CROSBY DISCOVERY SUMMER CAMP 2018

Wake County 4-H Youth Development North Carolina State and A & T University



If you're looking for ways to engage your child in new and exciting experiences this summer, check out The Crosby Discovery Summer Camp. Campers imagine, collaborate, explore and create.

Why attend a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) summer program? In addition to teaching hard skills for future careers, Crosby Discovery Summer Camp fosters valuable 21st-Century life skills like problem-solving, creativity, and teamwork. Crosby Discovery Summer Camp is designed to be fun and interactive.

Get to know what campers will do:

Crosby Discovery Summer Camp is free and focuses on serving 25 youth ages 8-11 who live in South East Raleigh. Campers participate in a variety of STEM lessons including safety, Food and Microbiology. Camp is for two weeks, Monday-Friday and is housed in the Crosby-Garfield Community Center Building. Some of the topics that will be covered but that are not limited to are...

Safety: Campers are taught personal and family preparedness, safety skills, local hazards like hurricane, tornado, etc. and basic coping skills. Campers will learn how to make first aid kits and tips on food safety, cleanliness in the home and other scenarios where safety is important.

Microbiology: This program gives campers an insight on what microbes are and where they can be found. Campers will discover the role microbes play in our bodies, ecosystem, and food. The activities help campers understand the role microorganisms have on humans in an interactive and engaging experience. Lessons are designed to encourage curiosity, resilience and cooperation that will allow campers to develop an understanding of the relationship between food safety, different aspects of microbiology and the careers associated with microbiology.

Honey Challenge: This program focuses on a critical component, honey bees to growing food and feeding the world. Approximately one in every three bites we eat is the result of these pollinators at work. Campers learn that honey bees and other pollinators are essential contributors to growing food and feeding the world., honey bees utilize a combination of natural and agricultural habitats to maintain healthy lives, and a whole lot more.

EFNEP (Expanded Food and Nutrition Program): The Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) is a federal nutrition education program that serves families with children ages five to eighteen (K-12th). 4H EFNEP focuses on the youth component of a family. The classes cover food and kitchen safety, the USDA MyPlate, food label reading, knife skills, general cooking skills, and general nutrition knowledge. Each session has a food prep component. The youth will prepare a snack each lesson.

Camp is offered during the summer break with the intention on keeping youth engaged in learning and growing throughout the year. Campers gain camaraderie with fun, collaborative activities including field trips to places for campers to get out and about and experience something new and STEM related. On the last day of camp parents, community members and stakeholders are invited to see campers present on what they have learned.

Camp Dates and Times:

8:30 AM – 4:30 PM – Monday-Friday Monday, July 30 – Friday, August 3, 2018 Monday, August 6 – Friday August 10, 2018

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