



Fort Myers Police Department/Police Athletic League

Respect For Law Camp

2023

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Dear Parents,

We would like to welcome your child to the Annual Fort Myers Police Department and Police Athletic League Respect for Law Camp.

This year's Camp provides local youth the opportunity to learn respect for the law by giving them a close-up look at local Law Enforcement, Fire and Emergency Medicine Services in an action packed weekend.

If you are not aware, the Camp is based at the campus of Paul Lawrence Dunbar Middle School (4750 Winkler Avenue). The campers will be sleeping on campus during the weekend and the below listed items will be required.

1. **Sleeping bag or bed sheets and pillow**
2. **Health and comfort items** (deodorant, towels, soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, etc.)
3. **Change of clothing** shorts or other clothes suitable for light exercise, a spare pair of shoes. (Ball caps will be provided.)
4. **Appropriate attire to walk between their room and the showers.**

No money will be needed by the camper for the weekend!!!!

Please do not send any candy or snacks, all food and snacks will be provided to the campers. If your child has special dietary needs please let us know before May 18 2023.

The campers should not bring anything of value, such as jewelry, cellular phones, radios, game boy, or any other electronic games/devices.

Check-in will be on Thursday June 15, 2023 from 8:00 am to 10:00 am, Paul Lawrence Dunbar Middle School.

Paul Lawrence Dunbar Middle School is located at 4750 Winkler Avenue in Fort Myers.

Parents are required to accompany the campers into the building and stay with them throughout the check in procedure. Please have your driver's license or other picture identification available for the notary public at check in.

Parents, your children are in good hands for the weekend. The campers will be advised of the rules and regulations for the weekend and will be required to adhere to these rules. If discipline is necessary it will be in the form of push-ups, sit-ups or other physical exercises.

If your child becomes unmanageable we will contact you to pick them up from the camp. We ask that you leave emergency telephone numbers with us for the purpose of contacting you should an emergency situation arise.

Drill Off Challenge / Graduation is scheduled on Sunday June 18, 2023, at 11:00 a.m.

Drill Off / Graduation will be held in the gymnasium.

Please plan to attend this very special time in your child's life. You will indeed be proud of what your child has accomplished at the end of the weekend.

Please advise the medical staff during the check in process of any special needs, certain food allergies or any type of medical needs your child has.

We cannot give any medication to your child without your authorization. We will have an E.M.T. on staff for the weekend and he/she will be responsible for the dispensing of any medications your child may require. Please advise the medical staff of any special needs, certain foods, allergies or any type of medical needs your child has during the check in process.

Please find enclosed a parental consent to participate, a multi-media release form, 2023 dress code and medications forms. These forms must be completed and returned during the check in procedure. If we do not have the proper forms completed and in our possession, your child will not be allowed to participate.

If you have any questions please call Officer Yvetta Dominique at 239.887.2726 or email ydominique@fmpolice.com

On behalf of the Fort Myers Police Department and the Police Athletic League, we look forward to working with your child/children at this year's Respect for Law Camp.

Sincerely,

Sergeant Lamar Campbell

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Camp Supervisor

Lieutenant Willie Tellis

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Officers Yvetta Dominique

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Camp Director

No Refunds Considered After May 25, 2023