



**WINKLER  
BIBLE CAMP**

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***TERMS AND CONDITIONS***

1. The acting Director reserves the right to dismiss a camper who, in his/her opinion, is a hazard to the safety and rights of others, or who appears to have rejected the reasonable controls of the camp. If this occurs, the fee is non-refundable. The parent/guardian certifies that the applicant is normal in condition and habits and is open to necessary discipline. Possession of and/or use of tobacco products, non-prescription drugs, and alcohol are strictly prohibited and grounds for dismissal.
  2. The parent(s)/guardian(s) submitting the application are those having legal custody of the child. Conditions of custody, if applicable, will be fully communicated in writing to the camp, including a photocopy of the section of any court order referring to visitation rights.
  3. While every precaution is taken for the safety and good health of our campers, Winkler Bible Camp, its directors and staff members are hereby released from any liability in the event of an illness, accident, or misfortune that may occur to the applicant camper. Each camper must be insured by Provincial Health or equivalent medical insurance.
  4. The signature of the parent/guardian on the application shall (1) Give the acting Camp Director or Medical Officer the right to arrange for any special services or medical attention necessary for the camper's welfare and good health including injection, anesthesia, or surgery. In such situations the camp will attempt to notify the parent(s)/guardian(s) as soon as possible. The parent(s)/guardian(s) are responsible for any additional expenses that may result from such services; and (2) Give the acting Camp Medical Officer the right to administer the use of any non-prescription drugs to the camper and relevant emergency treatment such as CPR, EpiPen, and medication given to the Medical Officer upon instruction of the parent/guardian.
  5. The parent/guardian signing this application is fully aware of the risks and hazards with respect to virus infection and transmission (example: COVID-19) inherent in the camper's attendance at the premises and their participation in the activities. The parent/guardian freely and voluntarily agrees to assume the risk with respect to viral infection and/or transmission inherent in the camper's attendance, including the risk of death or bodily injury that the camper may sustain as a result of their participation however arising.
  6. The signature of the parent/guardian on the application shall recognize and understand that participating in listed activities\* including but not limited to the list below involves certain risks. Those risks include, but are not limited to, the risk of injury resulting from possible malfunction of the equipment and personal injuries. In addition, the parent/guardian recognizes that the exertion of participating in the activities\* could result in injury or death. In consideration of participating in the activities\*, the signing parent/guardian hereby agrees to the following:
    - a) To waive any and all claims that they have or may in the future have against Winkler Bible Camp, their directors, officers, employees, agents and representatives (all of whom are hereinafter collectively referred to as "the releasees");
    - b) To release the releasees from any and all liability for any loss, damage, injury or expense, due to any cause whatsoever, including negligence on the part of the releasees;
    - c) To hold harmless and indemnify the releasees from any and all liability for any damage to property of, or personal injury to, any third party, resulting from their child's participation in activities\*; and
    - d) That this agreement shall be effective and binding upon their heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns, in the event of their death.
- \*Activities: Climbing Wall, Obstacle Course, Zip Line, Giant Swing, Archery, Bikes, Field Games, Mini Golf, Horses, Petting Zoo, Human Foosball, Field Games, Night Games, Paintball, Riflery, Slingshots, Shelter Building, Fire Building, Gaga, Slip n' Slide, Bucket Ball, Swimming, Water Trampoline, Water Slides, Paddle Boards, Canoes, Kayaks.
7. The signature of the parent/guardian on this application shall give the camp permission to teach the camper through various means in accordance with Our Mission. To see Our Mission, please visit our website at [www.winklerbiblecamp.com](http://www.winklerbiblecamp.com) or call 204-325-9519.
  8. The signature of the parent/guardian on this application shall give the camp permission to use pictures, videos and/or quotes of the camper for promotional purposes.

9. The signature of the parent/guardian on this application shall give the camp permission to transport the camper as necessary for purposes of programming or emergencies.

## 2021 COVID POLICY

It is our goal to keep your child and our staff and volunteers safe during their time at Winkler Bible Camp. As such, we will be following all current Public Health Guidelines. This includes but is not limited to daily screening prior to coming to camp, lower capacity on site, smaller group sizes, physical distancing where possible, mask wearing when physical distancing is not possible (where age appropriate), frequent hand washing, and frequent cleaning of high touch surfaces. Campers may be sent home early if symptoms develop while at camp. We anticipate this will closely mirror what your child is used to at school. We will provide you with more specific information on our policy and procedures before your final payment is due. We want to provide you with specific guidelines; however, they will be subject to change if Public Health Guidelines change. Any requests for a mask exemption must be made in writing and include a note from your family physician. We must receive these requests no later than 1 week before the start of your child's camp session. These requests can be mailed, dropped off at camp or emailed to [info@winklerbiblecamp.com](mailto:info@winklerbiblecamp.com). Only requests that meet provincial guidelines will be considered.

## CAMP POLICIES

### Attendance

Due to limited spaces, for summer 2021, a camper may only register for one camp session.

### Cabinmate Policy

You may make up to two cabinmate requests. Please note that each cabinmate requested must be within two grade years of the camper being registered, and be registering for the same camp session. All cabinmates must request each other. While every effort is made to honour cabinmate requests, it is not a guarantee. A maximum of three friends will be placed in the same cabin, to ensure a healthy cabin dynamic.

### Registration and Drop Off Times

Registration and Drop off begins at 8:00 am each day of the camp session. We will not be able to accommodate early drop offs.

### Pick Up Times

Pick up for Kinder Kids will be at 6:00 pm each day. Pick up for Little Buddies, Junior and Intermediate campers will be at 8:00 pm each day of the camp session. We will not be able to accommodate late pick ups. More information on Drop off and Pick up procedures will be sent out prior to your camp session.

We offer childcare for those Kinder Kids who cannot be picked up until 8:00 pm. This service is available for a fee. This is not an extension of the camp day, but rather a more informal time where campers can play or do activities that are made available to them. These activities may include coloring, watching an age appropriate video or other 'down time' activities. During this time, they will be supervised by camp staff (not necessarily their cabin leaders).

### Medication

Due to the responsibility of the staff and Medical Officer at Winkler Bible Camp, all medication including vitamins, over the counter medication, and prescription medication must be in their original containers. Medications not in their original containers will not be dispensed. All medication, vitamins, etc. must be handed in to the Medical Officer upon arrival. Please send enough medication to last the whole week so it does not need to be dropped off or collected each day.

### Canteen

The cost for daily canteen is included in the registration fee. Please do not send money with your child.

## Camp Store

Various camp merchandise such as t-shirts, hoodies, etc. will be available for purchase at the camp store. We accept cash, credit card and debit only, no cheques. To alleviate any crowding, cohorts will be instructed which day during their camp session (during drop off and pick up windows) they will be able to visit the store with their family.

## Pets on Site

For the health and safety of our Petting Zoo, as well as your animals, there are no pets allowed on site at any time.

# FINANCIAL POLICIES

## Payments

**\*\*New in 2021** - A non-refundable \$25 deposit must accompany each camper application. In order for us to prepare for and run camp this year, **we will not be offering any refunds on deposits for any reason.** We will not be accepting any balance payments before June 1. The balance of your camper fees will be due June 15.

## Family Discount

A discount of \$65 is available for the third and each additional child. LDP applications also qualify for this discount. If 3 or more children are registered at the same time, the discount is automatically applied to your cart. If you register a third or subsequent child separately, you will need to contact the office to have this discount applied.

## Ministry Discount

A discount of 50% is available for families who have one parent in qualifying **full time ministry**. To apply for this discount, please pay your deposit for each camper application that you submit and contact our office for a ministry discount application form. If your application is approved, we will apply the discount to your balance owing.

## Cancellation Policy

If a cancellation is made more than two weeks prior to a camp session, the fee, less the deposit, will be refunded. There will be **NO REFUND** if a cancellation is made less than two weeks prior to the start of the registered camp session, except in the case of a medical emergency.

If your child is unable to come to camp on the first day of their session due to COVID or current Public Health Regulations, or must leave during the first day due to developing symptoms, we will cancel your spot and offer it to someone on the waiting list. We will try to reschedule your child to another session. If we are unable to do this, we will offer you a full refund (minus the deposit). If your child is able to come on the first day but is unable to attend subsequent days due to COVID or current Public Health Regulations we will offer you a prorated refund (minus the deposit) for full days your child was unable to attend.

## Alternative Funding

Financial assistance for those who cannot afford to send their child to camp can be requested from the Sunshine Fund by calling 204-784-1130, or by visiting their website at [www.mbcamping.ca](http://www.mbcamping.ca). We recommend you apply early as they process applications in the order they receive them. Financial assistance may also be available by calling the camp office at 204-325-9519 if not approved through the Sunshine Fund.