



## **Summer Day Camp Counselor Additional Responsibilities**

As a Camp Marlin counselor, you will work closely with your group of campers. You will meet in the same classroom, eat together, take restroom breaks and travel from activity to activity together. Not only will you be serving as a role model to your campers, they will also look to you to be their parent, teacher, sibling, and coach. You will have a big impact on their summer; what you say and do and how you care for your campers is hugely important. As such, it is vital that you maintain a positive attitude, call on childcare experience and bring lots of energy to the job. Your primary responsibility is to keep campers safe.

Below are requirements related to the prevention of Covid-19 from the TEA intended for PAISD campus instruction and visits by students, teachers, and staff, starting June 1 as part of Camp Marlin. (5/19/20)

1. All Staff and campers will be screened at the start of EVERY week of camp.
2. All staff and campers will have their temperature taken at the start of EVERY day or as needed
3. No more than eleven individuals should be in an enclosed area together
4. All instruction should be held in spaces that allow students to remain at least six feet apart
5. No group or pairs work that would require students to regularly interact within six feet
6. Students can NOT be brought together for any reason
7. Hand sanitizer will be provided at the entrance and everyone must sanitize upon entry
8. All staff and campers will be encouraged to use sanitizer frequently throughout the day
9. All staff and campers will wash their hands several times throughout the day
10. All staff will wear face coverings (over the mouth and nose), campers will also be encouraged to wear face coverings
11. Throughout the day opportunities will be given to staff and campers to clean their own spaces
12. Throughout the day staff will disinfect common areas
13. Students will eat within their own personal space
14. When feasible and appropriate, it is preferable for students to gather outside rather than inside
15. A positive COVID-19 case in a summer session group will require two-week closure

### **Additional precautions from the City of Port Aransas include:**

1. Two counselors will work with the same group of eight students each week
2. Counselors will be responsible for the safe movement, transportation and social distancing of campers
3. Counselors may be left as the sole supervision of a group of eight campers
4. No large group activities will be permitted so counselors will need to facilitate all activities, meals and restroom breaks
5. Groups will be outside as much as possible. Staff will be required to work in high heat conditions and bring their own water bottle, hat, sunscreen, etc.
6. Parents are required to stay in their vehicles and not permitted inside
7. Drop off times will be staggered and parents will be required to stay in their vehicles.
8. Parents will text the name of their student to #:123456 and students will be escorted to the doors for pick up.

Staff and camper safety is the number one priority of the City of Port Aransas Parks & Recreation Department. Every possible precaution will be taken to avoid the transmission or spread of Covid-19

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