

#### Financial Aid

Kieve Wavus Education is a nonprofit organization committed to accessibility. KWE extends need-based financial aid ranging from a portion of tuition to the complete cost of camp, including travel and equipment associated with camp. Please don't hesitate to contact Emmaline Briske for Kieve and Joy Bengtson Giffen for Wavus with any questions. Contact information below.

#### **How to Request Financial Aid When Applying to Camp**

The following steps must be completed to be enrolled in camp with financial aid. KWE will respond to financial aid requests on a rolling basis, first-come, first-serve.

- 1. Complete the Financial Aid Request form.
- 2. Share the first two pages of last year's Income Tax Return Form 1040 by uploading in the Financial Aid Request form at kwe.org or emailing or mailing it to Emmaline Briske for Kieve and Joy Bengtson Giffen for Wavus.
- Apply to camp via kwe.org. Be sure to indicate in the application that you will be requesting
  financial aid. Families applying for financial aid will not be charged any deposit or tuition fees
  upon enrollment without prior approval.
- 4. If you receive and accept your financial aid package, you will be notified of enrollment.
- 5. Once enrolled, we will direct you to more information on how to prepare for your camper's exciting summer ahead.



# Financial Aid Request Form

Kieve and Wavus Summer Camps

To complete your request, you must also share your previous year's Income Tax Return Form 1040. Please email or mail to the contact information below.

Guardian Name(s)			
Mailing Address (city or town/state/zip code)			
Phone Number			
Email			
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Camper Name		Camper Birthday	
Session Kieve Session	Date	Tuition	Camper Name
○ First Session	June 23-July 18	\$8,900	
○ Second Session	July 21-Aug. 15	\$8,900	
○ First Junior Session	July 2-July 11	\$4,650	
<ul> <li>Second Junior Session</li> </ul>	July 30-Aug. 8	\$4,650	
Wavus Session  ○ First Session  ○ Second Session	June 23-July 18 July 21-Aug. 15	\$8,900 \$8,900	
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# **Estimate of Need**

The following information will help us better understand your financial needs.

Using your Income Tax Return Form 1040, what was your adjusted gross income last year?				
How much of your own money can you afford to contribute to the cost of camp?				
Do you have funds from other sources to contribute to the cost of camp? If so, how much?				
How much financial aid are you requesting from Kieve Wavus Education?				
Please let us know what other financial support your camper might need to attend Kieve or Wavus (travel expenses, camping gear and/or clothing).				
Background Information				
List the names and ages of all dependents in the camper's household.				
Camp Kieve and Wavus Camp are wilderness tripping camps. Every child goes on a camping trip ranging from an overnight trip for our youngest campers to a 22-day backpacking expedition for our oldest. Can you please share why you want your camper(s) to attend Kieve or Wavus in the Maine wilderness?				
Financial aid is need-based. Please use this space to describe any special circumstances, life events, or unusual expenses that affect your financial situation.				



### **Contact Information**

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