



PARENT GUIDE: TIPS & TRICKS

(please send home with students)

PROPER ATTIRE: Overall Goal: To stay warm and dry

- **GLOVES** - waterproof gloves are a must. They are even important to have on warmer days (40+ degrees).
- **SOCKS** - long, non-cotton (wool or polyester) socks are recommended. Choose socks that are calf or knee length. Short socks can cause severe discomfort when worn inside a ski boot. Aim for socks that will reach above the ski boot.
- **HATS** - Beanies fit snugly on heads and do great at keeping heads warm.
- **JACKETS & PANTS** - Wind and waterproof outerwear will be best at protecting your child from the cold and keeping them warm and dry. Even rain jackets (with proper layers underneath) can be a good alternative option. We do not recommend wearing jeans.
- **LAYERS** – Layers keep you warm and help regulate body temperature. Vests, tank tops, long sleeve shirts, sweatshirts, long underwear, and footless tights work well as under-layers
- **EXTRAS** – Extras can't hurt. Gloves, socks and pants. Dry clothes are great for the ride home.
- **NO COTTON** – Cotton absorbs moisture and in cold conditions, will make you cold.

LOCKER RENTAL: Secure your items. Our lockers require a digital passcode created by the user. You no longer have to keep track of a key. We recommend bringing only what you need for your field trip. Don't bring valuables.

All Day Rental Rates: \$5 small or \$8 large. Exact change or credit card accepted.

FOOD & DRINK: Lunch is provided with the price of a field trip ticket. Additional food and drink items are available for purchase at the cafe. Items range from \$2-\$6 per item.

FOOD ALLERGIES: If your child has a food allergy, we recommend sending your child with a lunch prepared from home. We cannot guarantee that any item will be allergy free. Please understand that Snow Creek cannot be held responsible for your child encountering any allergens they may be susceptible to.

STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

- Appropriate, respectful behavior is expected. Offenders will be required to sit out until departure.
- Be courteous to Ski Instructors and listen carefully while taking the lesson.
- Respect our rental equipment. Do not ski or walk on gravel/concrete with skis on.
- Please help us keep our facility clean by throwing away your trash and pushing in your chairs.
- **Know and follow the Skiers Responsibility Code. See below.**

Skier Responsibility Code

- Always stay in control. Always be able to stop and avoid other people/objects
- People ahead of you have the right of way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.
- Do NOT stop where you obstruct a trail or are not visible from above.
- Whenever starting downhill or merging into a trail, look uphill and yield to others.
- Observe all posted signs and warnings. Keep off closed trails and out of closed areas.
- Prior to using any lift, know how to load, ride, and unload the lift properly.

ACCOMPANYING YOUR CHILD: Any parent(s) coming along that are not official chaperones may purchase a discounted ticket (\$31 Lift, \$54 w/Rental, \$14 group lesson) beginning at 11:30am when Snow Creek opens to the public.

MORE DETAILS CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE: www.skisnowcreek.com/fieldtrips