



ADAMS MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians of Seventh Grade Students,

It is with great enthusiasm that I write to you about an exciting program available to all Adams' seventh graders. The Catalina Island Marine Institute (CIMI) is a science camp on Catalina Island that will provide our students, your children, with an amazing experience that has the potential to not only increase their knowledge and interest in science, but may spark a life-long passion for learning.

We only have reservations for 135 seventh grade students. Participating students will have the opportunity to visit CIMI Fox Landing for a three-day, two-night excursion from May 31 - June 2, 2017. At CIMI, students will participate in active, hands-on learning experiences about marine life and island habitat through various activities such as snorkeling, taking an island ecology hike and kayaking. Through an innovative curriculum and professional outdoor staff, students will experience the thrill of seeing, touching and learning about the world around them.

Students are housed in gender-specific dorms with our seventh grade teachers, parents, and camp staff chaperones. The cost for each student is \$300; cost includes camp, all meals and bus/boat transportation fees.

If your child would like to reserve a spot for CIMI Camp, please send a \$150 non-refundable deposit to Mrs. Chavez in the main office by Monday, April 10, 2017. Spaces are available on a FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED basis.

Please make checks payable to Adams Middle School. Final payment is due no later than Friday, May 5, 2017.

If your student does not earn a minimum of 2.0 GPA at the end of the fourth quarter progress report, has any D's or F's or N's or U's in Citizenship; or has had any discipline incidents, he/she will not be eligible to attend Catalina Camp.

There will be a parent/student meeting on **Tuesday, May 23, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.** in the Cafeteria. We will be discussing important information regarding the trip.

If you are interested in being a chaperone, please send Ms. Chavez an email avaladez-chavez@rbusd.org as soon as possible. Please know that chaperones are responsible for providing proof of a TB test and must undergo fingerprinting.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lisa Veal
Principal, Adams Middle School

****Please assist us with planning our excursion to CIMI by completing the tear-off below.**



Return form and \$150 deposit to Mrs. Chavez (Main Office) by Monday, April 10, 2017 to secure your child's spot.

Student's Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____

Parent/Guardian's Email Address _____ Contact Phone _____

Please print legibly - we will be sending emails periodically containing important information!

_____ I/We would gladly make a donation in the amount of \$_____ towards another student's participation fee.