



2019 FAR Explorers

Information for 2019 FAR Explorers Campers and Families
WEEK 1 - 9:30AM-1:30PM

Waterford Oaks Waterpark— *Monday, August 19th*

A tropical-theme wave pool with palm trees and shallow-end bubbler fountains. The Dual-flume Slidewinder Waterslide and wave-action pool is heated to 78 degrees, so even when it's cloudy or windy, the water's just fine! Ragin' Rapids, a group raft ride, starts at a height of three stories; carries riders 515 feet through drops and turns; and ends in a three-foot deep splash-down pool.

Sanders Candy Factory Tour — *Tuesday, August 20th*

Morley Candy Makers is the largest producer of chocolates and confections in Michigan and is among the largest in the United States as well. Step through the *Morley Candy Makers and Sanders Candy Factory* in Clinton Township, Mi to see how our favorite treat is made from

Motown Museum — *Wednesday, August 21st*

Step into an era of musical magic on your visit to the Motown Museum. Tour Hitsville U.S.A., the birthplace of the Motown Sound. Stand where the Temptations, Four Tops, Miracles and Supremes—and many more of your favorite Motown artists and musicians recorded their famous songs. Learn how Berry Gordy started it all with an \$800 loan from his family. You'll even be invited to sing a few bars of a favorite Motown tune in the legendary Studio A. It's all here, preserved in time, waiting for you.
WEEK TWO - 9:30AM-1:30PM

Kensington Metropark- *Monday, August 26th*

All Aboard the Island Queen to enjoy the sights and sounds of Kent Lake. Capture panoramic vistas as the boat meanders around the lake, among islands and bays, and discover the interesting history of Kensington Metropark. Keep your eyes open for swans, Canada geese, mallard ducks and cormorants, look for turtles basking in the sun and an occasional osprey. After the Island Queen, we will enjoy an afternoon of swimming in the water at Maple Beach.

Detroit Style Pizza Co. -*Tuesday, August 27st*

Put on your chef hat and get ready for a fun-filled afternoon at the pizzeria! Create mini personal pizzas, learn the history, and participate in a pizza box making competition!

Sportway - *Wednesday, August 28th*

What better way to end Far Explorers 2019 then with a fun filled, adventure packed day at the *Sport Way of Westland*, Mi. Jump in a Go-

Kart and cruise around the track, play a round of putt-putt golf, perfect your golf swing at the driving range, or swing for the fences in the batting cages.

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DROP OFF & PICK UP

Campers will meet at the FAR Birmingham back parking lot each morning. Please drop off no earlier than 5 minutes prior to start time (9:25 am) and pick up no later than 1:30pm, as camp staff will not be available to supervise campers outside of camp times. We will do our best to wait for late arrivals, but due to scheduling of events, we may ask that you meet us at the location for drop off. If you are going to be late with drop off or pick up, please call **248-646-3347**.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

If your camper is involved in an emergency, once the action has been taken, a FAR staff member will call you with details and information.

Parent/Guardian: Please call FAR main office at **248-646-3347** and administration will notify the camp director immediately of the family emergency and action plan.

NON EMERGENCIES/ UPDATES

In order to get information out quickly and effectively, we will use the email provided on the registration for mass updates.

Parent/Guardian: For general questions or concerns, please call the main office at **248-646-3347** or email Danielle at **dconklin@far-therapy.org**

Campers will need a packed lunch for each day, except for August 27th. Please notify the Camp Director of any dietary needs for this day prior to camp.