



KINDER CAMP Y SITE

<p>Camp Hours: (camp dates: June 29th- August 14th) Kinder Camp is located at The Rye Y: 21 Locust Ave, Rye, NY 10580 Just 3s Full Day: **Must be potty trained** 8:30 am - 4:00 pm</p> <p>Half Day – Ages 3-5: **Must be potty trained** 8:30 am - 12:00 pm</p> <p>Full Day Ages 4-5 8:30 am - 4:00 pm PM Extended Care: 4:00 pm- 6:00 pm (must register for this program)</p>	<p>Swimming: Tentative and can change when new guidance is received. Kinder Campers swim 3-4 times a week Curriculum: YMCA Swim Lessons Aquatic Supervision Ratios: 1:3 beginners, 1:6 intermediate 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 are conducted every 15 minutes</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: Drop off: 8:30 am Please stay in your car and pull into the circle in front of the Rye Y; camp staff will greet your camper in the vehicle.</p> <p>If you have questions, please make an appointment with the camp director.</p> <p>Pick Up: Please stay in your car and pull into the circle in front of the Rye Y; camp staff will assist your child in getting into the car. 11:45 am-12:00 pm (Half Day) 3:45 pm-4:00 pm (Full Day)</p>	<p>Lunch: (lunch is not provided) Allergies We are "nut sensitive" and ask that campers do not bring food that contains nuts in the ingredients. We separate children from allergies when necessary.</p> <p>Full-Day Campers Only: -Please pack lunch and three snacks. -Lunches should be healthy and balanced. Half-Day Campers Only: -Please pack two snacks. Avoid packing candy, soda or other unhealthy items.</p> <p>Extended day will receive a light snack</p>	<p>Ratios: Ratio Ages 3-4/ 1:5 (counselor to camper) Ratio Ages 4-6/1:6 (counselor to camper)</p> <p>Just 3s- 3-year-old's Just 3s: Ages 3 years old. Campers aged 3 years must be toilet trained (NO EXCEPTIONS) Campers must be 3 years old by their first day of camp to participate.</p> <p>Program Options: Half-Day Programs: Available for ages 3-5 years old. Full-Day Programs: Available for 4-5 years old.</p>
<p>Indoor / Outdoor: Throughout the day, Kinder Campers are both inside and outside. 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>What to Pack: (please label everything) Swimsuit:(One-piece swimsuits only), Towel, Plastic Bag: (For wet bathing suit), Spare Change of Clothes:(Includes socks), Water Bottle, Lunch: (Full-day campers only) Half-day campers should arrive wearing their bathing suits</p> <p>What to Wear: (please label everything) Athletic clothing that is easy to move in. A light sweater/jacket Sneakers with socks (NO OPEN-TOED SHOES OR FLIP FLOPS). **Please label all items**</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!</p> <p>2026 Summer Camp Meet the Directors: Wednesday, February 25 (5:30 pm-6:30 pm held at the Studios). Specifically designed for parents/guardians of perspective and registered camp families.</p>