

### **Week 1:**

#### **“A Look Back in Time”**

Prep yourself as we step in our time machines and explore America’s past! Learn what it would be like to live in the 1700s when we visit **Monmouth Battlefield State Park**! There, children will go for a hike, learn how to camp out, and prepare meals the same way people did during the American Revolution!

### **Week 2:**

#### **“Let Freedom Ring”**

To commemorate the Fourth of July, our campers will board the ferry from **Liberty State Park** and embark on a journey to **Ellis Island** where children will be able to take part in a special educational scavenger hunt through the halls of the museum. From there, we will again board the ferry and make our way to the **Statue of Liberty**!

### **Week 3:**

#### **“Blast from the Past”**

Get ready for a totally awesome week as our campers visit **YESTERcades** in Red Bank, NJ! YESTERcades is a treasure trove of retro arcade gaming from the 70s, 80s, and early 90s. From Donkey Kong to Pac-Man and everything in between these kids are sure to have a radical time!

### **Week 4:**

#### **“Take a Walk on the Wild Side”**

Embrace your inner “Ninja Warrior” as we race on over to **Urban Air**! Our campers will literally bouncing off the walls at this incredible indoor park. Kids can test their parkour skills, play ultimate dodgeball, use the dropzone airbag for stunts, or have a slam dunk contest with fellow campers.

### **Week 5:**

#### **“Weird NJ: Antiques & Animals”**

Boys and girls, children of all age’s join us on a wacky, wild (and unforgettable) adventure to Space Farms Zoo and Museum, home of Goliath, the world’s largest bear! Opened in 1927, Space Farms is not only home to over 500 wild animals, but also has 9 on-site museums which include antique cars, Native American artifacts, and much more!

**Week 6:**

“Make a Splash!”

Get your bathing suits and goggles ready, we’re going to be making a splash at **Crystal Springs Water Park**! Whether you just want to kick back and float down the lazy river or have a wild time zooming down the park’s waterslides, our campers are sure to have a blast!

**Week 7:**

“Hit Me with Your Best Shot”

Lace up those sneakers and grab a water bottle, our Y campers are going to break a sweat at Coastal Sports! Here, campers and counselors will take part in a series of adventurous and over-the-top games and challenges such as bubble-ball, archery tag, nerf wars, and much more!

**Week 8:**

“Gems, Geology, and Gardens...Oh My!”

Step inside a world of wonder as we visit an actual 2,400 year-old Egyptian mummy at the **Rutgers Geology Museum**! Campers will also see real dinosaur tracks, view huge gem and mineral collections, and see the skeleton of a mastodon which once roamed New Jersey. From there, they will head over to **Rutgers Gardens** and learn about natural habitats, gardening, and the environment!

**Week 9:**

“Hands on Exploration”

Join us as we put on our lab coats and venture to the **Liberty Science Center**! Our Y campers will play the role of scientists as they plunge into a sea of knowledge! The children can learn about outer space, the human body, animals, and so much more in a variety of hands on experiments supervised by experts at the science center. This trip is always a hit with our campers!