

I Will Survive 5th & 6th Grade

Here at Red Butte Garden, we believe learning is fun and can happen anytime, anywhere. To help continue the fun at home, we've included an outline of the topics we'll study this week at camp as well as a list of additional activities, books, and other resources related to this week's theme. We hope you'll use this to engage with your camper and keep the learning process happening all summer long! Thanks for coming to Summer Camp, and we'll see you soon at the Garden!

CAMP THEME

This week at camp we'll discover how to survive in the natural world. We'll learn how plants and animals survive in the wild, and learn how to make things to help us survive. Each day we'll focus on different survival skills. Be sure to ask your camper about:

- Monday Shelter, Animal Shelters
- Tuesday Water, Solar Stills, Water Filtration
- Wednesday Edible Plants, Useful Plants, Poisonous Plants
- o Thursday Navigation, Compasses, Maps, Sundials
- Friday Basic First Aid, Survival Skill Obstacle Course

ACTIVITY IDEAS

- Make a sundial out of a wood slab, a nail, and a sharpie
 - http://tinyurl.com/DIYSundial
- Help your camper build a backyard shelter
 - o http://tinyurl.com/DIYBackyardShelter
- Grow an edible garden
 - o http://tinyurl.com/DIYEdibleGarden
- Put your camper's survival knowledge to the test with a Zion camping trip.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- Maps by Aleksandra Mizielinska
- Survivor Kid: A Practical Guide to Wilderness Survival by Denise Long
- Pocket Guide to the Outdoors: Based on My Side of the Mountain by Jean Craighead George

