

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Don't see your question? Please feel free to contact us with any additional questions you may have at SAMCamp@seattleartmuseum.org.

Who can attend SAM Camp?

Camp is open to children entering grades 1-3 in the Fall of 2021.

Can my child be in the same group as their friend?

SAM Campers are placed in groups according to age. The Museum may combine age groups during the day for special age-appropriate tours and activities. Our intention is still 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.

What are you doing to prevent the spread of coronavirus?

Campers and camp leaders will be grouped in pods that do activities independently of other groups to limit exposure across groups. Program will take place outdoors as much as possible. Staff and campers who are able will be required to wear masks at all times, except when eating. Staff and children will be seated at least 6 feet apart during lunch and snack periods. Social distancing guidelines will be followed. Enhanced cleaning protocols will be implemented for high touch objects and surfaces. Staff and campers will be required to complete a CDC health screening, as well as have their temperature checked, at the start of each day.

All in-person camps will follow Washington State Department of Health and Center for Disease Control protocols. Camp COVID policies and procedures may change based on updated local state and federal guidance and health recommendations.

What does my child need to bring?

Sweatshirt or jacket: Dress for the weather. Our primary studio space is outside. It is always a good idea to have an extra layer for campers to put on if they get chilly.

Lunch + Snacks: Please bring nut-free snacks and lunch along with a water bottle.

Comfortable, active clothes: At camp kids will run, create, learn, jump, craft, and play—and that can often get messy! We will provide each camper with a T-shirt to wear during the day.

If the kids are outside, when is sunscreen applied?

SAM Camp staff isn't able to apply sunscreen to campers. Please plan on applying it in the morning before camp begins and make sure to pack extra in your camper's bag.

**We've had a change of plans and my child will not be able to attend camp.
Can I get a refund?**

If you need to cancel your registration, you may do so before June 15, 2021 for all scheduled weeks of SAM Camp and receive a full refund. After June 15th there is a \$100 cancellation fee and no refunds will be given after June 30, 2021. Please email SAMCamp@seattleartmuseum.org if you need to cancel.

SAM reserves the right to cancel programs or sessions based on insufficient enrollment and government mandates. In these events, a full refund for the specific camp will be issued.