

The health and safety of our Camp Patriot campers is our #1 priority.

We think it is important to communicate our efforts to manage your camper's health and safety so that you can make informed choices and feel confident in choosing to send campers to Camp Patriot at Metro Christian Academy this summer. We are committed to taking all reasonable measures to keep all of our campers healthy and safe.

Our standard sanitation procedures will include cleaning and disinfecting common touch points in classrooms, lunch areas, and activity spaces before and after each use. Additionally, we will monitor and address symptomatic campers, by implementing the required health screening form, daily temperature checks, and protocols for any student or staff with suspected illness of any kind. You can read the list of all these measures listed below.

We will adopt and adjust our protocols and procedures based on guidelines and directives provided by civic and health authorities.

Metro Preparedness:

Metro is currently, and has been since March 2020, following best practices preparing for staff/student/parent interactions while on campus for all summer programming.

- Metro continues to stay well-informed of all local, state, and national guidelines regarding how/when we might be able to return to school operations. We are also communicating with governing agencies such as Tulsa Health Department (THD), State Department of Education, and the Oklahoma Secondary Schools and Activities Associations.
- Metro is currently following Phase 2 Oklahoma guidelines adapted for MCA, which include personnel checking-in when entering campus with standardized COVID-19 screening questions and temperature checks. Additionally, the school is minimizing building access to non-essential vendors by utilizing drop-off and deliveries.
- Metro is following the recommended guidelines from the CDC and the THD by practicing social distancing standards of wearing masks when in common-use areas, maintaining a 6' distance from one another, requiring hand sanitizer stations be utilized upon entering the building, and stringently disinfecting the building each evening.
- Metro is transitioning to long-term anti-virus spreading strategies including touchless hand sanitizer and soap dispensers and an open-door policy in an effort to lessen common touch points during the school day.
- Metro has been and will continue to sanitize and disinfect our building and grounds using approved COVID-19 disinfectant products. We sanitize any of the major hotspots twice per day and conduct full sanitization of all used areas daily. Disinfecting between camp sessions will be practiced during camp.
- Additional camp strategies will include, but not be limited to: limiting sharing and shared materials as much as possible, separating personal items, providing individual camp materials when possible, and disposing of all one-use items.

COVID-19 Summer Programming Specific Procedures

Metro Christian Academy and Camp Patriot are committed to the health and safety of all campers, staff, and summer programming participants.



Family / Camper Requirements:

- Please complete and submit a required health questionnaire and a new release form for each camper on the first day of each camp session.
- Please remain in cars during drop-off and pick-up. Building access will be limited to registered and screened campers and staff.
- Please follow campus entry procedures, including designated traffic patterns for drop-off and pick-up. In case of an emergency, please enter the building at the designated entry points.
- Campers, even when not at Camp Patriot, are encouraged to practice social distancing, limit any unnecessary travel, out-of-state travel, and interactions with non-family members.
- Campers are strongly encouraged to bring a daily, re-usable mask, cloth face covering, or several disposable masks to use as directed and needed throughout the day.



Metro Commitments:

- Participation in each Camp Patriot Session will be limited to the CDC recommended group sizes.
- Camp Patriot will limit the mixing of groups / pods, as much as possible.
- Metro staff will conduct daily temperature checks of each camper upon arrival.
- Metro staff will follow frequent hand-washing and sanitizing procedures.
- Lunch and snack pre-cautions:
 - Campers will be assigned designated distanced seating.
 - Individual meals will be served; no buffet or family-style service.
 - Food items will be distributed by camp staff wearing gloves and masks.
- Any camper that becomes ill during the camp day will be sent to the health station for an evaluation

COVID-19 policies, procedures, and expectations will be reviewed and rehearsed with campers.

and screening. Parents and/or guardians will be contacted as appropriate.





