



2023 Summer Camp Information

Before Camp Begins:

- Complete camp registration online at www.sdnat.org/summercamp
- **Please note all allergies (especially food allergies) during registration process.**
- Camps are held in the Learning Labs at the San Diego Natural History Museum located at 1788 El Prado, San Diego, CA 92101 in Balboa Park (map below).
- Our camps are designed by grade level. Children in camps for grades 1–8 should enroll in camps based on what grade they will be entering in September 2023. To ensure a high-quality experience, it is important that all participants are with their same-age peers.
- Campers should be between the ages of 6 and 13 years old during camp.

The First Day of Camp:

- Parking is free in Balboa Park. Parking can be difficult, particularly in the afternoon. Please allow sufficient time to find a parking space for drop-off and pick-up. Remember to lock your vehicle.
- **To check-in**, please walk your child into the Museum via the North Entrance (by the giant Fig Tree) 15 minutes prior to the start of camp and check-in at the registration table. You will have the opportunity to visit the classroom and meet the camp instructor and aides.
- Camp T-shirts will be distributed during pick-up at the end of the first day of camp.
- **Pick-up** will take place at the summer camp tent on the south end of the parking lot—east of the Museum near the fountain. You may pull your vehicle up to the turnout.
- IDs are required at pick-up each day. Please be sure to list the person(s) picking up your child by the name on their ID during registration.

All Camps:

- All camps take a break for lunch and a snack. Lunches and snacks are not provided. Please provide lunch, snack, and a beverage for your child daily. Please write a name on your child's lunch bag and beverage container. **Note: Summer Camp at The Nat is nut-free.**
- Camp runs from 9 AM to 3 PM daily.
- Campers should wear comfortable play clothes that can get dirty. **Closed-toed shoes ONLY. NO FLIP FLOPS OR SANDALS.**
- All camps will visit the Museum exhibitions and spend time in the Park. We recommend hats and sunscreen.
- Starting Monday afternoon and for the rest of the week, you will drop-off and pick-up your camper at the summer camp tent on the south end of the parking lot east of the Museum near the fountain. You may pull your vehicle up to the turnout.
- **Please be prompt in dropping off and picking up your child.**
 - If you are running late or if you will be absent, please contact our Reservation Coordinator at 619.255.0349 or reservationcoordinator@sdnhm.org.
 - If you are more than 15 minutes late for drop-off or pick-up, a \$10 late fee will be assessed.

For additional information, please refer to the FAQ.

Park Map

For more detailed directions, visit www.sdnat.org/directions

Monday Drop-Off: Park your car on Monday morning and enter the Museum through the North Entrance between 8:45–9 AM.

Monday Pick-Up and Tues–Fri Drop-Off/Pick-Up: Park or pull up to the curb, exit your vehicle, and sign out your camper with photo ID. Drop-off is 8:45–9 AM and pick-up is 2:45–3 PM.

