

NANBO DISCOVERY CAMP

Chikura, Japan

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Summer - 2021

SUMMER DISCOVERY

Nanbo Discovery Camp, our English language residential summer camp, is located in Chikura, Chiba, 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 at Nanbo

As important, they will be building confidence and self-esteem, overcoming challenges, and working together to build relationships with other campers and our counselors in a positive and supportive 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 projects home at the end of camp.

We are up early each morning starting the day with a hike, fun exercises and/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 can be "kitchen helpers" for a day assisting with meal service 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 along 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 as CIT's and counselors. We have a counselor-in-training program that allows early adolescent students to develop leadership skills, gain in confidence, and have fun at the same time. **Our campers are usually from seven through 14 years old (grade two through middle school) and are grouped together for most activities.** We accept a very 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 ratio is about 3.5:1, 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 - 2021

1. July 11 - July 15 mini
2. July 18 - 23
3. July 25 - 29 mini
4. Aug 1 - 6
5. Aug 8 - 12 mini
6. Aug 15 - 20
7. Aug 22 - 25 mini
4 days/3 nights



OUR 23rd SEASON

Since 1999

- two-story climbing deck
- stage for "Nanbo's Got Talent"
- with "lighting" for evening drama
- caring residential program
- great camper/staff ratio
- programs designed for elementary and MS students
- **incredible counselors and staff**
- cold water outdoor showers
- large grass activity field
- covered, outdoor "dining" deck
- over 13,000 sq. meters of private camp ground
- **organic, home grown onions, potatoes, lettuce, cabbage and much more**
- healthy and plentiful food prepared at camp
- Discovery Room for campers packed with science and games
- 1,000's of rocks, minerals, fossils and shells cause **we love SCIENCE**
- community-based, camper-centered
- journal writing/reflections
- snorkeling, body boarding
- transportation to and from camp and Tokyo provided
- SCIENCE! SCIENCE! SCIENCE!
- counselor-in-training (CIT) program
- 200 meters from white sand beach
- large campfire area
- 20 mountain bicycles
- senior staff certified international school educators, first aid/CPR trained
- very high returnee rate
- "returning camper" discounts
- comprehensive emergency disaster preparedness plan
- and much, much more

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