

Hello Growing Gryphons!

I would like to personally welcome your child to Growing Gryphons Summer Camp this year! We have created fun-filled activities for your child to enjoy. Mariano Mazza, our Kindergarten teacher, will be joining us this summer as well. My contact information is included below, please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Before summer camp begins I am sharing a few important details:

Growing Gryphons Summer Camp begins on June 23rd at 9:00 am and ends at 3:00 pm. If your child needs to attend aftercare, there is aftercare available through HoopEd from 3:00pm to 5:30pm. You can register for that using [this link](#). If your child is staying in aftercare, please let me know at the start of the week.

Please send your child in comfortable clothing, ready for play and exploration. Each camper will receive a Growing Gryphons Checklist which includes additional items to be sent with your child to camp. An extra set of clothing can remain at camp throughout your child's time in Growing Gryphons. At the start of each week, please send your child with a blanket and pillow for rest time. These items will be sent home at the end of each week. Finally, we ask that you apply sunscreen and bug spray each morning before camp.

Drop-off and Pick-up Details: There will be multiple camps happening at Grace over the summer. We ask that you park and walk your camper around the end of the building to the playground in the back. We will meet you there each morning. At the end of each day, you'll walk around to the playground to pick up your camper. In the event that the weather prevents us from being outside, drop-off and pick-up will be at the camp classroom door that is accessible from the playground. For those campers staying for aftercare, please look out for communications from HoopEd with those pick-up instructions.

Required Forms: There are several forms that we require be submitted ahead by **June 20**. All forms are linked below, please let us know if you have questions about any of these forms.

Required for All Campers:

- [Emergency Form](#)
- [Montgomery County Medical Form](#)
- [Medication Administration Form](#)

Required for Campers with Asthma and/or Allergies:

- [Asthma Medication Administration Authorization Form/Asthma Action Plan](#)
- [Allergy Form](#)

Thank you for being a part of our first annual Growing Gryphons summer camp this year. We are looking forward to an amazing summer!

Sincerely,
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