

# chicago park district

## Financial Assistance Program 2012

The Chicago Park District has limited funds available to provide financial assistance for families who wish to enroll in the summer day camp program.

Financial assistance is only available to City of Chicago residents.

Applicants must provide proof of entitlement for the reduced or free lunch program from the patron's school. Applicants who do not participate in the school lunch program can prove eligibility by providing income verification (i.e., 2012 recent pay stubs for last 30 days, AFDC / TANF case #, a copy of a recent IRS 1040 form, etc.). Information submitted is confidential.

Applicants must bring copies of the required documents to their desired park from **April 23 – June 11** during normal park hours.

**Eligibility for financial assistance does not guarantee a slot for day camp and cannot be used in conjunction with any other reduced/voucher programs.**

**Patrons who intend to pursue financial aid, but wish to secure a spot prior to the processing dates, may put a 50% down payment at the desired park beginning Saturday, April 14, the first day of in-person registration at most parks.** Please contact the park to confirm in-person registration day and time.

Applicants that do not qualify for financial assistance may inquire about the payment plan option at their local park.

**Processing dates:** April 23, - June 11, 2012

**Locations:** All staffed park sites

**Hours:** Vary per location; contact your local park

For more information about your Chicago Park District, visit [www.chicagoparkdistrict.com](http://www.chicagoparkdistrict.com) or call (312) 742-PLAY(7529) or (312) 747-2001 (TTY).



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