



A Healthy Camp Begins and Ends at Home!

Please help your child have a great Museum Camp experience with Cincinnati Museum Center:

1. If your camper is showing signs of illness such as fever, vomiting, diarrhea, rash, nasal drainage, coughing/sneezing that is not allergy related, and/or loss of taste or smell, you must keep the child home and contact us at 513-728-0082 or neskridge@cincymuseum.org. This greatly reduces the spread of illness at camp and supports your child's recovery.
 - You must conduct the daily health assessment (below) for each camper each morning before arriving at camp. Be prepared to relay such information to the Museum Camp staff who is checking in your child.
 - If a child fails his or her daily health assessment, do not send your camper to camp and contact the Camp Manager, Nora Eskridge, immediately at 513-728-0082 or neskridge@cincymuseum.org
 - If your camper fails a daily health assessment and/or temperature reading, or is sent home due to illness, that camper, along with anyone in the camper's household, will not be allowed to return until approved by the Camp Manager, Nora Eskridge. The Camps Manager will follow the Ohio Department of Health and Centers for Disease Control recommendations. The Camp Manager may require a note from a physician indicating that the camper has been approved to return to camp.
 - If a camper exhibits signs of illness (fever, vomiting, diarrhea, rash, nasal drainage, coughing/sneezing that is not allergy related, and/or loss of taste or smell) during the camp day, they must be picked up immediately after Museum Camp staff communicates with the camper's parent or caregiver.
 - In the event that your camper tests positive for COVID-19 within 2 weeks of the last day of camp you must immediately notify us at 513-728-0082 or neskridge@cincymuseum.org.
2. Please remind your child to sneeze and cough in their sleeve, keep their hands away from their face, and wash their hands often while at camp. Campers must wash their hands using soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer upon arrival and prior to leaving for the day; after toileting; after contact with bodily fluids; after returning inside after outdoor play; after handling animals, animal cages, or other objects that have come in contact with the animal before moving on to another activity; before eating or assisting with food preparation; or after water activities. Campers must wash their hands using soap and water if his or her hands are visibly soiled.
3. Talk with your camper about healthy behaviors such as social distancing, hand-washing, and wearing a facial covering. Addressing these at home can prepare your camper for the first day of camp and get them used to what they can expect. We have found this resource from the Centers for Disease Control helpful in thinking through how to talk with children about COVID-19: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/talking-with-children.html>
 - All campers must come to Museum Camp with a clean facial covering each day.
 - Each camp will remain only with the people in their group. To request that your camper be in a group with someone else (grade band-appropriate), please contact the Manager of Museum Camps at 513-728-0082 or neskridge@cincymuseum.org.
4. Pick-up and drop-off will take place outside your camp locations front entrance. CMC staff will take your camper's temperature when you arrive.
5. If you have any emotional, mental, or physical health concerns, please tell us about your camper's strengths and struggles so we can work together to develop a plan to support your camper at CMC. This plan will help your camper have the best experience possible.

6. If your camper has dietary needs, please include that on the Healthcare form and contact us at 513-728-0082 or neskridge@cincymuseum.org.
7. Cincinnati Museum Center is not permitted to administer medicine to children. It is important that you inform us of any medical conditions or special needs. Please contact the Camp Manager to discuss your camper(s)' needs before their first day. We do our best to accommodate needs and requests. Museum Camp Manager Contact Information: Nora Eskridge, (513) 728-0082, neskridge@cincymuseum.org.

COVID-19 Daily Health Assessment for Museum Camps

Before arriving at camp, you must conduct a health assessment for your camper each day of camp using the questions below. Upon your arrival at camp, Museum Camp staff will ask you about the results of your camper's daily health assessment.

Symptom Status

Does your camper have any of the following symptoms?

Fever (100.4 degrees or greater)	Yes	No
Cough (new,* persistent, dry cough)	Yes	No
Shortness of Breath	Yes	No
Digestive issues (diarrhea or vomiting)	Yes	No
Rash	Yes	No
Loss of taste or smell	Yes	No

*New is defined as cough within the last 7 days

Personal Contact History

Have you, your camper, or anyone in the camper's household had any direct contact with an individual infected or suspected to be infected with COVID-19?	
Yes	No
Are you, your camper, or anyone in the camper's household awaiting results for a COVID-19 test?	
Yes	No

If you answered Yes to ANY of these questions, do not send your camper to Museum Camp and contact the Museum Camp Manager.

Nora Eskridge
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Have questions or want to learn more? Please reach out to CMC's Manager of Museum Camps, Nora Eskridge. We're here to help and want your child to have the best camp experience possible!

Nora Eskridge, Manager of Museum Camps
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