



## **Waitlist FAQs**

Below are a few commonly asked questions regarding our waitlist. If your camper has been waitlisted for any of their desired sessions, please take a brief moment to read through this document:

### **How do I know what place my camper is on the waitlist?**

Feel free to email or give us a call at 617-630-2373 and we would be happy to let you know their exact spot.

### **How are spots on the waitlists determined?**

Spots on the waitlists are organized by the date and exact time that your application was received. Waitlists are also organized by school grade, gender and program. As we receive cancellations and/or changes in camper registrations, slots open and campers move up one spot on their specific waitlist.

### **Will I be automatically added when there is a spot available?**

No. We do not automatically add a camper off the waitlist before getting confirmation you are still interested in the spot. You will receive an email with the subject line "WAITLIST NEWS". You will then have 24 hours to confirm your spot. If we do not hear back from you within 24 hours, we will move on to the next camper on the waitlist. We recommend listing [summer@fessenden.org](mailto:summer@fessenden.org) as a known email, or important email, in your contacts to avoid our messages going into your spam folder..

### **Have we been charged for my camper to be on the waitlist?**

No, we do not charge a deposit fee for a camper to be on the waitlist. Only after you are offered a spot, and confirm that you would like to register your camper, will we charge your account the \$100 per week deposit.

### **When will I hear if my camper has a spot?**

We leave our waitlists open until June, and in some cases even later. While the majority of our openings happen between January and mid-May, we do still have cancellations even the week prior to a given week.

### **Can I register for my second choice program and still remain on the waitlist for my first choice?**

Yes, if you are interested in registering for a second choice program while you remain on the waitlist, please call the camp office for assistance.

For any other questions regarding the waitlist, please feel free to reach out to us via email at [summer@fessenden.org](mailto:summer@fessenden.org) or call the office at 617-630-2373.