



Health Plan

Riverbanks ZooCamp has been fortunate that increased safety measures has allowed us to continue to offer ZooCamp experiences to more than 1,500 campers since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic. We will continue to operate with enhanced health measures and operating procedures so that we may continue to offer a safe camp experience. As recommendations from the CDC and DHEC have evolved, so have our procedures.

Safety Actions:

Riverbanks will promote healthy hygiene practices by:

- Teaching and reinforcing hand washing and covering coughs and sneezes among children and staff.
- Utilizing the [CDC COVID-19 Community Level tool](#) as reference for appropriate preventative steps that will be enforced which may include the use of masks in indoor areas during HIGH community levels.
- Posting signs on how to stop the spread of COVID-19, properly wash hands, promote everyday protective measures, and properly wear face coverings.

Riverbanks will promote social distancing by:

- Ensuring that student and staff groupings are as static as possible.
- Limiting group sizes to no more than 20 children.

Riverbanks will clean frequently touched surfaces:

- Ensuring adequate supplies to minimize sharing of high touch materials to the extent possible.
- Complete daily cleaning of classrooms and materials.

Riverbanks will train all staff in the above safety actions.

Health Screenings:

A verbal health screening will be conducted at the start of each camp day.

All staff and children will be screened for observable illness.

- Temperatures will be taken of staff or children exhibiting signs of illness to confirm temperature below 100.4 degrees Fahrenheit.
- Symptoms that will trigger a health screening include but are not limited to:
 - Cough
 - Nausea

- Lethargy
- Headache
- Diarrhea

Ill staff or children:

Staff or children that are sick or suspect they are becoming sick, will not be permitted in the program.

Staff or children who have a fever (100.4 and above), vomiting or diarrhea may not return until symptom free for 48 hours without the aid of medication.

Staff or children that have had a high-risk exposure to a communicable illness including COVID-19 or influenza, are asked to remain at home.

- Participants may return under the following circumstances:
 - A negative test 5 days after last known exposure.
 - Agreement to wear a mask for duration of session.