

Sierra Bible Camp

21 Seneca Road, Canyon Dam, CA 95923

Who can attend?

- The age requirement for campers is 9 (4th grade) through 18 (High School).
- All applicants and parents need to be familiar with and in agreement with the camp rules and requirements.
- All those wishing to attend camp must fill out the appropriate application, camper forms for campers, and staff forms for staff.
- All applications are subject to approval by the Mariposa Avenue elders and camp directors.

What to do upon arrival

- Campers' parents are responsible for providing and/or arranging transportation to and from the camp.
- Parents and campers should observe the dress code at all times on camp property, including during the arrival and pick-up of campers. Arrival time at the camp is 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM on Saturday June 22nd. We will leave the camp at approximately 9:30 AM on Saturday June 29th.
- Upon arrival, campers should check their tentative cabin assignments posted near the cafeteria. They can take their personal items to the listed cabin until the assignment is verified at registration. Once personal items have been deposited in the cabin, campers are to return to the cafeteria area.
- During registration, campers will receive their sign in packet (including permanent cabin assignments) and turn in their canteen/craft money.
- After registration, pay close attention to Camp Staff for further instructions concerning the events of the evening.
- On Saturday June 29th, all campers must be picked up by 9:00 AM.

What does it cost?

- Camper Fees: (4th grade, or 9 years old, through High School) \$25 per camper.
- STAFF FEE: FREE! (We appreciate you that much!)
- Deadline: May 29th. All payments must be received for all applicants by May 29th.

How do I pay?

- Mail in a check with your application. If your congregation is sponsoring multiple campers, please have them attach a note explaining who is covered under the submitted amount.



Camp rules

- All campers and staff are required to attend all Bible classes and worship services, including devotionals (age appropriate), unless excused by the Camp Nurse. Do not leave any assembly without the accompaniment of your counselor.
- All campers will respect the property of all other campers and staff members.
- No foul language, dirty jokes, or inappropriate comments will be tolerated.
- No drugs, alcohol or tobacco will be allowed within the camp.
- Personal Displays of Affection (PDA) are limited to holding hands and an arm around the shoulders. There will be no kissing and no blankets at campfire.
- A nightly curfew of 10:45 PM to 7:15 AM will be strictly enforced. All campers are to remain in their cabins during this time, unless given specific permission by a staff member.
- All campers will show respect to all staff, and staff will defer to the authority of the Camp Directors when necessary.
- All prescription and non-prescription medication must be turned into the Camp Nurse immediately upon arrival at camp. The Camp Nurse will administer the required dosage.
- Campers are discouraged from having money in their cabins. The camp is not responsible for money or valuables kept in the cabins, or the loss thereof.
- The girls are not allowed to go in or around the boys cabins, and the boys are not allowed to go in or around the girls cabins at any time.
- All campers will stay within camp boundaries. Boundaries are the visible areas from the roadway in front of the dining hall. If you can't see the road, you're somewhere you shouldn't be.
- No one, staff included, is to leave the campgrounds without the permission of the Camp Directors.
- No food, candy, or soft drinks in the cabins.
- Trash must be placed in trash receptacles. Failure to comply will result in loss of canteen privileges.
- No one is allowed to use the Public Address (PA) system except the Directors, or those designated by them.
- All visitors must check in with the Camp Directors. They must be approved to visit camp and check out before leaving.
- In the Dining Hall, when the bell rings, you have five minutes to leave the hall so that it may be cleaned.



What not to bring to camp

If any of the following items are brought to the camp will result in immediate confiscation of the item and possibly ejection from the camp (sent home). Confiscated items will be held until the end of camp. To prevent any conflict, please make sure your camper is does not bring any of these items to the camp.

- Knives or weapons of any kind including paintballs, paintball guns, or airsoft guns are not allowed for any reason on camp grounds. This will result in an immediate ejection from camp and the camper will be sent home..
- Firecrackers, fireworks, or sparklers of any kind.
- **Radios, iPods, TV's, CD players, video games, computers, or electronics of any kind.**
- **Cell phones.** A telephone is available in the office if a telephone call is needed to be made.
- Skateboards, scooters, bikes, or skates will not be needed for camp. Do not bring them.

What to bring to camp

- Bible, notebook, and pen or pencils to take notes.
- Sleeping bag or bedding with pillows.
- Flashlight (a flashlight with a red lense is helpful to reduce insects being drawn to the light while is in use)
- Enough clothes, toiletries, and towels for the week. Costumes for each night's campfire theme are encouraged.
- We recommend labeling clothes with the camper's name. You may wish to bring nicer clothes for Thursday's banquet (not required).
- Swimming suit and sunscreen SPF 20 or higher and mosquito repellent. Be sure to label any sports equipment you bring with you. (No bikinis and shirts must be worn by boys and girls in mixed company)
- Money if campers wish to purchase items from the canteen or crafts during free time.



Camp dress code

- Clothing should not have anything written on it that is not in keeping with Christian standards.
- Campers must be fully clothed going to and coming from the swimming pool.
- No bikinis, boys and girls must wear shirts
- No lycra/spandex tights or form fitting stretch pants will be worn in place of pants or shorts.
- No spaghetti straps, tank tops, sleeveless shirts, or tube tops may be worn at any time by either gender.
- No bare midriffs or low cut tops. No cleavage should be seen. Tops and dresses must have straps with a width of at least 2 inches and must not be revealing. All shirts should cover your waistband easily when sitting (When in doubt, wear a camp T-shirt instead).
- Dresses and skirts must reach the bottom of the knees. No skirts above the knees.
- Close-toed shoes must be worn at all times. No flip-flops or sandals are allowed.
- No caps/hats/bandanas should be worn during worship or Bible classes.
- Shorts should be **3 inches above the knee or longer**. If you do not bring any shorts that meet the dress code, you will wear pants the entire time.
- No clothing with revealing cutouts. No sagging pants. No underwear showing (either gender).

Disciplinary action

- Camp disciplinary action, at the discretion of the directors or staff, may include K.P. and/or cleanup assignments, and loss of free time privileges. Continual or extreme disobedience to rules will result in the camper being sent home with the parent or guardian responsible for transportation.

- We try to keep a positive, fun environment at camp. If an individual is not willing to help the camp be a success, we will dismiss them.

Camp Schedule of Events

Arrival

Saturday, June 22

1:00 - 2:00 PM	Camp unload and setup. Unload kitchen, canteen, and activity supplies and equipment. Drop personal items at tentative cabin assignment. Tentative cabin assignments will be posted outside the cafeteria. Cabin assignments will not be finalized until after registration.
2:00 - 3:00 PM	Check-in/registration - Canteen cash turn-in will begin at 2:30 PM
3:00 - 4:00 PM	Get acquainted with cabin members and counselors
4:15 - 4:30 PM	Orientation meeting
4:45 PM	Free time until dinner
5:30 PM	KP Volunteer Report to Kitchen
6:00 PM	Dinner
7:00 PM	Fire drill. Get ready to go to the lake for a Devotional. Coordinated by Camp Directors. After devotional return to cabins
10:45 PM	Lights out
11:00 PM	Quiet time

First Full Day of Camp

Sunday

7:00 AM - WAKE UP! Shower, dress, and attend the Morning Devotional.
 7:45 AM - Morning Devotional
 8:15 AM - Flag Pole
 8:30 AM - Breakfast KP
 9:00 AM - Breakfast
 9:45 AM - Cabin Cleanup
 10:00 AM - Counselor Meeting
 10:30 AM - Worship
 11:30 AM- Free Time
 12:00 PM - Lunch KP
 12:30 PM - Lunch
 1:30 PM - Cabin Bonding
 2:00 PM - Group Activity
 3:00 PM - Rec. Time (Swim)
 5:00 PM - Bible Bowl Activity
 5:30 PM - Dinner KP
 6:00 PM - Dinner
 7:00 PM - Evening Worship
 8:00 PM - Canteen
 8:30 PM - Campfire
 9:30 PM - Jr./Sr. Devotionals
 10:45 PM - LIGHTS OUT!
 11:00 PM - Quiet Time

Rest of the Week

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri

7:00 AM - WAKE UP! Shower, dress, and attend the Morning Devotional.
 7:45 AM - Morning Devotional
 8:15 AM - Flag Pole
 8:30 AM - Breakfast KP
 9:00 AM - Breakfast
 9:45 AM - Cabin Cleanup
 10:00 AM - Counselor Meeting
 10:30 AM - Devotional
 10:45 AM - Classes
 11:15 AM - Huddle
 11:45 AM - Free Time
 12:15 PM - Lunch KP
 12:45 PM - Lunch
 1:30 PM - Cabin Bonding
 2:00 PM - Group Activity
 3:00 PM - Rec. Time (Swim)
 5:00 PM - Bible Bowl Activity
 5:30 PM - Dinner KP
 6:00 PM - Dinner (Banquet Thurs)
 7:00 PM - Evening Worship
 8:00 PM - Canteen
 8:30 PM - Campfire
 9:30 PM - Jr./Sr. Devotionals
 10:45 PM - LIGHTS OUT!
 11:00 PM - Quiet Time

Hike Day

Wednesday

7:00 AM - WAKE UP! Shower, dress, and attend the Morning Devotional.
 7:45 AM - Morning Devotional
 8:15 AM - Flag Pole
 8:30 AM - Breakfast KP
 9:00 AM - Breakfast
 9:45 AM - Cabin Cleanup
 10:00 AM - Counselor Meeting
 10:30 AM - Devotional
 10:45 AM - Classes/Huddle
 11:30 AM- Prepare for Hikes
 12:00 PM - Go on Hikes
 5:30 PM - Dinner KP
 6:00 PM - Dinner
 7:00 PM - Evening Worship
 8:00 PM - Canteen
 8:30 PM - Campfire
 9:30 PM - Jr./Sr. Devotionals
 10:45 PM - LIGHTS OUT!
 11:00 PM - Quiet Time

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Campfire Costume Themes

Sunday - Hillbilly Night

Monday – Backwards

Tuesday – Sports

Wednesday – Twin Day

Thursday – Super Hero

Friday –Nerd

Campers are encouraged to bring dress code appropriate costumes to wear during campfire. There will be prizes, so get your hillbilly on!