Day Camp Guide & Map







| Camps in Greater MetroWest NJ | |
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| 2 | Camp Gan Israel - Morristown ganisrael.org • (862) 244-3420 |
| 3 | Camp Moshava Ba'ir MetroWest mbmw.moshavabair.org • (212) 465-9536 |
| 4 | Camp Neshama grtwacademy.org/school_life/camp_neshama (973) 584-5530 x3020 |
| 5 | Camp Yachad (Day Camp, Travel Camp & Specialty Camps) jccnj.org/campyachad • (908) 889-8800 x209 |
| 6 | Friendship Circle Summer Camp fcnj.com • (973) 251-0200 |
| 7 | JCC MetroWest Summer Camps (Early Childhood Camp & Exploration Camps) jccmetrowest.org/programs/camps (973) 530–3430 • (973) 530–3993 |
| 8 | Union Y Camps uniony.org/main/camp • (908) 289-8112 |
| | Camps Nearby Greater MetroWest NJ |
| 9 | Camp Ruach jcccampruach.org • (908) 443-9026 |
| 10 | Camp Veritans campveritans.com • (973) 956-1220 |
| 11 | Ramah Day Camp in Nyack ramahnyack.org • (845) 358-6240 |



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Jewish camp hits different!

Use this guide to discover all of the leading area day camps serving the Greater MetroWest NJ community (Essex, Morris, Union, Sussex and parts of Somerset counties). With exciting activities, top-notch staff, and a welcoming community rooted in Jewish values, summer camp offers the perfect blend of action with the warm, spirited environment our kids need right now.

One Happy Camper NJ is a free service of Jewish Federation of Greater MetroWest NJ providing free, personalized guidance about day camps, sleepaway camps, and teen programs to help you find the right camp for your child.



Frequently Asked Questions

What camps are included in this guide?

The camps included here are leading Jewish day camps located in Greater MetroWest or nearby that offer bussing from areas within Greater MetroWest. Some camps may serve specific geographic areas. In addition to the camps listed here, many area synagogues and early childhood centers offer summer camp programs.

What do you mean by "Jewish Camp?"

Camps that are built on Jewish values, with Judaism woven creatively into the program. Some are more culturally focused while others are affiliated with a certain Jewish denomination. A celebration of Shabbat and spirit of Israel are special elements of camp.

Are children of all backgrounds welcome to attend Jewish camps?

Yes, campers of all backgrounds are welcome at Jewish camp. Many camps are inclusive communities that are welcoming to interfaith families, campers of diverse backgrounds, LGBTQ+ campers and families, and children of all abilities.

Are children with disabilities able to attend Jewish camp?

Many camps offer inclusion programs and accommodations to support campers with disabilities. It is important to have an individual discussion with each camp and to start the process as early as possible. Contact Rebecca Wanatick, Federation's Director of Disability Inclusion & Belonging, for camp guidance at rwanatick@jfedgmw.org or (973) 929–3129.

Are financial incentives and assistance to attend day camps available?

Yes! Camps directly offer incentives (new camper, early-bird, siblings, etc.) and need-based scholarships. (FYI: For overnight camp, there are additional grants and scholarships available from Federation). The weekly cost of camp is lower the longer a child attends. Working at camp is also a fantastic way to help subsidize the cost.



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