

# SMOKY MOUNTAINS PARENT PACKET

Student Life is excited to host your student at camp this summer. We have put together a packet of information not only to help you pack, but also to keep you informed about what the week looks like. Attached you will find a packing list, dress code, a breakdown of the daily Bible Study focuses and information on how to connect with your student while they are away. Thank you for allowing us to be a part of your student's life in what we are praying will be a truly transformational week.

## WHAT WILL YOUR STUDENT BE LEARNING?

### CAMP THEME

We all want to belong. Whether it be in a family, a relationship, or a community, belonging to these groups gives us an identity and a sense of purpose. However, because of sin, many people are missing out on the most purpose-driven relationship of all. Those without a relationship with God lack an understanding of what it means to truly belong, to feel loved, and to have a proper perspective of the world around them. But through the life of His Son, Jesus, and through faith in Him, we receive access to a relationship with God, as well as the abundant life that comes along with it. God has given us a way to be in community with Him. At Student Life Camp 2019, students will learn that by faith and through the completed work of Jesus on the cross, God grants them access to His family.

### DAILY BIBLE STUDY FOCUSES

#### Day 1: Access Granted

God offers us access to a relationship with Him through the completed work of Jesus on the cross. By faith, we become members of His family.

#### Day 2: Filtered Focus

Membership in God's family changes us and gives us a differing perspective on the world and the people in it. It's impossible to be in the family and to remain the same. We can experience each day with a focus on the hope that is found in Christ.

#### Day 3: When We Fall

Access doesn't mean we now live a life of perfection. Even though we stumble and fall, in His mercy, God draws us back to Him. He is a gracious God who wants a personal, deep, and full relationship with each of us.

#### Day 4: A Greater Calling

Now that we have access to this community, we must share that news with others. No matter who are you are or what you do, obedience to this calling is for all members of God's family.

# PACKING LIST

Check with your leader for electronics and cell phone guidelines.

## WHAT TO BRING

Modest, casual clothing for four nights of Worship  
Modest, comfortable clothing for three days during free time  
Modest, comfortable clothing for the trip home  
Pajamas  
Bible, pen & notebook  
Toiletries  
Spending money for snacks and Student Life Store  
Watch and/or alarm clock  
Sunscreen  
Water bottle  
Swimsuit and beach towel

## WHAT NOT TO BRING

Tobacco, drugs or alcohol  
Fireworks, water balloons or weapons  
Skateboards, roller skates or roller blades

## CAMP DRESS CODE

No tight clothing or clothing that reveals undergarments  
No short shorts or skirts (Stand with your arms by your side. If your fingertips are touching skin, your shorts or skirt should be longer.)  
Shirts should have straps that are at least three fingers wide  
No speedos or midriff-baring bathing suits  
No clothing that promotes alcohol, cigarettes or any other inappropriate items  
No clothing with questionable sayings, slogans, etc.



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**CAMP THEME & DAILY BIBLE STUDY FOCUS**

## CAMP SCHEDULE

### FIRST DAY

2:00-4:00 Check-In  
5:00 Dinner  
6:15 Student Pastor Gathering  
7:00 Worship  
To Follow Life Group Bible Study  
11:00 Lights Out

### OTHER DAYS

7:30 Breakfast / Quiet Time  
9:00 Life Group Leader Meeting  
9:30 Rise  
11:00 Lunch / Life Group Bible Study  
1:00 Free Time  
5:00 Dinner  
6:15 Student Pastor Gathering  
7:00 Worship  
To Follow Church Group Gathering  
11:00 Lights Out

### LAST DAY

7:00 Breakfast / Quiet Time  
8:00 Check Out of Rooms  
Head Home

On the third night, a special concert with Social Club Misfits will begin 10 minutes after Worship.

