Camp SOM
Managed by Bright Horizons Family Solutions

Here is some information that will help you plan for your visit:

**Drop-Off:**
Camp SOM will be held at Christ Presbyterian Church, 135 Whitney Ave. Please come in the front entrance of Evans Hall at 165 Whitney Ave, proceed to the alumni check in area, then walk next door to the church and enter the building via the right side door near the playground. At drop-off, please be prepared to check in and spend a few minutes obtaining family ID bracelets, confirming contact information and special needs. After check in, you will meet with your child’s caregiver and share special instructions for the day. All children must be escorted to and from the space by a parent.

Camp SOM hours of operation are as follows:
- Session 1: 8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
- Session 2: 12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- Session 3: 5:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.
- All day session: 8:00am – 10:00pm

**What to Bring:**
- Please label all items with your child’s name.
- Comfortable shoes/sneakers are required as we will have outdoor and walking activities.
- Camp is not responsible for loss or damage to personal belongings.
- **Infants & Toddlers:** diapers, wipes, diaper cream, bottles, formula/breast milk, baby food, spoon, dish, pacifier, change of clothes, blanket, comfort items, pj’s for evening session.
- **Preschoolers:** change of clothes including shoes, comfort items.
- **School-Agers:** while we have many activities planned, school-agers are welcomed to bring personal items such as age-appropriate books, hand-held games, ipods, etc. Children are responsible for the oversight of their items.

**Activities:**
- All activities and equipment have been selected based on the ages of the children registered.
- Activities for young infants and toddlers include soft toys, music, arts and crafts, stories and much more.
- Older children will enjoy on-going and scheduled activities including a variety of games, arts and crafts, music, puzzles, movies, and much more.
- We will take outdoor walks weather permitting. Leave your stroller for use for infants and toddlers.
- We will visit Peabody Museum from 2:00pm-4:00pm. Younger children who are awake and it meets their feeding schedule will also attend.

**Agenda:**

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**Meals and Beverages Provided:**
- Camp SOM is nut/tree nut free.
- Older infants may participate in meals as approved by parent.
- Parents may provide alternative food items for children who cannot or will not eat the foods provided by Camp.
- A morning snack, lunch, afternoon snack and dinner are provided for those scheduled during meal designated times. If your child is here all day they will receive 2 snacks and 3 meals.

**Security:**
- All Bright Horizons’ teachers have passed a thorough criminal background check and have been highly recommended by their center director.
- There will be a number of teachers on site who are trained in First Aid and CPR.
- Only parents may enter Camp SOM area. Parents may visit and/or take their child in and out as they wish but are required to notify the teacher and registration desk.
- Children will only be released to adults who have a family ID bracelet provided to them at drop off.

We want Camp SOM to be a positive experience for the children and parents who utilize our program. If there is anything we can do to help you or your child feel more comfortable, please let us know.

Looking forward to seeing you soon!

**Jodi**

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