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2015 Kidsco Summer Camps General Information

		Week	x 1***	Week 3*			eek 5	Week 7			Week 9
Camp	Camp June 18 - June		June 19	June 29 - July 2		July 13	3 - July 17	July 27 - July 31		31 /	Aug. 10 - Aug. 14
Weeks		Wee	ek 2	Wee	k 4	We	eek 6	1	Week 8		Week 10
	June 22- Jur		June 26	July 6 -	July 10	July 20) - July 24	Aug	g. 3 - Aug.	7	Aug. 17 - Aug. 21
Tuition Due Da	ate	Jun	ne 1	June	e 15	Ju	ne 29	_	July 13		July 27
Camp Fee	S	KidsCo Jr.		Day C	amp		(ids ˈhe-Run	Or	Teens n-The-Rur		10 th Week Day Trip Camp
Rate Per Week		Half Day \$205			\$35	9 \$42 Overn Wee	ight	\$345			
Extended Car Rate Per Wee		AM - \$30 PM - \$40	AM & PM \$65	AM - \$30 PM - \$40	AM & PM \$65	Inc	luded	I	Included		
Trip Shirt Cos	t			\$23		9	\$23	\$23			\$23
One Time Registration Fe	e	\$52		\$52		9	\$52		\$52		\$52
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Hours & Weeks	9:00	f Day Full Day 0am- 9:00am- 0pm 3:30pm		m - 3:30pm **8:00			**8:00am 4:00pm		9:00am - 5 No Extende available thi	d Care	7:00am - 9:00am 3:30pm - 6:30pm Emory Grove location opens at 6:30am.
Camp & Pick				KidsCo Jr.	Day	Camp	Kids On-The-		Tee On-The		10th Week Day Trip Camp
Brooke Gro	partaı	n Road	У			\checkmark	\checkmark		\checkmark	/	\checkmark

Olney, MD 20832					
Daly Elementary 20301 Brandermill Drive Germantown, MD 20876		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Emory Grove Camp 8507 Emory Grove Road Gaithersburg, MD 20877	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Fallsmead Elementary 1800 Greenplace Terrace Rockville, MD 20850		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Little Bennett Elementary 23930 Burdette Forest Road Clarksburg, MD 20871		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Montgomery Knolls Elementary 807 Daleview Drive SIlver Spring, MD 20901		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Rockwell Elementary 24555 Cutsail Drive Damascus, MD 20872	\checkmark				

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Our Incredible Team

Our staff members are all about having a blast and making lots of memories with our campers! No worries, our team has plenty of experience and top notch training. We have staff trained in first aid, CPR, medication administration and emergency preparedness. All staff have had state and federal background checks, as well as ongoing training to help them prepare for summer! Our Directors and Assistant Directors are the coolest of the cool and are with us year round! Our Directors are well-versed in scheduling, traveling procedures, and organization. The majority of our team is employed in our school year program as well, or joins us each summer when they're at home from college. Our staff are excited to spend a high-energy summer with your kids

Transportation

Traveling is an important component at camp. We are very lucky to have such a dependable relationship with a fantastic bus company!

While traveling, we have designated Bus Captains who assist our directors in accounting for our campers at each stop.

A commute on an On-The-Run trip is anything but typical! Each ride is full of activities and themes to keep campers entertained to the max! This is also a helpful way for campers and staff to get well-acquainted.

We asked some of our campers from last year to tell us their favorite themes. Jasmine, a Fallsmead camper, said she "loved 'Challenge Monday' because of the puzzles!" Christopher from Greenwood "enjoyed Freestyle Friday the most because [he] could show off his musical talent."





A Day In The Life

Theme Events: Our group activities are all about our weekly theme! We may build a giant fort for Build It Week, explore a creek during Great Outdoors Week, or tie-dyed shirts for Beach Week!

Camp-wide Fun: We will come together daily for group games like Freeze Dance, Kickball, Tiger Tag, Swamp Monster, Mr. Alligator or simplified field sports. Other enjoyable activity choices include Nature Walks, Outdoor Art, Scavenger Hunts, Reading Rainbow, Bikes & Trikes, Cooking, Art Projects, and more!

Water Events: Our Water Days are packed full of cool, wet activities including pools, sprayers, color mix, water slide, water art, bucket races, sponge toss, pipe builds, beach time, bubble pools, and more!

Guest of Honor: To enhance each theme, we bring the field trip to us. Some examples are: The Reptile Adventure Center joining us to make Great Outdoors Week come alive or Out Of This World Week featuring a roving Planetarium. We also have a weekly visit from our friends at FunFit!

Interactive Activity Room & Craft Corner: Each day we will enjoy a thematic activity. These could include painting, crafts, dance parties, projects, just to name a few!

Frequently Asked Questions *Where is the camp?*

We are based at Rockwell Elementary School in Damascus and at our Emory Grove campus in Gaithersburg. Our camp is based outdoors and days are planned around an activity rotation. Most of our events, lunches, Guests of Honor, group fitness times, and camp activities are outside in the grassy areas with plenty of tree shade, playgrounds, blacktops, and surrounding woods. Each group will rotate through our Game Room and Craft Corner which are within our air-conditioned rooms.

Who will be working with my child?

Each of our team members are considered our most valuable resource and has been hand chosen to work with our campers. They are valued, appreciated, and encouraged to have input in the program, which fosters a sense of ownership. A background check and orientation training are also mandatory.

What measures are taken to keep my child safe?

KidsCo Jr. has many procedures in place to ensure everyone's safety



at camp. Safety measures include monthly fire drills, CPR & First Aid training, an identification policy for guests to pick up campers, emergency preparation, and electronically monitored entry ways.

What will my child enjoy at camp?

Along with new and exciting themes, each week is packed with activities! Water Day, Picnic Day, and a Play Day with instructors from FunFit! are scheduled around awesome activity rotations such as group games, sensory tables, tricycles, parachute time, and more. To enhance each theme we also complete art projects and host an amazing Guest of Honor each week. We bring the field trip to us! KidsCo Jr. will also now provide breakfast in the morning

Are there part-time options for my camper?

Yes! Only the Jr. Camp offers a Half Day Option for families. Our Half Day hours are 9:00am-1:00pm, 5 days per week. Children who attend our camp for a Half Day will enjoy all of the activity time of the day and will go home right before our rest time and afternoon snack.



KidsCo Camps Application & Registration

Registration cut-off is 4:30pm the Thursday prior to each session's start date

Child's Name	(Print):							Boy 🗆 Girl 🗆		
Birth Date:	/	/	/	Grade	Grade Entering In Fall 2015:					
Street:				City: _	City:State:Zip:					
Parent/Guard	lian #1:			Paren	t/Guardian #2:					
Home Phone	·				e Phone:					
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	e camp w	KidsCo Jr.				Day Camp Pre-K - 9th Grade	Kids On-The-Run	Те	ens ne-Run	10th Week Day Trip Camp
Week #	Dates	\$205/wk Half Day	\$295/wk Full Day	\$220 per week	3rd - 6th Grade \$318 per week	6th Grade \$359 per week	- 9th Grade \$425 per Overnight Trip Week	K - 9th Grade \$345 per week		
1***	6/18 - 6/19		\$118	\$88	\$128	\$144	inp vicek			
2	6/22 - 6/26									
3	6/29- 7/2*		\$224	\$190	\$288	\$329				
4	7/6 - 7/10									
5	7/13 - 7/17									
6	7/20 - 7/24									
7	7/27 - 7/31									
8	8/3 - 8/7									
9	8/10 - 8/14									
10	8/17 - 8/21		*All Ki	dsCo camps will b	will be closed Friday, July 3rd					
3. Choose	e extende	d care	(if applica	ble)						
			Co Jr.	Day Camp	On-The-Run	* Exten	ded Care is	offered at no extra		
		—				charge for On-The-Run campers.				

	PIM \$40	& PM \$65	PIM \$40	& PM \$65	PIM *	& PM *	Extended Care.	
Options For	Option 1: Camper groups accompanied by counselor.							
Teens On-The-Run Only	Option 2: Camper groups are allowed to walk without a counselor, but have mandatory check-in times throughout the day.							
I give permission for my Teens	On-The-Run	camper to	view PG-13	movies on	the bus and i	in the thea	ter (in case of a rain day). 🛛 Yes 🗌 No	

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You must make a selection to attend

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Extended Care

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Camper Health History

(KidsCo Jr. families: Per state licensing, you will be contacted to submit additional forms to complete your registration)

Child's Name:	

The following information is required for a camper to be admitted to camp. All information must be complete. If not, the application will not be accepted.

All campers must be current on all immunizations.

1. Provide date (month and year) of camper's last tetanus (or DTP) shot: ____

2. Is the camper currently enrolled in a Maryland school, public or private?

	Yes. Provide	name of	Maryland	school:
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No. Provide a copy of immunizations confirming that the child has received all immunizations as required by the Maryland DHMH Recommended Childhood Immunization Schedule. See www.EDCP.org for more information.

3. Is the camper exempt from any immunization on medical or religious grounds?

Yes. Provide a signed copy of Maryland Department of Health & Mental Hygiene Immunization Certificate from either a licensed physician indicating that the immunization is medically contraindicated, or from the parent or guardian indicating that they object to immunizations for religious reasons.

🗆 No

4. Camper's Physician Name:	Phone #:

5. Does y	your child have a	ny known medical	conditions
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If **YES**, please provide information on any medical conditions, psychological conditions, behavioral conditions, medications, dietary restrictions, allergies or special needs that we need to be aware of to ensure a positive camp experience for your child:

□Yes □No

Camper Information Form

emergency contact	cts required)		
Alternative Conta	ct 1	Alternative Cont	act 2
(first)	(last)	(first)	(last)
Phone # (daytime)	I	Phone # (daytime)	
Phone # (alternate)		Phone # (alternate	

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature:_____

KidsCo Camp Pack

Date:

KidsCo is once again offering your summer essentials in a convenient camp pack!	This includes a beach towel
and reusable water bottle in an easy to grab and go backpack!	

This item is only available for presale until May 15, 2015 and will not be sold at the camp location. Campers will receive their pre-ordered camp packs on the first Monday of their camp session.

Yes, I would like to purchase _____ (quantity) KidsCo Camp Packs at \$35 each.

KidsCo Trip Shirts All campers (excluding KidsCo Jr.) are required to purchase a non-refundable 2015 KidsCo trip shirt. Please make your size selection below based on what camp your child is attending. If <u>only</u> attending the 10th Week Day Trip Camp, please make your selection from the Kids/Teens On-The-Run shirt size below. Each camp has it's own unique shirt. If attending both Day Camp and On-The-Run camp, there will be an additional charge for the second trip shirt. Please choose sizes/styles accordingly. Due to trip shirt production time, if you register after April 1st, your requested size cannot be guaranteed although we will do our best to accommodate it.

Day Camp Water	Shirt Size	Adult SM	Adult MED	Adult LG	Adult XL
Kids On-The-Run Youth (12)	n/ Teens On-The-R Adult SM		Trip Camp ONLY Adult LG	T-Shirt Size	Adult 2XL

All pages must be submitted at time of application

KidsCo Camps Application Policies & Agreement

Child's Name:



will cover the cost of your trip shirt, and \$220 of this deposit will be applied to to the first week of camp tuition. KidsCo Jr. families will see the total \$243 deposit applied to their camp tuition. Also required are a completed and signed Application & Registration, Camper Health History, Camper Information, and Application Policies & Agreement Form. If you need an additional application, please go to our website at www.KidsCoOnline.com or call our Main Office at 301-740-9600. KidsCo Jr. campers who are new to KidsCo Jr. are required to submit additional paperwork before attending. A KidsCo staff member will contact you regarding this paperwork after your application is received.

Where To Apply: We offer convenient online registration! To register online with credit card or EFT payments, go to www.KidsCoOnline.com, mail paper applications and deposits to: KidsCo Inc. 7620-J Rickenbacker Drive Gaithersburg, MD 20879 or fax applications with credit card payments to 301-740-9611.

Contractual Agreement

Tuition Policies: Your camp payments may be made by cash, check, EFT, money order, VISA, MasterCard, or Discover. \$220 of your deposit (\$243 for KidsCo Jr. families), is applied to your child's first camp session. Siblings receive a 10% discount off the lesser camp tuition on all weeks that they are in attendance together. Discount does not apply to extended care and will be applied to the account once the application is processed. Any registration that requires processing after 4:30pm the Thursday prior to a session beginning will be charged a \$25 expedited registration fee. Under no circumstances will new applications be processed after 4:30pm the Friday prior to a session starting. Camp payments are due by the listed tuition dates found on the General Information page. Any balance remaining on your account after August 1, 2015 is subject to a \$30 late fee for each month it goes past due. Feel free to contact the KidsCo Main Office for pre-payment options. A \$1 per minute late pick up fee will be charged for campers picked up after 6:30pm.

Refund Policies: We are very flexible and allow for registration changes. However, after May 31st there will be a \$25 charge for each change made. Cancellations made within two weeks or less of your child's camp start date will result in forfeiture of your deposit. Cancellations made after your child's scheduled camp week begins will result in payment of that week's full tuition. If KidsCo/KidsCo Junior is unable to operate due to unforeseen and weather related circumstances there is no guarantee of a refund for missed days.

Trip Shirt Policy: All campers are required to wear the 2015 KidsCo trip shirt on all Wednesday trip days. On-The-Run campers may have additional days on which the 2015 trip shirt is required to be worn. If a camper arrives at camp without the 2015 trip shirt on a required day, another will be issued at a charge of \$23. KidsCo Jr. campers are not required to purchase a trip shirt since they do not travel away from the camp location.

I understand the tuition obligation and wish to enroll my child/children for the summer of 2015 at KidsCo/KidsCo Jr. Summer Camps. I shall be responsible for any attorney or collection fees required to collect unpaid tuition and/or any other outstanding camp charges that may include trip shirt, camp packs, change, or cancellation fees. By signing this agreement, I also give permission for my child/children to be transported to away activities by bus or KidsCo vehicle. I understand that my child will be participating in water-based activities at pools, lakes, and/or water parks. I understand that photographs and video may be taken for promotional usage. KidsCo reserves the right to terminate service at any time. Weeks and dates are subject to change depending on the Montgomery County school calendar. KidsCo/KidsCo Jr. Camp locations are all subject to change due to Montgomery County school rental contracts.

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Please Print Name:

Date:

Credit (deposit + camp weeks) Most Convenient I authorize KidsCo/KidsCo Jr. to automatically charge the deposit of \$295 per camper, each week's tuition as it becomes due, and any outstanding camp charges, including \$35 for each KidsCo Camp Pack (if applicable) to my credit card.
EFT Deposit (deposit + camp weeks) Most Convenient I authorize KidsCo/KidsCo Jr. to automatically charge the deposit of \$295 per camper, each week's tuition as it becomes due, any outstanding camp charges, and \$35 for each KidsCo Camp Pack (if applicable) to my bank account by EFT (copy of voided check must be attached).
Check/Cash I have enclosed the deposit of \$295 per camper and \$35 for each KidsCo Camp Pack (if applicable). I wish to receive/pay future camp invoices by email. Email address:
Credit (deposit only) I authorize KidsCo/KidsCo Jr. to charge ONLY the deposit of \$295 per camper and \$35 for each KidsCo Camp Pack (if applicable) to my credit card.
Card Type: 🗌 VISA 🗌 MasterCard 🔲 Discover
Name On Card (Print)
AddressZip
Card #Security CodeExp. Date
Cardbolder's Signature



Best Camp Ever!

The camps KidsCo offers are conveniently located throughout Montgomery County! Each camp is packed with exciting themes, activities, thrilling trips, and games.

See what some of our campers and parents from last summer have to say about our program:

"I loved ALL the weekly trips we took!" – Amy, Little Bennett Camper

"The staff is so mature and friendly!" – Jessica, Parent of Greenwood Camper

"We were thrilled with our team at MLK!" – Susan & Rob, Parents of Dr. Martin Luther King Camper

Monday	Introduce and begin weekly themeCamp-wide game
Tuesday	Pool dayTheme filled activities
Wednesday	 All day trip (Bus leaves site at 9:00am. Campers arriving late are subject to missing the bus) Please visit our website for a list of exciting destinations
Thursday	Pool dayTheme filled activities
Friday	Theme day

2015 Theme Weeks

- Olympic Week
- Town Extravaganza
- Reality Week
- Kids vs. Staff Week

Hawaiian Luau Week

- Carnival Week
 - World Record Week Bo
 - **NEW! Spirit Week**

Box Car Week

For a detailed schedule of events, visit www.KidsCoOnline.com



#SafetyFirst

Your child's safety is our top priority. We boast a 10:1 staff to child ratio, or better for maximum coverage. Our campers are required to wear their KidsCo shirts on the Wednesday field trips (this is the shirt you purchase upon registering). Please set a calendar reminder - if your child does not have his/her shirt at camp on Wednesday, another shirt can and should be purchased (if other arrangements cannot be made). These vibrant shirts make your child stand out above the crowd, so that our staff can easily identify them! Additionally, all campers will accessorize with a super bright KidsCo wristband, which is color-coded by camp location and has the main office's phone number.

If your child is in Pre-K through first grade, he/she will wear an additional "Eyes on Me" wristband. This will let our staff know who may not be the strongest swimmers. Parents can also request this wristband for any child, regardless of age, if they feel it's necessary.

We keep cool on pool days! During these days, we have a "Watcher on Duty." These staff members are keeping their eyes peeled around the perimeter of the pool to provide additional support to the lifeguards. Our staff are dressed in KidsCo swimsuits so they're easy to spot! While at the pool, the children in Pre-K through first grade remain with their counselors at all times, and the older campers are overseen by their counselors and have scheduled attendance checkins.

For all of our camps, your camper's emergency information is kept with the directors at all times.

Summer Camp-Out

Week 6 campers will have an opportunity to join us on the evening of Friday, July 24th for overnight camp-out for children in 3rd grade and above. Sign-up will begin on Monday, July 20th. Check out KidsCoOnline.com in the Spring for more information!

Kids On-The-Run

(3rd-6th Grades)

This camp is modeled after our popular program, Teens On The Run. Campers will enjoy cool and exciting day trips, but these trips appeal to a younger crowd. Kids On The Run is a fantastic precursor for future Teens On The Run campers! Some of our exciting trips:

- **Six Flags America**
- **Dave & Busters**
- Bowling & Ice Skating •
- **Splash Down Water Park**
- **BBQ Bonanza**
- **Baltimore Aquarium**

Teens On-The-Run

(6th-9th Grades)

Our Teens On The Run camp offers daily field trips for our older campers, while allowing them a little more freedom and independence. We're pulling out all the stops! We'll travel in style on the coolest charter buses! Bask in the luxury of comfortable seating, air conditioning, and TVs (there's even a restroom on board)!

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- **Hershey Park**
- **Rehoboth Beach**
- **Busch Gardens**
- Longer Wednesday trips **Overnight trips!** •
- **Kings Dominion NEW Updated Trips!**
- Lunch provided every Friday



For a detailed schedule of events, visit www.KidsCoOnline.com



Teens On-The-Run Overnight Trips

Teens On-The-Run will be offering three overnight trips this summer! On Weeks 2, 6, and 9, we will be taking off for an all-day and into-the-night adventure! We'll be hanging late at the park, sleeping in a hotel, and waking up to a complimentary breakfast! There's way more time to explore the park and hang with friends. Hope you join us!

- One night stay at a hotel or campground (Week 6)
- Breakfast included the next morning
- More time to hang and have fun with your friends!
- Parents, you get a night off too!

Outdoor Adventure Week

We're offering a NEW week for our Teens-On-The-Run. Join us Week 6 for an extreme week of all outdoor trips including paintball, a zip lines & ropes course, white water rafting, and a Wednesday overnight camp out! Never a dull moment with Teens On-The-Run!

Transportation

A bus ride with On-The-Run is not your usual commute! Each ride becomes an experience in itself with daily activities to provide entertainment and an opportunity to get to know your fellow campers and staff. Some daily activities include "Challenge Monday" filled with puzzles and games to sharpen your skills, "Color Day" to showcase your spirit, and "Freestyle Friday" to show off your talents!

Safety & Accountability

During all trips, safety is our foremost concern. We take precautionary and practical measures to ensure the safety of all of our On-The-Run Day Trip Camp groups.

These measures include but are not limited to:

- All staff members are equipped with a two way radio, providing constant contact with one another at all times.
- All camper emergency information is kept with the Director at all times.
- The Director's mobile number is always accessible to your child via their KidsCo wristband.
- All On-The-Run Directors and Assistant Directors are first aid & CPR certified.
- Staff shirts and KidsCo bathing suits are worn every day making our staff as visible as possible.
- Each bus has a designated Bus Captain who partners with the Director to add extra security and accountability on and off the bus at each stop.
- Current trip shirts are required on all Wednesday trips, while at large theme parks and sporting events.







KidsCo offers a week for our campers entering Kindergarten through 9th grade! We're ending summer on a high note! We have great trips planned every day that can be enjoyed by all.

Transportation

Moving to and from trip destinations is a large component of a day at camp. Keeping in mind that your child spends a portion of each day on a bus, we feel that working consistently with a bus company and its drivers is extremely important. We boast a twelve year relationship with a local bus company which ensures that we can openly communicate with them at all times regarding transportation of our campers.

Camp Trips

These fun filled and exciting weeks are full of adventurous trips! On some of our past trips we have ventured to water parks, bowling, ice skating, swimming, all you can eat lunch stops, and much more!

For a detailed schedule of events, visit www.KidsCoOnline.com

Please Keep In Mind...

During this week, we do not have access to the school buildings because the new school year is just around the corner. We do provide tents to add shade and shelter for our campers. Also, please note, extended care is not available; however, camp hours are from 9:00am-5:30pm.