



## 2017 City of Austin Employee Youth Camp Scholarship Program

The 2017 Youth Camp Scholarship Program is open to all regular City of Austin employees with dependent children ages 5 through 12, and older children with special needs. If you plan to apply for a scholarship for an older student with special needs, please notify the PARD Inclusion Office by phone (512) 974-3914 or email [inclusion@austintexas.gov](mailto:inclusion@austintexas.gov). Employees can receive up to **\$50 per child, per week** reduction in the cost of spring and summer camp fees at City of Austin Parks and Recreation Department (PARC) camps. Payments are only made for attendance at week-long, all-day camps.

**You must apply for this program by the following deadlines to be approved for funding:**

**Spring Break - 5 p.m., February 17, 2017**

**Summer Break - 5 p.m., May 5, 2017**

Only dependent children of regular City of Austin Employees are eligible for this program. Eligible children include:

- Biological children, stepchildren, legally adopted children, children for whom you have obtained court-ordered guardianship or conservatorship, and qualified children placed pending adoption.
- Dependent grandchildren must meet the requirements stated above, and must qualify as a dependent, as defined by the IRS, on your or your spouse's Federal income tax return at the time of enrollment.

Nieces, nephews, visiting grandchildren, friend's children, etc., are not eligible.

For information on how to enroll your children in a Parks and Recreation Department program, contact a recreation, nature, arts, or cultural center near your home. Camp registration dates and information can be found at:

<http://www.austintexas.gov/department/youth>

For more information on PARC camps, call **512-974-6700**.

**Please send your completed application to:**

**US Mail:** HRD/EBD Childcare  
PO Box 1088  
Austin, TX 78767

**Interoffice Mail  
or delivery:**

HRD/EBD Childcare  
6<sup>th</sup> Floor, One Texas Center  
505 Barton Springs Rd.

## List of Participating Parks and Recreation Centers 2017 Youth Camp Scholarship Program

Camp Name	Address and Austin ZIP Code	Phone Number
Asian American Resource Center	8401 Cameron Road 78754	512-974-1700
Austin Nature & Science Center	301 Nature Center Drive 78746	512-974-3888
Danny G. McBeth Recreation Center	2401-A Columbus Drive 78746	512-974-9011
Delores Duffie Recreation Center	1182 North Pleasant Valley Rd. 78702	512-472-6838
Dittmar Recreation Center	1009 W. Dittmar Rd. 78745	512-974-6090
Dottie Jordan Recreation Center	2803 Loyola Lane 78723	512-926-3491
Dougherty Arts Center	1110 Barton Springs Road 78704	512-974-4040
Dove Springs Recreation Center	5801 Ainez Drive 78744	512-974-3840
Elisabet Ney Museum	304 East 44th Street 78751	512-458-2255
Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center	600 River Street 78701	512-974-3785
George Washington Carver Museum and Cultural Center	1165 Angelina Street 78702	512-974-4926
Givens Recreation Center	3811 East 12 <sup>th</sup> Street 78721	512-974-2430
Gustavo "Gus" L. Garcia Recreation Center	1201 E. Rundberg Ln. 78753	512-339-0016
Hancock Recreation Center	811 East 41st Street 78751	512-453-7765
Lorraine "Grandma" Camacho Center	34 Robert Martinez Jr. Street 78702	512-391-1863
Metz Recreation Center	2407 Canterbury Street 78702	512-478-8716
Montopolis Recreation Center	1200 Montopolis Drive 78741	512-978-2300
Northwest Recreation Center	2913 Northland Drive 78757	512-974-6972
O. Henry Museum	409 East 5th Street 78701	512-472-1903
Oswaldo A.B Cantu/Pan Am Recreation Center	2100 East 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street 78702	512-476-9193
Parque Zaragoza Recreation Center	2608 E. Gonzales 78702	512-472-7142
Pickfair Community Center	10904 Pickfair Dr. 78750	512-974-1320
South Austin Recreation Center	1100 Cumberland Rd. 78704	512-444-6601
Turner Roberts Recreation Center	7201 Colony Loop Dr. 78724	512-978-2690
Virginia L. Brown Recreation Center	7500 Blessing Ave. 78752	512-974-7865



<b>City of Austin Youth Camp Scholarship Program - 2017 Application Form</b>
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1. Employee Information

Employee First Name	Employee Last Name	Employee I.D. Number
Street Address	City, State, ZIP Code	Telephone # (Cell or Home)
Department	Physical Work Location	Work Phone #

2. Information on Child(ren):

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial)	Custody of Child Yes/No	Date of Birth	Social Security Number

By applying for the City of Austin Youth Camp Scholarship Program, I certify that:

- I understand that Youth Camp scholarships are awarded only to regular City of Austin employees who have dependent children who have enrolled and attended all-day, weeklong City of Austin Parks and Recreation Department programs,
- The above identified children meet the definition of dependent as stated below:
  1. Biological children, stepchildren, legally adopted children, children for whom I have obtained court-ordered guardianship or conservatorship, and qualified children placed pending adoption.
  2. Dependent grandchildren must meet the requirements stated above, and must qualify as a dependent, as defined by the IRS, on my or my spouse’s Federal income tax return at the time of enrollment.
- The IRS has determined that certain employees may receive favorable tax treatment on funds up to \$5,000 per year in dependent care assistance programs established by their employer. This \$5,000 limit includes the combined funds applied to the following programs: the City of Austin Childcare Assistance Voucher Program, the City of Austin Youth Camp Scholarship Assistance Program, and FLEXTRA Dependent Care Accounts. For most employees, only the combined funding received from these programs during the calendar year which exceeds the \$5,000 IRS limit will be reported to the IRS as taxable income and taxes will be withheld.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Interoffice Mailing Label*

Deliver to:

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*Fold in half, tape shut and place in interoffice mail.*