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TO ALL OUR PARENTS: HOW TO PREPARE YOUR CAMPER

Thank you for choosing Long Lake Camp For The Arts. We appreciate the trust you place in us and promise to take the very best care of your camper.

We want every camper to have the best summer of their life, but we cannot achieve this without your help and your child's willingness to speak up.

The key to an amazing summer is communication! We are very responsive and helpful, but if you or your camper does not communicate with us, we will not be able to help.

We need both you and your child to fully commit to the summer: trying new activities, making friends and telling us if there is anything your child or you do not like, or are not getting. Summer camp is a great place to develop confidence and self-advocacy, especially for our younger campers. Please do not tell your camper you will come and pick them up from camp after a couple of days. It can sometimes take a camper who is homesick to take a few days to settle. Our entire staff will work extremely hard to help every camper love Long Lake.

If your camper ever communicates anything to you that you think we should be aware of, please don't assume we know it – our campers are so sweet and kind that sometimes they don't share everything with us. The more we know, the better we can help your camper have the best time at camp.

Long Lake offers campers a tremendous number of opportunities, which can be overwhelming for a few campers – especially if they are a little shy. Please encourage them to speak up and tell us if there is anything we can do to help. Our Unit Leaders excel at helping campers if they tell us what they need or if there are any problems. When talking to your child's Unit Leader, please tell them of any concerns regarding your child participating or if your child may appear happy and busy but may need to be motivated further to take full advantage of everything.