riffic Summer Fun Ages Vary
San Antonio | (210) 521-5897
cheerriffic.com

Cynergy Dance Age 3+
San Antonio | (210) 363-3363
cynergydance.com

Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center
Age 7-17 | San Antonio | (210) 271-3151
guadalupeculturalarts.org

The Little Gym - San Antonio Age 3+
San Antonio | (210) 545-3770
thelittlegym.com

**Olympia Gymnastics
& Cheerleading** Age 18mo+
San Antonio | (210) 826-4296
olympiakids.org

United Gymnastics Academy Age 3+
San Antonio | (210) 764-7482
unitedgymnastics.com

Variety Camps

ACC Continuing Education Age 3-18
Austin | (512) 223-5210
austinctc.edu

Austin Waldorf Age 3+
Austin | (512) 288-5942
austinwaldorf.org

Central Market Cooking Camp Age 5+
Austin & San Antonio
centralmarket.com

Club Z 5-12
Austin | (512) 219-0700
zsclubhouse.com

Future Leaders & Inventors Age 11^{1/2}-17
Austin | (512) 459-0258
steppingstoneschool.com

Kent Cummins Magic Camp Age 6-12
Austin | (512) 850-4677
magiccamp.com

Moolah U Business Boot Camp
Age 7-18 | Austin | (512) 443-8851
moolahu.com

My Time Kids Age 3-9
Austin | (512) 925-5915
mytimekids.com

Spicewood Country Day Camp
Age 3^{1/2}-10 | Austin | (512) 346-2992
spicewoodcountry.com

Tutor Time Adventure Camp Gr K-5
Austin | (877) 717-0945
tutortime.com

Wet & Wild Adventure Camp Age 8-15
Austin | (512) 771-3188
wetwildcamp.com

Camp Sunflower Age 3-11
Elgin | (512) 567-1410
facebook.com/CampSunflower

Summer Camp at Sherwood Forest Faire Age 7-15
McDade | (512) 222-8570
sherwoodforestsummercamp.com

The Inside Outside School Camps Age 5-12
Pflugerville | (512) 251-1109
insideoutsideschool.org

Summer Pfun Camp Age 6-15
Pflugerville | (512) 990-6350
pflugervilletx.gov

Alamo Colleges Camps Age 2-18
San Antonio
alamo.edu/sac/summer-camps

Young Chef's Academy Age 4+
San Antonio | (210) 402-0023
youngchefsacademy.com

Special Needs Camps

Bilinguistics Age 3-8
Austin | (512) 480-9573
bilinguistics.com

Improve your child's speech and language skills this summer. Research shows that intensive services best allow your child to maximize progress. Your child will love the art, music, games, and storybooks incorporated into therapy. There are groups of all ages. Your child's goals will be addressed in individual and group therapy. The speech-language pathologists at Bilinguistics speak English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Farsi, Arabic, Hindi, Kannada, Hebrew and Russian.

Spark Summer Camp Age 3-12
Austin | (512) 900-1425
spark-learning.com

Spark Summer Camp welcomes children with autism, Asperger's, ADHD, PDD, and their siblings or friends. The camp will use age-appropriate play activities and community-based learning to help develop your child's communication, social, academic, self-help and play skills.

Camp Periwinkle Age 7-15
Brenham | (713) 807-0191
periwinklefoundation.org

Camp Periwinkle is a week-long summer camp filled with joy for children with cancer and blood disorders and their siblings from Texas Children's Cancer Center.

Camp Xtreme Age 8-21
Burton | (979) 289-3752
tirrffoundation.org

Camp Xtreme believes that every individual, despite physical disability or mobility impairment, has a right to physical recreation, wellness, and participation in sporting activities.

Camp C.A.M.P. Age 5-45
Center Point | (210) 671-5411
campcamp.org

At Camp C.A.M.P., children and adults with disabilities and special health care needs (the majority of campers from Texas, others from across the U.S., and beyond) attend week-long camping sessions held each summer from May through August. C.A.M.P. does its best to ensure that no one is ever turned away based on the severity of their disability or inability of the family to pay.

Camp Summit Age 6+
Dallas | (972) 484-8900
campsummittx.org

Camp Summit is for children with developmental delays (Down syndrome, autism, intellectual disabilities, etc.); physical challenges (cerebral palsy, spina bifida, paralysis, etc.); deafness, blindness, multiple handicaps; or with multiple disabilities ranging from mild to severe.

Texas Elks Camp Age 7-15
Gonzales | (830) 875-2425
texaselkscamp.com

Texas Elks Camp has been serving special needs children since 1987. Children who meet criteria are able to attend at no cost. At Texas Elks Camp, the number one rule is to have fun! Your children learn valuable life skills through a variety of challenging and entertaining activities, including but not limited to art, bowling, music, indoor rock climbing, sports and swimming.

Camp Blessing Texas Age 7+
Houston | (281) 259-5789
camblessing.org

Camp Blessing Texas welcomes persons seven years and older with a primary diagnosis of a physical or mental disability. Camp Blessing Texas also invites all 7-13 siblings of our campers to be campers themselves. Older siblings (age 14+) have the opportunity to volunteer at camp.

Texas Lions Camp Age 7-16
Kerrville | (830) 896-8500
lionscamp.com

Texas Lions Camp is a residential camping facility for children with physical disabilities, type 1 diabetes and cancer. The camp is located on over 500 acres in the beautiful Texas Hill Country, and is designed to introduce the "Can Do" philosophy to children dealing with special medical conditions.

Charis Hills Age 7-18
Sunset | (940) 964-2145
charishills.org

Charis Hills is a Christian summer camp for kids with learning differences and social difficulties such as ADD, ADHD, High-Functioning Autism, Asperger's disorder and other special needs.



Summer Family Fun



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Austin Zoo

Austin | (512) 288-1490
austinzoo.org

Barton Springs Swimming Pool

Austin | (512) 867-3080
austintexas.gov

The Thinkery

Austin | (512) 469-6200
thinkeryaustin.org

Enchanted Rock

Fredericksburg | (830) 685-3636
tpwd.state.tx.us

Volente Beach

Leander | (512) 258-5110
beachsidebillys.com

Natural Bridge Caverns

New Braunfels | (210) 651-6101
naturalbridgecaverns.com

Natural Bridge Wildlife Ranch

New Braunfels | (830) 438-7400
wildliferanchtexas.com

Schlitterbahn Water Park

New Braunfels | (830) 625-2351
schlitterbahn.com

Round Rock Express Baseball

Round Rock | (512) 255-2255
roundrockexpress.com

Guinness Book of Records Museum

San Antonio | (210) 226-2828
ripleys.com

Ripley's Believe It or Not! & Plaza Wax Museum

San Antonio | (210) 224-9299
ripleys.com

The DoSeum

San Antonio | (210) 212-4453
thedoseum.org

San Antonio Missions Baseball

San Antonio | (210) 675-7275
smissions.com

San Antonio Zoo

San Antonio | (210) 734-7184
sazoo.org

Ripley's Haunted Adventure

San Antonio | (210) 226-2828
ripleys.com

Sea World Adventure Park

San Antonio | (800) 700-7786
seaworld.com

Six Flags Fiesta Texas

San Antonio | (210) 697-5050
sixflags.com

Tomb Rider 3D

San Antonio | (210) 226-2828
ripleys.com

Wonder World Park

San Marcos | (512) 392-3760
wonderworldpark.com

North Texas

Six Flags Over Texas

Arlington | (817) 640-8900
sixflags.com

Dallas World Aquarium

Dallas | (214) 720-2224
dwazoo.com

Noble Planetarium

Fort Worth | (817) 255-9300
fwmuseum.org

Dinosaur Valley State Park

Glen Rose | (254) 897-4588
tpwd.texas.gov

Grapevine Vintage Railroad

Grapevine | (817) 410-3185
grapevinetexasusa.com

Great Wolf Lodge

Grapevine | (800) 693-9653
greatwolf.com

East Texas & The Coast

Padre Island National Seashore

Corpus Christi | (361) 949-8173
nps.gov

Texas State Aquarium

Corpus Christi | (800) 477-GULF
texasstateaquarium.org

NASA Space Center Houston

Houston | (281) 244-2100
spacecenter.org

Schlitterbahn Beach

South Padre Island | (956) 772-7873
schlitterbahn.com

West Texas & The Panhandle

Cadillac Ranch

Amarillo
roadsideamerica.com

Palo Duro Canyon

Canyon | (806) 488-2227
tpwd.texas.gov

Big Bend National Park

(432) 477-2251
nps.gov

Monahans Sandhills State Park

Monahans | (432) 943-2092
tpwd.texas.gov

Ten Questions to Ask

What's the camp's philosophy?

Is it one you're comfortable with as a parent? Is it a good match for your child's temperament? Is competition or cooperation emphasized? If it's a camp run by a religious organization, what religious observances or practices are part of the program?

How does the camp recruit, screen and train its staff?

Do counselors have criminal background checks? First aid training?

What about return rates?

How many counselors are returning this year? The American Camp Association (ACA) says that 40-60 percent of the staff returns at most camps. If the number you're given is lower, ask why. How many campers return? Fifty percent is good, and more is better.

What's the ratio of counselors to campers?

ACA guidelines for overnight camps call for a 1:6 ratio for ages 7 and 8, 1:8 for ages 9-14, and 1:10 for ages 15-18. Day camp guidelines call for 1:8 for children ages 6-8; 1:10 for children ages 9-14, and 1:12 for ages 15-18.

How old are the counselors?

The ACA recommends that 80 percent of the staff be 18 or older and that all staffers be at least 16 and a minimum of two years older than the campers they supervise.

What medical staff work at the camp and what backup facilities are nearby?

While most states have regulations for camps, there is no federal oversight of camps' health and safety. The ACA recommends that an overnight camp have a licensed physician or registered nurse on the site every day, and that day camps should have direct phone access. If your child takes medication, has food allergies or a chronic medical condition, be sure you are comfortable that the camp will be able to handle your child's needs.

What is the camp's approach to discipline and how does the camp handle conflicts between campers?

Find out what the camp's rules are and what breaches would result in a camper being sent home. You should be comfortable that the camp's practices are in line with your parenting practices.

What does a typical daily schedule look like?

This will help you decide if your child will be happy with the level of physical activity or the amount of time devoted to arts and crafts. Ask how much freedom a child has to choose activities.

Will the camp be transporting the children?

What vehicles are used and how often are they inspected? Who drives them and what training do drivers have?

Ask for references.

Finally and most importantly, get the names of parents with children the same age who have attended the camp.

Source: ACA - American Camp Association

Camp Essentials Checklist

☐ Sunscreen (SPF 30 or higher)

☐ Bug spray

☐ Bathing suit + Pool Footwear

☐ Trunk or Suitcase

☐ Twin Sheets + Mattress Pad

☐ Pillow & Pillowcase

☐ Blanket/Sleeping Bag

☐ Towels & Washcloths

☐ Sweater or Light Jacket

☐ Flashlight

☐ Toothbrush & Toothpaste

☐ Soap, Shampoo & Conditioner

☐ Hat

☐ Two Pairs of Jeans

☐ Shorts, Shirts & Socks

☐ Tennis Shoes

☐ Laundry Bag

☐ Stamps & Writing Materials

☐ Water Bottle

☐ Raincoat/Poncho

☐ Personal Notebook/Journal



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