



SESSION 8 FIELD TRIP INFORMATION

SIX FLAGS DISCOVERY KINGDOM

WEDNESDAY, 8/7

CAMP HOURS: 9:00-4:00PM

Camps Sequoia, Mighty Oak and Marinwood

Campers will board buses at **9:15am** and will return to Marinwood at **4:00pm**. Buses will not wait for late campers. Please let the camp director know if your child suffers from car sickness so they may sit towards the front of the bus.

We are all looking forward to a positive experience on the field trip, so it is important for us to note that campers who misbehave will be required to sit out of the activities. Additionally, if the misbehavior is repeated and severe, you may be asked to pick up your camper from the field trip location. We understand that sitting out of activities can be disappointing, so we always encourage discussions at home about what behavior is appropriate during field trips including time spent on the bus. Inappropriate language will not be tolerated.

There will be multiple "limited rides" groups and an "all ride" group. Campers will be grouped according to height and ride interests with 2 counselors to each group. Groups will stay together at all times, and no campers will be allowed to go anywhere unaccompanied. Certain thrill rides have height minimums of 48" or 54" and/or weight restrictions. It would be helpful to **inform your child of his/her height in inches** before Tuesday when campers are put into groups. **Please also discuss and help your camper decide what is their actual ride tolerance level** (big roller coasters, upside down rides, tall height rides, etc.). Visit Six Flags Discovery Kingdom website for more information on thrill and other rides.

Please pack the following items in a backpack on Wednesday:

- Water bottle & Heavy Snack (Campers will eat snack before heading into the Park)
- One small backpack or fanny pack. Large size backpacks may not be allowed on all rides.
- Optional: *Additional Spending Money for Concession Stands or Souvenirs/Candy. Please limit additional spending money to \$25. Campers are solely responsible for their own money.

***Six Flags Discovery Kingdom only accepts card payments at all locations including restaurants, retail stores, games, ticket windows, and parking toll booths. You can either pay for purchases using a Visa, Mastercard, American Express, Discover, or a debit card. Only have cash? You can convert your cash to a prepaid debit card at one of the multiple kiosks located throughout the park. There may be two options for converting cash- either into a Six Flags use only card or a general Visa card. Please discuss with your child their options.**

No outside food or drink will be allowed in the park unless for medical reasons. Lunch will be provided during the trip and campers may purchase additional food inside. Lunch includes Hamburgers, Mac & Cheese, Fruit Salad, Ice Cream Sandwiches, Frito Lay Chips and a Fountain Beverage.

Park Policy: Guests who suffer from sensitivities or life-threatening allergies may bring food into the park if they do not feel comfortable with the menu options available. In this case, the food must be limited to the individual with the allergy and may contain: two sealable sandwich bags (7x8 inches) and one snack to accommodate their visit (such as a piece of fruit, or a fruit bar, or a snack that fits in a sandwich bag). One small soft-sided cooler may be brought into the park to carry these items. No outside beverages are permitted.

Cell phones or cameras may be used **only** to take photos on the field trip. If a staff member sees a camper using their phone for social media, games, etc. on the bus or field trip, the phone will be confiscated and returned at camp checkout.

If you arrive before the buses at checkout, for safety reasons, please wait until the camp has fully disembarked and settled into their checkout groups before checking out your child. It can become chaotic if parents try to take their children before camp staff are fully prepared. Thank you!

Please note there is no alternate activity on field trip days for those not attending. There is no makeup or refunds for missed activities such as tennis camp or swim lessons. All travel to and from the field trip destination is to be done with our camp staff and United Coach Tours buses. If your child usually attends After Care but will be picked up at 4pm after the field trip instead, please let the camp director know at check-in. The Camp Supervisor will be attending the field trip. Please call Marinwood office for additional information.