



T-Camp 2025
Camper Registration
Information Packet

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T-Camp General Information

T-Camp Office

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Session Dates/Locations for T-Camp 2025

Session 1: August 12-14, 2025 - Lakeview Methodist Conference Center, Palestine, TX

Session 2: August 17-18 - Texas A&M University, College Station, TX

Conflicting Programs

The following are sessions that new students **CAN** attend if participating in these programs:

These date conflicts are based on the information found on these programs' websites.

✓ = CAN ATTEND • X = CANNOT ATTEND	Session 1	Session 2
Sorority Recruitment	✓	X
Gateway Program	✓	✓
Corps of Cadets FOW	✓	X
Corps of Cadets Band FOW	X	X
Impact Alpha	✓	✓
Impact Beta	✓	✓
Impact Delta	✓	✓
Impact Omega	✓	✓
ExCEL	✓	✓

Note: Howdy Week will begin on August 20, 2025.

Registration Dates & Times

Monday, May 5th at 12:00 PM CST	Camper Registration Opens Scholarship Application Opens
<u>Starting</u> Monday, May 5 th at 12:00 PM CST	Partial refund available Covers administrative fees
<u>After</u> Friday, July 11th at 11:59 PM CST	75% refund available for cancellation
Monday, July 28 th at 11:59 PM CST	Camper Scholarship Due
Friday, August 1st by 11:59 PM CST	Camper Scholarship Decisions Sent Out 50% refund available for cancellation
<u>Starting</u> Tuesday, August 5th at 11:59pm	Camper registration closes No refund available for cancellation.

Payment Information

Registration Fee

The cost of attendance to T-Camp is:

- Session 1 (at Lakeview) = \$280
- Session 2 (at TAMU) = \$230

The registration fee includes the following:

- Transportation - SESSION 1 ONLY
- Lodging - SESSION 1 ONLY
- On-Campus Facilities
- Meals for the duration of camp
- A camp t-shirt
- Accident medical insurance while at camp
 - ***Insurance does not cover costs incurred for pre-existing conditions or treatment of illness.
- Access to professional medical care at camp.
- Camp materials, printouts, and incidentals

Fee Structure

Please see the registration dates and times above for payment deadlines. Payments can be made online (via the CircuiTree registration system) with a credit card with a MasterCard, Visa, Discover, or American Express.

Payment Options

- **Pay in Full** – Participants pay the registration fee at the end of their registration; their spot for the respective session will be saved after the payment is submitted.
- **Payment Plan** – Participants can secure a spot by putting an initial deposit down of half the total cost of registration and pay the remaining amount cost by the first day of their designated session. Their spot will be saved for the respective session after paying the deposit. Any remaining balance will be automatically charged on the first day of their respective session if not done so prior to that date.
- **Scholarship (DEADLINE July 28th, 2025 at 11:59 pm)** – Participants will complete a scholarship application during their registration; their spot will be saved for the respective session after the application is submitted. Campers will be notified by **Friday, August 1st** if they will receive a scholarship.
 - When registering, please make sure to select the “scholarship” option. This will allow you to register without having to pay upfront.
 - **Please note, a card must be put on file in order to complete registration. No charges will be made under this option upon initial registration. Charges will only be made if the student does not receive a scholarship to pay the full registration fee and will be done over the phone.**
 - If a participant receives a scholarship, they will be notified and asked to accept the scholarship; if a participant does not receive a scholarship (or full scholarship), they will be required to pay the full cost/remaining balance for T-Camp (“pay in full” or “payment plan” options will be available to these students).
 - ***The scholarship option will be unavailable after Monday, July 28th at 11:59 pm.***
 - These are financial need-based scholarships. Funding has been partially provided by individual donations, The Foundation, the T-Camp Endowment, the Office of Admissions, and Alumni of Aggie Transition Camps.
 - Please remember that scholarships are limited.

Refunds

If for any reason you have to cancel your registration, you will need to contact Aggie Transition Camps (atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu) by email informing them of your cancellation. The following refunds will be given during these time periods:

May 5th - July 10th, 2025 at 11:59 PM	95% Refund (\$15 will be taken off for administrative fees)
July 11th - July 31, 2025 at 11:59 PM	75% Refund
August 1st - August 5th, 2025 at 11:59 PM	50% Refund

Online Payments will be refunded to the credit card with which you originally paid.

Registration

General

T-Camp Registration is on a **first come, first serve** basis. We only have a limited number of spots available per session.

If you will not be 18 years old on the day that you register, you will need to have your guardian create an account through our registration website as well and complete the registration process for you. If you are registered under a name different than the one you prefer to be called please change this on the registration site. You can change your name by logging in and clicking your initials in the top right corner. Click My Dashboard. From here, you can view and edit your profile and information.

Every session and camp have counselors who have been trained to provide a welcoming and supportive experience for the participants in that camp. T-Camp offers the same program to every participant in every session.

Registration will close on **Tuesday, August 5th** at 11:59 PM CST **or when sessions are full** to ensure that the program staff have adequate time to process all registration information. Filled sessions will have a waitlist option. Our staff are regularly updating session waitlists to ensure participants are able to find out with as much time as possible whether or not they have been offered a spot.

Confirmations

Session Confirmations will be emailed to the email account used to create the CircuiTree account upon completion and confirmation of payment. The confirmation email will be in the form of a payment confirmation. ***Please be sure to check your SPAM inbox.*** More information for T-Camp will be sent out in mid-July/the first week of August prior to camp. **Once you have completed the registration process and paid, please allow 72 hours for processing.**

If confirmation emails are not received 72 hours after completing registration, contact the Aggie Transition Camps Office at 979-862-1785 or atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu.

Confirmation Emails will look like the document linked here: [Example Confirmation Letter](#)

Session Changes

You must email before **Monday, August 4th, 2025** in order to be considered for a session change. Session availability changes may be allowed by contacting atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu.

Please note the following implications to changing a session if not requested by **Monday, August 4th, 2025**:

1. Registration fees may not be refunded
2. Session guarantee may be relinquished
3. The risk of not being assigned to another session due to other sessions being filled to maximum capacity.

Cancellations

Registration is **not transferable** to another incoming student. Should you need to cancel your T-Camp registration, please email atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu. Information on cancellation can be found [here](#).

All online payments will be refunded to the card with which you originally paid if it is within the designated refund period. After refunds are initiated through email, please allow 3-5 business days for us to process it.

Special Assistance

If you have any assistance requests that need to be placed, please inform us of these needs in the question that prompts for it during the Registration process. **As a part of registration, you will have the opportunity to express any assistance or dietary needs you may have. If these needs are not mentioned at the time of registration, or emailed by Monday, July 28th, Aggie Transition Camps cannot guarantee that arrangements can be made.**

It is also recommended to register with Disabilities Resources (<https://disability.tamu.edu/>) and inform them you will be attending T-Camp.

If you have any special dietary needs or food restrictions this information **needs to be included in the section in the registration process that asks for dietary restrictions or food allergies**. T-Camp will be nut free and will provide gluten-free, dairy-free, vegan, and vegetarian options for those who indicate that need during the registration process. **If these needs are not mentioned at the time of registration, or emailed by Monday, July 28th, Aggie Transition Camps cannot guarantee that arrangements can be made.**

If you forget to include this information while registering, email atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu immediately to inform them.

Important Transportation Information - SESSION 1 ONLY

For SESSION 1 ONLY, transportation is included and will be provided to and from our campsite. There will be a student drop off for campers attending Session 1 of camp on Texas A&M University's campus. Students will need to arrive **between 8:00 AM and 9:30 AM** on the first day of the session. Once on campus, please follow the signs. More information will be provided via email in mid-July/early August.

From here, students will have the opportunity to check-in and load up their luggage.

On the morning of SESSION 1 Check-In, Aggie Transition Camp Staff & Counselors will be in the luggage loading and check-in area to direct and assist you. **You are permitted another small bag (purse, drawstring bag, backpack, etc.) for the bus, if you require anything between check-in and arriving at the campsite such as your wallet, phone, medication, etc.**

Check-in will be followed by a short welcome program. Please email atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu and call (979) 862-1785 if you registered for the bus option and you have missed the buses.

Return to College Station - SESSION 1 ONLY

The buses will return to campus between 6:30 PM CDT and 7:00 PM CDT on the last day of the session. **We encourage anyone who will be picking up a student to plan to arrive no later than 6:30pm.** Please make arrangements in advance if you need to be picked up.

Shuttles from Houston Airports to College Station

There is a shuttle service from the two Airports in Houston (Bush International IAH and Hobby Airport) to College Station Easterwood Airport. More information about this service can be found at groundshuttle.com. These shuttles are not affiliated with Texas A&M University.

Parking on Campus - BOTH SESSIONS

Option 1: Annual Permit

Register online for a 2025–26 annual parking permit. These permits will be mailed beginning mid-July. If the permit does not arrive prior to the date you need to park on campus, sign in to My Account to attain and print your 2025–26 parking permit receipt (available mid-July). Display your parking permit receipt page in the dashboard of your vehicle while parking in the lot designated for the session you are attending (see tables for Fish Camp, T-Camp & Howdy Camp).

Option 2: Temporary Permit - SESSION 1 ONLY

If you do not wish to purchase a 2025–26 annual parking permit, a temporary T-Camp parking permit may be purchased online at “My Account”. Print and then display the permit receipt in the dashboard of your vehicle while parking in the lot designated for the session you are attending.

Vehicles parked in tow-away or restricted areas are subject to ticketing and/or towing by university parking officials. Please remember to LOCK YOUR CAR. Campus security will be patrolling, however, Aggie Transition Camps will not be responsible for theft or loss.

Vehicles will be parked at **Lot 40 for Session 1**.

Participants have the option to park in **University Center Garage for Session 2** for a max rate of \$15/day. Participants are individually responsible for parking. Students are also welcome to park in their designated parking assignment and walk to the Rudder Complex for morning check-in. We will have direction signs and staff that will assist in directing folks to check in at the Rudder Complex.

More information can be found on the Transportation website, transport.tamu.edu.

Aggie Transition Camp does not provide or coordinate any housing accommodations before or after a session. If you will be arriving prior to your session check in or need to find accommodations for the night after the session those will need to arrange those yourself. See below for available resources that might be of assistance:

- Destination Bryan TX Lodging: tx.ag/IP2luBk
- Airport Shuttles: <https://transport.tamu.edu/Transit/service.aspx>

Accommodations for the night before and/or after your assigned session will be your personal responsibility. Although not required, we recommend that all campers who are driving themselves to and from College Station make accommodations for the night after camp, as they will likely be very tired from their days at camp and may need rest prior to safely driving long distances. A list of lodging in the College Station and Bryan area can be found at: <https://visit.cstx.gov/hotels/> and through Destination Bryan at: tx.ag/IP2luBk

At-Camp Information

Luggage - SESSION 1 ONLY

Please limit your luggage to:

- Two (2) small or medium bags
OR
- One (1) large bag

(SESSION 1 ONLY) Please note that participants may have to walk with their luggage to a location where it will be loaded on a charter bus to an area near their cabin. Please take this into consideration when packing for Aggie Transition Camp. A packing list is included below:

[Packing List Link](#)

If your luggage is misplaced AT camp, please locate an Aggie Transition Camp staff member who will assist you in locating it. If luggage is misplaced AFTER camp, please contact the Aggie Transition Camps office at 979-862-1785 or atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu to assist you in locating it.

If you lose any items at camp you will be able to pick them up in The Department of Student Activities located in the Koldus Building the following two weeks after camp. If you cannot pick up lost items on these days please email atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu.

Special Accommodations

If you have already informed Aggie Transition Camps of a special accommodation, we will be contacting you at a later date to verify our records and make any additional accommodations while at camp. If you have any accommodations that are new and Aggie Transition Camp is unaware of them, please email atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu.

Reminder

All students must attend their T-Camp session in its entirety. In the event of an emergency, a student may have their emergency contact pick them up from camp, or may be granted to leave if they drove themselves. Aggie Transition Camps recommends that participants attend their full session if possible. For the safety of all campers, students who arrive at camp with a contagious illness will be asked to leave camp and find transportation home at their own cost (if applicable). A refund will not be given in such a situation. If you know you have a contagious illness on the morning of your camp session check in, please call the office to see if we can switch you into a different session or cancel your registration altogether.

What to Bring:

Required

- One form of photo identification (TAMU ID or Driver's License)
- Cool and comfortable clothes and shoes. It is recommended that you bring clothes that you don't mind getting dirty, as there are optional free time activities.
- Closed toed shoes (required for scheduled outdoor activities)
- Sheets, pillow, blanket, and/or sleeping bag (all beds are twin-size beds)
- Toiletries (toothbrush, shampoo, body wash/bar soap, any other hygiene products) and a towel
- A reusable water bottle
- Insect repellent

- Sunscreen
- Flashlight

Optional

- Appropriate clothes for Dance Party Mixer (themes for Mixers will be sent out closer to camp)
- Shower Shoes
- Small quantity of cash for snacks and drinks*
- Laundry bag for repacking dirty clothes

****Please do not bring any snacks containing nuts***

****Please note that snacks will be provided, in addition to three meals each day.**

Registration Policies

Please note that all State and Federal Laws as well as Texas A&M University rules and policies apply upon arrival at Aggie Transition Camp check in. Aggie Transition Camp rules and policies also apply and are listed in the behavior agreement you signed during registration. If any of these rules and policies are violated, you may undergo disciplinary action from Aggie Transition Camp and/or Texas A&M University, as well as removal from Lakeview grounds at the expense of the participant and without a refund.

Participant Behavior Agreement

Policy:

All participants, guests, and members of Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) are expected to abide by University policies and regulations as dictated by the TAMU Student Rules (found at <http://student-rules.tamu.edu>), and all federal, state, and local laws. In addition, guests of Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) and members are expected to abide by Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) and Lakeview Methodist Conference Center rules, policies, and all instructions presented by University and Conference staff guests of Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp), Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) Directors and Co-Chairs, whether written or verbal. The Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) policies are outlined in the Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) Constitution, which can be found at <https://stuactonline.tamu.edu>.

Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) is an alcohol-free and illegal substance-free program. Being under the influence and/or use of alcohol or any kind of illegal drug is strictly prohibited. As a participant, guest, and/or member of Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp), I agree to abide by the substance free policy, and understand that if I violate this policy or any others as stated above, I may be immediately removed from Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp).

Behavior:

As an Aggie, it is imperative that we hold ourselves to a higher standard. Behavior expectations for Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) go beyond the policies of the organization and align themselves with the mission and values. As a participant, guest, or member of Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/

T-Camp), I agree to display decency, appropriateness, and acceptable conduct, and understand that if I violate this behavioral expectation, I may be immediately removed from Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) at my own cost.

In addition to being removed from Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp)/membership, alleged policy and behavioral violations may be reported to the Texas A&M University Student Conduct Office, Offices of the Dean of Students, other campus departments, and/or local law enforcement. Furthermore, any violation of Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) policies and behavior expectations may affect my future participation with the Aggie Transition Camps (Howdy Camp/ T-Camp) organization.

- I verify that by registering for an Aggie Transition Camp program I agree to the [Lakeview Methodist Conference Center Standards Regarding Disorderly Conduct](#) (Lakeview Standards), and that my participation is contingent upon following these guidelines.
- As outlined in the Lakeview Standards, the following acts are considered violations of the behavioral expectations of Aggie Transition Camps, and may result in my removal from Camp and referral to the appropriate authority:
- Criminal mischief, reckless damage or destruction to property, structures, equipment, or vehicles, and theft (under \$750.00).
- Disorderly conduct or breach of the peace such as use of abusive, indecent, profane, or vulgar language or gestures; indecent exposure or public lewdness; or displays that tend to incite a breach of the peace; or creating by chemical or other means a noxious and unreasonable odor in a public place.
- Possession or use of alcoholic beverages or controlled substances.
- Possession of firearms, fireworks, illegal or prohibited knives, knuckles, clubs or instruments of any type that are specially designed, made, or adapted for the purpose of inflicting bodily injury.
- Injury, reckless conduct, or terroristic threat that would indicate intent to do bodily harm to self or others.
- Enticement or solicitation of a child; Violations of the Safe Sanctuary or Safe Camps Policies
- Sexual harassment, either verbal or physical.
- Other conduct that interrupts, disrupts, impedes, or otherwise interferes with a planned program.
- The use of fire starter devices or pyrotechnics are prohibited unless used in organized programs which have been approved by Lakeview. In no case will open fires be allowed in or near structures or unprotected areas.
- Cutting, breaking, or otherwise defacing trees, shrubs, or other native plants is prohibited unless part of a program of improvement approved by Lakeview.

Parking On Site (SESSION 1 ONLY)

Aggie Transition Camps primary mode of transportation for all participants will be charter buses that will transport all participants to/from our off-campus campsite. Participants must check-in on-campus at Texas A&M University on the first day of camp, and will return via charter bus back to Texas A&M University on the last day of camp. In extenuating circumstances, special permission to use a personal vehicle to/from our off-campus campsite may be granted. Requests to use a personal vehicle may be made by emailing Aggie Transition Camps at atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu and must be made no later than **Monday, July 28th, 2025**. If permission is granted, I verify that by electronically signing this registration form:

- I will not transport or store alcoholic beverages or controlled substances in my vehicle. I will immediately notify Aggie Transition Camp staff if I fail to remove these items from my vehicle prior to arriving at camp.

- I will not transport or store firearms, fireworks, illegal or prohibited knives, knuckles, clubs, or instruments of any type that are specially designed, made, or adapted for the purpose of inflicting bodily injury in my vehicle. I will immediately notify Aggie Transition Camp staff if I fail to remove these items from my vehicle prior to arriving at camp.
- I will adhere to the posted speed limits and the instructions of Aggie Transition Camp staff while at camp (or something along these lines).

In special circumstances (i.e. transporting yourself to/from camp at our off-campus campsite) participation in Aggie Transition Camps may be contingent upon the collection of personal vehicle keys upon arrival at T-Camp/Howdy Camp by Aggie Transition Camps program staff (as applicable). Keys will be returned at the conclusion of the program (as applicable). Students will only be permitted to access their vehicles in extenuating circumstances as deemed necessary by the program staff. TAMU and Aggie Transition Camps are not responsible for theft or damages to your vehicle or belongings.

Any violation of the above agreements will subject the participant to dismissal without a refund.

By agreeing, I am stating that I have carefully read and understand the provisions stated above and I agree to be bound thereby.

Emergency Information

For emergencies, please call the Aggie Transition Camps Office at 979-862-1785 or Student Activities at (979) 845-1133. You may also email atc-reg@dsa.tamu.edu.

For EXTREME EMERGENCY use only, there is a phone line established at Lakeview in order for information to be relayed to campers. This number is 903-538-2957 and is directly linked to on-site Aggie Transition Camps Headquarters. Please only use this phone number in extreme circumstances.

Again, welcome to the Aggie family. Our staff has been eagerly awaiting your arrival for months now, so we are beyond excited to see you at camp.