Hello! In a very short time, you will be joining us on the University of Cincinnati campus at DAAP (College of Design, Architecture, Art and Planning) for your high school day camp. We have attached to this note a campus parking map to reference for your arrival and departure per the information included here.

Please remember that your camp is a “Brown Bag Lunch” unless otherwise indicated by your Camp Leads during the week. Please be prepared with an adequate lunch. We will also have snacks in the studios as well...but, they are just that, a snack, not a lunch. You will also be given a refillable water bottle for your use during camp and beyond. There are plenty of fountains around the building to refill the bottle during the day.

We will begin on Monday, June 10th. As you approach the DAAP Building on the corner of Martin Luther King and Clifton Avenue on the UC Campus, Look for DAAPcamp signs.** You will meet your camp leads at the check-in tables at the Clifton Court entrance for DAAP (or the Blue Box entrance as we call it...adjacent to a footbridge entering the building). The first day of camp we will have plenty of folks in black “DAAPcamp CREW” T Shirts pointing the way!

** Please refer to the attached campus map. You will notice the DAAP complex in the upper left hand corner of the map, Clifton Court is off of Clifton Avenue just beyond the MLK corner. We recommend if you are parking or dropping off as a parent ...you may use the meters along Clifton Avenue at the corner of Clifton and MLK, or, you may park along Martin Luther King Drive adjacent to the DAAP Building. You may also park in a garage, however, the Clifton Court garage is a bit pricier than meters.

DO NOT PARK IN PERMIT AREAS OR AREAS THAT DO NOT INDICATE THEY ARE FOR PUBLIC PARKING. YOU WILL RECEIVE A TICKET! DAAPcamps are not responsible for any cars parked in non-permissible areas.

(Please note that the map in this communication is also the map for Residential Camp, therefore, you will see referenced “Daapcamp Housing” and “Center Court Dining”....this does not affect your camp).
High School Day Camp..runs from 9-5 each day...

You may drop off your camper beginning at 8:30am...or, they may drive themselves. There is a parking garage directly behind DAAP. Parking is $10 per day in garages on campus and there are no discounts available as it is managed separately from the college.

Pick up for High School Day Camp is between 5:00 and 5:30pm each day. All campers must be picked up by 5:30pm.

Plan to arrive early your first day (June 10th) to find your way.

Camp leads will be at the Blue Box Entrance in BLACK CREW T shirts. The Art of Fashion, Digital Fabrication, City Transformers, Drawing Intensive and Digital Film Making Students will gather there, check in and receive their lanyards/name tags.

Parents are welcome to be with them at the beginning of the first day for orientation if they wish. This will last until approximately 9:45am. Campers will be directed as groups to the lecture hall 4400 for orientation. They will meet the camp faculty and find out about what the week will hold. Following orientation, they will go to your respective studios and it becomes “Campers Only” and we move on to activities.

**PLEASE NOTE- Campers do NOT need to bring any materials with them on Day 1. Everything is provided. Dress comfortably!

DAY CAMP SCHEDULE Monday–Friday: You will follow a daily schedule that fluctuates a bit, depending upon the course work for the day or if there will be a field trip, etc. All days begin at 9 am in DAAP. All field trips during the week will be chaperoned by faculty and/or camp leaders. If traveling, you will do so in school buses with professional drivers. City Transformers campers will utilize some public transportation with their group as they will be studying that as part of their camp.

LUNCHES Lunches are brown-bag...brought by the campers (Unless otherwise noted by your Camp Lead the day before). Each day, a camp lead will take your group to a new area on campus to eat your lunch so you will get to see different locations around campus as the weather allows. But, please be prepared with your lunch or snacks as you would need. You will receive a refillable water bottle at camp...and we encourage you to hydrate and drink lots of water. If you go on a field trip with your group...you will be told by your camp lead how lunches will be handled that day. Some light snacks are
provided in the studio during camp. If you have any special food concerns, allergies, etc. you are expected to make sure you have appropriate snacks, etc. with you.

CAMP LEADS:

Each camp is run by a faculty member, adjunct and/or graduate and student team along with assistance from current DAAP undergraduate or graduate students and other instructors and professionals. They will likely be reaching out to you prior to camp as well. Camp leads for your camps are listed below:

The Art of Fashion - Calle Evans
Digital Fabrication - Nicholas Germain
Drawing Intensive – Samantha Haring
City Transformers – Dana Schriever, Liz Geherty, Julia Glenn
Digital Film-Making – Mike Gasaway

END OF WEEK SHOW:

DAAPworks is the annual presentation of Student Work at DAAP. During DAAPcamps, you will have your own Mini DAAPworks Exhibition. This is a public exhibition so you will be given the opportunity to invite friends and family to see your work and the work of your fellow designers. Students will exhibit their work in a gallery setting with interactive elements and all designers will have a chance to view and appreciate others’ work.

THIS SHOW WILL HAPPEN FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 14th at 5:00pm with the Art of Fashion Presentation on the Grand Stair being done live at 5:30pm. This is followed by DAAPcamp Graduation at 6:00pm in 4400 where Orientation was held. The Mini DAAPworks' Show will be primarily housed on the Grand Stair. We encourage participation by all campers and you may invite your family and friends to the exhibit.

** Please Note: If for some reason you have not completed paying your balance or taken care of emailing or USPS mailing you camper forms, please do so immediately. This keeps us from having to reach out to families individually. If you are having any issues with this payment completion process, you may contact: Jeremy Jaskiewicz at: jeremy.jaskiewicz@uc.edu

THANKS FOR CHOOSING DAAP DAYCAMPS for Your Summer Experience! We look forward to having you with us!