



Gear List for 3-5 year old Farm Camp

What to wear to camp:

- Dress for dirt! Stratford is a farm and nature preserve. You should expect to get dirty daily!
- Poison ivy is abundant! Long pants are recommended but not required. Use your own discretion based on your child's sensitivity.
- Comfortable shoes or boots. Slip-on sandals and Crocs are not a good idea as we'll be playing some running games and hiking daily. Poison ivy loves uncovered toes. Please wear shoes that you don't mind getting muddy or wet.

What to bring to camp (*please label everything with your child's name*):

- A backpack for your gear
- Water bottle
- Sunscreen
- Mosquito repellent
- Sun hat
- Closed toed shoes (see notes above)
- Water shoes for going in the creek
- A jacket for cool mornings
- A rain jacket or poncho if rain is forecasted
- Bag for wet/dirty items
- Change of clothes – especially socks
- A trash-free lunch (you can view instructions at <https://stratfordecologicalcenter.org/farm-camp-2023/>) if you'd like to stay after camp and picnic
- Baby carrier for younger siblings (strollers are difficult to navigate around the various terrains of the farm)

What not to bring to camp:

- × Gum or candy
- × Anything you'd be sad to lose or break