

# **Contemporary Camp FAQ**

Have a question we didn't answer? Email us at nisa@atlantacontemporary.org and we will get back to you.

# **COVID-19** Protocols

Atlanta Contemporary's summer camp will follow CDC guidelines for all COVID-19 protocols. Our Camp FAQ will be updated as new information emerges, and all camp registrants will be informed when camp protocols are updated.

### Will face coverings be required?

Yes, campers and staff will be required to wear face coverings when participating in our camps. Exceptions will be made for eating or drinking which will take place in designated areas.

We require face coverings that follow CDC guidelines, such as fitted masks or double-layered gaiters. Face shields can be worn in addition to a face covering but cannot replace a face covering. The CDC outlines which face coverings are effective here.

Campers must bring their own face coverings.

#### How can I prepare my child to attend camp at Atlanta Contemporary?

Parents/caregivers/guardians are encouraged to take their child's temperature every day before arriving at the Museum. If the temperature reading is 100°F or higher, campers must be kept at home. Upon arrival at camp, staff will take each child's temperature again with a no-touch forehead thermometer. If a reading of 100°F or higher is recorded, the camper will not be allowed to attend camp.



**Masks** | Campers must bring their own face coverings; please ensure your camper is already wearing a face covering before exiting the vehicle. Campers will need to bring their face covering with them each day. Parents/caregivers/guardians must also wear face coverings during drop off and pick up at the Front Desk.

Lunch | Children are required to bring their own lunches; please send your children to camp with any snacks and drinks they may need with all food items being in a sealed lunch bag. Lunch bags should be marked with the camper's name, if possible, as food sharing will not be permitted.

## What should I do if my child is ill?

Any signs of illness should be taken seriously, and the camper must be kept at home. Please consult your pediatrician for treatment advice based on your child's symptoms. If your child tests positive for COVID-19 during camp, we ask that you inform camp staff as soon as possible.

### What do I do if my child has been exposed to COVID-19?

We request that if your child has been in close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, they do not come to camp. Due to the timeframe of this camp, any camper that has been exposed to COVID-19, will miss out on this summer's Contemporary Camp.

Close contact is defined as being within six (6) feet of someone with COVID-19 for fifteen (15) or more minutes, having direct physical contact or sharing eating or drinking utensils. It is considered close contact even if face coverings were worn.

## What is Atlanta Contemporary's protocol if a child or camp staff member shows signs of COVID-19?

If a child or Atlanta Contemporary staff member shows signs of a temperature 100°F or higher, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, chills, muscle pain, sore throat, or new loss of taste or smell, that person will be separated from the group immediately and will be required to leave the Museum as soon as possible.



Any areas used by persons who are sick will be closed and thoroughly cleaned following CDC guidelines. Local health officials, staff, and families will be notified immediately while maintaining confidentiality as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

Campers or staff that have stayed home sick will not be permitted to attend or return to camp due to the short time frame of Contemporary Camp during the summer. The camps are for 2 weeks which means that in the event of COVID exposure the camps would have been over by the time the mandated quarantine has been completed.

# How many campers will participate each week? Will my camper be engaging with different groups during the week?

There will be twelve (10 - 12) campers participating each week with (2) teachers ensuring a maximum of fourteen (14) people.

### Will activity spaces be sanitized?

Yes. The Museum will be sanitized daily, and instructors and staff will have disinfectant wipes in each classroom for sanitizing high-touch areas throughout the day.

# Day-to-day Operations

### How will drop-off and pickup work?

All campers will be dropped off at the Front Desk of the Museum. Drop-off may take additional time as a result of camper temperature checks. Atlanta Contemporary staff will be there to greet campers for the day. Campers must bring their own face coverings; please ensure your camper is already wearing a face covering before exiting the vehicle.

Morning drop-off time is from 8:30am to 9am.



Afternoon pickup time is from 3:30 to 4 p.m., unless parent/guardian/caretaker has specified Extended Pick Up. Extended Pick Up ends promptly at 6pm. Any pickup after 6pm will result in a \$50 fee that must be paid the same day.

#### Will Atlanta Contemporary Center provide lunch or snacks for campers?

Atlanta Contemporary will not provide food or snacks for campers. Campers are required to bring their own lunch (or snacks) daily, with all food items being in a sealed lunch bag marked with the camper's name. Sharing of food and containers will not be permitted. We are able to refrigerate food but are unable to microwave food. If your child arrives at camp without lunch, we will call you to bring lunch for the camper.

Due to the commonality of nut allergies and sensitivities, Atlanta Contemporary is a nut-free camp.

We recommend that campers bring a refillable water bottle to camp.

#### How will lunch work?

Campers and staff will eat their lunches outside with each camp pod distanced from the other camp pods. These pods are determined by the household. The inside of the Museum will be used for rainy days.

#### Will my child still have access to the Art Center galleries during camp?

Campers will be given the opportunity to spread out and access galleries throughout their camp experience. Face coverings and social distancing will be required at all times.

#### What is the Extended Pick Up process like?

Extended Pick Up starts at 4 p.m. and ends at 6 p.m. Parents/caregivers/guardians must arrive no later than 6 p.m. to pick up their camper. Parents/caregivers/guardians must inform Nisa Floyd if they intend on opting into Extended Pick Up.



# **Registration and Cancellation**

### Is the 7 - 10 age group appropriate for my child?

We understand and expect that many of our campers have different levels of knowledge of particular subjects. We design our camp curricula with a wide range of abilities in mind for each developmental stage. Modifications are factored into the content. The material and instruction in each camp session are designed to be age appropriate and developmentally suitable.

## What happens if the week of camp I want to sign up for is full?

If your preferred week of camp is already full, you can join the waitlist via email on a first-come, first-serve basis. There is no cost to join a waitlist and no obligation to sign up once you're on it. If you would like to join a waitlist, please email nisa@atlantacontemporary.org and include the week of camp, name of camper, and phone number in the body of the email with the subject line "Waitlist 2020"

We will contact you immediately as soon as a spot opens for the week you are waitlisted. If we do not hear back from you within twenty-four (24) hours, we reserve the right to offer the spot to the next person on the waitlist.

### What is the cancellation policy?

Atlanta Contemporary has made a significant investment to meet the changing protocols and protect the health and safety of our staff and your young artists. We understand if you must cancel, and we will honor the cancellation policy below; however, as a nonprofit whose mission is critical to our business, we encourage you to apply your camp fee to another week of camp, if space permits, or donate your dollars to the Museum as a tax-deductible gift.

Any cancellation or change made more than two weeks before your child's first day of camp carries a processing fee of \$25; if you cancel your registration before the two-week deadline, you



will receive a refund less than the \$25 fee. No refunds can be given for cancellations made less than two weeks prior to the start of the selected camp.

Atlanta Contemporary reserves the right to cancel any camp that does not meet minimum enrollment (six campers) or for other unforeseen circumstances. We will do our best to notify families at least one week prior to the start of a camp session if a particular camp is canceled. Any payments made toward a week of camp that the Museum cancels will be eligible for a refund or can be applied to another camp if space permits.