



F.A.Q's

When does registration open?

November 5, 2018.

Price

\$155 per participant

When will programming run?

Due to 2018/2019 Holiday dates, the program will run for a 3 day duration, January 2-4, 2019.

Age Requirements:

All participants of Camp Manitou winter break program will fall between the ages of 8 to 12 years old as of December 31, 2018.

Hours of Operation:

Drop-off will be available between 8:00am-9:00am.

Programming will run 9:00am-4:00pm.

Pick-up occurs between 4:00pm-5:00pm.

What does a day at winter camp look like?

TONS of fun! With new games that spark team building connections, ability to make food, as well as opportunities to cross-country ski, snow shoe, toboggan, and skate each day on our brand-new rink!

What if my child does not have proper skating equipment?

Safety on the ice is step one. If your child is missing equipment, please contact us at campmanitou@tnse.com or call us 204-837-4508. Camp Manitou may be able to help supply your child with the equipment needed for safety and success!

Do I need to send a lunch?

Lunch is provided each day of the Winter Break program. As well as a home-time snack! If your child will need additional snacks during the day, please send accordingly, **keeping in mind we are a nut-free facility!**

If your child has food allergies or eats within a specific diet (vegetarian, vegan, gluten free, etc), please notify us upon registration.

What if my child needs medication during their day?

That is completely fine! Please notify us upon registration regarding medication(s) your child takes. We will ensure they stick to their routine, as your child's overall wellbeing is our number one priority!

Upon drop-off first day of programming, there will be an opportunity for parents to leave medications and instructions with staff.

Outside all the time?

We believe in the saying "There is no such thing as bad weather, just bad clothing." It is our responsibility (both parents and staff) to ensure each child is set up for success, which begins with proper clothing. Please refer to a list of expectations for dress, listed below.

- What about when the temperature reaches below -25 degrees Celsius?

Similar to rainy days, we dress for the cold in the winter. We do have access to a fire pit on site for a heat source. When children are outfitted properly with appropriate long underwear and layers of quality outer gear, their bodies generate more than enough heat.

The Camp Manitou winter break program will follow the Manitoba School Division; programming will be conducted inside if the temperature drops below -27C, with or without wind chill.

If the temperature or wind chill is between -20C to -26C, staff and participants are expected to dress warmly and head outside for regular activity.

As per Environment Canada, there is a high risk of frost-nip, frostbite and hypothermia if skin is exposed to temperatures of -28C to -39C for long periods of time.

We would never put a child in a situation where they are exposed to risk or injury knowingly.

Dress Code:

- Your child must have access to dry, warm clothes during rainy/cold weather. This means you will need to pack extra clothes.
- **Winter items include:** mitts, toques, socks, pants, ski pants, scarves, ear muffs, balaclavas, long johns, winter boots.
- **Skating attire: Your child will have the opportunity to skate for 1 hour each day!** Please pack skates, a helmet, and any other items they feel most comfortable with (long socks, hockey gloves, elbow pads).

Please be as conscious as possible in checking your daily forecast and packing your child with clothing items for success. We at Camp Manitou will do the same, as dressing appropriately is a key fundamental to the success of the child each day.

Is there a cancellation policy?

If, for any reason, a participant needs to be pulled from registration, a \$50.00 administration fee will be kept. Leaving a return of \$105.00.

If the cancellation occurs within 3 weeks of the program start date, no refund will be given.

Do you offer subsidy?

Camp Manitou does offer camperships (AKA subsidies). However, we have limited funds to do so. For an explanation on the application process, please contact campmanitou@tnse.com for more information.