



PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL

SERVICE LEARNING



Guidelines for Outdoor Science / Environmental Camps

(Camp Campbell, Walden West, Santa Cruz County Outdoor School)

Dear Volunteer and Parent/Guardian:

Thank you for your interest in Camp Campbell, Walden West, and/or the Santa Cruz County Outdoor Science School. Please read through the following important details and sign the back of this paper (along with your parent/guardian) before completing any applications for one of these camps.

Attending one of these camps is a privilege, not a right. Students must meet all of the requirements and gather the appropriate permissions before attending. There are plenty of other community service options for students to attend.

Requirements:

- ❖ You must have at least a C in all of your current classes. If you have a D or F in any course then that disqualifies you from attending.
- ❖ If your grades drop to a D or F prior to you attending the camp then you will not be allowed to attend.
- ❖ You must have less than 3 unexcused absences ❖ You must have less than 5 tardies
- ❖ If a student is attending in order to earn hours for the Sophomore Project then their world problem topic must relate to either an educational or environmental theme (Child Abuse DOES NOT COUNT).

Students will only earn 20 hours of community service if they attend during a school week. If students attend over break they will earn a maximum of 40 hours of community service (regardless of what the agency says). Students must have a good review from the camp in order to earn their community service.



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Please understand, when students attend during a school week, they will miss five days of class. Most students will have their grades drop due to their absences. Every student is expected to make up any work within one week of attending.

Students must fill out this form and submit it to Ms Sharpe (Student Services) by Monday prior to attending the camp. If students attend without permission they will earn zero hours of community service and their absences will be listed as unexcused.

For any questions or concerns, please speak with your World History teacher or Mr Burrell.

Mike Burrell
Service Learning Coordinator

I understand the responsibilities and requirements for attending camp.

Student Name (Please Print): _____

Student Signature: _____

I understand that attending Camp Campbell / Walden West / and the Santa Cruz County Outdoor Science School is not a right but a privilege and that my student will have to make up all the work that is missed within a reasonable time period.

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____