

# Adventure & Life Skills Camp

**IH for MILE School** Summer 2025













**Course Title:** Adventure & Life Skills Camp

**Duration:** 30 Hours (2 Weeks)

**Type of Course:** Experiential Learning & Teamwork Development

#### **Objectives:**

•Develop essential life skills such as teamwork, problem-solving, creativity, and communication.

- •Engage in hands-on activities, group discussions, and outdoor experiences.
- •Encourage collaboration, critical thinking, and adaptability.





## Adventure & Life Skills Camp – An Unforgettable Learning Experience The Adventure & Life Skills Camp is designed to provide young learners with an engaging and immersive educational experience. Over two weeks, participants will develop essential life skills such as teamwork, problem-solving, creativity, and communication through hands-on activities and interactive challenges. The program combines experiential learning with outdoor adventures, fostering collaboration, adaptability, and critical thinking in a dynamic and supportive environment.





#### Adventure & Life Skills Camp – An Unforgettable Learning Experience

From icebreakers and brainstorming sessions to leadership simulations and public speaking exercises, every activity is crafted to build confidence and prepare students for real-world situations. This transformative camp encourages learners to step out of their comfort zones, work together, and develop valuable skills that will benefit them in both academic and personal growth.



## Week 1: Collaboration s Teamwork





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The first week of the Adventure & Life Skills Camp is dedicated to fostering collaboration and teamwork. Through interactive activities and group challenges, participants will develop essential skills such as communication, problem-solving, and leadership. Each session is designed to encourage active listening, creative thinking, and decision-making in a supportive and engaging environment.



## Week 1: Collaboration s Teamwork

From icebreaker games to brainstorming sessions and leadership simulations, students will explore the importance of teamwork, learn to navigate different perspectives, and take on roles that enhance their ability to work effectively with others. This foundational week sets the stage for a successful and enriching learning experience, equipping participants with the tools to thrive in both academic and social settings.



## Week 1: Collaboration s Teamwork - Key Highlights

✓ **Building Connections** – Icebreaker games and team-building exercises help participants form bonds and create a positive group dynamic from day one.

Creative Problem-Solving – Activities like brainstorming sessions and group puzzles encourage students to think outside the box while working collaboratively.

Effective Decision-Making – Through debates and simulations, students learn to analyze different perspectives, justify their choices, and make fair decisions as a team.

Leadership & Responsibility – Teamwork challenges introduce students to leadership roles, helping them understand how different responsibilities contribute to group success.

Empathy & Inclusivity – Roleplay scenarios and discussions on diversity help students appreciate different viewpoints and foster a culture of respect and understanding.



## Week 1: Collaboration s Teamwork - Key Highlights Why It Matters:

By the end of the week, students will not only have learned how to work effectively in teams but will have also gained confidence in their ability to communicate, collaborate, and think critically. These skills are essential for academic success, personal growth, and future professional opportunities.



#### DAY 1

Icebreakers & Getting to Know Each Other Theme/Functions: Building relationships and teamwork introduction Skills: Communication, Active Listening Key Points: Interactive games to foster bonding Activities: Two Truths and a Lie, Name Chain, Group Puzzle Materials: Icebreaker Worksheet, PPT Slides

#### DAY 3

Problem-Solving & Decision Making
Theme/Functions: Making fair and logical choices
Skills: Analytical Thinking, Justification
Key Points: Learning how to make group decisions effectively
Activities: Decision Tree, Debate Challenge
Materials: Decision-Making Worksheet, TED-Ed Video

#### DAY 2

Brainstorming & Creativity
Theme/Functions: Developing ideas as a team
Skills: Critical Thinking, Speaking
Key Points: The importance of idea-sharing
Activities: Idea Web, Drawing Game, Rapid Fire Brainstorm
Materials: PPT, Flipchart Paper

#### DAY 4

Theme/Functions: Understanding different perspectives
Skills: Empathy, Respectful Communication
Key Points: How diversity strengthens teamwork
Activities: Cultural Awareness Roleplay, Inclusion Scenarios
Materials: Inclusion Video, Worksheet

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#### Lesson 5: Teamwork & Leadership Roles

Theme/Functions: Understanding roles in a team Skills: Leadership, Collaboration Key Points: Responsibilities within a group Activities: Leadership Simulation, Teamwork Challenge Materials: Leadership Guide, Team Observation Form



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Practical Life Skills & Communication – Building Essential Abilities In the second week of the Adventure & Life Skills Camp, participants will focus on developing practical life skills and effective communication strategies. Through engaging activities, they will learn how to evaluate information critically, manage time efficiently, and express themselves with confidence.



## Week 2: Practical Life Skills & Communication

Sessions will cover essential topics such as media literacy, organization, public speaking, and conflict resolution. Whether they identify reliable sources, structure a compelling presentation, or navigate disagreements constructively, students will gain valuable tools to succeed in both academic and real-life situations. The week concludes with a final group project where participants put their newly acquired skills into action, fostering teamwork, leadership, and creative problem-solving.



## Week 2: Practical Life Skills s Communication

✓ Critical Thinking & Media Literacy – Students will explore how to differentiate between reliable and misleading information, learning the importance of fact-checking and analytical thinking in today's digital world. **Time Management & Organization** – Practical exercises like planner challenges and scheduling techniques (e.g., the Pomodoro method) will teach students how to prioritize tasks and balance responsibilities effectively. Public Speaking & Presentation Skills – Through structured speaking exercises and group presentations, students will build confidence in expressing their ideas clearly and engaging an audience. **Conflict Resolution & Negotiation** – Roleplay scenarios and problem-solving discussions will help students learn  $\checkmark$ how to manage disagreements constructively, using persuasion and emotional intelligence to find fair solutions. **Final Team Challenge** – The week concludes with a collaborative project where students apply all their new  $\checkmark$ skills to solve a real-world challenge, reinforcing teamwork, leadership, and problem-solving abilities.



# Week 2: Practical Life Skills s Communication

## Why It Matters:

Mastering these life skills will help students become more independent and better prepared for future academic, social, and professional experiences. By strengthening their ability to think critically, organize tasks, and communicate effectively, they will gain lifelong skills that contribute to personal growth and success.



#### DAY C

Critical Thinking & Media Literacy Theme/Functions: Identifying reliable sources Skills: Evaluating information, Fact-checking Key Points: Understanding fake vs. real news Activities: Fake News Quiz, Research Activity Materials: Media Literacy Worksheet, Video Clip

#### Materials incohereaker Worksheet, PPT Slides

Time Management & Organization Theme/Functions: Planning tasks efficiently Skills: Prioritization, Scheduling Key Points: Balancing tasks and responsibilities Activities: Daily Planner Challenge, Pomodoro Technique Materials: Time Management Toolkit, Planner Templates

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Conflict Resolution & Negotiation
Theme/Functions: Managing disagreements effectively
Skills: Emotional Regulation, Persuasion
Key Points: How to resolve disputes peacefully
Activities: Conflict Roleplay, Compromise Game

**Materials:** PPT, Case Study Scenarios

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DAY 7

Public Speaking & Presentation Skills
Theme/Functions: Speaking confidently in front of others
Skills: Voice Projection, Structuring Ideas
Key Points: How to engage an audience
Activities: Elevator Pitch, Group Presentation
Materials: Public Speaking Tips Handout, Video Examples









**Lesson 10: Final project** 

**Final Project – Team Challenge** 

**Theme/Functions:** Applying all learned skills

**Skills:** Teamwork, Critical Thinking, Presentation

**Key Points:** Showcasing collaboration and problem-solving

**Activities:** Group Challenge (e.g., Create a Community Initiative, Solve a Mystery)

**Materials:** Group Work Guidelines, Evaluation Rubric





## **KEY BENEFITS The main** benefits of the camp are:

Developing problem-solving and leadership skills
 Enhancing communication and collaboration
 Gaining confidence in public speaking
 Experiencing hands-on learning through fun activities





#### Informazioni pratiche

- Periodo: week 1 (30/6-5/7), week 2 (7-11/7)
- Orari: 8.30-12.30, break, 13.30-16:00
- Partecipanti: alunni della scuola primaria dalla I alla V
- Numero massimo iscritti: 12

La summer school verrà attivata se si raggiungerà il numero minimo di 6 iscritti.

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#### Costo: €480 a settimana (Iscrizioni anche per una sola settimana)