Camp Del Sol/Camp Taiyang Safety Protocols

In order to maintain the health and safety of staff and students during the coronavirus pandemic, the following practices have been put in place. These practices were created under the guidance of the Centers for Disease Control and Minnesota Department of Health. We will continue to update and revise procedures based on their guidance. Due to the fluidity of recommendations, updates will be made available to families via email when they occur.

Health and Safety

Handwashing

- Staff and students will follow proper handwashing procedures.
  - Soap and water for at least 20 seconds
  - Alcohol-based hand sanitizers with at least 60% alcohol can be used if soap and water are not readily available

- Handwashing takes place at the following times:
  **Staff:**
  - After using the toilet or helping a child use the bathroom
  - After coming in contact with bodily fluid
  - Before and after outdoor supervision
  - Before and after transitioning to a new space

  **Student:**
  - Upon arrival and departure
  - After using the toilet
  - After coming in contact with bodily fluid
  - Before and after outdoor playtime
  - Before and after transitioning to a new space

Health Screening

- Parents will be provided with current/updated screening information. We ask that a temperature is checked at home and that parents come prepared to answer the current screening questions.
- Staff and students are screened by a staff member upon arrival.
- **Exclusion Guidelines** per the Minnesota Department of Health will be followed.
• For the safety of students and staff, anyone not passing the screening will not be allowed into the building and will be asked to return home.

**Ill Students or Staff**
If a student or staff member develops any symptoms of illness consistent with coronavirus, the following procedures will be followed:
• Parents and/or emergency contacts will be called and asked to pick-up their child immediately.
• The ill student or staff will be isolated in a separate room while they wait to be picked up.
• After the ill student or staff member leaves the facility, staff will disinfect areas where the staff or students were present.
• Minnesota Department of Health will be consulted regarding closure decisions as well as return-to-care guidelines.

**Masks**
• Face coverings should be worn by staff if feasible and are most essential in times when physical distancing is difficult. (CDC)
• Homemade masks will be available to staff. The available masks are not medical-grade face masks such as surgical facemasks or N95 respirators.
• Face coverings should be encouraged in students (particularly older students) if feasible and are most essential in times when physical distancing is difficult. (CDC) It is up to the parent to decide if their child is capable of wearing a mask based on proper use and removal of it.

**Cleaning and Disinfecting**
• All areas of the building being used (classrooms, gyms, common areas, etc.) are equipped with sanitizing wipes, sanitizing sprays and gloves.
• Staff will routinely clean, sanitize, and disinfect surfaces and objects that are frequently touched, especially toys and games. This may also include cleaning objects/surfaces not ordinarily cleaned daily such as doorknobs, light switches, classroom sink handles, countertops, desks, chairs, and playground structures.
• Toys and equipment will be cleaned and sanitized prior to being used by new groups of children.
• After toys and equipment have been used, they are to be set aside until they are cleaned and sanitized.

**Sunscreen**
• We recommend that parents apply sunscreen prior to the student’s arrival.

**Parent Drop off and Pick-up**
• There is one designated door for entering and exiting the building.
• Hand sanitizing options are available for parents and students to use as they enter the building.
• Ideally, the same parent or designated person should drop off and pick up the student/students every day.
If possible, older people such as grandparents or those with serious underlying medical conditions should not pick up children.

Authorized pick-ups are required to show their ID upon pick-up.

**Programming**

*Group sizes and Ratios*
- Staff-student ratios are 1:9
- Group sizes are not to exceed 10

**Social distancing**
- Social distancing guidance is a 3-foot radius around each student, resulting in a 6 foot total distance between any two students
- Staff will maintain a 6-foot social distance between each other

**Classroom Model**
- Students will be assigned to a classroom
- The majority of the student activities will take place in the assigned classroom
- Students will have the opportunity to go to the gym and various other spaces in small groups. These spaces will be cleaned prior to the next group entering the space