Young Writers Camp 2015 Application

Deadline for applications is June 26, 2015

Thank you for your interest in the South Coast Writing Project's Young Writers Camp, a place for those who enjoy writing. Writers of all skill levels are welcome, with the only requirement being that students want to attend camp each day, participate in writing activities, and maintain a positive, respectful attitude throughout.

TO APPLY:
1. Fill out this entire application (pages 1-6). You must have a SEPARATE application for EACH student being enrolled.
2. Provide a check or money order payable to “UC REGENTS” for the total amount owed. If paying for multiple students, the entire amount can be on one check or money order.
3. Mail all of the above documents before June 26, 2015 to the mailing address found on page 6 in the NINTH section of this document.

*Please note that your child’s spot in camp will not be reserved until all materials and payment have been received.

FIRST – CAMP LOCATION

Place a check next to the time slot underneath the camp location that you want. Select the grade level that your child will be entering in SEPTEMBER.

1. UCSB, July 20 - 31, Mon. – Fri.
   __ Grades 3-4 from 1:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
   __ Grades 5-6 from 1:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
   __ Grades 7-9 from 1:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

2. Cal Lutheran University, July 20 - 31, Mon. – Fri.
   __ Grades 3-4 from 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
   __ Grades 5-6 from 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
   __ Grades 7-9 from 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

3. Mesa Union, July 27 – August 7, Mon. - Fri.
   __ Grades 4-6 from 9:00-12:30 p.m.
   __ Grades 7-9 from 9:00-12:30 p.m.
SECOND – STUDENT INFORMATION & PARENT AUTHORIZATION

A. Provide the following Student Information (please print):

1. Student Name _____________________________________________________________
2. Date of Birth ________________________ Male _______ Female _______
3. Parent Name ___________________________________________________________
4. Address ________________________________________________________________
   City __________________________________________ Zip ______________
5. Best Contact Phone ____________________________________________________
6. Email Address __________________________________________________________
7. School in Sept. 2015 ____________________________________________________
8. Grade in Sept. 2015 ____________________________________________________
9. Any special educational needs? __________________________________________

B. Provide the following health/emergency contact information:

1. Name of Emergency Contact _____________________________________________
2. Phone Number _________________________________________________________
3. Child's Physician _______________________________________________________
4. Physician's Phone: ______________________________________________________
5. Allergies, if any: _______________________________________________________
6. List any medical problems that our staff should know about or any special needs
   that your child may have that you would like us to be aware of:
   _________________________________________________________________
   _________________________________________________________________

C. Parent Authorization Section (REQUIRED):

I give permission for Young Writers Camp to use my camper’s writing in various
professional presentations and/or publications.

Parent Signature _________________________________ Date ______________________

THIRD – WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT

Fill out and sign the UCSB Waiver of Liability Agreement on the next page.
Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk & Indemnity Agreement

South Coast Writing Project

Young Writers Camp 2015

Department: Class/Activity:

Waiver: In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way in

the South Coast Writing Project’s (SCWnP) Young Writers Camp (YWC) held at any one of
the following sites, UCSB (7/20-7/31); California Lutheran University (7/20-7/31); or at Mesa
Union School District (7/27-8/7), including all activities inside and outside the designated
classrooms and in all field trips on- and off- campus, including transportation.

hereinafter called "The Activity", I, for myself, my heirs, personal representative or assigns, do hereby
release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue The Regents of the University of California, its
officers, employees, and agents from liability from any and all claims including the negligence of The
Regents of the University of California, its officers, employees and agents, resulting in personal
injury, accidents, or illnesses (including death) and property loss arising from, but not limited to, participation
in The Activity.

Assumption of Risks: Participation in The Activity carries with it certain inherent risks that cannot be
eliminated regardless of the care taken to avoid injuries. The specific risks vary from one activity to another,
but the risks range from 1) minor injuries such as scratches, bruises, and sprains 2) major injuries such as eye injury or loss of sight, joint or back injuries, heart attacks, and concussions 3) catastrophic injuries including paralysis and death.

I have read the previous paragraphs and I know, understand, and appreciate these and other risks that are inherent in The Activity. I hereby assert that my participation is voluntary and that I knowingly assume all such risks.

Indemnification and Hold Harmless: I also agree to INDEMNIFY AND HOLD THE Regents of the University of California HARMLESS from any and all claims, actions, suits, procedures, costs, expenses, damages and liabilities, including attorney’s fees brought as a result of my involvement in The Activity and to reimburse them for any such expenses incurred.

Severability: The undersigned further expressly agrees that the foregoing waiver and assumption of risks agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of California and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

Acknowledgment of Understanding: I have read this waiver of liability, assumption of risk, and indemnity agreement, fully understand its terms, and understand that I am giving up substantial rights, including my right to sue. I acknowledge that I am signing the agreement freely and voluntarily, and intend by my signature to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law.

Signature of Participant

Print Name of Participant

Date

Age (If Minor)

Signature of Parent/Guardian of Participant (If Minor)

Print Name of Parent/Guardian of Participant (If Minor)

Date

Elective/Voluntary Activities Waiver - rev. 9/03

Risk Management, UC Santa Barbara
http://www.riskmanagement.ucsb.edu
FOURTH – STUDENT LETTER OF INTEREST

Please submit a 1-2 paragraph letter written by the student on the lines below explaining why they would like to be a part of Young Writers Camp this summer.

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FIFTH – CAMP FEE

**Payment must be made by check or money order:** we are unable to accept cash or credit card payments. If enrolling multiple students, a single check or money order can be used.

*Regular Registration:*
Single student: $295  
Two students: $531  (including 10% discount)  
Three students: $796.50  (including 10% discount)  
Four students: $1,062  (including 10% discount)

A 10% discount is available to a family enrolling more than one child. (Example--a brother and sister enroll at $295 each. $295 x 2 = $590. Subtract 10% discount ($59) from $590 and the total fee is $531).

*Scholarship Registration:*
Single student: $50  
Two students: $100  
Three students: $150  
Four students: $200

If you are applying for a scholarship (see EIGHTH section below), you must submit a $50 deposit **per child** to act as a placeholder for the camp.

On **June 29th**, you will be informed whether or not your child has received a scholarship and of the balance still owed to complete the registration process. The balance is **due by Friday, July 17**. If payment is not received by this date, you forfeit your 2015 scholarship award and your student will no longer be enrolled in Young Writers Camp.

SIXTH – CANCELLATIONS

Any application cancellations made prior to June 30, 2015 will be refunded, minus a $25.00 administrative fee per student. Cancellations made after June 30, 2015 will be refunded $175 per full-paid enrollment and $25 per scholarship deposit.

SEVENTH – SCHOLARSHIPS

The Young Writers Camp offers partial scholarships that award registration fee discounts to families for whom financial assistance is a necessity. Please indicate if you are interested in applying for a scholarship.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

If you marked no, please skip ahead to the NINTH section.

If you marked yes, please fill in the information in the EIGHTH section.
EIGHTH – SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION–PARENT INFORMATION

Annual household income $________________

In the space provided below, please provide a short statement explaining why you are applying for a scholarship for your child.

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NINTH – MAIL IN YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION & PAYMENT

Send the following in one envelope:

1) One completed application for EACH student applying for camp.

2) A check or money order, payable to “UC REGENTS” for the total amount of all students being enrolled.

Mail these materials to:

Young Writers Camp
South Coast Writing Project
Gevirtz Graduate School of Education
University of California Santa Barbara
Santa Barbara, CA 93106-9490

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