



## Education Days Frequently Asked Questions



**Q: How do we get the special Education Day rate?**

**A:** School groups of 25 people or more receive a special, discounted rate of \$20.00, per person when visiting on Education Days, which are held on Thursdays and Fridays in May.

**Q: We weren't planning on a specific Education Day. Can we use this discount on another day?**

**A:** Unfortunately, no. The Education Day rate is only available on Education Days for school groups.

**Q: Do my students need a chaperone?**

**A:** Lake Winnie doesn't require a certain student to chaperone ratio. However, all students should be in the company of a responsible adult for the entire length of your visit.

**Q: There are some parents that would like to come along. Can I include them in our group?**

**A:** Of course! Anyone purchasing tickets through your group will get the Education Day rate. If parents choose to purchase their tickets separately, they will pay full price at the Front Gate.

**Q: There are some adults that are coming as chaperones, but not interested in riding anything. What kind of ticket do they purchase?**

**A:** Lake Winnepesaukah does not offer non-rider fees, general admission, or Gate admission. Every guest is required to purchase a Ride Pass in order to enter the Park. NO exceptions.

**Q: How do I prepay for my Group's tickets?**

**A:** All prepaid orders must be received at least 10 business days before your visit. Prepaid orders will not be accepted less than 3 business days prior to your visit.

**Q: I'm bringing a rather large group. Do we get any complimentary passes?**

**A:** Yes. For every 25 STUDENT tickets you buy, you'll get 1 complimentary ticket to use during your visit.

**Q: What time does the Park open on Education Days?**

**A:** The Front Gate open promptly at 10 AM EST. Guests are not permitted to enter the Park until 10 AM.

**Q: What is your dress code?**

**A:** It is important to dress appropriately for the weather and day's activities. Tops, bottoms, and shoes are required in the Amusement Park at all times during your visit. It is best to wear tennis shoes or other closed-toe shoes while in the Park.

**Q: The Forecast is calling for rain. What if its raining the morning of our trip?**

**A:** Once you enter the Park, there are no refunds or rainchecks. If you chose to reschedule, we will do our best to accommodate you on another day, based on availability.

**Q: Will SOAKya! Waterpark we open during our visit?**

**A:** No. SOAKya! Waterpark will not open until Memorial Day weekend. This is no need to bring swim attire or swim accessories.

**Q: Will the concession stands be open while we're there?**

**A:** Yes. Lake Winnie's concession stands and kiosks will be open. We recommend bringing \$15-\$20, per person for food purchases.

**Q: How much spending money should my students bring with them?**

**A:** This is entirely up to parents and teachers. Keep in mind, the Gift Shop and Games stands will be open. There is an ATM located in the Gift Shop.

**Q: How do I get a Picnic Pavilion?**

**A:** Once we receive a completed Registration Form, we'll find space for your group in the Picnic Grounds.

**Q: I have a few students with food allergies and sensitivities, what are their food options?**

**A:** For students with dietary restrictions, we suggest bringing a homemade lunch to the park.

**Q: Can we bring sack lunches?**

**A:** Absolutely! But, all coolers and lunch bags must stay in the Picnic Grounds.

**Q: Can Lake Winnie provide lunch?**

**A:** For groups of 50 people or more, catered lunches are available. **Catered meals require at least 2 weeks notice prior to your visit. Payment for meals is due 2 weeks prior to your visit.** Meals are not tax exempt.

**Q: Is it necessary to use Lake Winnie's worksheets while in the park?**

**A:** Not at all. Some use the material while in the Park, others don't. You can use the material in a lesson that takes place before or after your trip. You can also alter the worksheets to better reflect your lesson plans.

**Q: Are guides provided to help with Educational material?**

**A:** No, the program is self-guided.

**Q: It's time to get back on the bus. Will you make an announcement to let our group know?**

**A:** It is up to the Group Leader to make a departure plan. We suggest having a group meeting place within the Park and telling everyone what time they should gather. Please remember that Lake Winnepesaukah is in the Eastern Time Zone.