



Safari Mini-Camps

Scholarship Information



Denver Zoo is pleased to provide limited scholarship opportunities for eligible families. Please read below for more information, and how to apply.

Before Applying	After Applying	Being Ready for Camp
<p><u>DO NOT</u> purchase a camp before applying.</p> <p>Instead, simply apply HERE.</p>	<p>It can take up to one week to process your scholarship request.</p> <p>If you are awarded a scholarship, you will receive an e-mail confirming this.</p>	<p>Download and read the Safari Mini-Camp Important Information PDF to ensure you are prepared for camp.</p>
<p>Full price for a single Mini-Camp date is \$53.</p> <p>Scholarships are awarded based on need. Maximum scholarship amount awarded will not exceed 90% for a single camp or \$500 per family for an entire year.</p>	<p>You will have 48 hours after receiving your award letter to pay your balance. Make sure you are able to pay any rewarded scholarship amounts before applying. After 48 hours, your scholarship will be forfeited and your spot(s) will be released.</p>	<p>Drop-off is at 9:00 AM and Pick-up is at 4:00 PM at the Special Programs Entrance (marked “A” on the map below).</p> <p>Photo ID will be required every day to pick up a child from camp.</p>
<p>Scholarships are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. Scholarships cannot be guaranteed.</p> <p>Scholarship funds do not cover Early and/or Late Care, or Service and Accommodation Fees.</p> <p>Incomplete applications will not be considered.</p>	<p>If your scholarship is forfeited at any point, you will not be able to apply again.</p> <p>Scholarship submissions will close when all scholarship funding has been awarded.</p>	<p>What to bring:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunch • Any special dietary substitutes for snack. • Dress for the weather and lots of walking (no flip-flops!) • Water bottle <p><i>**Please leave toys, technology, or materials of sentimental or financial value at home.</i></p>
<p>Applications must be submitted at least two weeks before you need to be registered. Example: to be registered by Friday, November 17, an application must be submitted by Friday, November 3.</p>	<p>If your camper will take prescription or over-the-counter medication during camp (including <i>Epi-Pens</i> and <i>Inhalers</i>), the Medication Authorization Form is REQUIRED two weeks prior to their start date.</p>	<p>A morning and afternoon snack will be provided for campers.</p> <p><i>**We try to provide nut-free snacks, but they may be made in a facility that contains nuts.</i></p>
<p>We accept campers Pre-K to 3rd grade, and they must be registered according to current grade level.</p> <p>Pre-K campers must be at least 4 years old.</p>	<p>See Service and Accommodation Fees below. If any changes need to be made or services need to be added, contact the Guest Care Center at 720-337-1400.</p>	<p>To contact us during the day, add authorized pick-ups, or to arrange a late arrival/early pick-up, call the Guest Care Center at 720-337-1400.</p>



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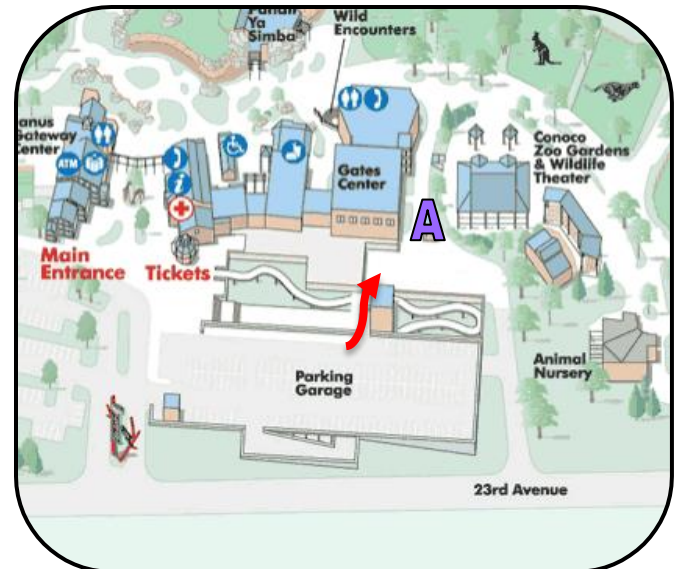


Parking and Entrance

Please park in the parking garage, if space is available.

Regular camp drop-off and pick-up occurs at the Special Programs Entrance at Gate 1 (marked "A" on the map shown). This entrance is located directly up the steps from the elevators on the second level (P2) of the parking garage (red arrow → on the map).

All Early and Late Care participants, as well as Late Arrivals and Early Pick-ups, will enter through the Zoo's Main Entrance and continue to the Gates Center.



Safety/Supervision

Denver Zoo Security Officers, as well as Camp Administrators and Instructors, are certified in First Aid and CPR. Our camp has a staff to child ratio of 1 to 10. All staff and adult volunteers have undergone extensive background checks.

Service and Accommodation Fees

****Scholarship funds DO NOT cover Early and/or Late Care, or Service and Accommodation Fees.**

Early Care *pre-registration required (Drop-off 7:30 AM – 8:45 AM)	\$10 per child per day
Late Care *pre-registration required (Pick-up 4:15 PM – 5:00 PM)	\$10 per child per day
Late Arrival/Early Pick-Up **With advance notice, campers may be dropped-off or picked-up between 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM at no charge.	\$5 per child per instance
Camper not picked up by 5:00 PM	\$10 per child for every 15 minutes late
Camp Transfer or Cancellation	\$10 per child per camp

*Cancellations and transfers must be requested via e-mail to guestcare@denverzoo.org at least 5 business days before the start of your camp date. Within 4 business days, all sales are final.

Additional Questions?

Please contact the Guest Care Center at 720-337-1400 or guestcare@denverzoo.org.