

★ Celebrating America 250 ★



2026

Adventure Guide

Florida's OverNight
Adventure Summer Camp



★ A summer of Fun, Friends, and New Frontiers. ★

From the CAMP DIRECTORS

Welcome to Camp Frontier.

Since 1999, our mission has been to create a safe, adventure-filled camp community where, away from technology, campers can explore their own frontiers, make new lifelong friends, and grow in confidence.

Our camp facilities are outstanding, allowing for a day filled with many activities followed by a good night's sleep. Under the guidance of caring and involved Counselors, Campers enjoy new experiences in a safe and nurturing environment.

Whether Campers attend all eight weeks or just a few, Camp Frontier quickly becomes the home away from home to which they return year after year.

We look forward to sharing the Camp Frontier experience with new and returning Campers again this summer. See you there,

Dianne Collan, Administrator

Brian Collan, Camp Director

Florida's OverNight SUMMER CAMP

Camp Frontier is Florida's OverNight Adventure Summer Camp in Lake Wales, central Florida. Campers from across the United States and around the world come to Camp Frontier for a true sleepaway camp experience built on adventure, friendship, tradition, and personal growth.

With more than 50 activities, spacious boys' and girls' lodges, outstanding facilities, and a caring staff, Camp Frontier offers an unforgettable summer for boys and girls ages 7-17.

Why Parents Choose Camp Frontier



A safe, caring camp community



More than 50 activities for every interest



Comfortable, professional, air-conditioned boys and girls lodges with private bathrooms and showers



Experienced, encouraging staff



Healthy growth away from everyday technology



Confidence, friendships, and memories that last

ADVENTURE

FRIENDSHIP

CONFIDENCE



A Great Fit for Every Camper

Campers are assigned to camper groups by age so every child can thrive with peers. From first-time campers to seasoned pros, each level is designed to build confidence, independence, friendships, and a love for adventure growing year after year.



Trailblazers (ages 7–10)

First adventures, big smiles, and confidence-building fun. The perfect place to discover camp and make friends that last.



Explorers (ages 10–12)

More independence, new challenges, and trying exciting things. A time to build skills and make new friends.



Pioneers (ages 13–14)

Expanding horizons, learning new skills, and growing confidence. Pioneers take on bigger adventures and discover what they're capable of.



Adventurers (ages 15–17)

Leadership, independence, and personal growth. Adventurers inspire others and create memories that last a lifetime.



A Home Away From Home



Camp Frontier has separate air-conditioned, two-story boys' and girls' lodges.



Trailblazers and Explorers are downstairs; Pioneers and Adventurers are upstairs.



Each cabin group has its own section of the lodge, with bunk rooms, common space for games and cabin time, and its own bathrooms and showers for that section.



Depending on age, there are usually 2 to 4 campers per bunk room. Each bunk room has bunk beds or single beds and plenty of space.



Counselors are assigned to each area, and each lodge is overseen by Life Directors.



The lodges are spacious, comfortable, well-maintained, and especially welcoming for campers who stay for longer sessions.



Our dining facility is a big part of the home-away-from-home experience—offering healthy meals, great conversations, and plenty of smiles every day.





So Much To Do at Camp Frontier

At Camp Frontier, there's something for everyone! With more than 50 activities to choose from, campers help shape their own season, discover new passions, and make every day an adventure.



Activities Include:

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| ★ Archery | ★ Dance | ★ Robotics |
| ★ Art | ★ Drama | ★ Singing |
| ★ Basketball | ★ Fishing | ★ Soccer |
| ★ Bike Riding | ★ GaGa Ball | ★ STEM |
| ★ Board Games | ★ Horses | ★ Swimming |
| ★ C.I.T. Leadership | ★ Karaoke | ★ Team Building |
| ★ Campfires | ★ Low Ropes | ★ Tennis |
| ★ Canoeing | ★ Musical Theater | ★ Volleyball |
| ★ Cooking | ★ Nature Exploration | ★ WaterSki Lessons* |
| ★ Crafts | ★ Paintball | ★ Worship & Bible |
| ★ Culinary Arts* | ★ Photography | ★ Zip Line |



★ Active Frontier

From low ropes and zip line thrills to paintball, team sports, and swimming, Frontier is built for active, adventurous campers. Our indoor gym and outdoor exploration opportunities keep every high and excitement alive every day.



The Fun Never Ends – Something for Everyone

At Camp Frontier, adventure and activity know no bounds. Whether Campers are aiming for the bullseye in archery, strategizing in paintball, competing in team sports, or making a splash in the pool, every day is active and energizing.



★ Adventure With Safety and Support

Safety is at the heart of every adventure. Our trained and caring staff guide Campers through each activity, ensuring that every experience is exciting, positive, and age-appropriate. With encouragement and support, Campers are free to try new things, grow stronger, and have fun.



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Musical Theater and Performing Arts

For campers who enjoy performing there are many opportunities to be in the spotlight at Camp Frontier.

★ *Aladdin Jr.*

This year's Musical Theater production is *Aladdin Jr.* Campers in the production attend a full production session—Session 1ABC, Session 2AB, or Session 3ABC—so they can rehearse, grow together as a cast, and perform at the end of the session.

★ Dance, drama, singing, puppet theater, talent show opportunities, and other performance activities also give Campers ways to create, perform, express themselves, and shine.

★ Musical Theater

Camper's dedicate two activity periods each day to Musical Theater and build teamwork and performance confidence.

Culinary Arts Program

Cooking classes are available every afternoon for all campers. The Culinary Arts program is a special morning program.

★ Chefs-Led Instruction

Led by a professional teaching chefs, Campers explore baking and cooking, sanitation and food safety, proper tool and equipment use, food preparation, nutrition and health, units of measurement and conversion, hygiene, and international cuisine.



★ Program Details

Campers experience Culinary Arts class once each morning for the entire week, leaving plenty of time for other camp activities and friendships.



★ Additional Cost

\$300 per week, including materials and small-group instruction.



Robotics, STEM, Video Production, and Photography

★ Robotics

Using LEGO robotics, Campers design, build, and program their own creations while exploring how ideas become working machines; emphasize problem-solving, creativity, teamwork, and perseverance.



★ Video Production

Campers explore storytelling through film, learn basics of filming, editing, and creative direction, and by the end of the session the class produces a short video.



★ Photography

Campers capture camp life, activities, friends, and special moments; many Camper photographs become part of Camp Frontier's social media pages and website.



★ STEM

Hands-on experiences through science, technology, engineering, and problem-solving.

- ✓ Explore rocks, fossils, and minerals
- ✓ Learn map reading & navigation
- ✓ Study wildlife and ecosystems
- ✓ Hands-on outdoor investigations



NEW IN 2026!

WaterSki/WakeBoard and C.I.T. Leadership



★ WaterSki and WakeBoard Program ★

A high-energy water adventure with professional instruction and top-quality equipment, provided off-camp by a professional water ski school.

- ✓ Campers are transported there daily
- ✓ Spend the entire morning on the water for one week and return in time for lunch
- ✓ Beginning and experienced skiers are all welcome
- ✓ Strong swimmers required
- ✓ Additional cost \$400 per week

C.I.T. Leadership Program

For Adventurers ages 15-17 who want to grow in responsibility, service, maturity, and confidence. C.I.T.s receive hands-on training in caring for Campers, water safety, first aid awareness, leadership skills, and activity instruction.

C.I.T. Progression

- ✓ First-year Sophomore C.I.T.s reside with fellow Adventurers
- ✓ Junior and Senior C.I.T.s move closer to assigned cabin groups
- ✓ May participate in up to two C.I.T. sessions in one summer
- ✓ After completing all three sessions over multiple summers, they may return as
- ✓ Counselor's Apprentices
- ✓ Community service hours are available
- ✓ Additional cost \$50 per week



Traditions, Field Trips, and Campwide Fun

Some of the strongest Camp Frontier memories are made in moments that bring everyone together: campfires, ColorWarz, talent shows, evening activities, field trips, BunkNights, dances, worship, laughter, cheering, and shared traditions.



ColorWarz



Every Camper and staff member is placed on a team—Red, Blue, Green, or Gold—and that team is theirs for life! Returning year after year, Campers build team spirit, take part in friendly competition, and experience campwide excitement. The games are often led by C.I.T.s.

Campfire Programs

It just wouldn't be summer camp without telling skits and stories together with friends and counselors around the campfire. Some fire programs are with the entire camp and others are just with cabin groups for an evening of s'mores and storytelling.



LateNight Worship

An optional gathering offered two to three evenings each week where Christian and Jewish Campers come together to reflect on the Word of God, share prayers, and sing. A time to explore spiritual frontiers.



Evening Activities

From silly cabin games and creative challenges to dance parties and night hikes—every evening brings something new to laugh about and memories to last.



Field Trips

Theme Park Trip: Sessions 1ABC, IBC, 2ABC and 2BC include a Saturday field trip to Universal Studios. Campers choose groups based on ride preferences and enjoy a full day together with friends at America's finest theme parks. There is no additional cost. Spending money is optional.



Hillbilly Hootenanny

A toe-tapping good time. Swing your partner round and round.



Even More

4th of July Bowling and Pizza Party: Session 2AB only. Campers attending Sessions 2AB will enjoy an afternoon trip to a local bowling alley to celebrate America's 250th Birthday. Arcade spending money is optional.



Staying Connected while your Camper Grows



Why TechTime Matters

Continuous communication can prevent personal growth and increase homesickness. Cell phones and electronics are collected upon arrival and held safely until TechTime.



TechTime

Campers may use their phones twice each week for 30 minutes—Wednesday and Saturday, around dinner time.

Email is printed for Campers each afternoon. Send only to Camper@CampFrontier.com with their name in the subject.

Enjoy photos on our social media and our downloadable app. New pics and videos are uploaded daily.

Letters, Care Packages, Phone, Email, Text, Visitors Day, and Social Media



Parents may send letters and care packages to their Camper.



Email your Camper at anytime at Camper@CampFrontier.com.



Call our Camp Office anytime at 1-888-977-CAMP (2267).



Text your Camper at 1-888-CAMP-TXT (226-7898).



Attend Visitors Day on Sundays from 1:00–4:00 PM.



Enjoy photos and highlights on Camp Frontier's social media channels.

Care, Safety, Homesickness, and Conduct



Health and Wellness

Trained professionals handle injuries, medication, and illness with care.

All medications are checked in with the Infirmary upon arrival.



Homesickness

Homesickness is a natural, common, and healthy part of a child's development.

Our caring staff are here to listen, reassure, and help Campers stay involved and connected.



Helpful Tips

- ✓ Plan and pack together
- ✓ Practice time away from home before camp.
- ✓ Avoid "rescue" language like "call me if you need to come home."
- ✓ Stay positive and keep busy!



Code of Conduct — The Camp For Good Kids



Campers are expected to:

- Treat others with kindness and respect
- Follow staff direction
- Help create a safe and fun summer for everyone

Campers who are disrespectful, threaten or injure themselves or others, or establish patterns of unacceptable behavior may be dismissed at the Camp Director's discretion. In this event, there is no refund.

Possession of drugs, alcohol or vapes is grounds for expulsion.

Useful Care and Packing FAQs



Free weekly laundry service is included for stays of two weeks or longer.



Lost and Found items are held in safekeeping until one week after the end of camp. Items with names are returned and other items donated.



Pack at least eight days of clothes, including activewear, warm layers, and rain gear.



Lodges have limited storage—soft duffel bags and bins work best!



Registration, Forms, Payments, Travel, Check-In/Check-Out



ONLINE REGISTRATION

Online registration is available at CampFrontier.com.



REQUIRED FORMS

Parents will be sent medical forms, an enrollment agreement and Medical Authorization form prior to arrival. These must be submitted at least one week prior to arrival.



PAYMENTS

Camp tuition and fees must be paid at least two weeks before a camper's session.

Payment plans are available by request; contact 888-977-CAMP (2267).

DURING CHECK-IN, YOUR CAMPER WILL:



Receive a name medallion, cabin assignment, and Camp shirt



Check in personal activity equipment



Check in cell phones for TechTime



Complete health check and medication check-in

COUNSELOR APPRECIATION & AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION



Tipping is not required but very much appreciated.



Airport transportation to/from Orlando International Airport is available at

\$100 per child,
per service.

The office must agree to arrival and departure time in advance.

2026 SUNDAY CHECK-IN TIMES

Please note your child's arrival time. Families with more than one child should arrive at the time of the oldest Camper. Look for the Welcome Flag as the check-in at the Theater entrance.

**Arrivals on: Sunday, June 7 — Session 1A;
Sunday, June 28 — Session 2A;
Sunday, July 12 — Session 3A**

12:30 pm — Campers in the C.I.T. Program only
1:00 pm — Returning Campers, ages 13 to 17
1:45 pm — Returning Campers, ages 7 to 12
2:30 pm — First-Time Campers, ages 13 to 17
3:30 pm — First-Time Campers, ages 7 to 12

**Arrivals on: Sunday, June 14 — Session 1B;
Sunday, June 21 — Session 1C; Sunday, July 5 —
Session 2B; Sunday, July 19 — Session 3B;
Sunday, July 26 — Session 3C**

2:00 pm — Campers, ages 13 to 17
3:00 pm — Campers, ages 7 to 12

2026 SATURDAY CHECK-OUT TIMES

Look for the Welcome Flag and come to the Theater Lobby.

**These Saturdays have a 3:00 pm
check out for all ages:**
Saturday, June 13 — end of Session 1A
Saturday, July 4 — end of Session 2A
Saturday, July 18 — end of Session 3A.

**These Saturdays have an 11:00 am
check out for all ages:**
Saturday, June 20 — end of Sessions 1AB & 1B
Saturday, June 27 — end of Sessions
1ABC, 1BC & 1C
Saturday, July 11 — end of Sessions 2AB & 2B
Saturday, July 25 — end of Sessions 3AB & 3B
Saturday, August 1 — end of Session 3C.



Packing List and Special Week Notes



REQUIRED ITEMS

- ☐ Bedding for twin mattress bunk bed (2 twin sheets, pillow, pillowcase, blanket or sleeping bag, comforter or extra blanket)
- ☐ 8 days of clothes
- ☐ Swimsuit. One piece modest swimsuit for girls.
- ☐ Tennis shoes / sneakers
- ☐ Crocs / flip-flops / sandals
- ☐ Water shoes for lake activities
- ☐ Poncho or raincoat
- ☐ Bug repellent
- ☐ Sunscreen SPF 30+
- ☐ Flashlight or headlamp
- ☐ Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, etc.)
- ☐ Laundry bag
- ☐ Long pants and closed-toed shoes for horse riding



SUGGESTED ITEMS FOR SPECIFIC SESSION WEEKS



COLORWARZ — Sessions 1A, 1B, 2A, 3A, 3B. Campers may bring team colors to wear. New campers will be notified one week out.



HILLBILLY HOOTENANNY — Sessions 1B, 3B. Bring your best hillbilly dressin' up clothes.



TALENT SHOW — Sessions 1A, 2A, 3A. Props, costumes, or anything that shows your talent!



THE BIG DANCE — Sessions 1C, 2B, 3C. Dressy "party" outfits and dance shoes!



OPTIONAL ITEMS

- ☐ Spending money for field trips
- ☐ Musical instruments
- ☐ Stationery & stamps
- ☐ Hat / cap
- ☐ Sunglasses
- ☐ Favorite stuffed animal
- ☐ Small backpack
- ☐ Disposable cameras and digital cameras (without WiFi)
- ☐ Activity books
- ☐ Watch
- ☐ Sports or performance equipment
- ☐ Bicycle or scooter with helmet



DONATED ITEMS

We appreciate donations that help keep camp strong for all campers! Common needs include:

- ✓ Sports equipment
- ✓ Arts & crafts supplies
- ✓ Board games & outdoor games
- ✓ Gently used books
- ✓ Campership donations



PLEASE DO NOT BRING

To help keep our community safe and focused on fun, please do not bring:

✗ Electronics or game systems

✗ Weapons or replicas

✗ Water balloons

✗ Shaving cream for pranking

✗ Fireworks or explosives



✗ Alcohol or tobacco

✗ Illegal substances

✗ Drug paraphernalia

✗ E-cigs / vapes

✗ Pets (except approved service animals)



I'm goin' to Camp Frontier

★ 2026 CAMP SESSION DATES ★

Session 1ABC 2AB 3ABC "Super Camper" (8-weeks)	✱ 🏰	Sunday, June 7 to Saturday, August 1, 2026
Sessions 1ABC & 2AB (5-weeks)	✱ 🏰	Sunday, June 7 to Saturday, July 11, 2026
Sessions 2AB & 3ABC (5-weeks)	✱ 🏰	Sunday, June 28 to Saturday, August 1, 2026
Session 1ABC (3-weeks)	🏰	Sunday, June 7 to Saturday, June 27, 2026
Session 2AB (3-weeks)	✱	Sunday, June 28 to Saturday, July 11, 2026
Session 3ABC (3-weeks)	🏰	Sunday, July 12 to Saturday, August 1, 2026
Session 1AB (2-weeks)		Sunday, June 7 to Saturday, June 20, 2026
Session 1BC (2-weeks)	🏰	Sunday, June 14 to Saturday, June 27, 2026
Session 3AB (2-weeks)		Sunday, July 12 to Saturday, July 25, 2026
Session 3BC (2-weeks)	🏰	Sunday, July 19 to Saturday, August 1, 2026
Session 1A (1-week)		Sunday, June 7 to Saturday, June 13, 2026
Session 1B (1-week)		Sunday, June 14 to Saturday, June 20, 2026
Session 1C (1-week)		Sunday, June 21 to Saturday, June 27, 2026
Session 2A (1-week)		Sunday, June 28 to Saturday, July 4, 2026
Session 2B (1-week)		Sunday, July 5 to Saturday, July 11, 2026
Session 3A (1-week)		Sunday, July 12 to Saturday, July 18, 2026
Session 3B (1-week)		Sunday, July 19 to Saturday, July 25, 2026
Session 3C (1-week)		Sunday, July 26 to Saturday, August 1, 2026



July 4th Bowling and Pizza Party Field Trip



Universal Studios Theme Park Trip



On the campus of The Vanguard School

22000 Highway 27,
Lake Wales, FL 33859



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