

# Aqua Camps

Captivating camps for kids of all ages!



## Camps for ages 3–14

Convenient online registration at [flaquarium.org](https://flaquarium.org).  
Extended care included in registration.  
Become a Member and receive a discount on AquaCamps!  
Member registration begins January 30, 2023.

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THE FLORIDA  
AQUARIUM 

# Mission Statement

**To entertain, educate and inspire stewardship of the natural environment.**

The Florida Aquarium offers a variety of educational programs including school programs, teacher workshops, homeschool workshops and more. Our Learning Department is growing to meet the needs of our community. For education program reservations and information, call **(813) 273-4015** or **(800) 353-4741** or visit **[flaquarium.org](http://flaquarium.org)**.



# JOIN US FOR PARENT NIGHT

Is this your first time coming to camp? Do you have specific questions you want answered?

**Virtual: Tuesday, May 2, 2023 at 5:30 PM**

Meeting information will be included in your confirmation letter after registration.

## YOU WILL LEARN:

- How camps benefit your children
- AquaCamps procedures
- Overviews of daily camp itineraries
- How the Aquarium makes summer FINTASTIC

## GENERAL INFORMATION:

Registration for members opens January 30, 2023 and for all others on February 6, 2023.

To ensure you don't miss out, register early! Go to [flaquarium.org](https://flaquarium.org), click Education, Camps and AquaCamps. We accept MasterCard, Visa, Discover, American Express, and e-checks.

Or call (813) 273-4015 to request assistance with the reservation process.

Scan code for convenient online registration!



## DROP-OFF/PICK-UP

Extended care is included in your registration – no extra fees!

Early drop-off for campers begins at 7:30 AM. It is mandatory that each camper be signed in by an adult each morning. Parents and guardians are welcome to temporarily park in the circle located in front of the Aquarium and escort their camper to the table located outside of the business entrance. If a cruise ship is in port, please review the Aquarium parking lot instructions and code provided in the confirmation email the week prior to camp.

Campers must be personally signed out by a listed adult, showing a valid ID, each afternoon. Parents and guardians may temporarily park in the circle located in front of the Aquarium to sign out their camper at the table outside of the business entrance. Please note that the latest pick up is 5:30 PM, after which time the Aquarium reserves the right to charge \$1 per minute until the camper is signed out.

Please inform camp staff if your camper needs to be picked up early (before 4 PM) or will be dropped off late (after 9 AM). Contact camp staff if the camper will be picked up by someone other than the person noted on the sign-in sheet. If your camper will be absent for the day, please call the camp phone line. The camp phone line is (813) 273-4000 x4122 and only operates during camp hours, but you may leave a message outside of these hours.

## HEALTH AND SAFETY

Please know that Aquarium staff will implement safety measures that are most appropriate at the time of camp. This may include a daily health statement from the parent/guardian. Our goal is to provide the safest possible experience based on the most current guidelines.

## BUDDIES

Children who have completed kindergarten through grade 3, or are 6–9 years old, have the option of choosing a weekly buddy that is in the same grade/age range. Please be advised that classes of completed kindergarten through grade 1 or grade 2–3 may run simultaneously in different rooms due to camp capacities. If your child would like to be in the same class as a friend/relative of the same grade/age, please make sure the buddy name is listed on the online registration form. You may only choose one buddy per week; however, the buddy does not have to be the same for multiple weeks.

## T-SHIRTS

All campers will receive one t-shirt on the first day of camp. Campers will receive one shirt for the summer. Additional t-shirts will be available for purchase for \$15. Sizes include children: XS (3–4), S (4–6), M (8–10), L (12–14) and adult: S, M, L, XL, and XXL.

## WATER BOTTLES

Travel campers will receive one water bottle on the first day of their camp. To aid in our conservation mission, campers will only receive one bottle per summer. Campers returning for multiple weeks of camp will be asked to bring their AquaCamp water bottle. Due to the heat, campers should bring and use their water bottle each day. Additional water bottles are available and can be purchased for \$18. On location campers, AquaKids, and AquaTots do not receive a water bottle.

# AquaTots

AGES 3 & 4

Camps are taught by teachers specializing in pre-K and kindergarten. Camps include science explorations, arts and crafts, and tours through the Aquarium. Your child will be immersed in hands-on learning. **The adult accompanying is encouraged to interact and participate in all activities!**

## PRICING AND TIMES

Each camper must be accompanied by an adult.  
Wednesday 10:30–11:30 AM  
\$15 members, \$18 non-members

## JUNIOR EXPLORER, MAY 31

Look and listen to the spaces you share with Florida critters. Use your new exploring skills to discover the wildlife around your home as you become a junior explorer!

## EXTREME ELEMENTS, JUNE 7

Animals can live in some of the harshest environments! From the icy arctic to the dry desert, discover how animals survive in wild weather conditions.

## BETTER TOGETHER, JUNE 14

Investigate how animals from big to small play and work together to keep their ecosystem in balance.

## COLORFUL CORALS, JUNE 21

Take a journey under the sea and discover that corals come in all shapes and colors. Learn what The Florida Aquarium is doing, and help the Aquarium save the reef.



## WHAT'S COOKIN'?, JUNE 28

Join us as we take a closer look at what it takes to get a nutritious and delicious meal for many animals. From our sharks to seahorses come see what is on the menu.

## INCREDIBLE INVADERS, JULY 12

Learn about some of Florida's animal invaders. Discover how they got here and what impacts they are creating.

## CRAFTY CRITTERS, JULY 19

Animals can make art of their own. Animals can build homes and have ways of feeding that seem like elaborate works of art. Join us as we discover "artistic" animals of the world.

## DINO DIG, JULY 26

Discover animals that existed during the time of the dinosaurs. Take a trip back in time to study the strange animals that once roamed the planet.

## MAKE A SPLASH, AUGUST 2

End the summer with all things water. Discover the different properties of water and enjoy water games. Come prepared to get wet!



# AquaKids

AGES 5 & 6

Camps are taught by teachers specializing in pre-K and kindergarten. One teacher and assistant is assigned to each camp. Activities include science exploration, Aquarium tours, arts and crafts, choice-time, and Splash Pad play (weather permitting).

## PRICING AND TIMES

Hours: 9 AM–4 PM

**FREE** extended care: Earliest drop-off is 7:30 AM. Latest pick-up is 5:30 PM.

- 3-Day Camp July 5–7: \$144 members, \$180 non-members
- 4-Day Camp May 30–June 2: \$184 members, \$230 non-members
- 5-Day Camps: \$228 members, \$285 non-members

See page 9 for lunch pricing.

## WILD REEFS (4-DAY CAMP) | May 30–June 2

Coral reefs are home to so many animals that it is almost impossible to count them all! Reefs play an important role in the ocean, so join us to learn about these amazing places and what The Florida Aquarium is doing to protect them!

## EXPEDITION WILDLIFE | June 5–9

Become an explorer for the week by learning how to identify animals and plants. Look for clues to see what animals have been in an area by learning about tracks and scat. Use your new skills to discover the wildlife around your home!

## JAWSOME | June 12–16

Sharks are some of the coolest animals in the water. These apex predators may be some of the best hunters in the ocean, but there is a lot more to them than just their teeth. Sharks keep the ocean in balance, and we think that is jawsome!

## COASTAL CRITTERS | June 19–23

Discover different types of coasts and which animals live in coastal communities, both above and below the waves.

## TO THE EXTREME | June 26–30

Spend the week learning about top predators, crazy adaptations, and what makes certain plants and animals the most extreme.

## PLANET PROTECTORS (3-DAY CAMP) | July 5–7

Transform from AquaCamper to superhero, because the planet needs you! Become a planet protector and learn what everyday things you can do to help keep our planet safe. Reduce, reuse, recycle, refuse, and repurpose for conservation-based fun.

## MERMAIDS, MONSTERS, AND MYTHS | July 10–14

The kraken, mermaids, and unicorns might not be real, but animals that inspired them sure are! Discover tales that inspired the myths, and create a sea creature of your very own.

## ANIMAL ANTICS | July 17–21

Animals run, jump, hop, and romp! You are sure to have a blast as we look at different ways animals interact with each other and their environment.

## MAMMAL MANIA | July 24–28

From mammals on land to mammals in the sea, discover diverse aspects of mammals. You may even discover which mammal is your favorite!

## RADICAL WAVES! | July 31–Aug 4

Ride out the last wave before school starts. Submerge yourself in games, play in the water, and take a look at some animals that often play in the waves.



# Full-Day On Location Camps

## COMPLETED KINDERGARTEN- GRADE 1 (AGES 6-7)

All on location camps are taught by experienced teachers and counselors. Camps include science exploration, Aquarium tours, a live animal encounter, field trip, arts and crafts, and Splash Pad play (weather permitting).

### PRICING AND TIMES

Hours: 9 AM-4 PM

**FREE** extended care: Earliest drop-off is 7:30 AM. Latest pick-up is 5:30 PM.

- 3-Day Camp: applies to July 5-7:  
\$164 members, \$205 non-members
- 4-Day Camp: applies to May 30-June 2:  
\$208 members, \$260 non-members
- 5-Day Camps: \$252 members, \$315 non-members

See page 9 for lunch pricing.

### SEA SAVERS (4-DAY CAMP) | May 30-June 2

The oceans need our help! Explore different animals and plants that live in fragile ecosystems, both land and sea, and how you can make a positive impact on the environment. Visit the Florida Conservation and Technology Center in Apollo Beach to find out how experts are helping our planet too!

### ROMP IN THE SWAMP | June 5-9

Florida is well known for its wetland habitats. From reptiles to birds, swamps are home to many creatures. Visit Lettuce Lake Conservation Park in Tampa to check out some swamp residents.

### MAMMALS! | June 12-16

Not all mammals are covered in fur. Learn about dolphins, manatees, and other mammals that live in Florida, and take a trip to Old McMicky's Farm in Odessa to see more mammals.

### SHARK BUSTERS | June 19-23

Sharks have specialized adaptations for survival. Learn more about these apex predators, including exploring how they compare to land predators as you visit ZooTampa.

### DINO-MIGHT! | June 26-30

Dinos may be extinct, but they still hold so much mystery! Learn all about our prehistoric friends, and travel to Dinosaur World in Plant City to see some of the huge prehistoric creatures that once wandered the earth.

### NO PLACE LIKE HOME (3-DAY CAMP) | July 5-7

Meet awesome animals and journey through their Florida habitats. See Florida native species while on a cruise aboard the Aquarium's Bay Spirit II catamaran.

### HABITAT HEROES | July 10-14

Our Florida ecosystem is in need of your help. Learn how you can help animals across the state in this week all about conservation. Visit Bonnet Springs Park in Lakeland to find out more.

### ART AND ANIMALS | July 17-21

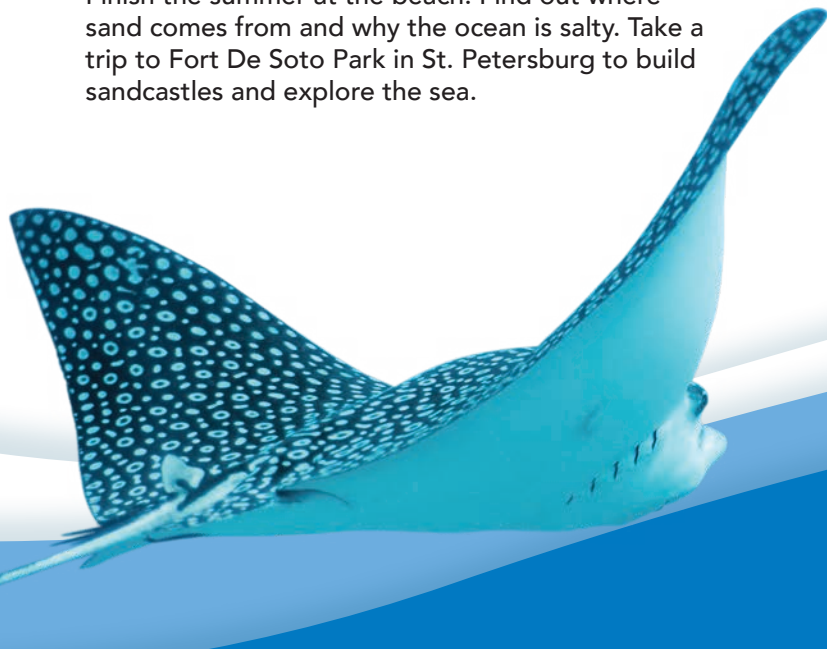
Channel your inner artist and discover which of our animals are artistic too. Travel to Glazer Children's Museum in Tampa for a day of artistic fun.

### DEEP SEA-CRETS | July 24-28

Uncover strange animals of the deep sea! Discover how they deal with extreme pressure, constant darkness, and cold temperatures. Take a trip to the Museum of Science and Industry (MOSI) in Tampa to learn how the deep ocean compares to deep space.

### SURF AND SAND CASTLES | July 31-Aug 4

Finish the summer at the beach. Find out where sand comes from and why the ocean is salty. Take a trip to Fort De Soto Park in St. Petersburg to build sandcastles and explore the sea.



# Full-Day On Location Camps

## COMPLETED GRADES 2-3 (AGES 8-9)

All on location camps are taught by experienced teachers and counselors. Camps include science exploration, Aquarium tours, a live animal encounter, field trip, arts and crafts, and Splash Pad play (weather permitting).

### PRICING AND TIMES

Hours: 9 AM-4 PM

**FREE** extended care: Earliest drop-off is 7:30 AM. Latest pick-up is 5:30 PM.

- 3-Day Camp: applies to July 5-7:  
\$164 members, \$205 non-members
- 4-Day Camp: applies to May 30-June 2:  
\$208 members, \$260 non-members
- 5-Day Camps: \$252 members, \$315 non-members

See page 9 for lunch pricing.

### FOLLOW THE WATER (4-DAY CAMP) | May 30-June 2

Become part of the water cycle and see how water travels from aquifers to the open ocean. Visit the Florida Conservation and Technology Center in Apollo Beach to test the water quality as junior scientists, and observe the creatures that live there.

### MARVELOUS MAMMALS | June 5-9

Discover what mammals live in our waters, and explore the diversity that we have globally. Take a trip to Homosassa Springs State Park to see local mammals up close.

### BACKYARD HERO | June 12-16

Florida is home to many habitats and animals. Many of them need your help to protect their homes. Travel to the Florida Botanical Gardens in Largo to learn how you can get involved.

### TAKE FLIGHT | June 19-23

Get ready to look towards the sky, and learn about all things that fly. Discover local flyers with a trip to Boyd Hill Nature Preserve in St. Petersburg.

### NATURE TRACKER | June 26-30

Become an explorer by learning how to identify plants and animals. Study animal tracks, scats, and other signs to find out what is living right here in Tampa Bay. Travel to Lettuce Lake Conservation Park in Tampa to test your nature tracker skills!

### EXPEDITION FLORIDA (3-DAY CAMP) | July 5-7

Florida is home to awesome wildlife. Come learn how the Aquarium, and you, can help protect our natural resources. Board the Aquarium's Bay Spirit II catamaran for an eco-cruise to search for Tampa Bay's wild inhabitants.

### WEIRD AND UNUSUAL | July 10-14

Discover hordes of strange, odd, and startling animals when you explore weird and unusual creatures at The Florida Aquarium. Visit ZooTampa to see even more bizarre creatures.

### THIS CAMP ROCKS! | July 17-21

Fossils are found throughout Florida and tell a story of Earth's history. Dig up fossils of your own while we visit The Mulberry Phosphate Museum.

### JAW-DROPPING SHARKS | July 24-28

Dive into the world of predators and find out how sharks play an important role in our ocean. Explore Mote Marine Laboratory and Aquarium in Sarasota to see more of these amazing creatures.

### BEACH EXTRAVAGANZA | July 31-Aug 4

Here comes sun, water, and fun! Join us in the last week of summer for a week of beach fun. Campers will travel to Fort DeSoto Park in St. Petersburg to enjoy a beach day while searching for coastal creatures.



# Full-Day Travel Camps

## COMPLETED GRADES 4-5 (AGES 10-11)

All travel camps are taught by experienced teachers and counselors. Camps focus on marine science and often feature a new, outdoor adventure each day. Campers should bring a water bottle, swimsuit, sunscreen, and towel every day. Any extra recommended equipment (mask, snorkel, fins, etc.) will be noted on the parent letter at the beginning of the camp week. A camp t-shirt and one water bottle will be provided to each camper during his or her first week of camp only. Campers should be able to swim and be comfortable being outside most of the day.

### PRICING AND TIMES

Hours: 9 AM-4 PM

**FREE** extended care: Earliest drop-off is 7:30 AM.  
Latest pick-up is 5:30 PM.

- 4-Day Camp applies to May 30-June 2:  
\$260 members, \$325 non-members
- 5-Day Camps: \$316 members, \$395 non-members

See page 9 for lunch pricing.

### PARK HOPPING (4-DAY CAMP) | May 30-June 2

Park hop the Florida way by hitting up some of the unique State parks. Check out the beaches at Honeymoon Island, the river at Little Manatee River and enjoy a day hiking the trails at Myakka River State Park.

### REWIND FLORIDA | June 5-9

Learn more about Florida's rich history by exploring an old fort at Fort De Soto Park, hunting for fossils in the Peace River, and looking at ancient artifacts at the Camp Bayou Outdoor Learning Center.

### ANIMAL RESCUE | June 12-16

Rescuing animals is rewarding work. See what The Florida Aquarium is doing for sea turtles at the Camp Bayou Outdoor Learning Center. Discover what is part of animal care at the Humane Society of Tampa Bay and check in with a local veterinarian.

### HABITAT ADVENTURES | June 19-23

Spend each day discovering one of Florida's diverse habitats. Look for wildlife at Lettuce Lake Conservation Park, snorkel the coast at Coquina Beach and hike through longleaf pine flatwoods at Colt Creek State Park.

### ISLAND TIME | June 26-30

Slow time down by living on island time. Explore local sea grass beds at Pine Island Park, search for the perfect shell at Shell Key Preserve, and discover the creatures that call Caladesi Island State Park home.

### FACE TO FACE WITH FISH | July 10-14

Bring your mask and snorkel to view the plants and animals that call Tampa Bay home. Watch fish at Holmes Beach, search for sharks' teeth at Caspersen Beach, and snorkel Sand Key Park to look for shells.

### CRUISE THE COAST | July 17-21

Test your sea legs as we push back from the dock to explore different types of boats. We'll kayak through mangrove tunnels, take a cruise along the coast, and ride on the Aquarium's Bay Spirit II catamaran.

### SPRING TIME | July 24-28

Experience a new 72° spring every day through a float down the Rainbow River, seeing mermaids at Weeki Wachee Springs, and tubing down Rock Springs at Kelly Park.

### CATCHING SOME RAYS | July 31-Aug 4

Celebrate the final days of summer by floating down the Rainbow River, relaxing on the beach at Fort De Soto Park, and practicing your skills on a stand up kayak.





# Full-Day Travel Camps

**COMPLETED GRADES 6-8  
(AGES 12-14)**

All travel camps are taught by experienced teachers and counselors. Camps focus on marine science and often feature a new adventure each day. Campers should bring a water bottle, swimsuit, sunscreen, and towel every day. Any extra recommended equipment (mask, snorkel, fins, etc.) will be noted on the parent letter at the beginning of the camp week. A camp t-shirt and one water bottle will be provided to each camper during his or her first week of camp only. Campers should be able to swim and be comfortable being outside most of the day.

## PRICING AND TIMES

Hours: 9 AM-4 PM

**FREE** extended care: Earliest drop-off is 7:30 AM.  
Latest pick-up is 5:30 PM.

- 5-Day Camps: \$316 members, \$395 non-members  
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## FLORIDA'S BEST KEPT SECRETS | June 5-9

Join us for a week of exploring some hidden gems. Search for wildlife at Circle B Bar Reserve, ferry out to Egmont Key State Park, and investigate the gardens at Bok Tower Gardens.

## WHAT LIES BELOW? | June 12-16

Learn more about Florida's rich history by exploring caves, uncovering fossils in the Peace River, and learning about the past at Camp Bayou Outdoor Learning Center.

## ADVENTURE FLORIDA | June 19-23

Florida is full of adventures around every corner. Join us as we traverse a high ropes course, experience up-close views of creatures at Mote Marine Laboratory and Aquarium, and cross Florida's first canopy walk at Myakka State Park.

## MAKING WAVES | June 26-30

Discover Florida's Suncoast by boat! We will kayak at the Florida Conservation and Technology Center, canoe a local freshwater ecosystem, and board a boat to look for wildlife in the bay.

## SPRING EXPLORERS | July 10-14

Come with us on an adventure to some of the freshwater springs in our area. From Kelly Springs to Lithia Springs, explore the origin of most of Florida's drinking water. You'll even enjoy a trip down the beautiful Rainbow River.

## UNDERWATER DISCOVERY | July 17-21

Discover underwater creatures while snorkeling at Fred Howard Park, search for shark teeth at Caspersen Beach, and relax by the waves at Pass-A-Grille Beach.

## SUMMER SEND OFF | July 24-28

Wrap up summer break as we zip line over Mobbly Bayou Wilderness Preserve, kayak around Shell Key Preserve, and spend a day at Holmes Beach.

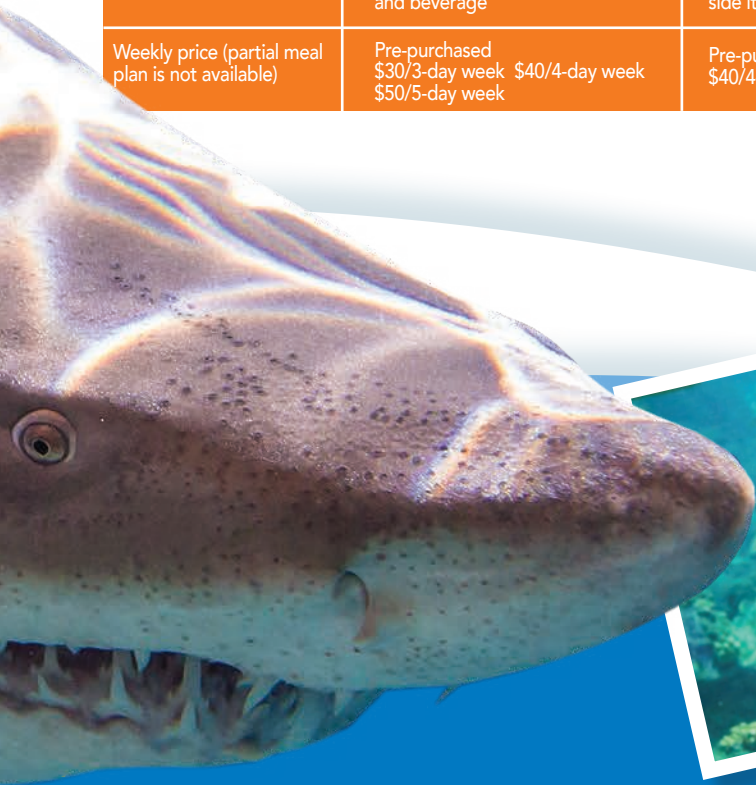


# Camps at a Glance

Date	AquaTots (Ages 3–4 years old) Wednesdays Only	AquaKids (Ages 5–6 years old)	Completed K-1 (Ages 6–7)	Completed 2-3 (Ages 8–9)	TRAVEL CAMPS	
					Completed 4-5 (Ages 10–11)	Completed 6-8 (Ages 12–14)
May 30–June 2	Junior Explorer	Wild Reefs	Sea Savers	Follow the Water	Park Hopping	
June 5–9	Extreme Elements	Expedition Wildlife	Romp in the Swamp	Marvelous Mammals	Rewind Florida	Florida's Best Kept Secrets
June 12–16	Better Together	Jawsome	Mammals!	Backyard Hero	Animal Rescue	What Lies Below?
June 19–23	Colorful Corals	Coastal Critters	Shark Busters	Take Flight	Habitat Adventures	Adventure Florida
June 26–30	What's Cookin'?	To the Extreme	Dino-might!	Nature Tracker	Island Time	Making Waves
July 5–7		Planet Protectors	No Place Like Home	Expedition Florida		
July 10–14	Incredible Invaders	Mermaids, Monsters, and Myths	Habitat Heroes	Weird and Unusual	Face to Face with Fish	Spring Explorers
July 17–21	Crafty Critters	Animal Antics	Art and Animals	This Camp Rocks!	Cruise the Coast	Underwater Discovery
July 24–28	Dino Dig	Mammal Mania	Deep Sea-crets	Jaw-Dropping Sharks	Spring Time	Summer Send Off
July 31–Aug 4	Make a Splash	Radical Waves!	Surf and Sand Castles	Beach Extravaganza	Catching Some Rays	

## FULL-DAY LUNCH OPTIONS

	AQUACAMP ON LOCATION	AQUACAMP TRAVEL CAMP		BRING LUNCH & SNACKS FROM HOME
Snack options	Light morning and afternoon snack daily	Light morning and afternoon snack daily	OR	Parent provides two snacks: one for AM and one for PM
Lunch options	An entree or PBJ, side item, fruit, and beverage	A bag lunch including a sandwich, side item, fruit, and beverage		Parent provides camper with lunch and beverage
Weekly price (partial meal plan is not available)	Pre-purchased \$30/3-day week \$40/4-day week \$50/5-day week	Pre-purchased \$40/4-day week \$50/5-day week		No added cost



## HOW TO REGISTER:

- Early member registration begins January 30, 2023. Regular registration opens February 6, 2023.
- Visit [flaquarium.org](http://flaquarium.org) to register online for camp. If you do not have internet access, please call Reservations at (813) 273-4015 to make an appointment or request assistance with the registration process.
- **Discounts:** Members (Individual Plus or higher) automatically receive a discounted price for each camp.
- Full payment is due at the time of registration. Checks and credit cards are accepted.

## CANCELLATION, CHANGE & REFUND POLICY:

- Cancellations received two weeks (14 days) before the start date of the camp session will result in a 75% refund. Cancellations made 13 days or less before the start date of the camp session will not be refunded.
- All cancellations must be given in writing by email to [education@flaquarium.org](mailto:education@flaquarium.org).
- Camp session transfers can be accommodated if space is available. 25% of the session fee will be charged for all transfers.
- You will receive a confirmation letter via email within two weeks of registration. If you do not receive this, call (813) 273-4015 for more information.
- The Florida Aquarium reserves the right to separate or combine camps.
- No refunds will be given due to inclement weather. This includes, but is not limited to: hurricanes, tropical storms, and/or Florida heat.

## INCLEMENT WEATHER

- Summer can be a time of afternoon thundershowers and all-day downpours. There may be times that plans are altered, especially for travel camps. In these instances, the Aquarium has rainy day plans and will make decisions for the safety of campers. We make every effort to resume our plans as soon as possible.
- Inclement weather is weather that is severe enough to stop us from doing our regularly scheduled programming in order to provide safe experiences. Hurricanes and hurricane preparations are also considered inclement weather.
- As The Florida Aquarium does not have control over inclement weather, **we will not give refunds in the event of inclement weather.**

**For pricing, information, or registration, call our Reservations office at (813) 273-4015 or visit [flaquarium.org](http://flaquarium.org)**

# THE FLORIDA AQUARIUM IMMERSIVE PROGRAMS

## 2023–2024 SCHOOL YEAR CAMPS

When school is out, camp is in! Check out our single- and multi-day camps offered on holidays and teacher workdays.

## AQUATOTS

Tots programs for children ages 3–5 are offered during the school year on select Wednesday mornings.

## HOMESCHOOL

The Aquarium offers monthly homeschool science classes during the school year. Each class uses inquiry-based learning and hands-on experiments and activities to explore science. Classes are 60 minutes for ages 3–5 and 6–8 and 90 minutes for ages 9–14. Ask about EcoField Trips!

## SCOUTS

Gather your group to fulfill badge requirements at the Aquarium. We offer a variety of programs for Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, and Girl Scouts.

## SLEEPOVERS

Ever wonder what happens at the Aquarium at night? Do sharks snooze? Do turtles get tired? Wonder no more. Grab a sleeping bag to enjoy an overnight adventure at The Florida Aquarium!

## ADVENTURES AFTER DARK: EVENING PROGRAMS

Turn on your night vision and get ready to experience The Florida Aquarium after dark. Prepare to see our animals and their habitats in a whole new light... low light, that is! Reserve your program as soon as possible, as dates are limited and fill up quickly.

## VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

We continue our mission to educate and inspire stewardship of the natural environment by diving into the world of virtual programs. If you are unable to visit the Aquarium, we offer a variety of virtual programs that engage students of all ages.

## TRAVELING PROGRAMS

We offer various programs throughout the year both at the Aquarium and around Tampa Bay. Many include live animals! From game shows to beach animals, we have programs for all ages that are perfect for schools, clubs, and other organizations.

## SEATREK

Take an aquatic adventure with SeaTREK, a guided underwater walking tour! With no swimming or diving involved, this exciting underwater opportunity allows people from all walks of life, even those not well acquainted with water, access to the wonders of the aquatic world.

## WILD DOLPHIN CRUISE

A 75-minute journey on the bay aboard the Bay Spirit II allows guests to encounter awesome animals that thrive in Tampa's local waters. The only requirement is a sense of adventure. A good pair of binoculars is optional!

## PARTY WITH THE FISHES

Party with the Fishes, The Florida Aquarium's birthday party program, provides children ages 1–12 with a fin-tastic birthday celebration. The Aquarium party includes a cake, decorations, paper goods, a designated space, and more!



# Education Sponsors and Partners

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