



Outdoor Education at Jones Gulch

Registration: Coming Soon!

- Registration for Outdoor Ed program will be online and includes:
 - general information about camp
 - packing list
 - optional t-shirt order form
 - student health information
- District paperwork will include:
 - permission form
 - payment form
 - option to remain at Mariposa for the week

Daily Schedule

8:00 am Breakfast

9:00 am Day Activity

- visit beach, marsh, and tide pools
- hike through the Emerald Forest
- work in the garden and the Nature Lab

3:30 pm Teacher Time

4:30 pm Cabin Time

5:30 pm Dinner

7:00 pm Night Activity

- Ocean Odyssey
- Night Hike
- Earth Dance

9:30 pm Lights Out

Meals

- Students should pack a “no garbage” lunch for Tuesday.
- All other meals are provided.
 - Note allergies and dietary restrictions on Student Registration form.
- Absolutely no food allowed in the cabins!

Medications

- Complete yellow *Medication Information and Permission* form. Parent and physician signatures are required for any medications.
- Place all medications (including vitamins) in a plastic ziploc bag.
- Label bag with student's full name.
- Place in Medications Box when dropping off luggage; do not pack with clothing.

Accommodations

- Cabins are heated and have electricity.
- Students sleep on bunk beds with mattresses.
- Some cabins have bathrooms; for others, bathrooms are a short walk on a well-lit, paved path.
- 10-16 students are assigned to a cabin.
- 1-2 cabin leaders stay full-time in the cabin with students.
- Outdoor Ed staff and TL teachers provide support for cabin leaders.

Packing Tips

- Follow the packing list.
 - layers, no new clothing, warm shoes with traction
 - backpack, water bottle
 - no electronics including cell phones; cameras allowed
- Let your child do the packing.
- Garbage bags help protect against the weather.
- Label everything!
- Students carry their own gear.

Communication

- No telephone calls allowed.
- Mail is encouraged.
 - Keep the message positive.
 - Think twice before sending packages.
- Parents will be contacted immediately in the case of illness.

Tuesday, January 8 – Friday, January 11

● Tuesday Departure for Outdoor Ed

- Drop off child with luggage and medications in front of the TL Learning Commons.
- students take attendance in Advisory at 8:05 am
- parents are needed to help load luggage on buses
- buses depart at 9:00 am

● Friday Arrival Back at Mariposa

- estimated time: 1:00 pm
- watch for email updates
- students are dismissed immediately

Questions?

<https://www.smcoe.org/for-communities/programs/outdoor-education.html>

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