

Things to Bring to Camp

- Sheets and blanket or a sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Pajamas (clothing to sleep in)
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Hairbrush and/or comb
- Soap and shampoo
- Towels and washcloths
- Swimsuit
- Flip-flops to wear to the pool
- Sweatshirt or jacket
- Tennis shoes
- Several changes of clothing
- Sunscreen lotion & bug spray
- Flashlight
- Spending money for snacks, crafts, and souvenirs
- Postcards and stamps (if you want to write someone)
- Disposable Camera (*optional*)

Your \$380 camp fee includes...

- 4 nights lodging and 12 nutritious meals
- Tons of Fun & Free Activities!
(There is a small fee for canteen and craft items.)



Clyde York 4-H Center

Visit our website:

<https://clydeyork4hcenter.tennessee.edu>

How to Sign Up:

Camp sign-up begins **Monday, April 6th**. Applications and payment can be turned in at the Extension Office. Office hours are 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday. Applications will be taken *until May 15th* or until all available spots have been filled. Camp is limited to 50 youth.

Sign-up is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Cost:

This year, the cost of camp is **\$380**. A deposit of \$190 or the full amount of \$380 is required at the time of registration. **The full balance is due by May 15th. NO EXCEPTIONS.** We must turn in names of all campers at that time. Smith County will be charged for each camper that is registered.

The only valid reasons for a refund are:

1. Illness (ONLY with doctor's statement)
2. Injury (ONLY with doctor's statement)
3. Death in the family

Partial scholarships in the amount of \$190 will be available this year. **Applications are due April 20th.** Look for scholarship applications at our office or on our website: smith.tennessee.edu. Scholarship recipients will be notified by May 1st.



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Smith County 4-H Junior Camp



**Camping . Crafts . Friends
Sports . Swimming . Nature**

June 8-12, 2026

Clyde M. York 4-H Center
Crossville, TN

Open to 4th-6th Grade 4-H'ers
(as of January 1, 2026)

*Smith County will be camping with
Bedford, Macon, and Sumner
County this year!*

**If you have any questions about 4-H Camp,
please call 615-735-2900 or visit
smith.tennessee.edu.**

Things to Know

At 4-H Camp, you'll find so many exciting things to do!

Things to Leave at Home

Junior Camp is open to 4-H'ers in grades 4-6 (as of January 1st of the current year). Campers will meet and ride a bus to camp. Transportation to and from camp and a t-shirt is included in the camp fee.

4-H Agents Rachel Petty and Lexy Tipton, adult and teen volunteer leaders, and permanent camp staff encourage all participants to experience new adventures and make new friends! Every effort is made to insure the safety of the campers.

Facilities are regularly inspected and meet health department guidelines. The 4-H Center is accredited according to the strict guidelines of the **American Camp Association**. A first-aid station is located on the campgrounds and a healthcare professional is employed by the 4-H Center. Medications for allergies and other conditions are kept in a safe location and monitored by adults. It is the parents' responsibility to notify the 4-H agent of any special medical needs that may apply to their child.

Professional and summer staff receive training in first aid safety procedures. There are two volunteer leaders for every 16 children, in addition to agents and camp staff. Three lifeguards and six adults are on duty at the pool at all times.

The Clyde York 4-H Center is located near Crossville atop the scenic Cumberland Plateau on 194 acres. The 4-H Center features an air-conditioned recreation hall and dining hall, where campers are served home-cooked meals and may return for seconds.

Eight air-conditioned cabins with modern bath facilities provide a wonderful atmosphere for campers. Accommodations for campers with disabilities are also available.

Grounds are fenced and gated for security purposes.

Our priority is creating a safe, fun, and positive experience for each and every camper!

- Zip line
- Swim in an Olympic-size pool with a 125-foot waterslide
- Use airbrush or tie-dye to make a t-shirt or do other crafts and woodworking projects
- Experience nature and wildlife
- Learn to canoe, paddleboard, or kayak at the lake
- Participate at the archery or rifle range
- Enjoy fishing
- Play basketball on a covered court
- Try the adventure challenge courses

You are encouraged to write to your child at camp. Send your letter to this address:

Name of Camper - Smith County
c/o Clyde York 4-H Center
62 4-H Center Drive
Crossville, TN 38572

Please do not call your child at camp or instruct him/her to call you.

If an emergency arises, you may reach Ms. Rachel or Mrs. Lexy through the camp office at 931-788-2288.

- Cell phones
- Electronic games, toys
- CD, DVD players, radios
- Expensive jewelry
- Drugs, tobacco, alcohol products
- Chewing gum
- Food
- Fireworks
- Pocket knives
- Excessive cash
- Any items not permitted at school
- Any items that may cause danger to you or other campers

Any camper bringing these items will be sent home. Parents will be called to pick up their child.

No questions asked!



If any parents are interested in attending camp as volunteer leaders, please call the 4-H Office. We must have one volunteer leader per 8 campers. Volunteers go to camp FREE!