

# Camp Mansfield



*We Make Happy Campers!*  
**SIGN UP NOW**  
*for a Summer of Fun*

## CAMP MANSFIELD 2026 JOB APPLICATIONS

Applications are available starting March 1 for 2026 Camp Mansfield employment. Applications and job descriptions are available at [mansfieldct.gov](http://mansfieldct.gov) under the employment and volunteer link.

## CAMP MANSFIELD

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**General Camp Information** – Camp Mansfield is a traditional outdoor summer day camp with a wide variety of activities for camper's age 4½ to 15 years old! Camp Mansfield is held on the grounds of Mansfield Middle School, Schoolhouse Brook Park and Bicentennial Pond. Camp is tentatively scheduled to begin on June 22nd this year. Activities include archery, arts and crafts, canoeing/kayaking, nature and science activities, sports, variety block (counselors & campers choice), free swim, and swim activity, camp songs and themed special event weeks. Campers are separated into groups based on the grade they will be entering in the fall. All campers must be potty trained and be able to follow the camp rules of safe and positive behavior for themselves and others to participate. The camp runs Monday – Friday from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. rain or shine. 3 daily lunch choices are included in the camp fee for full day campers. Extended "Camp Care" is available before and after the regular camp day to campers for an additional fee.

### CAMP MANSFIELD GOALS - *How we make happy campers!*

- Create an environment that is in every way healthful and safe, where encouragement, laughter and fun are the norm. We are smiling underneath our masks!
- Encourage the development of leadership skills in campers of all ages.
- Develop in each camper an appreciation for their natural surroundings, including a concern for preserving our environment.
- Nurture each individual's confidence in their own strengths and skills, while fostering the confidence in the discovery and development of new talents.
- Cultivate an atmosphere that promotes the building of healthy relationships and group problem solving while keeping our distance.

**KinderCamp** – Special ½ day camp for children entering Kindergarten. Camp meets Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-Noon. Activities include games, sports, crafts, nature, swimming and more. A daily lunch is provided. (Please note full day Kindergarten option below). Half day campers may not participate in all camp activities due to the structure of the day.

**Explorers** – Our main camp group runs Monday – Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. for children entering grades K – 6. Activities include outdoor games, sports, nature, archery, arts & crafts, canoeing/kayaking, creative games, swimming and special events. Lunch is provided to campers daily. Campers choose from a choice of 3 options each day. (Please note ½ day option above for Kindergarteners)

**Adventurers** – Our oldest camper group runs Monday – Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. (with possibility of extended hours for some trips) for children entering grades 7-9. Those entering grade 9, have a choice of the Adventurers or C.I.T. programs. Campers have the opportunity to participate in the same activities listed under "Explorers" plus have 2 off site adventure trips, which may include amusements parks, Adventure Park, Ocean Beach, river tubing and more. On Wednesday

nights ADVENTS can be dropped off at Bicentennial Pond at 7pm – 9pm. Campers will play games and make s'mores at a bonfire. This program is specifically geared towards helping these young adults build confidence, group problem solving and more. Trip fees are included in the camp fee and a daily lunch is provided. Space in this program is limited.

**Counselor-In-Training** – This leadership training program meets Monday – Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. for teens entering grades 9 and 10. Those entering grade 9 have a choice between the C.I.T. or Adventurer programs. The C.I.T. program is designed to teach leadership skills in the area of child development, activity planning and group management and lends itself to personal growth that can also be applied to all aspects of life. C.I.T.s can be dismissed if they are not making a positive addition to the program. Maximum age is 15 and space in this program is limited. A C.I.T shirt will be provided for the summer.

**Camp Care** – Specially designed for the working parents who require additional care for their child beyond the regular day camp. Camp care hours are 7:30-9 a.m. and 3-5:30 p.m. It includes a supervised and partially structured time before and after the camp day. PM Camp care is not available on the last day of camp.

Camp care will be held at Mansfield Middle school (Bicentennial Pond for the Last Week if Camp)

**Campers with Special Needs** - All of our department's summer camp programs support children with special needs. With the assistance of specialized camp staff, campers will be participating inclusively within their same age/grade groups throughout the camp day. Participants with a need for modifications and/or additional support during camp will need to fill out a special assistance form no later than 15 days prior to the start of the camp session.

### Camp Mansfield Registration Instructions

- Registration for Camp Mansfield opens on March 26. Campers must enroll for a minimum of one full session. Partial session enrollment is NOT permitted. All camp sessions must be paid in full at the time of registration.
- The activity registration form and additional camp form must be completely filled out to be registered for camp. Please be sure to indicate the appropriate camp program and session code on the registration form.
- Although we do everything possible to accommodate all children, we require to meet certain camper to staff ratios. Therefore, it is possible that some camp sections may fill regardless of registration closing date. Please register early.
- Campers requiring special assistance or accommodations must follow the same registration process listed above and must complete a Special Assistance Form at a minimum of 15 working days prior to the start of a new session and must contact the camp director.

**As a CT municipality, Town of Mansfield Camps are exempt of the Connecticut Office of Early Childhood license requirements for Youth Camps**

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## CAMP MANSFIELD 2026 - We Make Happy Campers!

- Session 1** June 22 – June 26, Science and Nature Week!
- Session 2** June 29-July 2, Decades Week (No Camp July 3rd)
- Session 3** July 6 – July 10, Fantasy Week!
- Session 4** July 13 – July 17, ~~Under the Sea Week!~~ Mansfield Got Talent!
- Session 5** July 20 – July 24, Under the Sea Week!
- Session 6** July 27 – July 31, Mystery Week!
- Session 7** August 3 – August 7, Super Hero Week!
- Session 8** August 10 – August 14, Carnival Week!

**UPDATED**

(No PM Camp Care on Last Day, August 14.)

\*Start dates subject to change if Mansfield Schools end later than anticipated at time of print\*

\*Session 8 individual days may be cancelled in the event of inclement weather\*



CAMP MANSFIELD 2025	Cost Per Session	
	Resident Rate	Non-Resident Rate
KinderCamp ½ Day 151105-(plus session #)	\$133 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$107 (Ses 2)	\$143 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$117 (Ses 2)
Explorers Grades K-6 (See Activity # table below)	\$257 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$206 (Ses 2)	\$267 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$216 (Ses 2)
Adventurers Grades 7-9 151301-(plus session #)	\$318 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$255 (Ses 2)	\$328 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$265 (Ses 2)
Counselor In Training 151207-(plus session #)	\$120 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$96 (Ses 2)	\$130 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$106 (Ses 2)
AM Camp Care 151401-(plus session #)	\$47 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$38 (Ses 2)	\$57 (Ses 1, 3-8) \$48 (Ses 2)
PM Camp Care 151402-(plus session #)	\$48 (Ses 1, 3-7) \$38 (Ses 2 & 8)	\$58 (Ses 1, 3-7) \$48 (Ses 2 & 8)
Combo Camp Care (AM&PM) 151403-(plus session #)	\$82 (Ses 1-7) \$66 (Ses 2 & 8)	\$92 (Ses 1-7) \$76 (Ses 2 & 8)

## ADVENTURERS TRIPS

Trips for our Adventure group are every Tuesday and Thursday. These trips can include Six Flags, Brownstone, Quassy Amusement Park, CT Science Center, Lake Compounce, Laser Tag and Bowling, Ocean Beach, Nomads Adventure Quest, and MORE! Please check the website at [www.mansfieldcc.com](http://www.mansfieldcc.com) and the Adventure trip flyer that will come out in the spring for more details and specific dates of trips!

\*All trips are subject to change due to availability\*

Explorers Activity Codes			
USE THE GRADE THE CAMPER IS ENTERING IN FALL 2026			
Grade	Activity #	Grade	Activity#
K	151200- add session #	3.	151203- add session #
1.	151201- add session #	4.	151204- add session #
2.	151202- add session #	5.	151205- add session #
		6.	151206- add session #

**Swim Education** - Great news! We are happy to announce that this summer, Camp Mansfield will be offering basic swim safety instruction during camp. These will be every Tuesday and Thursday at Bicentennial Pond. Please note, this is simple swim instruction to help children be able to pass the swim test and feel more comfortable in the water. This is NOT consider swim lessons.



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# Fee Waiver/ Scholarship Fund!



Program and Community Center Fee Waivers are available to qualified applicants (for Mansfield residents only). Fee waivers do not apply to trips, rentals, and/or materials fees. Scholarship Fund, supported solely by contributions, are available for residents who need financial assistance in addition to the fee waiver.

Please contact  
 Fee Waiver Info: Human Services  
[human.services@mansfieldct.org](mailto:human.services@mansfieldct.org)  
 Scholarship Fund Info: Mansfield Parks & Recreation  
 860-429-3015 ext. 0



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