

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Who are the KidSpirit Staff?

We work hard to live up to our reputation of having engaging, fun-loving, and supportive staff through a competitive hiring process. KidSpirit staff is comprised of high school and college students, who are all CPR & First Aid, Child Health & Safety, and Recognizing & Reporting Child Abuse & Neglect certified. Staff also go through 23 hours of intensive training, to be ready to embody all of the KidSpirit expectations and philosophies on the first day of camp.

Is this a competitive program?

KidSpirit is a non-competitive program with an emphasis on skill development & mastery. All activities promote fun while being safe & engaging. KidSpirit strives to create an environment focused on positive physical & social skill development.

What is your contact information?

Call 541-737-KIDS (5437) or email kidspirit@oregonstate.edu



SCHOLARSHIPS & DISCOUNTS

Does KidSpirit offer scholarships?

YES! Scholarships are awarded based on need and available funds. For more information, see page 2. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, please call or email our office.

Discounts for OSU Faculty, Staff and Students

Full-Day 1 week discount = \$8.00/ session
Full-Day 2 week discount = \$16.00/ session

Does KidSpirit qualify for the Child & Dependent Care Tax Credit?

Yes, KidSpirit is a qualified childcare provider.

CLASSES & SESSIONS

Can I switch classes?

Yes, for a \$25 administrative fee.

What if a class is canceled?

KidSpirit reserves the right to cancel or combine classes if the minimum number of required participants per class is not met. Should a cancellation occur, you will be contacted about our alternative class options. You will not be charged a fee.

PREPARE FOR CAMP

What to Bring & Wear

- Closed-toed shoes
- Snacks
- Full water bottle



REGISTRATION

How do I sign up for classes?

Registration is online at: kidspirit.oregonstate.edu. Registration is first-come, first-serve. For help registering, call or email us.

What payment options are available?

Credit card payment is available through our online registration. Additionally, pay by cash, check, or card (excluding American Express) in the KidSpirit office.

When are payments due?

Payments for recreational gymnastics classes are due at the time of the first class of each session. Summer Day Camp payments are due the first day of camp each session.



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CHECK-IN & CHECK-OUT

How do I Check-In/Out my camper?

Check-in and check-out is located in the grassy area behind Langton Hall. Guardians will be notified if location changes. You will need to be on the camper's approved check-out list and present photo ID. Campers over 10 have the option to self check out.

What if we are late?

It happens! If you arrive after check-in is cleaned up, check in at the KidSpirit office, 125 Langton Hall. Campers will be walked to their group.

How do I Check-Out my camper early?

Please notify our office at least 20 minutes before you plan to check-out so we can have your camper ready for you in the office.

My child is attending Stages. Can they also attend KidSpirit camps?

Yes! Create a Full-Day of camp during session 2, including transportation to KidSpirit and lunch, by doing the following:

1. Register for Stages, add transportation fee
2. Register with KidSpirit, add Lunch-Care

PARKING OPTIONS

What are my parking options?

All campus parking is pay-to-park on weekdays, even in the summer. Please note that dropping off in front of Langton hall is not allowed.

Choose from:

1. KidSpirit Family Parking Permits (\$45/90 days)

Permit allows parking in any A, B, or C zones for less than 30 minutes for pick-up/drop-off of KidSpirit participants. The closest applicable lot to KidSpirit is the Goss Stadium parking lot. To purchase, send email to:

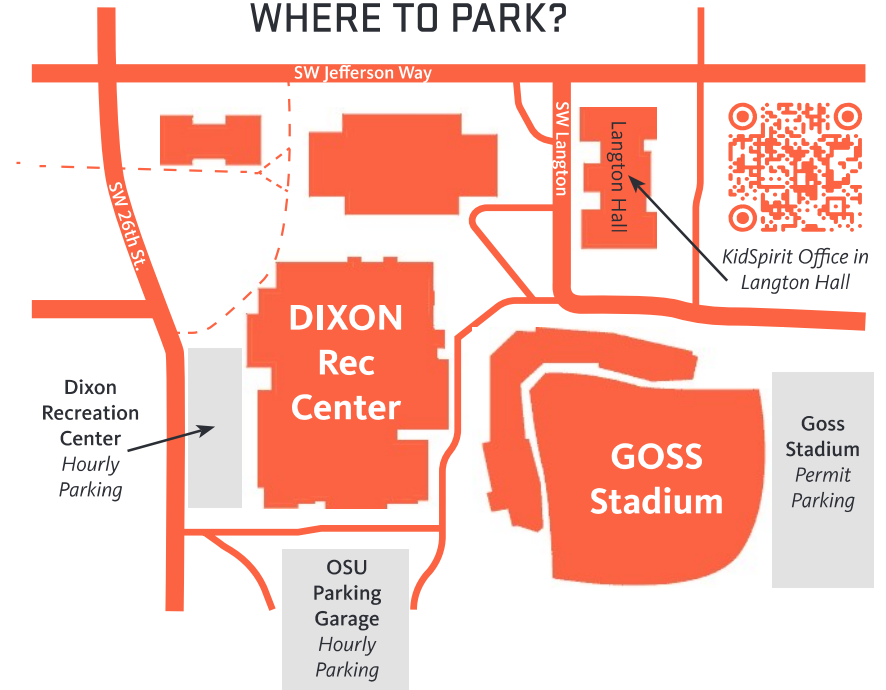
transportation@oregonsate.edu.

2. Hourly Parking (\$1-2/hour)

Hourly pay stations are available at the OSU parking garage, in front of Dixon rec center, and in front of Sackett Hall. Street parking often fills up, so please allow time to head to the parking garage if needed.



WHERE TO PARK?



FRIDAY DRESS-UP DAYS

- June 28 Pajama Day
- July 5 Red, White, and Blue
- July 12 Favorite Sport
- July 19 Time Machine
- July 26 OSU School Spirit
- August 2 Crazy Hair & Wacky Wear
- August 9 Fictional Character
- August 16 Flora and Fauna
- August 23 Favorite Color
- August 30 Super Hero



At KidSpirit, staff and campers dress up in their best costumes based off weekly themes. All dress-up items should allow campers to actively participate in the day's classes. Dress-up days are not mandatory, but we would love for everyone to join in on the fun!