



## Did you know?

J. Andre Smith started the Maitland Art Center (originally the Research Studio) in the 1930's as a place for artists to come to experiment, work together, and grow their imaginations. As our museum family has grown into the Art & History Museums: Maitland, we've also been able to explore and preserve the history of our community. Today, we continue those legacies in all of our programming, including Summer Culture Camp, a special learning program for kids in 1st-6th grade.

Every day of camp begins with a half day of visual art lessons, taught by educators dedicated to the arts and working with kids. Don't worry if you're not already an artist-- we want you to play and learn to create in new ways, as well as grow those skills you've practiced in school. You'll enjoy individual projects, share ideas and work together on fun group projects, and exhibit your artwork at the end of each week of camp in our Student Exhibition.

In the afternoons of Culture Camp, you'll get to explore our many museums, our beautiful, park-like grounds, and many neighboring cultural institutions. You'll meet people working in exciting careers, meet community partners and learn about your regional history. You'll be able to share those experiences through participating in creative activities and arts.

We can't wait to see you there!

## Registration and General Information

### Register Online

- Please register by the grade your child will enter in August 2017.
- Confirmation Materials will be provided after completing registration.
- For further questions, please call 407.539.2181 x 264

### Tuition

- Includes one camp t-shirt.
- Payment is due at registration.
- We accept Visa, Mastercard, Discover, and American Express. Checks or cash can only be accepted in person only.
- Multi-week and Sibling Discounts are available.
- Additional camp t-shirts may be purchased for \$5.00
- Snacks may be purchased for an additional \$3 (per snack, per day).



### Refund and Cancellation Policy:

All refunds include a \$25 administrative fee. Cancellations less than one month before your camp start date will be refunded 50% of tuition fee, minus a \$25 administrative fee. Cancellations less than 48 hours in advance will have no refunds. Camp weeks may be switched up to two times free of charge. Any further alterations will result in a \$25 administrative fee. There are no refunds for extended care, or any extra camp fees. There are no partial refunds for missed days of camp.

### Important Phone Numbers:

If you need to reach camp staff during the day, please call the Emergency Line at 321.804.3384 or by calling our main line at 407.539.2181 and dialing extension 265 or 255.

## Weekly Theme Preview

- Week 1: Art in Motion
  - Explore the possibilities of art in motion- in your art, in group projects and experience all the art already moving around you!
    - Full day camp may include: Visits to an “Art Car”, kite flying competition, puppet making, and visits to the Maitland Art Center, and Carpentry Museum.
- Week 2: Wizards & Magic
  - Join us in an exploration of all things magic and wizards! You’ll visualize the magical journeys and draw the beasts you’ll meet, and of course, capes and broomsticks encouraged!
    - Full day camp may include visits from the Central Florida Bat Belfreys, Performing Arts Maitland, a Magician, visits to the Maitland Art Center, Waterhouse, and maybe even a game of Quidditch!
- Week 3: Build it!
  - Learn how to build anything you can imagine! Our founder, Andre Smith, was an artist and an architect and you’ll learn how he created his dream at the Maitland Art Center. You’ll visit other exciting, unique places and meet other people building their dreams-- artists, firefighters, carpenters, and more!
    - Full day camp may include metal-working demonstrations, carpentry projects, puppet making, and visits to the Carpentry Museum, Waterhouse Residence Museum, and Telephone Museum.
- Happy 4th of July!
  - No Culture Camp this week so you can enjoy the holiday with your family.

- Week 4: Telling Stories with Pictures
  - Explore the power of stories in pictures! Create your own fantasy, mystery, biography, and adventure tales, learning about comic books, illustrations in picture books, photography and more.
    - Full day camp may include visits from professional authors and animators, comic book competitions, and visits to the Maitland Fire Station, Maitland Historical Museum, Telephone Museum, and Waterhouse Residence Museum.
- Week 5: Animal Tails & Tales
  - Join us as we meet, create, and make friends with animals of all kinds! We'll draw, paint, sculpt and play games as our favorite animals and create stories to remember the adventures by!
    - Full day camp may include visits from the Audubon Center for Birds of Prey, animal scavenger hunts, puppet making, upcycling projects, and visits to the Maitland Art Center, and Waterhouse Residence Museum.
- Week 6: Back in time!
  - Step back in time to learn about ancient art techniques and styles, explore historic homes, play historic games, have a tea party, and learn about the mysteries of the Maitland Art Center. End the week by creating your very own carnival.
    - Full day camp may include: Visits from a Magician, a Carpenter, Performing Arts Maitland, and visits to the Maitland Historical Museum, Carpentry Shop, and Telephone Museum.

### Sample Schedule

Although Camp schedules can change from day to day, a typical day for Campers is below.

	Half Day	Full Day
8:30-9	Extended Care Drop Off	Extended Care Drop Off
8:45-9	Regular Drop Off	Regular Drop Off
9:00-11:00	Art Class #1	Art Class #1
11-11:30	Lunch	Lunch
11:30-1:30	Art Class #2	Art Class #2
1:30-1:45	Half Day Pick Up	
1:30-2		Snack Break
2:00-4:00		Cultural Component
4-4:15		Regular Pick Up
4:00-6:00		Extended Care Pick Up

#### Snack Menu (\$3 per snack)

Choice Between: Fruit Snacks, String Cheese, OR Yogurt

and

Choice Between: Animal Crackers, Mini Pretzels, OR Cookies

and

8 oz. Bottle of Water

# Culture Camp

## What to Know Before You Go!

### Camp Hours

- 9:00 am – 4:00 pm
- Before care begins at 8:30 am. After care runs until 6:00 pm.
- Before / After care is an additional \$50 per week and can be purchased at any point throughout camp.
- If you do not register for before/after care an additional \$1 per minute will be charge before 8:45 and after 4:15 pm (1:45 for Half Day campers).

### Behavior Policy

- Good behavior is a key component to a successful summer camp experience. The A&H Behavior Expectation Agreement is expected to be followed by all campers. Parents will be contacted if inappropriate behavior occurs. If the camper is unable to honor the A&H Behavior Expectation Agreement, the camper will be dismissed from camp. Refunds will not be granted if a camper is dismissed.

### In Case of an Emergency:

- If you need to reach Camp Staff during the day, please call 407.539.2181 x 264, or 321.804.3384.

### Medication

- Campers must be able to administer or take medication by themselves; camp staff cannot administer any type of medication. Please send only those medications that absolutely must be taken during camp hours (including Before and After care hours). Required medications must be placed in a clear, sealable sandwich bag and properly labeled with the camper's name and dosage. Please list all details on the attached Health Form. Please notify camp management of any special circumstances involving medication.
- The A&H does not administer oral or topical medication.

### Why are camps broken down by grade levels?

- The A&H Culture Camp has been designed to provide our campers with a fun, safe, and developmentally appropriate program. To promote teamwork and provide the best experience for all campers, please register children for camps offered to the grade level they will enter in Fall 2017. The A&H reserves the right to move campers into camps appropriate for their grade level.

### What to Wear:

- Campers should wear comfortable clothing, **closed-toe shoes**, and should be prepared for messy activities and outdoor play (weather permitting). **Sandals, flip-flops, and roller shoes are not permitted.**



- There is an art camp component to our Culture Camp. While over shirts will be worn to try to reduce mess, please know clothes may easily get stained. **Please dress your child in clothing you do not mind getting messy.**
- Reusable water bottles are encouraged to ensure hydration throughout the day and may be refilled whenever the child needs.

#### What not to Bring:

- Personal items such as all electronic devices, MP3 players, cell phones, personal gaming devices, and toys should not be brought to the A&H Culture Camp. If one of these items is brought, it must be left in the camper's cubby for the duration of the camp day.
- If the camp staff finds one of these items it will be confiscated and held until the end of the week. At that time, it will be returned to the parent or guardian. The A&H reserves the right to turn any confiscated item over to the authorities if item is found to be a danger to staff, guests, and/or other camper.
- The A&H is not responsible for children's personal items.

#### Check in / Check out Procedure:

- Please be sure to indicate on the Emergency Contact form everyone who is authorized to pick up and drop off the camper. Each adult must show a Photo ID when picking up their child.
- We do not allow parents to drop students off outside or in the parking lot. Parents must walk children to the Germaine Marvel Building every day and all parents must sign the drop off / pick up form every day.

#### Early Departure:

- Please try to provide as much advanced notice as possible whenever early departure is required. This will enable camp staff to prepare your camper to be ready to leave when you arrive. No refunds will be issued for early departures.

#### Lunches and Snacks:

- All food will be provided by parents / guardians.
- The A&H will have a small selection of snacks available for purchase for \$3.
- All campers with special dietary needs are asked to always provide all their own food.

#### Field Trips:

- On certain weeks the A&H will take walking field trips to some of the local businesses around the Art Center campus. This includes the Maitland Fire House and Maitland Public Library. All field trips will be closely monitored by A&H staff and no field trip will require more than a 10 minute walk.
- All campers must complete a field trip release form in order to participate.

**A&H Culture Camp Emergency Contact Form**

**Child's Information:**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Preferred Name or Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (2015-2016): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Shirt Size: \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Guardian's Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Work #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Relationship to Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Best Way to Reach You: \_\_\_\_\_

**Secondary Guardian's Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Work #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Relationship to Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Best Way to Reach You: \_\_\_\_\_

List of other people authorized to pick up and/or assume responsibility for your child(ren) in the event of an emergency if parents cannot be reached. At least one non-guardian contact must be listed with phone #.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Persons NOT authorized to pick up or drop off your child:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical Information\*:**

Does your child have any health concerns (medications, chronic conditions, behavioral or mental disabilities) that we should know of in order to facilitate safe and successful participation?

Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Known allergies and reactions: \_\_\_\_\_



Please give any additional information concerning your child, which may be helpful:

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**\*For A&H private use only. All information will remain confidential.**

### The Art & History Museums – Maitland Summer Culture Camp Behavior Agreement

I agree to follow the rules and behavior guidelines of the Art & History Museums – Maitland Summer Culture Camp Program. Program rules include, but are not limited to the following:

1. I will be respectful of my fellow Culture Camp participants and all program staff and volunteers. This means that I will speak to others in a respectful manner and tone of voice. I will follow directions and I will not cause or threaten physical harm towards others.
2. I will be respectful of the A&H grounds and buildings, places we may visit, and the belongings of others. I understand that I am a visitor to a museum with many works of art and artifacts that should not be touched. I will not run in any museums.
3. I agree to follow all A&H rules including those that are not listed on this behavior agreement.

**A&H Culture Camp Students:** With a parent, I have read the A&H Behavior Agreement and I agree to follow the rules. I understand that not following the rules will result in consequences to my actions. In some cases, consequences may include not being allowed back to the A&H Culture Camp or not being allowed to participate in certain activities.

**Parents:** By signing this document you are acknowledging that you have read and understand the rules listed above, that the consequences listed below may be imposed at any time, and that you will arrange for your child to be removed from the A&H Culture Camp if the staff requests for you to do so.

#### On or after the date listed with signature:

First Occurrence (strike one): The first time an incident happens will result in a verbal warning and a notification to the parents of the incident upon pick up. A Senior Staff member will explain to parents what happened and that such behavior is not acceptable. In the case where kicking, biting, or other severe behavior occurs, the child may automatically be given one day suspension from the program, with no refund for that day.

Second Occurrence (strike two): The second time an incident occurs will result in a phone call home from a Senior Staff Member, most likely the Museum Education Manager. At least one day suspension may be given, if not more (with no refund) and it will be explained to the parents that the next occurrence will result in the child's expulsion without refund.

Third Occurrence (strike three): The third incidence will result in immediate expulsion from Summer Camp with no refund. The Museum Education Manager will make the final determination for expulsion.





Student's Name (printed) \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature and Date \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s),

We have a unique campus that is divided between the Maitland Art Center campus on Packwood Ave and the Waterhouse Residence Museum by the Lake Lily Park. In order to take full advantage of our institution, we may on occasion take walking trips to the Lake Lily Park (820 Lake Lily Drive).

Additionally, The Art & History Museums – Maitland will be participating with local community organizations and walking to the Maitland Public Library (501 Maitland Ave).

All children who will be attending any of our Day Camp's field trips must have a signed permission form in order for the child to be able to attend any of these off-site field trips.

All field trips will be within walking distance and will take no more than 10 minutes to reach. A&H staff and volunteers will accompany children at all times.

*Please note: This form does not apply to half day campers.*

STATEMENT:

I give my child(ren) permission to attend all or any one of the field trips listed above.

Parent / Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Photo Release Form

Visitors & class attendees to the Art & History Museums - Maitland(A&H) grant the A&H the right to take photographs of all individuals and their property. Visitors authorize the A&H to copyright, use, and publish the photographs in print and/or electronically.

Visitors & class attendees agree that the A&H may use such photographs without a name for any lawful purposes, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising and online content.

I \_\_\_\_\_ authorize A&H to take and use photographs of my child(ren), \_\_\_\_\_ while at Culture Camp.

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Signature

 MAITLAND ART CENTER  WATERHOUSE RESIDENCE MUSEUM  
 CARPENTRY SHOP MUSEUM  TELEPHONE MUSEUM  MAITLAND HISTORICAL MUSEUM

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