



RYE NECK CAMPS

<p>Camp Hours: (camp dates: June 30 -August 15) Adventure, Discovery, STEAM– located at Rye Neck Middle School Athletic Building, 300 Hornidge rd, Mamaroneck, NY 10543 Regular Camp Day: Monday – Friday from 9:00am-4:00pm Regular Drop off time: 8:45am-9:00am Regular Pick up time: 3:45pm-4:00pm Morning Extended Care @ Rye Neck Middle School: Monday- Friday from 7:30am-9:00am (please note you must register your child to participate in the extended care program). Afternoon Extended Care @ Rye Neck Middle School: Monday -Friday from 4:00pm-6:00pm (please note you must register your child to participate in the extended care program). Light snack is provided to campers.</p>	<p>Swimming: Discovery swims 4-5 times a week Aquatic Supervision Ratios: 1:3 beginners, 1:6 intermediate Curriculum: YMCA Swim Lessons. Safety (ACA and DOH regulations) Campers have a swim evaluation conducted on their first day of camp Campers receive a color-coded swim cap based on their swim level Buddy checks conducted every 15 minutes</p> <p>Trips: all groups <u>except for Explores</u> go on weekly field trips Pioneer Trip Day: Thursday Scout Trip Day: Wednesday (Except for week 3) Trailblazer/ Pathfinder Trip Day: Tuesday (Except for week 3)</p>	<p>Staff: The camp staff at the Rye Y is comprised of college, post-college and exceptional high school students. We are an American Camp Association accredited camp, we have a standard to hold our staffing structure to 80% of our staff being age 18+ (only 20% of our staff are ages 16-17). Our staff goes through a rigorous hiring process, including background and reference checks. We also run a lengthy staff training and development program, focusing on coping skills to anticipate every possible circumstance from emergencies to homesick campers. Leadership staff receive RTE, CPR, AED, EPI Pen, and First Aid training. Many others are certified as lifeguards and activity specialists. Our staff strive to make every camper feel comfortable and welcome in our daily programs</p>
<p>Drop Off & Pick Up: Families must stay in their car at all times as follow the traffic pattern TBD: Trailblazers Pathfinders Adventure Camp Extended Care AM & PM TBD: Explorers Pioneers Scouts STEAM</p>	<p>Lunch: (lunch is not provided) Allergies We are "nut sensitive" and ask that campers do not bring foods that contains nuts in the ingredients. Healthy and Balanced Lunches ONLY Please avoid candy, soda, etc. Please make sure to pack a full lunch and two snacks for your camper.</p> <p>* WATER BOTTLE (we have water onsite for your child to refill their water bottle throughout the day)</p>	<p>Ratios: 5 years & younger - 1:6 counselor to camper ratio 6-8 years- 1:8 counselor to camper ratio 9-14 years- 1:10 counselor to camper ratio 15-18 years- 1:12 counselor to camper ratio</p>
<p>Indoor / Outdoor: Throughout the day, Discovery Campers will rotate indoors and outdoors. Please note that we are heat sensitive and will not take campers outside if there is inclement weather. It is important to reference the packing list to make sure your camper is dressed appropriately for both indoor and outdoor play.</p> <p>During high heat index day's activities / schedule can change as all campers will be inside.</p> <p>Sprinklers and outside vendors will come in to keep the children cool (waterslides etc.)</p>	<p>What to Pack: (please label everything) swimsuit (one piece) * we provide swim caps no need to pack towel and goggles lunch/ snack (full day campers only) plastic bag (wet bathing suit) sunblock spare change of clothes water bottle (one that they can refill throughout day) hat CAMPERS SHOULD COME TO CAMP WEARING: athletic clothing/ easy to move in sneakers with socks pack a light jacket / sweatshirt</p>	<p>Resources: Please visit our camp website www.ryeycamp.org to view the following: summer camp parent handbooks, camper health forms, Y Cares application, payment plan forms and much more! 2025 Summer Camp Q and A Save the Date: Registration required February 26th 5:30pm- 6:30pm at the YMCA Studios. Specifically designed for parents/guardians of perspective and registered camp families. Come meet the camp directors, ask questions and gather a ton of information. These orientations can be "boring" for campers, so we highly encourage leaving campers at home with a sitter.</p>