2019 CAMPS, CLINICS AND ACADEMIES













Chickasaw Nation



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Our youth are the future of our tribe and deserve every opportunity to learn, grow and succeed. We encourage them to be well-rounded individuals with a passion for many facets of life.

Our camps, clinics and academies provide a safe and positive environment for personal skills development and motivation to help our youth achieve future success.

We are looking forward to another year of fun, excitement and learning with our young people!

Sincerely,

Bill Anoatubby, Governor The Chickasaw Nation

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*Certain camps, clinics and academies are only available to children who meet specific requirements or adults 18 years and older.

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ELIGIBILITY AND SELECTION PROCESS







- Eligibility requirements are provided on each camp, clinic and academy page. Additional eligibility information can be found on Chickasaw.net.
- The application for all camps, clinics and academies can be found at Chickasaw.net/YouthCamps.
- Applicants should complete only one application. All camps, clinics and academies are listed on the application. Applicants will indicate all camps he/she wishes to attend.
- A complete application must be submitted before April 15 to be considered for acceptance.



RUNNING CLINIC

SUMMER CLINIC • AGES 8 TO 18 • ADA HIGH SCHOOL TRACK, ADA. OKLAHOMA



This clinic teaches participants the proper techniques and skills to become a successful runner.

Clinic instruction is led by highly skilled high school coaches, experienced runners and the youth services staff. Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUTH ATHLETICS AT (580) 272-5716 OR YOUTHCAMPS@CHICKASAW.NET.





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FISHING CLINIC

SUMMER CLINIC • CHICKASAW FAMILIES
INSLEE FISH FARM, TISHOMINGO, OKLAHOMA





MAY 11

The fishing clinic promotes aquatic resources awareness and is a great way to give youth an opportunity to learn about fishing. Participants will learn about identifying types of fish, knot tying, fish cleaning and cooking, proper equipment to use, water safety, outdoor ethics, water quality, and state laws and regulations. This is a one-day camp. Transportation is not provided.

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CHIKASHA ALBINACHI "CULTURAL CAMP"

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 6 TO 11 • CHICKASAW CULTURAL CENTER, SULPHUR, OKLAHOMA



MAY 22-23

This two-day camp provides students the opportunity to learn about and experience a variety of cultural activities, such as traditional games, stomp dancing, crafts and the Chickasaw language. Transportation is provided from Ada, Ardmore, Norman and Tishomingo.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT CULTURAL RESOURCES AT (580) 622-7140.





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ENVIRONMENTAL CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 8 TO 12 • CHICKASAW NATION HOUSING, ADA, OKLAHOMA





MAY 30-31

The two-day Environmental Camp focuses on connecting kids with nature and the outdoors, which is essential to our children's health and development.

Activities include outdoor ethics and the importance of taking care of nature, safety and navigation and identification of dangerous and poisonous plants and animals.

Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES AT (580) 272-5412.



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CAMP SURVIVOR

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 9 TO 13 • YMCA CAMP CLASSEN, DAVIS, OKLAHOMA



MAY 28-31

Camp Survivor is a wellness camp that incorporates activities promoting physical, mental, cultural and spiritual health.

Throughout the week, campers participate in numerous activities, including swimming, hiking, fishing, archery, canoeing, rock-climbing, stickball and nutrition education.

Campers also compete in mental and physical challenges and attend daily "tribal councils," where individuals and groups receive special recognition. This is an overnight camp.

Transportation is not provided.

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YOUTH GOLF CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • GOLF 101, AGES 8 TO 11 • GOLF II, AGES 12 TO 18 WINSTAR GOLF COURSE, THACKERVILLE, OKLAHOMA





GOLF 101: JUNE 3-4 GOLF II: JUNE 5-6

Golf Camp provides Native American youth the opportunity to enjoy the game of golf while learning life skills, such as honor, integrity and sportsmanship. Instruction for all skill levels is provided by a highly knowledgeable and motivated staff. Golf 101 is a day camp, and Golf II is an overnight camp. Transportation is provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUTH CAMPS AT (580) 272-5716 OR YOUTHCAMPS@CHICKASAW.NET.





HISTORY CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 8 TO 14 • CHICKASAW CAPITOL, TISHOMINGO, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 3-5

At this camp, participants will have the opportunity to tour the Chickasaw Council House Museum, Chickasaw Capitol, Boggy Depot and Fort Washita. Students will enjoy activities such as stickball, fishing and flying kites and learn how to create stickballs, arrows and fish nets. Lunch will be provided. This is not an overnight camp. Transportation is only provided during the tours.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE CHICKASAW PRESS AT (580) 436-7282.



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CHICKASAW NATION AVIATION AND SPACE ACADEMY (CNASA)

SUMMER ACADEMY • AGES 10 TO 18 • SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND MATH ACADEMY BUILDING, ADA, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 3-7

CNASA is an action packed educational camp of learning through hands-on activities, challenges and teamwork designed to inspire, motivate and challenge Chickasaw youth. This weeklong journey of discovery is aimed to ignite a desire to pursue careers in science, technology, aviation and space exploration.

Transportation and accommodations are provided for CNASA scholarship students who live out of state, but availability is limited.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT CHICKASAW.NET/STEM. CONTACT THE STEM PROGRAM AT (580) 272-5579 OR STEM@CHICKASAW.NET.







FCA COMPETITORS CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 11 TO 14 • CAMP WOW, GERTY, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 5-8

The FCA Competitors Camp combines great facilities and activities with the athleticism and competition that defines the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) ministry. Activities include a climbing wall, zip line, waterslide, ropes course, obstacle course, the Blob, Bible devotions, upbeat music, topical discussions and more. The Chickasaw Nation sponsors 20 students to attend FCA Competitors Camp. This is an overnight camp. Transportation is not provided.

*This camp is hosted by Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA).

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NATIVE AMERICAN JR. OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 8 TO 18 • WINSTAR GOLF COURSE, THACKERVILLE, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 7

The Native American Junior Open allows youth to experience a tournament atmosphere without the pressures of a school or golf association tournament. It is also a qualifying tournament for Chickasaw youth ages 12-18, for 10 available spots on the Team Chickasaw golf team. Transportation is not provided.

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TENNIS CLINIC

SUMMER CLINIC • AGES 6 TO 18 • OKLAHOMA CITY TENNIS CENTER, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 10-11

This clinic will offer students the experience of training on both indoor and outdoor courts. Participants learn life skill lessons, nutrition and all of the tools necessary to build a solid foundation for the sport of tennis. Class instruction is led by a highly skilled coaching staff. Transportation is provided.

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HOLISSO IKBI "BOOK CREATION" CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 10 TO 18
EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, ADA, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 11-14

This camp introduces students to the world of book publishing from concept to writing, illustrating, editing, design and production. The students will be trained and guided through the steps of book creation while producing a book in digital format. This is not an overnight camp. Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE CHICKASAW PRESS AT (580) 436-7282.







SOFTBALL CLINIC

SUMMER CLINIC • AGES 6 TO 18 • D-BAT SPORTS PLEX, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 13-14

This camp focuses on improving the fundamentals of hitting, pitching, fielding, conditioning and teamwork. Camp instruction is led by high school and college-level coaches and players, who are dedicated to helping students improve their softball skills. Transportation is provided.

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YAAKNI' INAALHPISAAT CHOKMA "THE NATION'S LAWS ARE GOOD" CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 8 TO 14 • CHICKASAW NATION JUDICIAL BUILDING, ADA, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 13-14

This two-day camp educates youth on the operations of a tribal court system. Students have the opportunity to meet tribal judges, supreme court justices, Chickasaw Lighthorse police officers, peacemakers and court staff. Students will visit the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training facility, and participate in mock trials.

Mock trial participants will work with experienced speakers and lawyers to learn the structure and process differences of tribal court systems. Students will be directly exposed to the basics in certain substantive areas of Chickasaw tribal law. This is not an overnight camp. Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT TIFFANY POSTOAK AT (580) 235-0279 OR TIFFANY.POSTOAK@CHICKASAW.NET.





FCA XTREME CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 15 TO 18 • CROSSPOINT CAMP, KINGSTON, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 16-20

This camp is for students who want to participate in challenging activities and great fellowship. Campers have the opportunity to water ski, water tube, skeet shoot, rappel, ride horses, compete in huddle competitions, scale a 65-foot climbing tower and experience a high ropes challenge course. Campers will also enjoy outstanding speakers and great music. This is an overnight camp. Transportation is not provided.

*This camp is hosted by Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA).
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SUMMER CLINIC • AGES 6 TO 18 • D-BAT SPORTS PLEX, OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 17-18

This clinic is designed to teach essential life skills, such as dedication, goal setting and teamwork, while teaching the basic skills of baseball. Camp instruction focuses on improving the fundamentals of hitting, pitching and fielding. Campers learn how goal setting and self-discipline improve playing ability and help in everyday life. Transportation is provided.

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CHICKASAW LIGHTHORSE POLICE YOUTH ACADEMY

SUMMER ACADEMY • AGES 9 TO 15 • LIGHTHORSE POLICE DEPARTMENT, ADA, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 17-20

This academy provides an excellent opportunity for youth to explore a career in law enforcement. Academy students will hear presentations from law enforcement personnel, learn life skills, such as teamwork, communication, safety and crime prevention and participate in cadet training. The academy is designed to teach campers about the guiding principles of law enforcement. Campers receive instruction by personnel from several divisions of the Lighthorse Police Department including presentations and demonstrations from patrol, K-9, investigations and the SWAT and dive teams. The academy encourages responsible citizenship, provides positive interaction with police officers and educates campers about the challenges and responsibilities of police work. This is not an overnight camp. Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE LIGHTHORSE POLICE DEPARTMENT AT (580) 436-1166.





CHAMPIONS FOOTBALL CLINIC

SUMMER CLINIC • AGES 8 TO 18 • ADA HIGH SCHOOL INDOOR FACILITY, ADA, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 20-21

At this clinic, a team of veteran coaches and players teach students fundamental football skills. Highlights include an 8-to-1 student to instructor ratio, offensive drills, defensive drills and more. This clinic also includes testing and evaluation for the 40 yard dash, pro-agility, vertical and broad jumps. Transportation is provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUTH CAMPS AT (580) 272-5716 OR YOUTHCAMPS@CHICKASAW.NET.





CHEERLEADING CLINIC

SUMMER CLINIC • AGES 6 TO 18 • CHICKASAW NATION FAMILY LIFE CENTER, ADA, OKLAHOMA





JUNE 20-21

At this clinic, cheerleading coaches instruct students on motion, jumps, spirit, rhythm, health and fitness. Students enhance their abilities and learn basic cheerleading fundamentals geared toward their skill level. Transportation is provided.

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CHICKASAW CULTURAL ENRICHMENT FAMILY CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • CHICKASAW FAMILIES • TATANKA RANCH, STROUD, OKLAHOMA



JUNE 25-28

This camp promotes the use of the Chickasaw language through language immersion sessions, games and a variety of cultural activities. This is an overnight camp. Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT AT (580) 272-5592 OR LANGUAGEDEPARTMENT@CHICKASAW.NET.





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TANUMPO HOSA APISA "THE PLACE FOR SHOOTING GUNS" CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 12 TO 18 • SOUTHERN OKLAHOMA SPORTSMAN'S CLUB, DAVIS, OKLAHOMA





JULY 1-2

This camp features instruction on gun safety and marksmanship techniques. The camp focuses on the disciplines required for Olympic-style target shooting and consists of both classroom instruction and firing practice. Transportation is provided.

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YOUTH BASKETBALL CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • BASKETBALL CLINIC 101: AGES 6 TO 11,
BASKETBALL CAMP II: AGES 12 TO 18
OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY. OKLAHOMA CITY. OKLAHOMA



BASKETBALL CLINIC 101: JULY 8-9 BASKETBALL CAMP II: JULY 10-11

Youth Basketball Camp participants learn basketball techniques from high school head coaches, university coaches, current or former university coaches and players. Basketball 101 is a day camp, and Basketball II is an overnight camp. Transportation is provided.

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CHICKASAW ARTS ACADEMY

SUMMER SESSION • AGES 8 TO 18 • INTERMEDIATE AND MAJOR LEVEL STUDENTS, AGES 12 TO 18, UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, NORMAN, OKLAHOMA

STARTING ARTS ROTATION (STAR) STUDENTS, AGES 8 TO 11, EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, ADA, OKLAHOMA





INTERMEDIATE AND MAJOR LEVEL: JULY 12 - 27 STARTING ARTS ROTATION (STAR): JULY 15 - 26

The Chickasaw Arts Academy is an intensive exploration of the various artistic fields, career preparatory programming and student oriented skill development.

Participants gain experience in 2-D and 3-D visual art, culinary art, musical theater, dance, vocal music, instrumental music and composition, photography, theater technology, video production, fashion and accessory design, costume design, special effects and makeup and much more. Students are divided into various levels to accommodate specific ages and skills. The academy emphasizes Chickasaw, Southeastern Native American cultures and other tribal aesthetics through the fine and performing arts.

Intermediate and major level students will begin the summer session July 12 and conclude July 27. An arts gala and showcase, highlighting student work, culminates the twoweek experience July 27 at the University of Oklahoma (OU). Students accepted into intermediate and major levels will be required to stay on campus at OU as residential students.

The STAR, intermediate and major level galas are public opening receptions that highlight the visual arts and musical compositions. The STAR, intermediate and major level showcases are performing arts events that incorporate all of the performing arts disciplines into a final production.

*Attending the summer session of the academy is a prerequisite for the fall session, spring session, and any additional sessions of the Chickasaw Arts Academy.

Transportation is provided from Ada to Norman.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES DIVISION AT (580) 272-5520 OR EMAIL ARTSACADEMY@CHICKASAW.NET.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 15

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CHIKASHSHAAT HOOCHOKOSHKOMO "CHICKASAWS ARE PLAYING" CAMP

SUMMER CAMP • AGES 8 TO 18 TBD, ADA, OKLAHOMA





JULY 23-24

This day camp provides students the opportunity to learn the history of playing the traditional game of stickball. Students will also learn the fundamentals of lacrosse. Students will participate in stickball and lacrosse drills. Transportation is provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT AT (580) 272-5592 OR LANGUAGEDEPARTMENT@CHICKASAW.NET.





CHIKASHA POYA "WE ARE CHICKASAW"

SUMMER CAMP • INCOMING HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMAN-SENIORS DEPARTMENT OF CULTURE & HUMANITIES, ADA, OKLAHOMA



AUGUST 5-9

This five-day camp provides students the opportunity to have an in-depth Chickasaw language-learning experience. Students will be taught practical language with a focus on interactions with other tribal citizens. Students will participate in a cultural exchange with another Native American tribe and experience cultural enrichment through fun and engaging activities. Transportation is not provided.

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FALL (2019) SPRING (2020) CAMP • AGES 8 TO 18 CAMP BOND, TISHOMINGO, OKLAHOMA





FALL: OCTOBER 11-13, 2019 SPRING: APRIL 10-12, 2020

Hayaka Unta Camp gives Chickasaw youth and their parents or guardians an opportunity to share quality time together while enjoying the natural beauty of the outdoors. This camp offers a variety of exciting and challenging activities, including canoeing, hiking, fishing, archery and camping. This is an overnight camp for parents and children. Transportation is not provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT YOUTH ATHLETICS AT (580) 272-5716 OR YOUTHCAMPS@CHICKASAW.NET.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 15



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HALLOWEEN LOCK-IN

FALL CAMP • **AGES 8 TO 13** ANDY ALLIGATOR'S, NORMAN, OKLAHOMA



OCTOBER 25-26

Students who attend this Halloween-themed lock-in participate in mini-bowling, go-karts, batting cages, mini-golf, a rock climbing wall, bumper cars, arcade games, costume contest and a variety of other fun activities throughout the night. Small accessories will be available for those without a costume. This is an overnight camp. Transportation is provided.

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 15





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SOCCER CLINIC

WINTER CLINIC • SOCCER CLINIC 101: AGES 6 TO 8 SOCCER CLINIC II: AGES 9 TO 13 ADA HIGH SCHOOL INDOOR FACILITY, ADA, OKLAHOMA





SOCCER CLINIC 101: DECEMBER 19 SOCCER CLINIC II: DECEMBER 20

In this one-day soccer clinic, participants learn techniques from college-level coaches, dedicated to teaching students the fundamentals of soccer and teamwork. Transportation is not provided.

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: AUGUST 15













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