



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT  
FOR HEALTHY LIVING  
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

# YMCA Camp Sloper Outdoor Center

Southington-Cheshire Community YMCAs

## 2024 School/Youth Group Information

Choose from three different programs that YMCA Camp Sloper has to offer in a fun, structured day run by Sloper staff. All School/Youth Group activities will be led by YMCA Camp Sloper Staff. School Staff are encouraged to participate. Transportation to and from YCS is the responsibility of the school.

### Class Days

- Participants will get to choose from a variety of activities specifically chosen for the age group.
- Activities can include; 4-Square, the Ninja Warrior Course, hiking, kickball, wiffleball, Frisbee Golf, Basketball, Volleyball, Gladiator Dodgeball, and field sports (soccer, flag football, handball, capture the flag, etc), Crystal Mine, Playscape, the Climbing Tower (grades 2+), the Low Ropes Obstacle Course, the Fort Village, Nukem.

### Teambuilding

- Develop problem solving, cooperation, communication, and collaboration skills through various activities and specialized games designed uniquely for your group.

### Environmental Education

- Ecosystems— a look into 3 worlds at camp: the Pond, the Forest, and the Wetlands
- Erosion— a deep dive into natural erosion and weathering around camp: Water Erosion, Wind Erosion, and a Weathering Workshop.

- **\$15.00 per student**
  - \$14.00 per student for Southington and Cheshire Schools
- A Certificate of Liability Insurance is required for all groups. Please see contract for details.

**SAMPLE SCHEDULE:** *(All times can change depending on arrival/departure times. Schedules are adjustable based on the program and needs of each school. Some camp activities require longer periods such as the Climbing Tower. All programs last approximately 5 hours)*

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| <b>9:30 – 10:00 AM:</b>  | <b>Arrival and Introduction</b>                                                                                                      |
|                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome, introduce staff, go over ground rules, break into groups</li></ul>                  |
| <b>10:00 – 10:30 AM:</b> | <b>First Activity</b>                                                                                                                |
| <b>10:30 – 11:00 AM:</b> | <b>Second Activity</b>                                                                                                               |
| <b>11:00 – 11:30 AM:</b> | <b>Third Activity</b>                                                                                                                |
| <b>11:30 – 12:00 PM:</b> | <b>Lunch</b>                                                                                                                         |
|                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lunch is not provided. A walk-in refrigerator is available to store bagged lunches</li></ul> |
| <b>12:00 – 12:30 PM:</b> | <b>Fourth Activity</b>                                                                                                               |
| <b>12:30 – 1:00 PM:</b>  | <b>Fifth Activity</b>                                                                                                                |
| <b>1:00 – 1:30 PM:</b>   | <b>Sixth Activity</b>                                                                                                                |
| <b>1:30 – 1:45 PM:</b>   | <b>Closure</b>                                                                                                                       |
|                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Students meet at amphitheater- thank you, attendance, departure</li></ul>                    |

**To Make Reservations:**  
Please contact Sarah Dupre at the YMCA Camp Sloper Outdoor Center  
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