

# Summer Camp at the State Botanical Garden of Georgia

## General Camp Information

- Ages: 5-10
- Fee: \$300
- Schedule: Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

## Frequently Asked Questions

*Where do I submit my camper's information?*

- While registration through your online account will be under your own name, your camper's information will be collected via an online participation form sent with your registration receipt. Failure to submit these forms by May 22, 2023, will result in the cancellation of your registration.

*Is my 4-year-old able to register for camp if they are turning 5 soon?*

- All campers must be 5 years old by June 1, 2023. We are unfortunately not able to make exceptions due to our limited space.

*Do you offer early drop off or late pick up?*

- We have extended our regular hours instead of optional early or late care. Drop-off is between 8:45-9 a.m., and pick-up is between 4:15-4:30 p.m. We are not able to accept campers before 8:45 a.m., and any campers not picked up by 4:30 p.m. will be assessed a fee of \$10 per child every 15 minutes beyond the designated departure time. Campers will not be allowed to return to camp until the fee is paid.

*Can I register for more than one week of camp?*

- Nature Camp at the State Botanical Garden is not designed as a summer-long program, but rather a week-by-week curriculum-based experience. However, you are welcome to register your camper for up to three weeks of camps. Please note that there are two separate weeks of Aquatic Adventurers camp due to high demand; campers may only attend one of these duplicate weeks.

*What should my camper bring with them each day?*

- Campers are responsible for bringing a snack, lunch and water bottle each day.
- Closed-toed shoes are preferred, and sandals must have a back strap.
- Campers will have a space to store additional optional items such as a change of clothes, bug spray, sunscreen, sun hat, etc.

*What accommodations do you make for the heat?*

- The camp day is broken up with several indoor cool-down sessions and regular water breaks. Our staff are CPR certified and able to monitor and respond to signs of overheating.

*Do campers go swimming?*

- While we will explore our on-site stream each week, we do not enter water higher than knee-depth or go swimming.

*Can my camper be placed with their sibling or friend?*

- Campers are split by age group, but those close in age that would like to be placed together may request so on their participation forms by the due date of May 22, 2023.

**Additional questions may be sent to [sbgeduc@uga.edu](mailto:sbgeduc@uga.edu).**