



Carnegie Vanguard High School | Houston Independent School District

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Dear New Carnegie Vanguard Student (Class of 2023),

You are hereby invited to attend the CVHS Orientation Camp (FISH CAMP) beginning Wednesday, August 21st through Friday, August 23rd. The camp is at YMCA Camp Cullen and is located on the shores of Lake Livingston just outside Trinity, Texas about 100 miles north of Houston. Freshmen arrive at CVHS at 10:00 AM Wednesday, August 21 and board the bus at 2:30 PM. They will return around 12:00 PM on Friday, August 23.

This camp has been very successful in previous years. We are looking forward to you joining us for this, your initial CVHS experience, at a minor cost to you and your family. During the two and a half days at camp, you will:

- Get to know other Freshmen with whom you will share the next four years
- Meet Seniors (2020) and Juniors (2021) who will serve as counselors
- Participate in daytime activities that encourage sharing and trust
- Enjoy a late night under the stars
- Eat the best camp food in East Texas

You will need to bring the following items: a flashlight with fresh batteries, comfortable closed toe shoes such as tennis shoes or hiking boots (**sandals of any type are not permitted**), sleeping bag and/or sheets, a pillow, towels, insect repellent, toiletries (shampoo, soap, toothbrush, contact supplies, etc.) and enough tee shirts, underwear, shorts, jeans to last through two hot, sweaty days. It is hot!

Do not bring lighters, matches, valuables; make up, jewelry, food, pets, or any kind electronic item. If you have a question, you should probably leave the item at home.

The cost to attend Fish Camp is \$175.00. Sign up for Fish Camp begins June 5 at CVHS registration.

If you need any more information email me at jgarner@houstonisd.org. We look forward to working with you this summer and throughout your high school career.

Sincerely,

Juan Garner
Assistant Principal
Carnegie Vanguard High School