

**FAY JONES SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AND DESIGN  
2019 DESIGN CAMP FAQ**

**HOW MUCH DOES DESIGN CAMP COST?**

**Fayetteville Day Camps, Hot Springs, Little Rock, Wilson, and El Dorado:**

Early Bird (through April 8, 2019): \$325.00

April 9-May 24: \$375.00

**Fayetteville Overnight Camps**

Early Bird (through April 8, 2019): \$625.00

April 9-May 24: \$675.00

**Bentonville (Amazeum) Camp**

Member Early Bird: \$265.00

Non-Member: \$335.00

**ARE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE?**

Yes! The Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design offers a limited number of scholarships. When you register online, check the box to indicate you will be applying for a need-based scholarship. You will need to provide verification of participation in the free/reduced lunch program at your school. If your school does not have this program, please review the income eligibility guidelines to see if you qualify for a scholarship:

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2017/04/10/2017-07043/child-nutrition-programs-income-eligibility-guidelines>

**WHAT IS THE CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY?**

The last day to request a full refund is May 6, 2019.

The last day to request a partial refund is May 28, 2019.

**WHAT ADDITIONAL FORMS ARE NEEDED TO COMPLETE MY REGISTRATION?**

Student Expectations and Guidelines (Either for Day or Overnight Camp)

Release and Waiver of Liability

Emergency Medical Treatment Authorization

Media Release

Transportation Permission (For all camps except Bentonville)

Personal Automobile Authorization (If your camper will drive themselves to camp)

Roommate Selection Profile (Fayetteville Overnight camps only)

**WHAT DO STUDENTS DO IN A TYPICAL WEEK OF DESIGN CAMP?**

During the week of Design Camp, students will be engaged in hands-on projects, presentations by Fay Jones School faculty and students, tours of local design projects, discussions and visits from local designers, all with the intention of teaching the students about the design professions, which include architecture, landscape architecture, and interior design.

Past projects have included designing an outdoor classroom or a café, where the students plan out their design through sketching and model building. Students will also learn terms used by designers and how to observe and record the world around them through notes and sketching activities.

The tours usually occupy one day of camp. In the past, these have included Cooper Memorial Chapel, Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Keenan TowerHouse, Heifer International, the Robinson Center, Shelby Farms, the University of Arkansas Community Design Center and local architecture and design firms, along with walking tours of the University of Arkansas campus, downtown Fayetteville, Little Rock, and Memphis, Tennessee.

During the week of camp, students will also have the opportunity to meet with the School's advisors to learn how they can start preparing themselves in high school for a career in the design professions.

### **CAN I PICK MY STUDENT UP EARLY ON FRIDAY TO GET A START ON THE WEEKEND?**

We strongly encourage you to allow your student to remain at camp for the full day on Friday. Students will present their work at a reception that afternoon, to which family and friends are invited.

### **WHAT SHOULD MY STUDENT BRING TO DESIGN CAMP?**

If your student enrolls in the Fayetteville overnight camp, you will receive a list of recommended items to bring as well as pointers on what to leave at home. All campers should bring a backpack and a water bottle (one will be provided to you on the first day of camp), and they should wear comfortable shoes, as we typically walk a little bit each day of camp. All supplies will be provided. Lunch and snacks are provided at all camps except Bentonville, where students will need to bring a lunch and snacks each day.

### **WHO TEACHES THE STUDENTS AT DESIGN CAMP?**

The students are led by faculty and student teaching assistants from the Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design who are in the Departments of Architecture, Landscape Architecture, or Interior Design. We have a ratio of approximately one faculty and one teaching assistant per 15 Design Camp students, and we try to have an even ratio of faculty and teaching assistants from the three departments to give the students exposure to all three disciplines.

### **FOR FAYETTEVILLE, WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN DESIGN CAMP I AND DESIGN CAMP II?**

Design Camp I is generally for students who are attending for the first time.

Design Camp II, the advanced camp, is for returning students and/or students who will be a junior or senior and have taken classes in architecture and engineering or worked on design projects through a mentor or other program. If you have questions about whether or not your student should be enrolled in Design Camp II, you can contact us and we can help determine which camp would be most appropriate.

### **WHAT IF MY STUDENT HAS FOOD ALLERGIES?**

Indicate any allergies or dietary restrictions on your registration forms, and please be as specific as possible. Every effort will be made to accommodate your camper's needs.

### **WHERE DO I DROP OFF AND PICK UP MY CAMPER?**

Check your email for important information and updates. Approximately ten days before camp starts, you will receive a detailed email with this and other important information. In the meantime, **please contact us if your email or phone number changes after you register.**

### **DO YOU HAVE MORE QUESTIONS?**

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