

Terms and Conditions

These terms and conditions apply to all Virtual Summer Camps offered by both the Ohio State School for the Blind (OSSB) and the Ohio School for the Deaf (OSD).

By agreeing to these Terms and Conditions and/or registering my student(s) for OSSB/OSD Virtual Summer Camps, I confirm that I have read all Terms and Conditions and agree to follow them.

Activities Consent

I understand that all OSSB/OSD Summer Camp programs will be conducted through virtual platforms. We will provide constant supervision while your child is logged into any platform provided by OSD/OSSB for the purpose of Virtual Summer Camp. However, due to the nature of Virtual Summer Camp we are unable to physically supervise your child's activities outside of the virtual environment while they complete any non-virtual camp activities that are provided to them. Additionally, we are unable to supervise your child's technology use except for inside of the virtual platform provided by OSD/OSSB for the purpose of Virtual Summer Camp. I consent to my child participating in the Virtual Summer Camps as described and agree to supervise them while they participate in Virtual Summer Camp.

Photo and Video Consent

I understand that OSSB/OSD Summer Camp programs may take photographs or videos of participants at camp. I give permission for my child to be photographed and/or videotaped while they are at camp activity for public relations and educational purposes. I understand and give my permission that identifying information may be given to the media or used for publicized activities relating to my child's participation at camp. In the event you do not wish to have photographs or videos of your child used for public relations or educational purposes, please contact communications@osdb.oh.gov gov to opt out.

Communication via Email

Email Communication

OSSB/OSD Virtual Summer Camps use email as our primary means of communication for confirmation of registration and general correspondence. Please check your email provider's spam protection to ensure that communications@osdb.oh.gov, osdsummercamps@osdb.oh.gov, and ossbsummercamp@osdb.oh.gov are defined as safe addresses so that emails from OSD/OSSB will not be blocked.

Confirmation Process

You will receive an automatic confirmation email upon completion of your registration. Please review your confirmation to ensure it matches your selection and that you registered for the correct sessions(s). If you do not receive a confirmation email soon after registration, check your spam

folder. If you still have not received a confirmation email, please send an email to the summer camp email listed on the OSSB/OSD summer camp event page (osdsummercamps@osdb.oh.gov or ossbsummercamp@osdb.oh.gov). Describe the issue as best you can in the email, and one of our staff will be in contact.

Technology Agreement

Technology Requirements

Participation in OSSB/OSD Virtual Summer Camps requires a computer/tablet with an internet connection. Please see the camp descriptions on the OSSB/OSD Summer Camp event pages for more information.

Safe & Responsible Technology Use

It is expected that technology and technology services will be used in an appropriate, responsible and safe manner. All participants in OSSB/OSD summers camps who are given access to OSSB/OSD technology and/or technology services are required to know and abide by the Technology Acceptable Use Policy, which can be found on the camp's webpage.

In the event of a breach of this policy, OSSB/OSD may take appropriate measures to address the situation. This may include but is not limited to temporary or permanent revocation of access to OSSB/OSD summer camp technology services.

Online Etiquette

All campers are expected to abide by the generally accepted rules of online etiquette. These include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Do not be abusive in your language or messages to others.
- Use appropriate language. Do not swear, use vulgarities or expletives.
- Illegal activities, such as accessing pornographic, sexually explicit materials, are strictly forbidden.
- Do not reveal your personal address, phone number, or those of other campers.
- Note that electronic mail (e-mail) is not guaranteed to be private.
- Do not use the Internet in such a way that you would disrupt the use of the network by other users.
- All communications and information available on the Internet should be assumed to be private property and protected by copyright laws. Any use of these resources for commercial-for-profit or other unauthorized purposes (advertisements, political lobbying), in any form is strictly forbidden.
- Do not reveal your User IDs or passwords.
- Sign on from a room that is as distraction free as possible.
- Mute the microphone to reduce background noise when on video calls and you are not speaking.
- Make sure your video is on at all times.
- Behave appropriately for camp.
- Be respectful to others. This includes avoiding distracting behaviors such as eating and talking to others while on a video or audio call. Refrain from any type of cyber-bullying.
- Only enter virtual camp platforms when an OSD or OSSB staff member is present.

Camp Code of Conduct

I agree that I have read through, understand, and agree that my student and I will be held to the Camp Code of Conduct set forth below. I also agree that I have reviewed the Camp Code of Conduct with my camper(s).

I understand that my student and I must act in a way that is in keeping with the Camp Code of Conduct and that my camper can be dismissed from a Virtual Summer Camp if either of our actions or attitudes are deemed harmful to the atmosphere, to my camper, other participants, or staff, in the opinion of OSSB/OSD Administration.

Campers agree to the following code of conduct:

- Pay attention and actively participate in camp activities.
- Wear clothing at all times that covers the torso and all forms of underclothing.
 - Clothing with words or pictures that are related to drugs/drug use, tobacco, alcohol/alcoholic beverages, sexual references, violence or bigotry are not permitted. Any attire or statement that may cause a hostile, intimidating, degrading, offensive, harassing or discriminatory environment is prohibited.
- Use equipment and technology services appropriately as outlined in the Technology Agreement section.
- Email my summer camp instructor if I cannot attend an activity.
- To not bully, intimidate, threaten or harass other (directly or through social media).
- Illegal drugs, alcohol, or sexual behavior is not allowed during OSSB/OSD Summer Camps.

By clicking ‘I agree to the OSD/OSSB Virtual Summer Camp Terms and Conditions’, I hereby agree to save, hold harmless and indemnify OSSB/OSD, its employees, agents, volunteers, and students against any and all claims which the camp participant might bring against them as a result of my child’s participation OSSB/OSD Virtual Summer Camp(s).

If you do not wish for your child’s photo or video to be used as described above, please select the appropriate drop-down box.