CAMP INFO AND PROCEDURES

Morning Drop Off
8:30–9:30 am

The official drop-off time is 8:30–9:30 am. We regret that we are not able to accommodate drop-offs prior to 8:45 am. SAM Camp activities begin promptly at 9:30 am. We would like all children to be comfortable and ready for their day by 9:30 am in order to begin SAM Camp on time.

Afternoon Pick Up
3–3:30 pm

Please plan to pick your child up before 3:30 pm to avoid late fees.

Optional Afternoon Extended Care
3:30–5:30 pm

Afternoon Extended Care is available until 5:30 pm for $50/week or $12/day.

Signing In and Out
To ensure the safety and welfare of your child, we will only release them to individuals that you indicated on your SAM CAMP registration sheets. Please alert the Camp Staff if you would like to alter your contacts listed for sign-out on your information sheet.

It is important the designated person(s) read and understand the sign-in/sign-out process. We WILL NOT release your child to a person that is not indicated on your SAM registration form. The person signing-out your child will be required to show a valid ID.

Location
Seattle Asian Art Museum
1400 East Prospect Street

Directions: Please plan to sign-in and sign-out your child in the lobby of the Asian Art Museum. Free parking is available in the lot directly in front of the building. Please remember that earliest drop-off is 8:30 am. Pick up is promptly between 3–3:30 pm unless your child is registered for extended care. Pick up is in the same location as drop off.

Lunch and Snacks
Please have your child bring a non-refrigerated lunch, beverage(s), and any snacks that he/she might like to have throughout the day. Some campers may have nut allergies. We ask that you refrain from packing any items that might contain nuts of any kind. We also ask that you speak with your child about not “trading” lunches or snacks with other campers. Additionally, please make sure that you have indicated any known allergies on your SAM Camp Info forms and be sure to check-in with SAM staff in person on your child’s first day of SAM Camp.
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Attire
Your child should wear comfortable clothing appropriate for art-making and playing indoors and outdoors. SAM campers should be prepared to get messy. We will provide campers with a SAM Camp t-shirt to wear during the week. Plan to pack sunscreen with your child as SAM campers will spend a portion of each day outside making art and also for recreation. Please apply sunscreen before your child arrives at camp, SAM camp staff will not apply sunscreen on campers.

Behavior
SAM is committed to providing a safe, fun and welcoming environment for all campers. We begin each week of camp by reviewing behavioral expectations by creating “Agree to Be’s.” Campers are asked to be respectful of other campers, the space, and staff. SAM reserves the right to send campers who exhibit consistent disruptive behavior home. Children who are sent home are not eligible for refunds of SAM Camp fees. Behaviors that we have a zero-tolerance for include hitting, bullying, foul language, or name calling.

Camp Groups
SAM Campers are placed in groups according to age. The Museum may combine age groups at times for special age-appropriate tours and activities. Our intention is to provide an art experience with one-on-one attention and a low ratio of children to teaching artists. If you would like to request that your child be placed in a group with another camper please indicate this on the SAM Camp Liability Forms. We cannot guarantee that they will be in the same group but we will do our best to group them together.

Friday Showcase
Each week will have a celebration of all the work we’ve done throughout the week! Join us on Friday at 2:30 pm for a performance and then head to the Art Studio to check out all your camper’s artistic creations!