

NANBO DISCOVERY CAMP

Chikura, Japan

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Summer - 2019

SUMMER DISCOVERY

Nanbo Discovery Camp, our English language residential summer camp is located in Chikura, Chiba prefecture, two hours southeast of Tokyo. Our campers are usually in grade two through middle school.

Campers enjoy an adventure of swimming, snorkeling, cycling, sports, hiking, exploration and discovery, science, arts and crafts and much more. Whether they are observing life in a tide pool, collecting shells, cycling over the next hill or body boarding at the beach, all campers will have an active, positive, educational, fun and safe camp adventure.

Equally important, they will be building confidence and self-esteem, overcoming challenges, and working together to build relationships with other campers and counselors in a positive camp environment.

Journal writing and drawing are daily activities at Nanbo Discovery Camp that allow all of us time to reflect on the day through discussion, writing and sketching. Campers will bring their journals and art work home at the end of camp.

We are up early every morning starting the day with a hike, fun exercises at the beach or an all-camp activity on our field. Beach clean-up for one morning as a community service is an important part of our program. Campers are "kitchen helpers" for a day assisting with meals in small groups. Each day ends with activities around the campfire, in the Discovery Room or on a night hike. Campers sleep in one of four bunk rooms with one of our incredible counselors.

SUMMER FUN

The Nanbo Discovery Camp senior staff consists of experienced international school educators. Upper class high school and university students make up our counselor staff. They are mostly bilingual, all mature, responsible and caring young adults. Many have been campers at Nanbo and return yearly as counselors. We have a counselor-in-training program that allows early adolescent students to develop leadership skills, gain in confidence, and have fun as campers at the same time. **Our campers are usually between seven and 14 years old (grade two through middle school) and are grouped together for most activities.** We accept a limited number of campers with low English ability into each session. It is important to understand that the language of our camp is English. Campers often stay for one, two or even more sessions. Our camper/staff ration is about 3:1, reflecting our strong commitment to a safe and professional camp environment.

Go to our photo gallery to see photo albums of summer camp, our lodge, and much more.

Learn more about Discover Japan at

<http://discoverjapan.zenfolio.com/nanbo>

Please join us this summer!



Camp Schedule - 2019

1. June 23 - 27 mini
middle school and above
(possibility of overnight bicycle adventure)
2. July 1 - 5 mini
3. July 7 - 12
4. July 21 - 26
5. July 28 - August 2
6. August 4 - 8 mini
7. August 11 - 16
8. August 18 - 21 mini
(4 days/3 nights)



OUR 21st SEASON

Since 1999

- new 2-story climbing deck
- new stage near camp fire
- jungle gym with slides
- new outdoor showers
- caring residential program
- great camper/staff ratio
- programs designed for elementary and MS students
- six-day/five-night sessions
- five-day/four-night mini-camps
- large grass activity field
- covered, outdoor "dining" deck
- over 13,000 sq. meters of private camp ground
- new facility opened in 2007
- healthy and plentiful food prepared at camp
- Discovery Room for campers
- community-based, camper-centered
- journal writing/reflections
- snorkeling, body boarding
- transportation to and from camp and Tokyo provided
- science science science
- counselor-in-training program (CIT)
- 200 meters from white sand beach
- large campfire area
- 25 mountain bicycles
- senior staff certified international school educators, first aid/CPR trained
- very high returnee rate
- "sibling" discounts
- "returning camper" discounts
- comprehensive emergency/disaster preparedness plan
- and much, much more

Please contact David Green for information and our registration material.

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