

# PREPARING FOR CAMP REGISTRATION

Don't delay! Complete by **February 1**.

## DO YOU HAVE A SKOKIE PARK DISTRICT ACCOUNT?

YES

ONLINE

NO

To register for camp, a pre-established account **MUST** be set up prior to camp registration.

IN PERSON

Visit [skokieparks.org](http://skokieparks.org) and click on the register tab. From there you will create a new account with your current information. Complete all required fields. Residents will receive an email with instructions on how to verify and prove residency.

Visit one of our many facilities—Devonshire Cultural Center, Emily Oaks Nature Center, Oakton Community Center, Skatium, or Weber Leisure Center—and a Customer Service Representative will be happy to assist you with setting up an account. Visit [skokieparks.org](http://skokieparks.org) to find all the up-to-date facility hours before visiting a park district facility.

## ESTABLISHING RESIDENCY

The individual's primary residence must be within the Skokie Park District boundaries (which may vary from the Village of Skokie's boundaries) — check your property tax bills). Any owner of real estate within the boundaries paying taxes to the Skokie Park District will be considered a resident, as will their immediate family. Immediate family is defined as husband, wife, civil union partner, life partner, and children who reside in the owner's household. Residency rates for Skokie Park District camp programs apply to residents of zip codes 60076, 60077, and 60203. For additional residency information and boundaries, please visit [skokieparks.org/residency-policy/](http://skokieparks.org/residency-policy/)

Exemptions to the residency policy include Morton Grove residents whose children attend Skokie School District 69 schools. These households will be given camp resident rates, but cannot register until the non-resident registration date, **February 22, 2026**.

Please bring proof of residency. Acceptable proof of residency includes a valid driver's license or state ID with a utility bill or property tax bill.

## CAMP OPEN HOUSE

Attend virtually on Wednesday, **February 4 at 6 p.m.** ZOOM link and further information will be available at [skokieparks.org/summer-camps](http://skokieparks.org/summer-camps)

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- Resident registration begins Sunday, **February 8, at 12 p.m.**
- Non-resident registration begins Saturday, **February 22 at 8:30 a.m.**

## MAKE A PLAN TO REGISTER

### ONLINE

Make sure you know your login and password. If you do not remember your login or password visit [skokieparks.org](http://skokieparks.org) and click on the register tab, go to My Account and select 'Forgot Username?', or 'Forgot Password?'

### IN PERSON

Pick a facility and check building hours.

Walk-in registration will be available at the Devonshire Cultural Center, Emily Oaks Nature Center, Oakton Community Center, Weber Leisure Center, and Skatium Ice Arena. Check facility web pages for hours of operation, come early and plan to wait in line for 12 noon registration start time.

## CHECK YOUR ACCOUNT

Confirm that your park district account is correct and that all children are listed on the account with correct birth dates. Children must be the correct age for the camp as of **September 1, 2026**.

Early Childhood camps including Camp Skokie Junior, Little Travelers, Mini movers, and Little Earth Scouts require children to be the minimum age by their first day of camp.

## MAKE A LIST

For easy reference, use our worksheet on page 9 to list all of the camps you plan to register for ahead of time; include activity and section numbers. If registering online, use the wishlist tool, then move each section, one at a time, into your cart for purchase.

Camp capacities are limited. Popular camps fill to capacity on the first day of registration. Camps that filled to capacity in 2025 are marked with . Register for popular camps first, and have a backup plan in case it fills, or add your child to the waitlist.

## PAYMENT

Have payment ready. The Skokie Park District accepts all major credit cards and cash for walk-in registrations.

Camp Payment Options:  
Full payment **OR** Auto-debit installment plan.

Only registrations before **April 12** qualify for auto-debit installment billing.  
All registrations on or after **April 13** require full payment.

The Auto-Debit installment plan is a 3-payment process. Deposits for each camp section must be paid at the time of registration. All one-week camps require a \$20 deposit. All other camps require a \$50 deposit.

The remaining balance is paid in 2 installment bills, one on **April 14** and the other on **May 14**.

A credit card is required for all auto-debit installment plans.