CAMP
COVID-19 HEALTH AND SAFETY PROTOCOL

Prior to Camp:

If your child has been in contact with anyone diagnosed with COVID-19 within 14 days prior to the first day of camp, they may not attend camp until at least 14 days have passed.

If your child has experienced any of the following symptoms within 48 hours prior to the first day of camp, your child may not attend camp:

- Fever of 100 degrees Fahrenheit or greater
- Sore throat
- Shortness of breath
- Headache
- Cough
- Muscle aches
- New loss of taste or smell
- Chills and/or repeated shaking

If your child is sent home from camp with any of these symptoms, they must be symptom-free for 24 hours and obtain a doctor’s note before returning to camp.
Drop Off:

Drop off will take place on the second floor mezzanine of JHS from 7:45 – 9:00 a.m. for campers enrolled in extended care and from 8:45 – 9:00 a.m. for campers not enrolled in extended care.

When entering our facility, please use the single-door staff entrance to the left of our main entrance, behind the fountain. A sign will be placed near the door to direct you. Please take the stairs or elevator directly to the second floor and do not enter the Adoption Center.

Parents/guardians are required to wear face masks or coverings when dropping off campers. Pens will be sanitized after each use.

At the time of drop off, JHS staff will use a no-contact thermometer to take the temperature of each camper being dropped off. If a camper’s temperature is 100 degrees Fahrenheit or above, they will not be permitted to enter the Education Center and attend camp and will be asked to return home.

Also at the time of drop off, JHS staff or volunteers will sanitize water bottles and lunch boxes.

Personal Items:

Campers are only permitted to bring essential items from home to camp. Essential items include:

- Lunch boxes and lunches/snacks
- Water bottles
- Raincoats/ponchos
- Outer garments like sweaters or jackets
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen and insect repellant
- Medication
- Books
- Phones (please note that phones may only be used in extended care, during lunch, or in the event of an emergency)
- Cameras (please note that cameras may only be used when directed by camp counselors)

Campers may bring a bag or backpack to contain their essential items.

**Hand Washing:**

Hand washing will be a frequent activity throughout each day of camp. All campers will be required to wash their hands upon arrival, and the JHS Education and Outreach Manager will review the CDC’s handwashing guidelines with campers prior to beginning the camp day. The CDC’s guidelines will also be displayed next to all bathroom sinks. JHS staff will continually remind campers of these guidelines throughout the day.

Touchless soap dispensers will be placed at all sinks used by campers.

Multiple containers of hand sanitizer will be available at our drop-off/pick-up station and in the Education Center.

**Water Fountains:**

Campers will not be permitted to drink from the public JHS water fountains during camp.

All campers must bring a refillable water bottle. At designated times during the day, JHS staff or volunteers will refill campers’ water bottles from the fountains while wearing gloves.

**Curriculum:**

Our camp curriculum will be modified slightly to ensure the health and safety of all summer camp participants. Changes will include but are not limited to:

- As much as possible, limiting lessons and activities to the Education Center and outdoor dog play yards (campers will not enter the hospital and will only enter the Adoption Center for Pawsitive Reading and visits to the group cat rooms)
- Visiting the JHS hospital virtually through Zoom
- Non-JHS guest speakers will visit camp via Zoom or another digital platform

**Education Center and Bathroom Cleaning:**
All surfaces and door handles in the JHS Education Center and camp bathrooms will be thoroughly sanitized at the end of each camp day.

**Supply Cleaning:**
Communal supplies – such as markers, scissors, glue sticks, beach balls, etc. – will be sanitized prior to being used by the next round of campers. The use of communal supplies will be minimized as much as possible.

Campers will be asked to wash their hands after all activities requiring the use of communal supplies.

**Masks:**
JHS education staff will wear face masks when social distancing is not possible. All visitors to camp (e.g. other members of JHS staff such as vet techs, veterinarians, adoption counselors, behavior specialists, etc.) will be required to wear masks when inside the Education Center or working with campers outside when social distancing is not possible.

Per the Duval County mask mandate (in effect as of 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 29, 2020), all campers must wear face masks or coverings at camp when social distancing is not possible.

**Pick Up:**
Pick up will take place on the second floor mezzanine of JHS from 4:00 – 4:15 p.m. each day of camp (if enrolled in extended care, pick up times will vary).

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sign will be placed near the door to direct you. **Please take the stairs or elevator directly to the second floor and do not enter the Adoption Center.**

Parents/guardians are required to wear face masks or coverings when picking up campers. Pens will be sanitized after each use.