Session Information

Each session lasts one week, Monday through Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Camp sessions are divided into age groups (4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 10-12). Before-camp and after-camp care are available at an additional cost. Before-camp runs from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. at $25/week. After-camp runs from 3:00 pm to 5:15 pm at $50/week. (Days can be prorated at $5/day or $10/day). Campers must arrange before-camp and after-camp care prior to the week needed. An additional $1 per minute will be charged for pick-up after 5:20 p.m.

Camp Dates/Topics/Membership Information

**Date** | **Topic**
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June 5 - June 9 | Camping 101
June 12 - June 16 | Bugs and Beyond
June 19 - June 23 | Ocean Creatures
June 26 - June 30 | Maps & More
July 3 - July 7 | NO CAMP THIS WEEK
July 10 - July 14 | The Medieval Ages
July 17 - July 21 | Stars and Space
July 24 - July 28 | Discovering Dinosaurs
July 31 - Aug. 4 | Robotics Roundup
Aug. 7 - Aug. 11 | River Rundown

**Camp Discounts**
- **Sibling Discount:** $10 off 2nd, 3rd, 4th child per week if you pre-register 2 or more siblings.
- **Additional Discount:** $5 off per week when a child pre-registers for 3 or more camp sessions.

*Pre-registration must be completed before the first week of camp to receive discounts. Offer not valid if registration takes place after June 5th.

**Become a Museum Member and receive early priority registration, discounts, free Museum admission, and a $5 coupon for our Store.**

**Priority Member Registration**
- April 4th: Contributor, Benefactor, & President’s Circle Members ($250+)
- April 11th: Sponsor Level Members ($150+)
- April 18th: Family Level Members ($100+)
- April 25th: Student, Senior Citizen, Individual, & Dual Level Members ($30+)

**Open Registration**
Open Registration begins May 2nd and is on a first-come, first-served basis. A 50% deposit will save and confirm your place in the camp session. We MUST have your total camp fee no later than noon on the Friday before the first day of your registered camp session. If we do not receive your total payment, your child may be removed from the list to accommodate another camper on the waiting list.

**Refund Policy**
Sorry, no refunds are possible unless a substitute camper is available to fill your spot.

**Waiting Lists**
The Museum offers waiting lists when camp sessions are full. We will call parents by noon on the Friday before your requested session to let you know if a spot has become available.

**Summer Camp**

An educational experience awaits your child at the Museum's 2023 Summer Nature Camp!

Studying science and history helps children to know and understand the world around them. The Museum offers your child this opportunity in a safe, fun, and educational setting. Through non-traditional teaching techniques, campers are encouraged to explore science, animal behavior, history, and their local environment using interactive lessons and educational games and crafts.

Our facilities include classroom areas, the Discovery Room, and a 40-acre park, all used to enhance your child’s learning experience. Staff members are experienced teachers and, to ensure personalized instruction, classes are kept small, with a teacher to student ratio of 1:10. Classes fill up quickly, so register soon! For more information, please call (979) 776-2195.

**Summer Museum Hours:**
- **Summer:** 8 am – 5 pm, Mon–Fri; Sat, 10 am – 5 pm.
- **Spring:** 10 am – 5 pm, Tues–Sat.

**Camp Fees**

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A 5% processing fee will be added to your total.

Phone: 979-776-2195
Fax: 979-774-0252
education@brazosvalleymuseum.org
www.brazosvalleymuseum.org
Registration Form

Stop by the Museum to fill out a registration form. Please note, an initial 50% payment is required with registration. We must have your total camp fee no later than the Friday before your registered camp session to confirm your child’s place in the camp.

*Refund Policy*

Sorry, no refunds are possible unless a substitute camper is available for your spot.

Camp sessions are limited in size! Call 979.776.2195 for details and to check availability. Spring office hours are Tuesday-Saturday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Please make checks payable to Brazos Valley Museum of Natural History. Please return forms to: Brazos Valley Museum of Natural History, 3232 Briarcrest Drive, Bryan, Texas 77802.

Camper’s Name: _______________________________ D/O/B: ______/____/______ Age: _______ M F

Grade Level (entering): _______ T-shirt size (Youth): ☐XS ☐S ☐M ☐L ☐XL (limited to one per child)

Contact Parent/Guardian: _______________________________ Email: ____________________

City: ___________________________________ State: ____________________ Zip code: _______________

Day Phone: ____________________ Cell Phone: ____________________ Home Phone: _________________

Other Parent/Emergency Contact: _______________________________ Relationship: ____________________

Day Phone: ____________________ Cell Phone: ____________________ Home Phone: _________________

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Registering for Week(s): (please check box)

☐ Wk 1: June 5-9  ☐ Wk 2: June 12-16  ☐ Wk 3: June 19-23
Camping 101  Bugs & Beyond  Ocean Creatures

☐ Wk 4: June 26-June 30  ☐ Wk 5: July 10-July 14  ☐ Wk 6: July 17-21
Maps & More  The Medieval Ages  Stars & Space

☐ Wk 7: July 24-28  ☐ Wk 8: July 1-Aug. 4  ☐ Wk 9: Aug. 7-11
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**BRAZOS VALLEY**

**MUSEUM**

**of Natural History**

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**TIME**

Monday-Friday
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**PRICES**

Members: $175/week
Non-Members: $195/week

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Week 1 (June 5 - June 9) **Camping 101**
Join us for a week of learning and fun as we explore the basics of camping! Your child will learn about local ecosystems, outdoor activities, and important safety techniques to encourage them to explore and enjoy the world outside.

Week 2 (June 12 - June 16) **Bugs & Beyond**
From butterflies and beetles to mantises and moths, this week is all about insects! From the insects you can see in your own backyard to insects around the world, we explore the world through the lens of the many, many insects that live in it!

Week 3 (June 19 - June 23) **Ocean Creatures**
 Dive in to learn about oceans! Making up nearly 70% of Earth, these massive bodies of water host millions of plant and animal species, with countless more yet to be discovered. We will explore ocean history, technology, ecosystems, and the challenges ocean animals face today.

Week 4 (June 26 - June 30) **Maps & More**
Does your child know how to read a map? Map-reading is still an important skill when navigating the great outdoors! Join us this week for a crash course in map-reading, map-making, and the history of maps. Explore the stories and science behind map symbols and learn all about Earth’s land formations.

**JULY 3-JULY 7 NO CAMP THIS WEEK**

Week 5 (July 10 - July 14) **The Medieval Ages**
Did you know the Middle Ages forever changed the world? Step back in time when kings and queens ruled Europe, knights protected them, and the bubonic plague was a serious threat. Your child will enjoy studying the Middle Ages and discovering how its legends, lore, and developments still influence us today!

Week 6 (July 17 - July 21) **Stars & Space**
Is your child fascinated by the night sky? Join us for an out-of-this-world week! We will explore the history of space exploration, the technology used in space travel and study, and delve into the science of stars and space.

Week 7 (July 24 - July 28) **Discovering Dinosaurs**
Join us for this popular camp week as we travel back in time when dinosaurs roamed Earth! From T-rex to microraptor, and flying reptiles to fossils, we will discover amazing facts about dinosaurs and their prehistoric contemporaries.

Week 8 (July 31 - August 4) **Robotics Roundup**
Does your child love asking, “Why?” Satisfy their curiosity with a week of learning about robotics! Robotics is all about learning how things work. Your child will hone their creativity and problem-solving skills, while having a blast with fascinating machines!

Week 9 (August 7 - August 11) **River Rundown**
Looking for an aquatic adventure that is close to home? Rivers play an important role in the Brazos Valley and are full of fascinating plants and animals! This week we will explore the history of rivers, their effects on human history, river ecosystems, and the science of river environments.

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Due to local school calendars we will not be offering a day camp at the end of the summer. All camp sessions will be Monday-Friday (9am-3pm)