

2017 MARIST A+ SUMMER CAMP FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

1. What is the location and hours of operation of the Summer Day Camp Program?

Duration of Camp – Session 1: July 5th to July 28th (No Camp on July 4th) / Session 2: July 31st to August 25th
Hours of Operation: 8 AM to 4 PM
Marist High School, 1241 Kennedy Blvd, Bayonne, NJ 07002 (Use rear parking lot entrance)

2. How does drop-off and pick-up work?

You must bring your child into the school building and sign them in between 8 AM and 9 AM unless you have before care. When picking up your child you must come in and sign your child out. There is a \$5 late fee per every 15 minutes that you are late picking up your child. After 3 occurrences, you will be required to sign up for after care. Late fee will be due immediately the next day in the form of money order addressed to Marist High School.

3. What are the minimum age for Marist A+ Summer Camp?

Children must be age 5 by July 1st 2017 and entering the kindergarten in September 2017.

4. Who supervises the Marist A+ Summer Camp?

The Camp Director supervises Marist A+ Summer Camp. There are a total of 10 staff during camp hours which includes counselors, teachers, and administrator. All staff are CPR & First Aid Certified, have undergone reference and background checks and drug screening. Marist A+ Summer camp camper to leader ratio will never exceed 15/1, and typically the ratio of campers to leaders is 10 (or lower)/1.

5. Do you offer before and after care? Are there additional costs involved?

Yes, we do offer before and after care for campers. Before care is available from 7 AM to 8 AM for \$20 week. After care is available from 4 PM to 6 PM for \$30 week. If you enroll in both before and after care, the cost is a \$50 per week. Before and/or after care is pre-paid the week before. There is a \$25 late fee per every 30 minutes that you are late picking up your child. Late fee will be due immediately the next day in the form of money order addressed to Marist High School.

6. How do I register Marist A+ Summer Camp?

Registration begins on Monday, January 30, 2017 and you may register your child/ren online at www.marist.org/a+camp. Upon completion of registration form, you will be responsible for paying a non-refundable registration fee of \$50 per child unless you register prior to February 24th when the non-refundable registration fee is \$25 per child. This fee is non-refundable, non-transferrable and cannot be credited. Please register at your earliest convenience.

7. What is the cost for Marist A+ Summer Camp?

Marist A+ Summer Camp costs \$575 per 4-week session. If register for both sessions, the cost is \$1100 which is due on Friday, June 30, 2017. We offer weekly payment options of \$150 per week due the preceding week.

8. What does the non-refundable registration fee include?

The non-refundable registration fee secures your spot with Marist A+ Summer Camp and provides child with camp tee-shirt.

9. Who do I call in the event of an emergency?

Parents would need to contact Marist High School directly at 201.437.4545 to speak with an administrator.

10. What does my child need to bring to Camp?

Campers should bring sun screen, which is applied by your child under the supervision of the staff. Additional money for field trip snacks is allowed, however all personal items and money are the responsibility of the Camper. The Marist A+ Summer Camp policy is that staff cannot 'hold' or be responsible for money brought to

camp. The general rule of thumb for personal items brought to camp is that if it is too valuable to lose or get broken, it's better left at home. Extra pair of clothes is requested for our younger campers.

11. What is a typical day at Camp?

An example of daily camp activity can include some of the following:

8 AM – 9 AM Drop-off time, breakfast

9 AM – 12 PM Academic Enrichment

12 PM – 1 PM Lunch

1 PM – 3:30 PM Arts ~ Sports ~ Drama

3:30PM – 4 PM Snacks, Pick-up time

There will be a weekly field trip.

12. Who transports my child to field trips?

Transportation is contracted with Marist High School using MHS busses and drivers.

12. Do you accept Urban League?

Yes, we do accept Urban League. Please advise your worker that you have selected Marist A+ Camp as your child's camp provider and provide all necessary paperwork to Marist High School.

13. Are Campers grouped together by age?

Yes. Campers are grouped together by grade. K-3; 4-6; and 7-9.

14. Can you explain field trips?

Fields trips occur on select days once a week. There is not an additional cost for each field trip. Fields trip consent is enclosed in your registration packet.

