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SCI-FI Science Camps Summer 2025

Parent and Camper Package

Eatonia, SK

Eatonia Memorial Areana

August 5th – 8th (Tuesday Start)

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For any registration concerns (such as wanting to register by phone or make any changes to your registration) please call 1-306-966-5539.

WELCOME TO SCI-FI!

We are very excited for another summer of SCI-FI camps!

This pre-camp package contains all of the information that you will need to make your first day and entire week enjoyable.

WHAT TO BRING

On Tuesday morning please bring:

- A nut-free lunch
- Appropriate footwear for outdoor games at lunch (either on your feet or in a bag!)
- A hat and sunglasses (recommended)
- Sunscreen (recommended)
- Water Bottle
- Parents need ID for pick-up

DROP OFF & PICK UP

Sign in on Tuesday begins at 9:00am each day but we recommend coming early (8:45am) on the first day. This will take place at the main foyer entrance of the Eatonia Memorial Areana. From there, instructors will lead the campers to their camp room and begin the day's activities. Camp finishes at 4:00pm daily except Friday when Camp finishes for the week **at noon** and everyone will be taken to the main entrance again for pick-up. Campers can leave on their own **if and only if** they have been given permission to leave from their parent/guardian; otherwise they will wait for a parent or guardian to pick them up.

Parents or guardians picking up their kids must now present government issued photo identification (eg. Driver's license). The I.D. must match one of the names given during registration. This is not required for campers with permission to leave (selected during registration). Other parents or guardians who are allowed to pick up the child may be added in person (by someone who would be eligible to pick up the camper anyways, with photo I.D.) or via the e-mail which was used during registration.

THEME DAYS

To make the week even more enjoyable, we encourage you to participate in our theme days! This year's theme days are as follows:

Tuesday: Crazy Hat day Wednesday: Superhero Day Thursday: Time Travel Day Friday: Tropical Day

T-SHIRTS

During your week at camp you will be receiving a newly designed SCI-FI t-shirt!

FRIDAY

Camp ends for the week at noon on Friday. This allows us time to clean up and head back home.

LUNCHES AND SNACKS

You will need to bring a bagged nut-free lunch every day. SCI-FI encourages you to pack a healthy, "no-waste" lunch to minimize the amount of garbage we create. Weather permitting, we might eat outside. Following lunch, Instructors will lead campers in some games! Be sure to bring a hat and sunscreen as it can get very hot outside!

Midway through the morning, you will also get a break to eat a snack from your lunch.



SCI-FI has a "No Nut Policy" meaning that you cannot bring any food or snacks that may contain nuts, since other campers and instructors have severe nut allergies! <u>Please ensure that camper's lunches do not require a</u> <u>microwave.</u>

SCI-FI POLICY

IDENTIFICATION AND SUPERVISION

Please ensure that campers are dropped off 5-10 minutes before 9:00am and are picked up at 4:00pm sharp (noon on Friday). Tardiness is frowned upon as SCI-FI instructors are required to supervise campers until their parent/guardian picks them up. A phone call home will be made if a camper or a parent is 15 minutes late.

PERSONAL ITEMS AT CAMP

Certain items are prohibited and banned at camp to ensure the safety and enjoyment of campers:

- Weapons (or items which can be used as a weapon) and dangerous substances are prohibited.

- Trading cards and personal electronics are not allowed at camp. These types of items are distracting to other campers and are highly prone to theft.

- Cigarettes, drugs, and illegal substances are banned at camp and SCI-FI will not be held liable for any illicit activities conducted by the campers.

LANGUAGE AND BEHAVIOUR

Campers are expected to be on their best behaviour while at camp. Physical violence and aggressive physical contact is prohibited at camp. The SCI-FI staff has been instructed to intervene at the first signs of conflict.

Offensive language, discrimination, and derogatory comments will not be tolerated at camp.

BREAKING SCI-FI POLICY

Campers will be informed about the rules at the start of the camp week and reminders will be issued as required.

Failure to comply with the Personal Items Policy results in the confiscation of the prohibited item and a warning on the first offence. A phone call home will be made on the second offence. If the student is caught a third time, they will be sent home for the remainder of the camp week.

Failure to comply with the Language and Behaviour Policy will result in the following: the camper who initiates physical contact will be required to telephone his/her parents to explain the situation. Parents on both sides of the incident will also be informed by the SCI-FI staff. If such an incident occurs a second time, the camper will automatically be sent home for the remainder of the camp week without reimbursement and will not be allowed to return.

SCI-FI will, at all times, act in the interest and safety of its staff, facilities, and campers. Should anyone jeopardize these, SCI-FI reserves the right to send a camper home without reimbursement.