

CAMP JEKYLL ISLAND JAN. 22 - 24



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GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

- Develop an awareness, knowledge, and appreciation of the environment
- Cultivate curiosity, critical reasoning, and evaluation
- Develop positive relationships among students and teachers
- Apply knowledge and skills acquired in the classroom to real life situations



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- Provide experiences in using scientific processes (observing, measuring, and classifying
- Develop self-confidence and physical fitness
- Develop appreciation for the local and natural history of an area
- Incorporate all areas of the curriculum
- Alignment to the Georgia Performance Standards can be found at

http://www.jekyll4h.org/environmentaleducation/gpscorrelations.html



STUDENT RULES

- We will abide by all of the rules set out by the Jekyll 4-H staff as well as the rules of CT Walker Magnet School and the Richmond County School System.
- Discuss and sign the RCSS Behavior Code



Hand Signal

A raised hand means it is time to listen.

Cabins

- Quiet hours are from 10:00 PM to 7:00 AM.
- Do not move mattresses.
- Sand and mud will clog the drains. Use hoses and foot rinse stations around the camp to rinse feet and shoes.
- You must clean your cabin and pass inspection prior to leaving Camp Jekyll.



- Be Prepared for Classes
 - Shirt and shoes must be worn at all times.
 - Flip-flops are only allowed in the shower area.
 - Sandals must have a heel strap.
 - Classes happen rain or shine. Bring rain gear!
 - Wear layers and/or sunscreen if appropriate.
 - Bug repellant can be applied outside of rooms only (on sidewalks or pavements - not on sod).
 - Drink lots of water. There are water fountains in each of the cabins, pavilion, and education center/auditorium.
 - Marsh boots are available to borrow, please return to shelves clean when finished.



Canteen

- Opens daily from 9:45 10:15 a.m., 2:45 3:15 p.m., & 7:30 8:00 p.m.
- All food must be eaten in the pavilion area. No food or drinks in the cabins!
- Please put litter in the waste cans located all over campus. Litter on the grounds will result in the closing of canteen.
- Help us out by recycling your cans.
- No gum, anytime, anywhere (especially the dining hall).



- Kitchen Patrol
 - We need KP to be there early and stay late.
 - Meals are at 7:30, 12:15, and 5:15.
 - Show up 1/2 hour before lunch (11:45) & dinner (4:45), 15 minutes before breakfast (7:15).
 - Please be on time and be prepared to help (no bell rings to remind you of KP).

Free Time

- Must always be supervised by adults.
- You may play on the basketball courts, volleyball courts, and green spaces but please return all balls to storage containers when you are done.
- Areas outside the split rail fence (such as the soccer fields) are off limits.
- Beach only with an adult.
- NO SWIMMING AT CAMP JEKYLL (IN CLASS OR IN FREE TIME)!
- Collect only dead (non decomposing) / empty shells / molts- nothing living should leave the beach, marsh, etc.



Bell

- The bell signifies meal times or class times.
- At meal times, please line up outside the dining hall as a school for a staff member to let you in (even after bell rings).
- The bell may only be rung by Jekyll Staff.



SAMPLE SCHEDULE

Day Two

7:15 - 7:30 a.m. KP Duty

7:30 - 8:15 a.m. Breakfast

8:15 - 9:45 a.m. Class

9:45 - 10:15 a.m. Break/Canteen

10:15 - 11:45 a.m. Class

11:45 - 12:15 p.m. KP Duty

12:15 - 1:15 p.m. Lunch

1:15 - 2:45 p.m. Class

2:45 - 3:15 p.m. Break/Canteen

3:15 - 4:45 p.m. Class

4:45 - 5:15 p.m. KP Duty

5:15 - 6:15 p.m. Dinner

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Class

7:30 - 8:00 p.m. Break/Canteen

8:00 - 9:00 p.m. Class

10:00 p.m. Quiet Time/In Rooms

10:30 p.m. Lights Out



CLASS SCHEDULE

TENTATIVE

- Classes
- Beach Ecology
- 2. Maritime Forest Ecology
- 3. Salt Marsh Ecology
- 4. North End Study
- 5. Dock Study
- 6. Amphibians and Reptiles
- 7. Environmental Issues
- 8. Sand Lab and Beach Profile



WHAT TO BRING & WHAT NOT TO BRING?

Packing list is available as a handout.

LABEL EVERYTHING!!!!

ELECTRONIC FREE!!!

No cell phones, iPods, video games, etc.



MEDICINE

- Forms will be sent home for any student who regularly takes prescription medication
- We will be following the school protocol for administering medication
- Teachers will be responsible for administering medication to students
- Under no circumstances can the teachers, or chaperones administer any medicine to your child without written authorization
- Emergencies will be handled by calling 911
- Non-emergencies will be handled by the teachers and parents will be notified



GROUP ASSIGNMENTS

Students will have the opportunity to request up to four friends as group members.

(Can be any student in the 8th grade)

- Teachers will make group assignments
- Dormitory style-bunk beds & bathroom (shared space)
- Female chaperones will be assigned to girls' rooms and male chaperones will be assigned to boys' rooms.



CANTEEN ITEMS

- •Students can bring money to purchase snacks and souvenirs at the canteen. Please limit the amount of money you send with your child to no more than \$20.00.
- Students are responsible for their own money!



BEHAVIOR CONTRACT

- Student behavior will be monitored throughout the semester
- Students who consistently have discipline issues will be placed on a behavior contract—parent notified
- Teachers/Administrators will determine if a child on a behavior contract has "earned" the right to attend the field trip
- Parents may be asked to attend if a child has special needs that require very specific accommodations



COST & TRANSPORTATION

\$170.00 per person (students AND chaperones)

**includes 2 nights lodging & 7 meals at Jekyll's new and improved 4H facility

**8 educational programs

**Transportation-Horizon Bus Line

- **Please notify Mrs. Frost ASAP if you will have a difficult time paying for this field trip.
- **Per RCSS policy, no student will be denied the field trip for inability to pay. We want to make sure that every student has the opportunity to participate in this fantastic field trip, and we will make sure that your child is included. **

**Anyone willing to contribute to a scholarship for those with need would be greatly appreciated.



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Payment options:

1. One lump sum (\$170.00)

2. \$50.00 due November 20th\$50.00 due December 17th\$70.00 final payment January 10th

**Please notify your child's homeroom teacher ASAP if you will have a difficult time paying for this field trip. Per RCSS policy, no student will be denied the field trip for inability to pay. We want to make sure that every student has the opportunity to participate in this fantastic field trip and we will make sure that your child is included. **

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STUDENTS WHO DO NOT ATTEND THE FIELD TRIP

- RCSS attendance policies apply
- Substitute/Teacher instructing classes will follow the eighth- grade curriculum
- Students not attending will be working



CHAPERONES

**All parents interested in being a chaperone must be level 3 volunteer status and pay the full \$170.00

*** Please let Mrs. Frost know if you'd like to be a chaperone.



EMERGENCY CONTACT INFO.

Primary Contact

CT Walker Magnet School Mrs. Snowberger

706-823-6950

Jekyll 4-H Center

550 S. Beachview Drive Jekyll Island, GA 31527

912-635-4117

Teachers (chaperones) can also be reached via Class Dojo during the trip.

More information about the Jekyll Island 4H Center can be found at http://www.jekyll4h.org/environmentaleducation/index.html

QUESTIONS?

