



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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Q. Who is Aspiring Youth Academy (AYA) Camp for?

A. High school students entering 9th, 10th, 11th or 12th grade in Aug/Sept 2018 as well as those who graduate in May 2018.

Q. What is AYA Camp?

A. It's a 4-day creative event that answers everything you wanted to know about starting your own business and building the skills to achieve your dreams. This is not your typical "sit-back and listen" workshop, this is a hands-on and interactive.

Q. Why AYA Camp?

A. There are so many reasons to come we're not sure where to start! Here are some of our favorites:

1. Obtain the know-how to turn your dreams into action
 2. Learn from ASU Entrepreneur & Innovation Experts
 3. Engage with successful business persons
 4. Meet like-minded peers & professionals
 5. Score some amazing free stuff, and have a great time!
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Q. Do I need to have a brilliant idea to participate in AYA Camp?

A. No, we welcome any/all youth who want to learn about successful businesses based on their own or someone else's brilliant idea.

Q. Where is camp? Do we sleep in tents?

A. AYA Camp is held at beautiful Tonto Creek Camp, approx. 17 miles east of Payson. Its 36 acres is nestled in the Ponderosa Pines bordering Tonto National Forest. Campers sleep in comfortable, modern cabins, lodges and dormitories complete with heat/air, indoor bathrooms, hot water and more.

Q. Will I be fed during either AYA Camp?

A. Yes, we've got all of your meals and snacks covered. We provide campers with three delicious, well balanced meals each day. Additionally, we provide healthy in-between meal snacks such as apples, cheese, carrots, raisins or similar.

Q. What if I have allergies or a special diet?

A. Again, we've got you covered because we accommodate all diets. Whether gluten-free, lacto-free, soy-free, peanut or tree nut free, vegan, vegetarian, vegan-vegetarian or carnivore, we ensure all campers are fully nourished to their liking.

Q. How do I prepare for either AYA Camp?

A. *YOU BRING* your clothing, toiletries, bedding and any personal items you'll need/want (i.e. medications) *WE PROVIDE* transportation to and from a designated TBA location, housing, meals, drinks, snacks, materials, and some great gifts.

Q. What happens when I arrive at either AYA Camp?

A. Upon arrival you will check-in to your cabin, attend a Welcome Orientation, meet our staff, mentors and cabin counselors. Then you'll hear from our keynote speaker before dinner.

Q. What happens on the next day?

A. You'll spend your morning you'll learn about ideation, product development & actually design a prototype, and in the afternoon you'll conduct Beta-Testing then you'll debrief before dinner.

Q. How much is AYA Camp and what is included in the cost?

A. AYA youth camp is \$400.00 per camper. It's an all-inclusive camp except for bedding and personal linens. Housing, meals, workshop materials, outdoor activities, evening events and transportation from the valley is included. It also includes some great gifts that we can't tell you about now.

Q. What if I want to go but can't afford it?

A. Thanks to the generosity of our sponsors *we have full and partial scholarships available.*

Q. What if I have more questions?

A. Go to www.tontocreekcreek.com for more information.

