



Deerkill Transportation Policy & Authorization Form

We want to guarantee that all campers are returned home as safely and as quickly as possible. You can be of great assistance to us. You should be waiting outside your home or at the central bus stop for your children when the bus returns. Unless we have written authorization below, our bus counselor must see you before releasing your child. **Please sign and return this form to us by June 1st.**

Date: _____

Parent Name: _____

Camper Name(s): _____

Parent Signature: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

If your child has your permission to return to an empty home OR self-dismiss with a doorman or from a central stop, please note this important fact below. Otherwise, if we are not sure you are home, the bus driver will beep, or the bus counselor will ring your bell before continuing to the next stop. A 2nd attempt will be made to return your children home later in the route.

If you have not given us permission to leave your child at an empty home, or with a doorman or self-dismiss, and **if you are going to be delayed please call us as soon as possible.** Our buses have commercial radio systems and our counselors carry cellphones. Open communications will greatly reduce everyone's anxiety and frustration.

Please indicate below as to whom, other than the camper's parents, is authorized to pick up your children in the afternoon. Note that we will not drop off your children with another parent, grandparent or caregiver unless we receive this written authorization in advance. It is our policy to check identification before releasing a camper to another adult.

If we are not home or present I authorize Deerkill to allow my children to:

- Self-dismiss to an **EMPTY HOME**
- Self-dismiss to our **DOORMAN**
- Self-dismiss from the **CENTRAL BUS STOP (Hoboken, Weehawken, Jersey City)**
- Self-dismiss at **CORNER (NYC only - to reduce transit time)**
- Counselor **NOT** authorized to escort children to the building (NYC only - in rare circumstances, to save time our counselors may escort campers from the corner)

I authorize the following people to pick up my child(ren) in the afternoon at home or at the central bus stop (**please limit to ONLY 3 individuals due to system constraints – you may add or change individuals at a later time**):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____