



A Typical Day at Bee Haven Day Camps

- Children arrive between 7:00am and 9:30am, quiet board games, coloring and crafts are set out by staff for morning activity
- We ask all parents to drop off by 9:30am
- At approximately 9:30am we serve the entire group a healthy morning snack, prepared by Bee Haven staff, the timing depends upon the trip that day
- After snack there is circle meeting, in which all the kids come meet with the staff and talk about the days plan, and about our rules and expectations. This is also a time when ice breakers, and get to know you “name games” would be played
- Each days unique programming begins between 9:30 - 10:00am, children are prepared for the days field trip or given instructions as to what will happen next
- This preparation includes, getting on appropriate clothing (Yellow Bee HavenShirts), sunscreen, swimwear, and reminding all children to bring theirbackpack/lunch
- We use our fleet of passenger vans (equipped with booster seats) or we take a hired school bus to our day’s destination. On some rare occasions, we may take public transit to our destination.
- When we reach our destination, we always go over safety rules, such as boundaries (using cones to mark them out), put the children into buddies/leader led groups, and give instructions as to what to do if they are separated from ourgroup
- We usually have lunch at our field trip location, at approximately 12:00 noon, but this can vary depending on factors such as our arrival time, tour times, etc.
- Sunscreen is re-applied after lunch, and children are checked off before they are allowed to play again
- We leave our destinations at varying times depending on the distance away from home, but generally look to be back at the Centre by 3:00pm each day
- There is an afternoon snack served by Bee Haven between 3:00 and 4:00, thissnack always includes fruit and vegetables, as well as a main course
- After 4:00pm, there is another craft put out, outside time, or leader led games and activities, as children begin to get picked up
- Evening Camp continues until 6:00pm, when we close for the day