

South Portland Parks & Recreation

Behavior and Discipline Policy

Our goal is to provide a safe and enjoyable summer camp experience for all campers. No camper should feel threatened or intimidated by the behavior of other campers. All campers and staff should be treated with respect, be responsible and feel safe.

Behaviors that will result in implementation of our Discipline Policy:

- Failing to follow directions
- Inappropriate language
- Inappropriate body contact (hitting, biting, kicking, pushing, etc.)
- Disrespect of property (breaking, damaging, destroying, etc.)
- Bullying/Harassment
- Threatening campers or staff
- Theft
- Dishonesty

The following steps will be taken for a camper who chooses to use inappropriate behavior:

- 1st offense will result in a written warning
- 2nd offense will result in a one-day suspension
- 3rd offence will result in dismissal from all remaining camp days

Please be advised that the South Portland Recreation Department reserve the right to remove a participant from a program at any time during the course of the program if the Department feels that the child's actions are a threat to the well-being and safety of themselves, other children and/or staff.

PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH YOUR CHILD PRIOR TO CAMP

I have read and understand the South Portland Recreation Summer Camp Behavior & Discipline Policy. I am aware that failure on the part of my child to meet his/her responsibilities as an attendee may result in suspension or expulsion from the program.

Please sign, date, and return to your child's camp director.

Name of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Name of Program Participant

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Date