

# Library Literacy Camp ~ E.S.T.E.A.M.

*Explore. Discover. Learn.*

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*Please legibly print and complete all blanks below.*

Camper Name _____	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Home Phone (____) _____
Camper Address _____ _____	
Birth Date ____/____/____ School _____	Grade in Fall '25 _____
Guardian 1 Name _____	Preferred Phone (____) _____
Guardian 2 Name _____	Preferred Phone (____) _____
Guardian 1 Alternate Phone (____) _____	Guardian 2 Alternate Phone (____) _____

## Session(s) Attending:

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| <input type="radio"/> What's Your Wingspan? Camp | <b>July 21-25</b>   | <b>9:00 – 1:00 pm</b> |
| <input type="radio"/> Color Our World! Camp      | <b>August 18-22</b> | <b>9:00-1:00 pm</b>   |

**Emergency Contact:** *We will certainly call in an emergency, but we will also call if we have other questions regarding your child's health. If we cannot reach you, provide contact information for other people who know your child and with whom we can consult. We assume you have spoken to these alternative contacts and they are willing to assist should the need arise.*

Emergency Contact 1 Name _____	Relationship _____
Preferred Phone Number (____) _____	Alternate Phone Number (____) _____
Emergency Contact 2 Name _____	Relationship _____
Preferred Phone Number (____) _____	Alternate Phone Number (____) _____

## Allergies: Check those that apply to this camper.

- ☐ My child has no known allergies
- ☐ My child has the following allergies to the environment: \_\_\_\_\_
- Causes anaphylaxis? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- Describe the reaction and how it is managed, (attach additional information if needed): \_\_\_\_\_

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- The student/parent/guardian acknowledges that a wide variety of activities will be conducted during the Library Literacy Camp and give permission for the above student to participate in these activities assuming all ordinary risks normally inherent to the nature of the activities. Camper agrees to abide by all rules set by the Library Literacy Camp especially in regards to personal behavior and safety. Student/parent/guardian realizes that involvement in the camp program may subject him/her to certain stresses and hazards, which may include but are not limited to sun, rain, wind, stinging and disease carrying animals (ticks, spiders, insects, etc.) poisonous plants, proper hydration, etc. not all of which can be foreseen.
  - Completing this application implies that parent and child understands that the Library Literacy Camp has the right to dismiss any student whose behavior, attitude or action, is in our judgment, contrary to the best interests of our Library and Camp missions. This includes but is not limited to: pranks causing bodily harm, embarrassment, or destruction of property, fighting, harassment, bullying or other conduct that is ruining another child's experience or is harmful to the environment, the Library and the Library Outdoor Learning Areas.

*I have read, understand and will comply with the terms on the reverse side of this application.*

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Important Information on the Back**

## **Additional Behavior Policies**

- Improper conversations are discouraged and considered disrespectful.
- Students are expected to comply with requests and directions that ensure the health, safety, and welfare of everyone at the Library Literacy Camp.
- Mental, emotional, social and/or physical behavior that affects a camper's ability to participate in the program or that significantly disrupts the program experience for others may constitute grounds for removal. Parents are required to give us this information.

## **Personal Property**

Library Literacy Camp assumes no liability for loss or damage to student's personal property or for injury incurred as a result of use of personal property. Library Literacy Camp discourages all borrowing and lending among anyone participating or working in camp. Money, iPod, video games and other similar valuables are best left at home.

## **Gustavus Library Policies and Procedures:**

Please read and make note of all Gustavus Library Policies and Procedures. Completing this application implies that you have read and accept them.

## **Dress Code**

Students need to dress appropriately for the active, outdoor and art activities in which they will participate throughout the week. Students will be outdoors most of the day. Activities are held rain or shine. Tennis or hiking shoes or buckled sandals are required, **no flip-flops or crocs type shoes**. Students need to dress for varying weather...including a sweatshirt is a great idea as Gustavus mornings are cooler. If there is a possibility of rain, students need to bring appropriate rain gear.

## **Health Challenges in the Environment**

- As with any geographic location, there are certain risks that students are exposed to that are associated with location and the outdoors. As most activities during Camp will occur outdoors, it is important for students to wear sunscreen and bug spray. It is equally important for students to bring filled water bottles and take daily water breaks to avoid dehydration.
- Should your child require special medication (epi-pens, inhalers, etc.) to be kept with your child at all times, please provide a small backpack/hip pack for the child to keep the medication on his/her body at all times. Please also write such information on the previous page of this application as well as notify staff the first day of camp.
- At least one staff person on site will be trained in CPR and First Aid.

## **What if I need to contact a staff member during the day?**

Since most of our time is spent outdoors, it is highly likely that you will be able to reach us. If you have to contact a staff member during the day, please contact the City of Gustavus between 9:00 and 3:00 pm. They will contact camp staff.

## **What should my child bring to Camp every day?**

- Students must bring their own bag lunch. As conservation is our focus, please utilize reusable storage containers. Please pack a substantial snack and a lunch, as we will be very active all day.
- Bring a filled water bottle. Remembering our conservation theme, bottles should not be the disposable kind.
- In a backpack, bring rain gear, a sweatshirt, sunscreen, bug spray, and a hat everyday. Each item labeled with your child's name.

***Drop off 8:50am-9:00am. Pick Up 1:00pm All students will need to be signed in and out. We will meet you in the Sunroom entrance of the library.***