Is my child ready for overnight camp?

In order to participate in our program, a camper needs to be able to: move independently from place to place; meet their own personal care needs (i.e. tie shoes, brush hair, shower, etc.); live cooperatively in a group cabin environment (which may or may not include cabin buddies).

How to Register

Completed applications are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. The rules for acceptance in the camp programs are the same for everyone, without regard to race, color, religion or national origin. Persons with disabilities are welcome to participate in our programs. Reasonable accommodations will be made with prior arrangements. Camp Hollywoodland may have a limited amount of camperships this season. Please call the camp for more information and an application.

Online: Go to laparks.org/camp/camp-hollywoodland to complete online registration process and submit online payment. *For a smoother registration process, please check that all participants being registered are listed in your household with correct birthdates before beginning the online registration process.

By Mail: Mail completed registration/waiver form with full payment (check only, payable to City of Los Angeles) to:

CAMP HOLLYWOODLAND
3200 CANYON DRIVE
LOS ANGELES, CA 90068

Camp fees are due at the time of registration. Space is limited. Please mail or register online. No fax copies or e-mails are accepted. Full payment must accompany registration. When signing up for multiple sessions, we advise that you use separate checks for each session. If the application is not completed or payment is not included, it will be mailed back and will further delay the registration process. We are not responsible for lost mail.

Payment Options

You can pay for a session by check or credit card (VISA or Master Card only). A collection fee will be charged for each check returned by the Bank. If paying by credit card, you must come into our office and have your photo I.D. or you may register online. We do not accept credit cards over the phone. Our office hours are 9:30 am - 4:30 pm Monday through Friday. Please call in advance to make an appointment so that we can serve you quickly.

Late Fees

If room is available after the deadline (2 weeks prior to the start of the session), we will accept registration with a $50 late fee. If any registration is accepted one week prior to the start of the session, there will be a $75 late fee. Late applications are less likely to be with their requested cabin buddy. No refund or reduction in fees will be made for a camper’s late arrival, early withdrawal and/or dismissal for misconduct or illness. There are NO REFUNDS for “NO SHOWS”. Failure to arrive at camp prior to 9:30 am the morning of check-in is considered a no-show.

Waiting List

If a summer camp session fills, a waiting list will be started and names will be added in the order in which completed applications are received. Parents will be notified when space is available in their child’s age group. Payment is not required at the time of application submission for the waiting list. Cabin buddies are never guaranteed. When your child is called off of the waiting list, we have space in a specific cabin that may not be with your child’s cabin buddy.
Changing Sessions
Request for changes of session will be accommodated if space is available. Fees will be charged per camper based on the earliest effected session as follows:

1. With 2 weeks or more notice, $50;
2. Less than two weeks notice, $75.

No change of session will be allowed for “No-show”. NO session change will be made until a written request and appropriate fees are received. These fees are in addition to the difference in session prices where applicable.

Confirmation Packets
A confirmation packet will be available to download once your registration has been processed. This packet will include a Health History Form, Authorization Form and Doctor Visit Information. Several pages of camp information will also be included covering health procedures, check-in and out procedures, rules of conduct, reasons for immediate dismissals, what to (and not to) bring to camp, spending money, mailing letters and other pertinent policies and procedures.

Cancellations
All cancellations must be made in writing (e-mail is accepted). Refunds take approximately 6-8 weeks. The registration fees will be refunded as follows:

1. Two or more weeks notice will be assessed a $50 administrative fee, per session per camper.
2. Less than two weeks notice will be assessed a $75 administrative fee, per session per camper.

Failure to cancel a session by the first day of camp will be considered a “No-Show” and NO REFUND will be issued.

Dropping Things Off / Showing Up At Camp
No one is allowed to visit camp during a session (including parents, relatives, friends). Coming to camp to drop something off for your daughter, or sending someone to do so, creates a security risk and can lead to homesickness among campers. If you do decide to come to camp without prior notification or arrangement with staff, you will be asked to take your daughter home IMMEDIATELY!

Sign - Up Early to get your very own limited edition Camp Hollywoodland sweatshirt! The first 250 campers who register before 4:30 p.m. on March 1, 2020, will receive a FREE sweatshirt. Registration must be received in our office by 4:30 p.m on March 1st to be eligible for the FREE sweatshirt. We will not count registration that is postmarked by March 1st (it must be in our office by Friday). We are not responsible for lost or delayed mail. Any cancellations will void the free sweatshirt. Campers who qualify for the free sweatshirt will receive their sweatshirt on the last day of the session they signed up for.
If you are looking for a place for your daughter to experience nature, try new things, disconnect from electronics and make new friends, Camp Hollywoodland is just that place. The City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation & Parks Camp Hollywoodland has been operating for over 90 years. Nestled in the Hollywood Hills, right under the Hollywood sign, Camp Hollywoodland provides an out-of-town, sleep away camp experience right in the middle of the city. The variety and quality of programming we offer is outstanding.

Our counselors truly care about each and every camper and provide a safe, inclusive, fun environment in which campers thrive. Cricket and the rest of the Senior Staff work tirelessly planning a crazy amount of exciting activities, ensuring that the counselors and campers have everything they need for an awesome week, plus still have time to put on the occasional band aid and comfort the homesick first time camper. Our cooks and kitchen staff whip up three nutritious meals a day that are sure to satisfy everyone’s palate.

After a week at Camp Hollywoodland your daughter is sure to come away with lasting memories of all the new adventures she experienced, new friends she made and a new found sense of independence. For more information on our 2020 summer program please review the information in this brochure, attend one of our Open Houses or contact the camp office. See everyone this summer at Camp!

Sincerely,
Kim “Jayhawk” Welden
Senior Recreation Director

Camp Hollywoodland is proud to be accredited by the American Camp Association. Developed exclusively for the camp industry, this nationally recognized organization focuses on camp program quality, safety, health issues, staff development and requires us to continuously review every facet of our operation. Our camp has voluntarily submitted to this independent appraisal done by camp experts and have earned this mark of distinction.

Open House
March 8, 2020 & April 19, 2020
Sunday 1:00PM- 3:00PM

Walk-in registrations will be accepted during open houses. Make checks payable to the City of Los Angeles. For walk-in registration, we also accept credit cards (VISA and MasterCard only). *Please prepare for a line. Your patience would be greatly appreciated, as our staff will be working hard to accommodate everyone in a timely manner.

Join us and meet our Staff. Tour the grounds and have all of your questions answered.
Camp Hollywoodland is the best kept secret in Los Angeles. Offering swimming, climbing wall, outdoor living skills, nature awareness, field trips, and themed programs that include: meals, lodging, snacks, equipment and supervision. One price covers all!

The program schedule is from **7:30 am (rise & shine)** until **8:30 or 9:30 pm (lights out)**. During the course of the day, campers choose activities by cabin groups, age groups and individually. All activities are taught by trained and experienced staff. Weekly sessions begin **Monday (Check-in is 8:00 - 9:30 am)** and end **Friday (Check-out is 5:30 - 6:30 pm)**.

**Girls 6-14 years old** are divided into cabin groups with a 3 year age span (ages 6-8, 9-11, 12-14). Each cabin has 2-3 counselors that sleep in the cabins with their campers. The counselor-camper ratio is set by the American Camp Association. A separate **Camper Leadership Development (CLD) Program** is available for girls 15-17 years of age.

Please call **(323) 467-7193** for more information. You can also go to our website for the brochure and application. [https://www.laparks.org/camp/camp-hollywoodland](https://www.laparks.org/camp/camp-hollywoodland)

**The Camper Leadership Development (CLD) Program**

Girls 15-17 years old are eligible to apply for Camp Hollywoodland’s CLD Program. This exciting program offers:

* Guidance in working with younger campers;
* Assisting with camp activities;
* A performance evaluation;
* A place for teenage girls to work together and build friendships;
* An extension of their experience as a camper;
* A place to build a strong sense of self;
* An opportunity to enhance leadership skills;
* Prepare for future counselor opportunities.
All of our staff are college-age and chosen for their communication skills, experience or training in child development, the ability to be excellent role models and their ability to practice and teach young girls in accordance with the American Camp Association’s “7 Camp Outcome Domains”: Friendship Skills, Responsibility, Independence, Family/Citizenship, Teamwork, Competence and Exploration. Our rigorous selection process follows the ACA guidelines and includes multiple in-person interviews, references and fingerprint check. Our staff members undergo a minimum of one week of intensive training and are certified in CPR and Standard First Aid prior to the start of camp. During the camping season, our staff is continually evaluated and guided to enhance their skills. The relationship between a camper and her counselor is at the heart of our camp’s success.

The camp experience shapes children’s lives.

Resident Camp Counselors Wanted!

Qualification: Female, at least 18 years of age with a High School Diploma or equivalent (preferably one year of college completed), desire and ability to work with children, to teach activities and work outdoors, Certification in CPR and First Aid with the American Heart Association.

Activity Leaders Wanted!

Qualification: Male or Female, at least 18 years of age with a High School Diploma or equivalent (preferably one year of college completed), desire and ability to work with children, to teach activities and work outdoors, ability to lift 50 lbs, ability to work at heights of 40 ft. for extended periods of time, Certification in CPR and First Aid with the American Heart Association.

For more information or to apply, contact us:
Camp Hollywoodland
3200 Canyon Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90068
(323) 467-7193 camp.hollywoodland@lacity.org
Cabin Buddy requests have become an ongoing problem over the last few years. Though we allow each camper to request one cabin buddy, some have tried to take advantage of this by requesting 2, 3, 4+ buddies and complaining when the request is not granted. These requests have started to cause problems within the cabin groups. Campers who come to camp alone often feel left out or excluded. When too many campers know each other from the outside world it can sometimes create an “us vs. them” mentality in the cabin, causing problems for campers and counselors. Our Camp Directors have discussed the idea of eliminating the cabin buddy system completely and even put that into practice in the Fall and Winter Programs. When everyone comes without a cabin buddy, things seem to be a little more copasetic.

We also understand that for some campers, camp may be the only time they get to see certain friends or family members and so we will continue to allow one cabin buddy request.

The Rules for Cabin Buddies

1. Each camper is allowed to request one cabin buddy.
2. A camper may only request a cabin buddy in her own age group (6-8, 9-11, 12-14). CABIN BUDDIES ARE NOT GUARANTEED.
3. In order for your request to be considered, the cabin buddy you write down on your child’s registration form must also write down your daughter as her buddy on her registration form.
4. If more than one name is written on the cabin buddy section of the registration form, all requests will be null and void and no cabin buddy will be granted.

At Camp Hollywoodland we believe that camp is an opportunity for campers to make new friends and try new things. Sending your child to camp without a cabin buddy allows her the freedom to do both of these things without judgment from someone who knows her in the outside world.
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<td>Little Wizards</td>
<td>Universal Studios</td>
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<td>Join us for a week of magical living at the Hollywoodland Magic Castle. There will be a camp sorting ritual, herbology classes, apothecary experiments, wand making and of course we will practice the many spells we learn during the week. There will also be house challenges, quidditch and a chance for every cabin to win the Camp Cup.</td>
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<td>#2 June 22-26</td>
<td>You’re a contestant on…</td>
<td>Knott’s Berry Farm &amp; Johns Incredible Pizza</td>
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<td>Have you ever watched a game show and thought… I could do that? Well now is your chance to see if you have what it takes to win a game show. This week will be filled with all of our favorite game shows past and present. We will play Deal or No Deal, The Price is Right, The Amazing Race, Jeopardy, Wheel of Fortune, Hollywood Squares, and anything else we can fit into this prize filled week.</td>
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<td>#3 June 29-July 2 (M-Th)</td>
<td>Camp Enchanted</td>
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<td>Living in the enchanted forest with fairies and other woodland creatures is how this week will be spent. Our week will be filled with a mud fight in the swamp, a princess scavenger hunt, a fairy party, a hunt for the magical dragon and a chance to save the prince. Make sure to bring your princess outfit, fairy wings and pixie dust for this magical session.</td>
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<td>#4 July 6-10</td>
<td>The Strange and Unknown</td>
<td>California Science Center &amp; Bowling</td>
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<td>Spend your week in the upside down. There are lots of strange things going on at camp this week and we need your help to figure them all out. One of the Counselors has gone missing and it is up to you and your misfit crew to put together the puzzles and complete the challenges to save the Counselor before it is too late. We'll enjoy retro crafts from the 1980’s, an 80’s dance party, we will hunt for the Demogorgon, and you'll make your own theme inspired ice cream flavors.</td>
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<td>Channel Surfing</td>
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<td>Lights, camera, action! Join us for a week of all things Hollywood. We will be learning all kinds of things in front of and behind the camera. We will learn stunts, acting, dancing, movie make-up, and more. There will also be an awards show at the end of the week so grab your red carpet attire and join us for the Golden Pine Cones.</td>
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<td>Superheroes and Villains</td>
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<td>The superheroes are trying to save camp while the villains are trying to destroy it. Bring your superhero or villain suit and get ready to defend camp against the evil villains threatening to take it over. There will be epic team battles, solo missions, and obstacle courses to see who will be the rulers of camp.</td>
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<td>Everybody needs a break. This week will be spent relaxing with some good friends, some good food and some good activities. We will spend the week doing all the relaxing things camp has to offer. We will lounge by the pool, take a night hike to the caves, make s’mores, have a few spa treatments, enjoy PJ breakfast and a slumber party day.</td>
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<td>Grab your camp passports and join us for a quick trip around the globe. There will be all kinds of new foods and country based activities. We will visit Hawaii for a luau, participate in some Olympic events in Greece, celebrate Cinco de Mayo in Mexico, enjoy some great cuisine from Italy, have a night time event in France’s City of Lights, celebrate Rio de Janeiro’s Carnival and last but not least, high tea in England.</td>
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<td>Before you go back to school it is time for one last week of fun and frills with all of your closest camp friends. Our last week of camp will be filled with all of our favorite special events. We will celebrate with a pool party, sword fight, late night tea party and of course formal dinner.</td>
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**All programs, themes, and trips are subject to change or cancellation with or without prior notice.**
City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks
Camp Hollywoodland Girls Summer Residential Camp
Registration Form

Send your completed application and separate checks for each session payable to:
City of Los Angeles
Mail to:
Camp Hollywoodland
3200 Canyon Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90068

Please select the week(s) you would like to sign up for:
#1 ☐ $525 June 15-19
#2 ☐ $500 June 22-26
#3 ☐ $475 June 29-July 2
#4 ☐ $500 July 6-10
#5 ☐ $475 July 13-17
#6 ☐ $525 July 20-24
#7 ☐ $475 July 27-31
#8 ☐ $525 August 3-7
#9 ☐ $500 August 10-14

First Camper’s Information
(Please Print in Blue or Black Ink)

First Time Camper? ☐ Returning Camper? ☐
Camper’s Name_____________________________________ Age* ______
Address_______________________________________________________
City__________________________State______________ Zip ___________
Contact Phone (______)_______ Date of Birth_____________________
Parent/Guardian______________________ Legal Custody? Yes ☐ No ☐
Parent/Guardian______________________ Legal Custody? Yes ☐ No ☐
Contact Phone (______) Work/Cell (______)________________________
Email Address__________________________________________________
Will you be out of town while your child is at camp? Yes ☐ No ☐
In case of emergency, contact_____________________________________
Relationship_______________________ Phone (______)_________________
Cabin Buddy (One Buddy) ______________________________ Age ______
Would you like to be added to our email list? Yes ☐ No ☐

Second Camper’s Information (Same Family)
(Please Print in Blue or Black Ink)

First Time Camper? ☐ Returning Camper? ☐
Camper’s Name_____________________________________ Age* ______
Address_______________________________________________________
City__________________________State______________ Zip ___________
Contact Phone (______)_______ Date of Birth_____________________
Parent/Guardian______________________ Legal Custody? Yes ☐ No ☐
Parent/Guardian______________________ Legal Custody? Yes ☐ No ☐
Contact Phone (______) Work/Cell (______)________________________
Email Address__________________________________________________
Will you be out of town while your child is at camp? Yes ☐ No ☐
In case of emergency, contact_____________________________________
Relationship_______________________ Phone (______)_________________
Cabin Buddy (One Buddy) ______________________________ Age ______

(*Age for campers is determined as the age the camper will be when she attends camp.)
I am aware that there are certain risks of injury and/or damage inherent in the Program’s activities;
I understand that if my child(ren) misbehaves and/or is sick and needs to be sent home, I agree to pick them up at the time requested by the Camp Director and/or designated staff;
I understand that under certain medical conditions the Camp staff may require a written authorization based on a physical examination by a licensed medical person as requirement for the Minor to participate in the Program;
I confirm, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the Minor(s) is not subject to a physical or mental infirmity nor under the influence of any medication or substance which might hinder their safe participation or the safety of others in the Program;
I will instruct the Minor(s) to abide by all safety rules, policies and regulations and to take reasonable precautions to minimize risk of injury or damage arising from participation in the Program;
I give my consent to have the Minor(s) participate in all aspects of the Program;
I knowingly assume full responsibility for all risks of bodily injury, emotional injury, death or property damage that may occur in relation to the Minor(s) as a consequence of participation in the Program at the Camp;
I agree and/or give my consent to have the Minor(s) transported by: car, van, chartered school bus and/or public transportation as part of the Program;
I understand that the Camp has no obligation to obtain medical treatment for the Minor(s). Should it become necessary for the Minor(s) to have emergency medical care while participating in the Program,
I hereby give the Camp personnel my permission to use their judgment in obtaining medical care, and
I give permission to the medical care provider selected by the Camp personnel to render medical care deemed necessary and appropriate;
I understand that the Camp, at its sole option but without obligation, may procure insurance to cover part or all of such medical expenses incurred by the Minor(s);
I understand and agree that any cost incurred for such treatment which is not covered by insurance shall be my sole responsibility; I, (print name) ___________________________ waive all rights of recovery which the Minor(s) and/or I have now or in the future, whether known or unknown, against the City of Los Angeles, Department of Recreation and Parks, Camp Hollywoodland, its officers, agents, employees and/or personnel, and
I release, acquit and forever discharge the City of Los Angeles, Department of Recreation and Parks, Camp Hollywoodland, its officers, agents, employees and/or personnel, from all liability for any bodily injury, emotional injury, or other personal injury, damage, loss or expense, claims, demands, causes of action, costs, loss of services or use, compensations, debts, monetary damages, including but not limited to attorney fees, which result from or are in any way connected with the Minor(s) participating in the Program or any related activities;
I agree to keep the Camp advised if I will be out of contact for any period of time during the Program and to provide additional and/or alternate contact information prior to my leaving;
I authorize the Camp, City of Los Angeles and Department of Recreation and Parks to make, procure and/or use photographs, films, tapes, digital media recordings or other likeness of myself and/or the Minor(s) physical image and/or voice for use with the Program and/or Camps’ publicity, marketing, social media or advertising materials;
I have read this agreement and I understand what it means to my legal rights and the Minor(s) participating, and my signature is made of my own free will and act;
I agree to abide by the rules and policies set forth in the registration and waiver release forms;
I agree to be legally bound by signing the registration and waiver release forms and extend this binding to the Minor(s).
For more information about any of the other great camp facilities the Department of Recreation and Parks has to offer, feel free to call our Camping Section Office at: (213) 485 - 4853 Monday Through Friday, 9am - 5pm. Or visit us at: www.laparks.org/campgrounds

Griffith Park Boys Camp

While Griffith Park Boys Camp, affectionately called Boys Camp, primarily focuses on giving young men ages 7 - 14 a great summer experience, they offer a whole lot more. From traditional family based camp weekends, and the now famous Boys Break Weekends, to rental opportunities, Boys Camp has something for all nature enthusiasts.

Boys Camp offers friendship and a lifetime of memories through its camping programs. Popular activities include archery, nature, crafts, hiking, outdoor cooking, high ropes, camp songs and theme events. Along with summer camp and boys break retreats, camp offers similar weekend adventures for parents and their school-age boys to get to know each other better through an atmosphere of casual fun and relaxation. Griffith Park Boys Camp Summer Residential Camp Program is Monday through Friday June 15th - August 14th, 2020 For more information, please call: (323) 664 - 0571.

Camp Seely

Camp Seely is located in the San Bernardino Mountains, 65 miles from City Hall, nestled in a forest of tall pines at an elevation of 4,200 feet. Close to Lake Gregory and the Village of Crestline, it is located on Highway 138, four miles from Lake Silverwood. Camp Seely is owned and operated by the City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks, under permit from the National Forest Service. The facility includes 60 cabins (each sleeps 4 - 5 people), a large kitchen, dining hall, rustic lodge, modern restroom/shower facilities, playing field, game room and children’s play area.

For more information, please call: (909) 338 -2722 or visit online at: www.laparks.org/camp/camp-seely
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4th District

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Gonzalo Manrique, Principal Recreation Supervisor II
Rob De Hart, Principal Recreation Supervisor I
Therman Calloway, Principal Grounds Maintenance Supervisor II
Traci “Dove” Goldberg, Municipal Sports and Camping Section Supervisor

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Program Director
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