

Dear Parents/Guardians of the PreSchool Nature Enthusiasts and Nature Survival Campers,

My name is Alyssa Armstrong and I will be the Camp Director for your child's Nature Survival Camp this summer! I am looking forward to a great summer of teaching and experiencing the outdoors with your young ones! I am a 2018 graduate of Central Michigan University. I have a bachelor's degree in Secondary Education with a major in Integrated Science and a minor in Biology. Science is a great subject because it explains all the phenomenons that are occurring all around us all the time. I believe that keeping the wonder and excitement towards the world is an integral part of truly living and part of why being young is so fun. This summer I want to engage campers with their environment, teach them the importance of being knowledgeable about the plants and animals around them and have loads of fun while accomplishing this. I taught Biology and Environmental Science this past year at Troy High School and I was a teaching aid in a 6th/7th grade science classroom the previous year. Last summer I was promoted to the opportunity to be a Camp Director and I am looking forward to another great summer with Waterford Township Camps! I have a lot of energy I bring to camp every day, as I absolutely love what I am doing.



FIRST DAY OF CAMP: When you arrive at camp on the first day, please take the time to confirm with the Camp Director that we have all medical and emergency information as needed. You will check your child in every day after that upon arrival.

CHECK OUT: Each day at the end of camp, you will check your child out and be prepared to show your ID to ensure each child is being handed off to an adult indicated on your Camp Waiver Form. If there will be multiple people picking your child up at the end of camp days, please notify them about this procedure to keep the flow and organization of checkout flowing smoothly.

CAMPER ATTIRE: Campers need to be prepared to go hiking outside in the woods each day. This means comfortable clothing, comfortable shoes and the potential need for sunscreen. There is also the potential for them to get wet, so campers should come prepared with flip flops/water shoes.

DAILY REMINDERS: Campers will need to bring a lunch with a drink every day. Bringing an additional refillable water bottle is highly recommended. Things campers may enjoy having, but are not required: extra daily snacks, bug spray, extra sunscreen, a hat, and a potential change of clothes. Preschoolers do receive snacks.

I am so very excited to meet all of you and teach you the basics of surviving in the woods of Michigan!
Let's get ready for a great camp experience!

Alyssa Armstrong, Nature Camp Director