

Staten Island Day Camp Just Got Even Better!

ELECTIVE PROGRAMMING

Staten Island Day Camp realizes that our campers want to express themselves and make their own decisions. By allowing them to "individualize" their own camp experience they feel empowered, build confidence, and discover hidden talents. Our Electives are designed to offer campers specialized instruction in activities that truly inspire them. This choice-based programming gives campers the opportunity to enjoy favorite activities and try out new experiences. Campers make all choices while in camp with the assistance of our counselors and their group mates. No matter what they choose, it is sure to be an "interactive" experience, which in turn will allow them to grow!

We know that SIDC campers thrive within our "innovative" calendar programming, but we go that extra mile by letting them choose their own activities as well!

Please note that there is no extra fee for these activities.

How does the program work?

For campers age seven and above Staten Island Day Camp offers an elective program. This is operated in our daily program allowing campers the individual choice of specific activities twice a week. Once a camper chooses their desired elective they are age appropriately placed and provided activities per their chosen elective tailored to meet their developmental needs. With a close counselor to camper ratio, a well-trained caring staff (coaches, NCAA athletes, certified teachers, and other experienced specialists) SIDC creates opportunities for campers to develop new skills and create new friendships in a constructive and supportive atmosphere.

Here the choices for our 7-13 year old boys

1. Soccer
2. Basketball
3. Techzone
4. Creative Arts (formerly known as Arts & Crafts)

Here the choices for our 7-13 year old girls

1. Soccer
2. Basketball
3. Techzone
4. Creative Arts (formerly known as Arts & Crafts)
5. Dance

The 7-9 boys will have a specific period (our standard 50 minute period) to pick an elective and go to it. No other age group will be doing this during that period. All other groups will be doing other calendar or standard

scheduled sport activities. The electives being done during this time are not offered to other age groups allowing exclusivity to the age group.

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Creative Arts Program

There's a lot more arts going on at STATEN ISLAND DAY CAMP in 2015!!!!!!!

Campers who enjoy hands on art will love SIDC's new Creative Arts Department! Our professional art instructors will facilitate our "innovative" crafts that will captivate the "individuality" of our campers. Creative Arts activities at Staten Island Day Camp are designed to encourage all campers to express themselves individually by developing new skills and cultivating their hidden talents.

The Creative Arts Program at SIDC is second to none and allows all campers to produce works of art using a variety of media and techniques. This includes: woodworking, drawing, painting, collage creation, scrapbook/journal, sand art, jewelry making, lanyard, beading and many other one-of-a-kind activities

Techzone

Our technology elective will provide campers with a hands-on enrichment experience with SIDC provided laptops incorporating activities utilizing age appropriate software, SIDC provided digital cameras and camper music tracks. Campers will have the opportunity to develop short or long-term projects with software such as Microsoft Office and video software such as Pinnacle. Projects will depend on the amount of time each camper devotes to the elective as well as on his/her age, interest and commitment.

Our Techzone (Technology Enrichment) elective will be taught by a technology specialist and certified teacher.