



## New Mexico Challenge – June 3-15, 2018

NMSD’s student summer camp is designed to provide deaf and hard of hearing children with the unique opportunity to open their eyes and experience new ideas, situations, people and cultures. Students are encouraged to take safe risks and to challenge themselves intellectually, physically, socially, emotionally and communicatively.

The underlying philosophy of NMSD’s summer program is to create a setting that promotes hands-on, experiential learning opportunities. It also offers a place where academic and recreational activities come together in fun and adventurous ways.

Full two-week participation is expected (4-day camping for campers 8 yrs. and up is optional but is strongly encouraged). Tuition and room and board for this two-week adventure are provided free of charge to eligible children and youth from New Mexico who are currently in preschool through 8th grade.

Preschoolers, 18 months to 4 yrs. old, can attend as day students, Monday through Friday for both weeks. Children ages 5 to 7 can stay in the cottages during the week. Weekend accommodations may be arranged for non-local children. Children ages 8 and up will stay on campus for the full two weeks and will go camping.

Personal spending money and transportation to and from the NMSD campus is the responsibility of the parents/guardians. Space is limited and will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

### At NMSD’s Summer Camp Students Will Discover and Experience:

- Community & team-building activities
- Leadership capabilities
- Creative stories through American Sign Language and English
- Outdoor Activities such as camping, hiking, swimming, boating and more
- Strong and lasting friendships

**2018 Student Summer Camp Registration Form – Please fill out and return with other camp forms  
DEADLINE - Friday, May 4, 2018**

NMSD will confirm receipt of registration and other camp forms and your child’s acceptance into the summer camp program by letter or phone.

Parent(s) and/or Guardian(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: M F      Age: \_\_\_\_\_      Current Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ (Voice or Videophone)

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tee-shirt Size: Youth: \_\_\_\_\_ Adult: \_\_\_\_\_

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