1. What do I need to do before Camp 78?

Pre-Check-In Your Child:
Children who have registered for Camp 78 must check-in before camp. Pre-check-in will be offered at Prince Avenue Baptist Church in the Kids Ministry Area (upstairs) on Wednesday June 17th from 5pm – 7pm and on Sunday June 21st from 12:30pm – 2:30pm. Enter the church through Entrance C. Look for the signs.
At Pre-Check-In, you will:
- Receive your child’s color team and squad assignment (Full Day) or Room assignment (Half Day)
- Receive your child’s Camp 78 T-Shirt
- Receive your child’s Camp 78 water bottle
- Confirm your registration for Full-Day or Half-Day camp
- Confirm your child’s medical needs
- Answer any last minute questions.

2. What do I need to know about each day of camp?

Drop Off:
Both Full-Day campers and Half-Day campers will enter through Entrance C or D at Prince Avenue Baptist Church.
If your child has been Pre-Checked-In (highly recommended), you will go directly to our Welcome Team at the kiosk check-in stations. We will give your child their name tag/security tag and give you the tag necessary to pick them up in the afternoon.
If you missed Pre-Check-In, you will have to stop by our Registration Team Table to complete your registration and get your assignment and gear. The remaining days, you will proceed directly to the kiosk check-in stations.
Once your child is checked-in for the day, you will escort your child to their starting location. Out of respect for our volunteers, do not drop off your children prior to 8:45am.
- Full-Day Camp – Start in the main worship center.
- Half-Day Camp – Start in your assigned classroom in the Preschool area (signs will be posted)
**Departure:**

**Full-Day Camp:** **Pick up time is 4pm.** Pick up will be in the main worship center. If you arrive early, feel free join us for our last session in the worship center. At the time of release, proceed to your child’s color team and present your Guardian Receipt for your child. Please have your child leave their backpack daily so that we can distribute supplies for the next day.

**Half-Day Camp:** **Pick up time is 12 noon.** Pick up will be at your child’s assigned classroom. If you arrive early, please wait in the lobby until the time of release. Please do not enter the classroom. At the time of release, proceed to the classroom and present your Guardian Receipt for your child.

**Security:**

Camp security is obviously very important to us. We will have a security team constantly monitoring all activities across the campus. From drop off until departure, all children will be required to stay with their squad leader.

Each morning, you will receive a “Guardian Receipt” when you check-in your child. This tag displays a code that will correspond with the code on your child’s tag. The Guardian Receipt must be presented when picking up your child in the afternoon. We will require a copy of a valid form of identification from any individual picking up a child without a Guardian Receipt. This person must be on the list of approved persons to pick-up a child.

Parents or guests will not be allowed to watch/participate with the kids during the camp day. Access to the campus will be restricted. All entrances to the building will be locked except for Entrance C. All visitors must check-in at Entrance C.

**Snack, Meals, and Hydration:**

**Full-Day Camp:** We will provide a snack and a full lunch for each camper. We will provide a Camp 78 water bottle to each child and we will have water stations set up around the campus. Please stress the importance of hydration with your child.

**Half-Day Camp:** We will provide a snack for each camper. We will provide a Camp 78 water bottle to each child. However, the campers will also have access to water fountains.

**Important:** For the safety of your child, we do not offer substitutions to the menu. Please send alternative meals or snacks if your child cannot eat what is provided. We will arrange to store the food until it is time for your child to eat. We will have very limited means for food prep (refrigerator and small microwave).
Camp Nurse:
We will have several medical professionals on campus throughout the week. They will handle minor issues. **If your child needs medication to be administered while at camp, you will need to complete the medication instructions at Pre-Check-In or at the Nurses Table on Monday June 21st.**

In Case of Emergency:
If an emergency occurs, we will use the emergency contact information provided at registration to call the emergency contacts. We will have direct access to emergency medical assistance if needed. If you have an emergency and need to get in touch with your child, please call our church office at 678-753-3100. If your child needs to leave early for any reason, please enter through Entrance C and we will escort your child to you.

Wellness Policy:
To ensure the health of children and volunteers, we ask that sick children **NOT attend Camp 78.** It is recommended that a child should not leave home when the following symptoms exist or have existed within a 24-hour period:

- Fever
- Vomiting or diarrhea within the last 24 hours
- Common cold – from onset through one week
- Any unexplained rash
- Any skin infection – boils, ringworm or impetigo
- Untreated pink eye or other eye infection
- Lice, including the presence of eggs or nits

3. What do my kids need to bring and wear?

Attire:
All our campers will get sweaty and messy. Please dress them for plenty of fun. Here are some suggestions:

- Shoes – closed toe and closed heel. We will be running and playing.
- Clothing
  - Make sure that the clothing is modest and not revealing.
  - Nothing excessively short or tight fitting
  - Nothing excessively loose or baggy (nothing falling off)
- Don’t wear your “Sunday Best” clothing. It will come home as your new play clothes.
- Please send extra clothes for half-day campers. This comes in handy if there are any accidents.
**Bring to Camp 78:**

- Full-Day Camp – Make sure to bring your full water bottle each day. Your backpack will need to stay at camp so that we can get it ready for the next day.
- We will have areas of shade available for the kids when they are outside. However, it is a good idea to put sunscreen on your child every morning. Send extra sunscreen if your child is prone to sunburns (Spray sunscreen is easier for us to apply).
- Your child can bring a Bible / notebook / pen if they desire. **However, this will be something extra to carry and keep up with. We will have Bible references on the big screen for kids to follow.**
- Bring your friends! It’s still not too late to register.
- A good attitude and a smile. We will provide everything else.

**Don’t Bring to Camp 78:**

- Electronics – Your child will be kept very busy at camp. They will not have time to use their electronics. Also, they can easily get misplaced or damaged while at camp. If any camper brings electronics, their squad leaders will kindly hold the device for them until departure.
- Anything of significant value. Remember that your child will have to be responsible for their belongings.
- Please do not wear any jewelry. We do not want it misplaced or accidentally broken or snagged while playing.
- Extra candy or snacks. We have children with allergies. Since it would be very difficult for us to monitor the snacks of every camper, it is best that we are providing the only source for food.
  - If your child has special dietary requirements, please make sure that we know.