

2024 DETROIT LIONS SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMPS AND ACADEMIES

FAQ'S-Frequently Asked Questions

1. What are the differences between camp formats?

- a. *Camp formats vary based on location, age, days of the week, positions taught and price.*
 - i. **Fundamentals Camps** generally are conducted Monday-Thursday from 8:30am-12noon, for boys and girls between the ages of 6-14.
 - ii. **Mini-Camps** are conducted Saturday-Sunday, from 8:30am-12noon, for boys and girls between 6-14.
 - iii. **Lil' Lions Academies** are intended for the child, ages 4-7, just learning to play football. Sessions are 1 hour per each over the course of 3 sessions.
 - iv. **Flag Football Academies** Learn football skills and techniques and improve your understanding of the game of flag football.
 - v. **Girls Flag Football Academy** (For girls only!) Learn fundamentals of quarterback, wide receiver and defensive back positions while developing passing, catching and flag pulling skills!

A detailed description for each camp format can be found at www.detroitlions.com/summercamps

2. What positions will my son/daughter learn at camp?

Fundamentals Camps/Mini-Camps: each offensive and defensive position, punting & long snapping, general kick/punt coverage concepts, and team offense.

Lil' Lions Academies: participants will be introduced to the quarterback, running back and wide receiver positions.

Flag Football Academies: participants will focus on the quarterback, wide receiver and defensive back positions while developing passing, catching and flag pulling skills!

3. Does my son/daughter need a mouthpiece?

It is recommended that participants wear one, but it is not required.

4. Is my child required to bring any football equipment (i.e. Helmet, Shoulder Pads, etc.)

No. Detroit Lions Football Camps and Academies are non-contact. All necessary equipment will be provided by the Detroit Lions Football Camp. Football cleats are recommended but not required.

5. Who will be coaching the camps?

All camps will be conducted by our Detroit Lions Football Education Coaching Staff. This staff is a USA Football Heads Up Football certified staff, consisting of current high school and college coaches, past players, teachers and parents who are ALL motivated to teach and coach on a daily basis. It is their goal to provide a meaningful and positive football/character education experience!

6. Who will the Lions player/alumni be that will attend camp?

A current or former Detroit Lions player will attend 1 day of camp (Lil' Lions Academies excluded). Participants will have an opportunity to learn from this current/former player during on-field drills, a Q-A session, and during the player speech. Participants will take a group photo with the current/former player in attendance and have an opportunity to receive an autograph if they'd like. Due to the nature of off-season schedules, the name of the current/former player in attendance may not be released until the days leading up to your camp.

7. Are parents allowed to stay during camp?

Absolutely! If able, parents are encouraged to stay for the duration of camp each day although not required. We will conduct a daily Pre-Camp Parent meeting 15 minutes prior to the scheduled camp start time. Discussion points revolve around topics that can add to an overall positive sporting experience for all involved (children, parents, coaches and officials).

8. When will the purchased group photos from camp be received?

If you do not receive your group photo during the camp week, the photo will be sent to you with 2 weeks of the conclusion of your child's camp. To order camp group photos, please order your photos during the camp registration process.

9. Will Detroit Lions merchandise be available for purchase at camp?

Limited Detroit Lions merchandise will be available for purchase at each camp. Typical items include camp/promotional footballs, extra camp t-shirts, Lions mini-helmets/pocket helmets and other items. Merchandise options may vary from camp to camp.

10. I did not receive my camp confirmation e-mail. What should I do?

All summer camp confirmation e-mails are sent immediately once registration has been completed and paid. If you don't believe you've received it, please check your spam and junk folders. If you still aren't able to find it, please e-mail youthfootballcamps@detroitlions.com with the following information:

*Camper First & Last Name
Camp location/format registered for*

A confirmation e-mail will be resent to you.

11. Are there scholarship opportunities?

Yes. Limited scholarship opportunities are granted on a case-by-case basis. Please email youthfootballcamps@detroitlions.com with Subject Line: Scholarship Request and a Scholarship Application will be e-mailed to you. Applications are accepted from April 15-May 17, 2024.

12. Are there any sibling discounts?

There are no sibling discounts for Detroit Lions Summer Football Camps.

13. Is there an opportunity for a refund? If so, what is the refund policy?

There is a \$50 administrative fee for any and all cancellations of 2024 Detroit Lions Summer Football Camps and Academies. Should you choose to transfer your registration to another Camp or Academy during the summer of 2024 that has openings, no administrative fee will be administered.

*Cancellations must be requested in writing via e-mail with **CAMP CANCELLATION** in the Subject Line and sent to the following address: youthfootballcamps@detroitlions.com.*

Cancellation requests for the camp amount less the administrative fee will be processed and refunded during the following time frames:

<i>Cancellations before June 8, 2024</i>	<i>3-5 business days</i>
<i>Cancellations from June 8- August 5, 2024</i>	<i>7-10 business days</i>

