

# PARENT PACK

## HEY PARENTS,

Student Life is excited to host your child at camp this summer. We have put together a packet of information not only to help you pack, but also to keep you informed about what the week looks like. Attached you will find a packing list, dress code, a breakdown of the daily Bible Study focuses, along with information on how to connect with your child while they are away. Thank you for allowing us to be a part of your child's life in what we are praying will be a truly transformational week.

## CAMP THEME: WORD AND WONDER

Life is full of choices, and God's word is our guide, showing us how to walk with Jesus. At Student Life Kids Camp 2026, we are looking to Jesus' parables to show us how to live with Him. Jesus teaches us to build our lives on a firm foundation, receive His forgiveness, and love others well. When we trust in Jesus and follow His Word, we can walk confidently, knowing He lights the way.

**Theme Verse** // *The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God will stand forever.* - Isaiah 40:8

## DAY 1: SAND AND STONE

**Main Point** // We all build our lives on something, Jesus is the only strong foundation.

We all choose where to build our lives. Will it be on the sinking sand or the strong, solid rock? Today, we'll learn that building on the sand leads to big, crashing waves, and tough times when the floods come.

**Main Passage** // Matthew 7: 24-27

**Memory Verse** // "For no one can lay any foundation other than what has been laid down. That foundation is Jesus Christ." - 1 Corinthians 3:11

## DAY 2: THE FORGIVING KING

**Main Point** // Because Jesus has forgiven us an unpayable debt, we can forgive others freely.

We have been greatly forgiven by Jesus. Because we have received God's forgiveness, He empowers us to forgive others.

**Main Passage** // Matthew 18:21-35

**Memory Verse** // "And be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving one another, just as God also forgave you in Christ." - Ephesians 4:32

## DAY 3: THE GOOD NEIGHBOR

**Main Point** // Everyone is in need of Jesus' love, we get to share that love with the world.

Like the good neighbor in this story, we are called to treat even those most different from us with kindness, sharing the love of Christ with everyone we meet.

**Main Passage** // Luke 10:25-37

**Memory Verse** // "Little children, let us not love in word or speech, but in action and in truth."  
- 1 John 3:18

# PACKING LIST

## WHAT TO BRING

- Appropriate, casual clothing for three nights of Worship
- Appropriate clothing for two days of rec  
 Water Day Attire: Dark clothing that can get wet, Flip Flops, Chacos, or Crocs, etc.  
 Other Days: Comfortable clothing for outdoor activities, closed toed shoes, etc.
- Appropriate, comfortable clothing for the trip home
- Pajamas
- Bible, pen & notebook
- Toiletries
- Towels and washcloths
- Bedding and pillow  
(Unless told otherwise)
- Spending money for snacks and Student Life Store
- Watch and/or alarm clock
- Sunscreen
- Water bottle
- Bug spray
- Swimsuit and beach towel  
(For pool/lake if available)
- Hand Soap for Bathrooms

## ADDITIONAL ITEMS NEEDED FOR YOUR CHURCH GROUP

(EX: Money for lunch on the trip home)

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## WHAT NOT TO BRING

- Alcohol, tobacco, vape/e-cigarettes, hookah, illegal drugs, or drug paraphernalia
- Weapons of any kind (including look-alike or toy weapons)
- Fireworks, water guns, or items intended for pranks (water balloons, shaving cream, silly string, etc.)
- Gaming systems, tablets, computers, handheld gaming devices
- Skateboards, roller skates, or rollerblades
- Anything that advertises or promotes:
- Alcohol, tobacco, vaping, or illegal drugs
- Racism, sexism, or hatred toward any group or person
- Sexual actions, imagery, or situations.

Note: Cell phones and personal electronics are allowed at the discretion of the Church Group Leader but should not be used during camp programming and other scheduled activities. Smart watches are not recommended at camp.

Church Group Leaders are responsible for monitoring and enforcing these expectations within their group. Church groups are responsible for any damages or issues caused by prohibited items at camp.

## CAMP DRESS CODE

- Clothing should be modest and appropriate for a Christian camp environment.
- Undergarments should not be visible at any time. Sagging or clothing designed to draw attention to underwear or the bottom is not allowed.
- Shirts must be worn at all times except during swimming or water activities.
- Tops with spaghetti straps, strapless tops, or tops with excessive cutouts are not permitted (except sleepwear).
- Sleeveless shirts and tank tops are allowed during daytime activities if they provide appropriate coverage.
- Shorts, skirts, and dresses should not be excessively short and should fully cover undergarments. Shorts should be long enough to be visible under shirts.
- Clothing should not be excessively tight, short, or revealing. Clothing that exposes the midriff, back, or excessive skin is not allowed.
- No clothing with questionable sayings, slogans, etc.
- Swimwear: Girls should wear modest, one-piece swimsuits (or two-piece suits covered with a dark-colored t-shirt). Boys should wear modest swim trunks (no Speedos, square-cut briefs, or jammers).
- Closed-toe, closed-heel shoes are required for recreation and most scheduled activities.
- Adhere to any additional guidelines put in place by your Church Group Leader.
- Note: Church Group Leaders are responsible for modeling and monitoring their group to ensure students are dressing appropriately.

# SPIRIT PACKS

## HEY PARENTS,

Send your camper a Spirit Pack! Your Group Leader will be turning in the preorder form for Spirit Packs by May 31st. If you would like us to deliver a Student Life Kids Camp backpack full of camp gear to your child at camp, just let your Group Leader know to order one for your child. You will give \$35 to the Group Leader, and they will pay for the packs as part of the final registration balance. Spirit Packs include things like a drawstring bag, a hat, sunglasses, eye black, and a water bottle all in your squad color!



\*PICTURED ABOVE IS THE 2025 SPIRIT PACK, CONTENTS FOR 2026 SPIRIT PACK MAY VARY

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## INDIVIDUAL ORDER FORM

TURN THIS INTO YOUR GROUP LEADER

CAMPER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \_\_\_\_\_

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