

Frequently Asked Questions About Camp

How do out of town participants book travel?

Camp Broadway has a travel agent that can help you with all of your travel needs. Alan Martin can be contacted through his website: www.showstopperstravel.com.

What should I bring for my child's costume?

We will set simple guidelines, for each group, once the shows and numbers have been picked. You will receive an email approximately two weeks prior to the start of camp, with your camper's group assignment and costume guidelines.

What does my child wear each day?

At registration, your child will be given two Camp Broadway t-shirts, one to be worn each day. In addition to that, comfortable non-constricting clothes and soft-soled sneakers or dance shoes for class should be worn. No jeans, sandals or platform shoes will be allowed.

Does my child need dance shoes?

Tennis shoes or dance shoes are acceptable. No sandals or platforms will be permitted.

Does the cost of the camp cover meals?

Camp Broadway provides lunch, a bottle of water and a snack each day.

Will the participants be in the same location every day?

Participants will not be in the same location everyday. Monday, Tuesday & most of Thursday are at Chelsea Studios. Wednesday is spent in Times Square and Friday is spent at F.I.T. You will receive an email, two weeks prior to the start of camp, specifying location and addresses.

What are Broadway workshops?

To add to the New York experience Camp Broadway has added several workshops scheduled throughout the week. Each workshop reserves the last 15 minutes for an exclusive Q & A session between our Broadway guest artist and the group of approximately 25 participants. These workshops may include, but are not limited to, learning choreography, scene study, or song interpretation based on a contemporary Broadway show. Past shows have included: *Legally Blonde*, *Wicked*, *Shrek* & *The Lion King*.

Will parents be able to watch rehearsals?

Due to space constraints, parents will not be permitted to watch rehearsals.

Will my child be around any celebrities?

Yes, your child will have the opportunity to work with several Broadway celebrities, yet to be announced, through the course of Broadway workshops.

Should my child have prior experience in dancing, singing and/or acting?

Camp Broadway is an ensemble based program designed for young people who love theatre. Participants come from a variety of levels, some have experience, some do not. Camp Broadway strives to foster a positive and creative environment.

Are recording devices acceptable to bring to the Family Finale?

Recording devices are welcome and encouraged.

How long will the final performance run?

The Family Finale runs approximately one hour.

Do you have to purchase tickets to the Family Finale?

Tickets to the Family Finale are free. You are welcome and encouraged to bring as many people to enjoy the experience as you like, but it is not open to the general public.

What does my child need to bring the first day of camp?

Your child is welcome, but not required, to bring 16 bars of music, if they choose to be coached in the vocal workshop. All participants will be a part of the vocal workshop and will be able to take away a great deal from watching and listening, whether they get up and sing or not.

When do we see them perform and where?

The Family Finale will be held at the HAFT Auditorium on the campus of the Fashion Institute of Technology (F.I.T.). The HAFT is located at 7th Avenue and 27th Street in Manhattan.

Is there a way to arrange someone, other than myself, to pick up my child at the end of the day?

If you have authorized someone else, in writing, then we will release your child to that person.

Can I add someone to my child's sign-out list over the phone?

Camp Broadway cannot accept sign-out authorizations over the phone. You can always add to your child's authorization form, or authorize them to self sign-out, by downloading a new form (part of the camp application) and faxing or sending it in.

Do we have to have the doctor's note and immunization records?

If you do not have immunization records, or you've declined to have your child immunized, a waiver is acceptable.

What are the sizes of the groups?

Each show is approximately 50-60 children. They are assigned to a sub group of approximately 25-30 campers, of a similar age, which they will work with throughout the week.

Will there be Macy's auditions this year?

We will not know what our role or requirements will be in the parade until late spring. Please continue to check our website for further information and details.