

CARPE DIEM ARTS DAY CAMPS: COVID SAFETY POLICY STATEMENT

June - August 2022

Carpe Diem Arts is committed to operating in compliance with current Covid-19 safety protocols and guidelines dictated by Montgomery County, the State of Maryland and the CDC's regulations and recommendations.

- 1. All camp staff and teaching artists will be fully vaccinated.
- 2. To maximize safety, all must be vaccinated and show proof of vaccination in advance of camp.
- 3. We ask that parents, guardians and other family members follow travel guidelines when dropping campers off, and wear masks while at the camp.
- 4. Campers are asked to wear masks indoors and outdoors if social distance cannot be maintained.
- 5. We will hold daily health checks with campers temperature checks at daily Check-in.
- 6. Frequent hand washing, masks and social distancing will be standard safeguard measures.
- 7. There will be hand sanitizer readily available in all camp locations, and frequent cleaning of high touch areas.
- 8. Camp activities and meals will be outdoors except for Spanish Immersion Camp.
- 9. We will maximize ventilation and air flow to every extent possible and will exercise social distancing.
- 10. All surfaces will be cleaned and disinfected regularly.
- 11. Only one camper will be allowed in the dedicated camp bathroom at a time.
- 12. There will be Lysol wipes available in every bathroom, and campers will be instructed to wipe down the sink after every use.
- 13. If a camper or staff member shows symptoms of Covid-19 (or onset of other illness) they will immediately be isolated from the group and parents and emergency contacts will be called for pick-up. We require that a rapid antigen test be administered and reported the same day for the health and safety of all. A second test should be administered the following day for a second negative confirmation before camper can return to camp.
- 14. If a camper or staff member tests positive for Covid-19, all parents and guardians, as well as the health department, will be notified.

We will take all necessary precautions and will follow local, state and CDC guidelines to ensure the safety of our campers and staff. Subject to change as conditions warrant.