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Welcome to Aleph Academy’s summer program

 Camp Explore!!

June 17-August 2, 2019 (closed July 4th)

Aleph Academy’s Camp Explore is dedicated to providing each child with a unique and fun summer camp experience with an emphasis on exploration and discovery. Our hands-on approach to learning offers a daily opportunity for creative expression, scientific investigation, lots of time in our magical playscape and working with different art mediums. We have an outstanding summer planned for your child(ren) and can’t wait to see how their ideas unfold!

**Our Day**

At Camp Explore we start our mornings outside. Please have your child come prepared with sunscreen already applied and wearing their water clothes. Water play happens during morning outside time and is a highlight of our summer fun. Shoes will get wet, so please plan accordingly. We will then go inside for Indoor Exploration, lunch and rest time. **Half day pick up is at 12:00 p.m. for all half day children; full day pick up is at 3:30p.m. We do offer both before and after care options as well.** After napping, we will end our day outside in our beautiful natural playscape.

**Clothing**

If you are a returning ‘camper’ you may remember how much fun is packed into our summer program, and how messy it can be. *Please do not send your child to camp in clothes that cannot be dirtied*. Below is a list of items to bring on your child’s **FIRST DAY**. We also ask that you ensure these items are available to your child on a continuous basis – replenishing is often necessary. ALL ITEMS MUST BE CLEARLY LABELED IN PERMANENT MARKER! There is a lost and found next to the front office.

**First day of Summer Check List**

* Sunscreen with permission label
* Sun hat
* 2 full changes of clothes
* Water bottle
* Towel
* Crib Size Sheet and Blanket (nap time)
* Diapers and Wipes

**Fridays**

Every Friday we ask that parents take home their child’s bedding and all personal items to be washed including bathing suits and towels. Please bring them back on Monday and double check your child's basket to ensure your child has ALL the items in the checklist above.

**Shabbat**

Fridays are special days! On Fridays we celebrate Shabbat with dancing and songs. Each week, one child per class will be selected to bring in a fresh *whole* fruit to share with their peers. The children will continue to have the opportunity to bake their own Challah bread, which they will take home.

**Theme**

The summer gives Aleph children a chance to delve into a special S.T.E.A.M. topic (S.T.E.M. with an art twist!) Explorations are based around a specific theme each week that focuses on science, technology, engineering, art or math. Children explore a variety of materials in a new way and participate in exciting experiences that deepen their learning. This culminates in an End of Summer Celebration special camp-wide event.

**Special Activities**

Every summer, using the children’s interests as a springboard for inspiration, we plan special activities with experts in their field. Stay tuned, as special activities will be announced throughout the summer!

**Daily Schedule**

Aleph Academy is open Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m. We are closed on Thursday, July 4, 2019. Please come as close to your drop off and pick up times as possible. A late pick up fee of $25 will be charged to your TADS account if your child is picked up more than 5 minutes after his/her scheduled time.

**Summer Fee Schedule**

Camp Explore tuition pricing is for the entire summer session. All payments are made through TADS. Summer registration is sent via email; on that form you can choose to pay either in one payment on June 15th or two equal payments on June 15th and July 15th. Online summer registration forms are due by April 13, 2018.

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| **Camp Explore Summer Session Pricing** | | | | | |
|  | | 5 days/wk | | 3 days/wk | 2 days/wk |
| Full Day  9:00-3:30  Includes lunch and 2 snacks | | $2261 | | $1729 | $1145 |
| *2 Installments June 15 & July 15* | | *$1130.50* | | *$864.50* | *$572.50* |
| Half Day  9:00-12:00  Includes lunch and 1 snack | | $2001 | | $1464 | $1068 |
| *2 Installments June 15 & July 15* | | *$1000.50* | | *$732* | *$534* |
| **Ketantanim Summer Pricing** | | | | | |
| Full Day  9:00-3:30  Includes lunch and 2 snacks | | $2309 | | $1771 | $1187 |
| *2 Installments June 15 & July 15* | | *$1154.50* | | *$885.50* | *$593.50* |
| Half Day  9:00-12:00  Includes lunch and 1 snack | | $2077 | | $1505 | $1098 |
| *2 Installments June 15 & July 15* | | *$1038.50* | | *$752.50* | *$549* |
| **Extended Care Options** | | | | | |
| Morning Care Options (Additional fee) | | | | | |
| 8:00-9:00 | | $275.00 | | $180.00 | $115.00 |
| *Installment* | | *$137.50* | | *$90.00* | *$57.50* |
| Afternoon Care Options (Additional fee) | | | | | |
| 3:30-5:30 | | $345.00 | | *$230.00* | $145.00 |
| *Installment* | | *$172.50* | | *$115.00* | *$72.50* |
| 3:30-4:30 | | $275.00 | | $180.00 | $115.00 |
| *Installment* | | *$137.50* | | *$90.00* | *$57.50* |
| **Drop-in Fees** | | | | | |
| Full day / $85.00 | Half day / $70.00 | | Afternoon (as an add on only) / $55.00 | | |
| 8:00-9:00 / $16.50 | 3:30-4:30 / $16.50 | | 3:30-5:30 / $25.00 | | |