



## **Eagles Explorations Day Programs**

### ***Getting Ready for Camp***

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-Review the Camper Code of Conduct with your child.

-Label all belongings with your child's name and provide a backpack to contain your child's items.

-Dress your child in active-wear clothing and athletic shoes that you do not mind getting dirty, muddy, wet, and possibly ruined. It is also suggested to send along a change of clothes and/or a cover up shirt or t-shirt, just in case your child gets especially dirty or wet. For your child's safety, sandals or flip flops are not allowed. A camp shirt will be given during the session, and your child should wear it on Tuesdays for easy identification during swim days. Modest bathing suits on swim/water days only.

-Send your child with a towel, swimsuit and, if you desire, sunscreen. Clearly label the sunscreen with your child's name. Our staff will assist campers with sunscreen only if it is brought from home and clearly labeled with the child's name.

-Please be sure your camper has taken all necessary medication before leaving your home in the morning, or, that you have made special, other arrangements. For these circumstances, see the attached Medicine Form. Or you may obtain this form from the website at [www.AACSSummerPrograms.com](http://www.AACSSummerPrograms.com).

#### At Camp

-Each camper will be assigned a group leader on the first day of camp. Each day your child should immediately look for and report to their leader/ Camp Counselor each day.

-Ticks: Please make a daily tick check part of your routine each evening. After outdoor activities, we will ask the campers to check their bodies for ticks, but this must be done again in the evenings.

-We have fun even when it rains! Dress your child appropriately as camp activities are not always limited to indoor play on rainy days.

-We will be going Spy Aquatics in Severna Park, by school bus, each Tuesday. Please have your child wearing his/her swim suit at drop off on Tuesdays, and as with every day, a towel and full change of clothes.

-Please be sure to return the attached permission form. This form may be completed once and used multiple times if your child is attending multiple weeks.

-No electronic devices (cell phones, iPods, Gameboys, etc.) are allowed at camp. Campers are asked to leave all these items at home. If there is a situation where you need to contact your child please call the main office at (410) 519-5300 or the afterhours number at (410) 703-3539. All electronic devices will be confiscated. AACCS is not responsible for the loss or damage of any electronics. Leave them at home.

**AACS Summer Programs, Eagles Explorations**  
***Camper Code of Conduct***

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As a camper, I will:

- Stay safe in all activities while still having fun.
  - Show respect to other participants and treat them as I would like to be treated. No physical or verbal abuse and no teasing or unkind behavior will be permitted. I understand that there is a zero tolerance for bullying.
  - Show respect to staff members and cooperate fully with their instructions.
  - Communicate in an appropriate manner, which means I must not use foul language, harsh words or tone of voice.
  - Refrain from deliberately causing bodily harm to other participants or staff. I understand that pushing, kicking, hitting or fighting are not acceptable and will not be tolerated.
  - Use program equipment, supplies and indoor facilities properly. Care for the environment by refraining from littering.
  - Respect the property of others, including all furniture, supplies and equipment at the school as well as any possessions that belong to other campers or counselors.
  - I will not bring electronics to camp. Mobile phones are not to be used during camp.
  - Understand that these rules of behavior are for the safety and well being of me and others.
- HAVE FUN!

The following are the consequences of violations of the above code while at AACS Summer Programs.

- Campers are made aware of all rules and guidelines again upon arrival.
- Camp Staff will first verbally warn campers for breaking these rules and guidelines. Bullying will result in immediate removal from activity.
- After warning camper, if behavior or action still persists, camper will not participate in that given activity.
- If behavior persists, campers will be sent to the camp office with the Camp Administrative staff. (Parents will be notified at this point)
- At the discretion of Camp Administrators, campers may be sent home if problem behavior persists with no refund of camp fees.
- The camp director will discuss all decisions thoroughly with parents before any child is sent home.