



2016 CAMP HANDBOOK

Mariachi Camp

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CHECK IN: MONDAY, JUNE 13th

Location

ON-CAMPUS STUDENTS:
3:00PM – 4:30PM
Wall Hall (see map)

OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS:
7:00PM
School of Music, 18th and Boston

Parking

CAMPERS: All campers driving to camp (residence hall campers as well as commuters) will need to sign up for a parking permit. That can be done at check in. Please have car information including make, model, year, and license plate number.

CHECK-IN & CONCERT: Parking is available in the parking lot south of the music building (see map) during check-in and for final concerts. Parking in areas marked "Reserved" or "Temporary" may result in towing. Unauthorized parking in handicap spaces will result in a ticket and tow charge.

Please note, parking citations will be issued to unregistered cars and cars parked improperly or in unauthorized areas beginning Monday, June 13th. These tickets are the responsibility of the violator.

Fees

If you have a balance due on your account, please bring that to check-in. Cash or check only payable to Texas Tech University.

RESIDENCE HALL INFORMATION

Gates Residence Hall

See Map for location. Room number will be in student's check-in packet.

Rooms are 1 or 2 to a room with boys and girls on separate floors. Supervisors and counselors live on each floor.

Towels/wash cloth, a pillow, and sheets/pillow case will be provided in the residence hall. Some students prefer to bring a blanket.

Students must furnish their own toiletries, ALARM CLOCK, and other personal items. A portable television, radio, iPod/CD player, etc. may be kept in the room **if their use does not disturb adjoining rooms**. You might also bring a camera, card games, and indoor games (all optional). PROHIBITED items include: coffee makers, kitchen grills, candles, incense, etc. All personal equipment should be labeled with your name and home address. Texas Tech University and the TTU Mariachi Camp are not responsible for damage or theft of personal items in the dorms **OR** in parked cars. Please keep doors locked while in class, using the shower and at meal times (any time you are not in the room).

Phones/Internet

TTU Residence hall rooms no longer have land-line phones because of the widespread use of cell phones. We will have guest wifi available, but parents are encourage to set parental controls on their students devices before they come to camp.

CAMP INFORMATION

Clothing

Class Attire – Students should dress in comfortable summer clothing for class. Clothing should always be in good taste and will not attract undue attention. Violators will be required to make suitable changes as determined by camp staff. Shoes must be worn at all times in the residence halls, in rehearsals, and around campus.

Bring a swim suit for the swim party
Swimsuits should be family appropriate (no thongs, etc) and street clothes are prohibited in the pool. Cotton shirts are also prohibited.

Concert Attire – If you have a Traje de Charro, please wear that. Otherwise, wear a white dress shirt and black dress pants.

Meals

ON-CAMPUS - all meals are provided from dinner, Monday, June 13th through lunch, Friday, June 17th.

COMMUTERS – Lunch is provided Tue-F of camp. Commuters may purchase breakfast and/or dinner in the dining hall if they wish. Breakfast is \$6.50 and dinner is \$9.00.



Recreation

We will have activities each evening that ALL students are encouraged to attend at no charge, but are not required. Activities include camp game night, movie night, a swim party and more! Nametags **will be required** at all functions.

Optional Items

Money - students may choose to bring extra money for snacks or souvenirs at the bookstore. Camp t-shirts are included in the price of tuition though students may purchase an additional one during camp if they desire.

Travelers Checks – Prosperity Bank (located in the Student Union Building) will cash traveler's checks in amounts of \$25.00 or less

Music – Music for all ensembles will be provided.

Camp Publicity

During the course of camp, we will be taking photos and posting on our social media outlets for parents and friends to share and enjoy. If you wish to opt out of this experience, please contact the camp office at music.mariachi@ttu.edu.

Supervision

The residence hall has two adult head-supervisors and multiple college counselors who are located on each floor and are responsible for room check each evening, as well as hall surveillance. All recreational activities are held on campus and are closely supervised.

The University Police Department is also involved in watching our students.

Visitors

Outside visitors to the residence halls **MUST SIGN IN IMMEDIATELY UPON ARRIVAL** at the residence hall office **EACH** time they visit. They will be issued a visitor's nametag which **MUST** be returned to the office as they leave the residence hall. Any visitor not conforming to this rule will be removed from the premises.

Camp Information cont.

Medical

The camp is not responsible for injuries or accidents involving students. The dorm supervisors can advise in cases of minor injury or illness, and will take students requiring medical attention to University Medical Center. Students will be responsible for all medical expenses.

Check Out

If a student will need to miss class during the day, they must check out of the camp headquarters, room 112.

At the conclusion of camp, residence hall students may check out of the dorms following the final concert Friday 6/17 at 3:30pm. Students must return keys AND meal cards. Lost keys are \$50 and lost cards are \$15.

Camp Rules

Rules and regulations established by the University and Texas Tech Mariachi Camp will be explained to all students following registration. Regular and prompt class attendance and behavior becoming of young men and women are also required of all students.

FINAL CONCERT

Final concert is on Friday, 6/17 at 2:00pm in Hemmle Recital Hall (18th and Boston). We will also be livestreaming the final concert on the School of Music Youtube Channel

<https://www.youtube.com/user/ttuschoolofmusic>

Feel free to distribute this link to friends and family.

Contact Info

Camp Headquarters: 806.742.2225

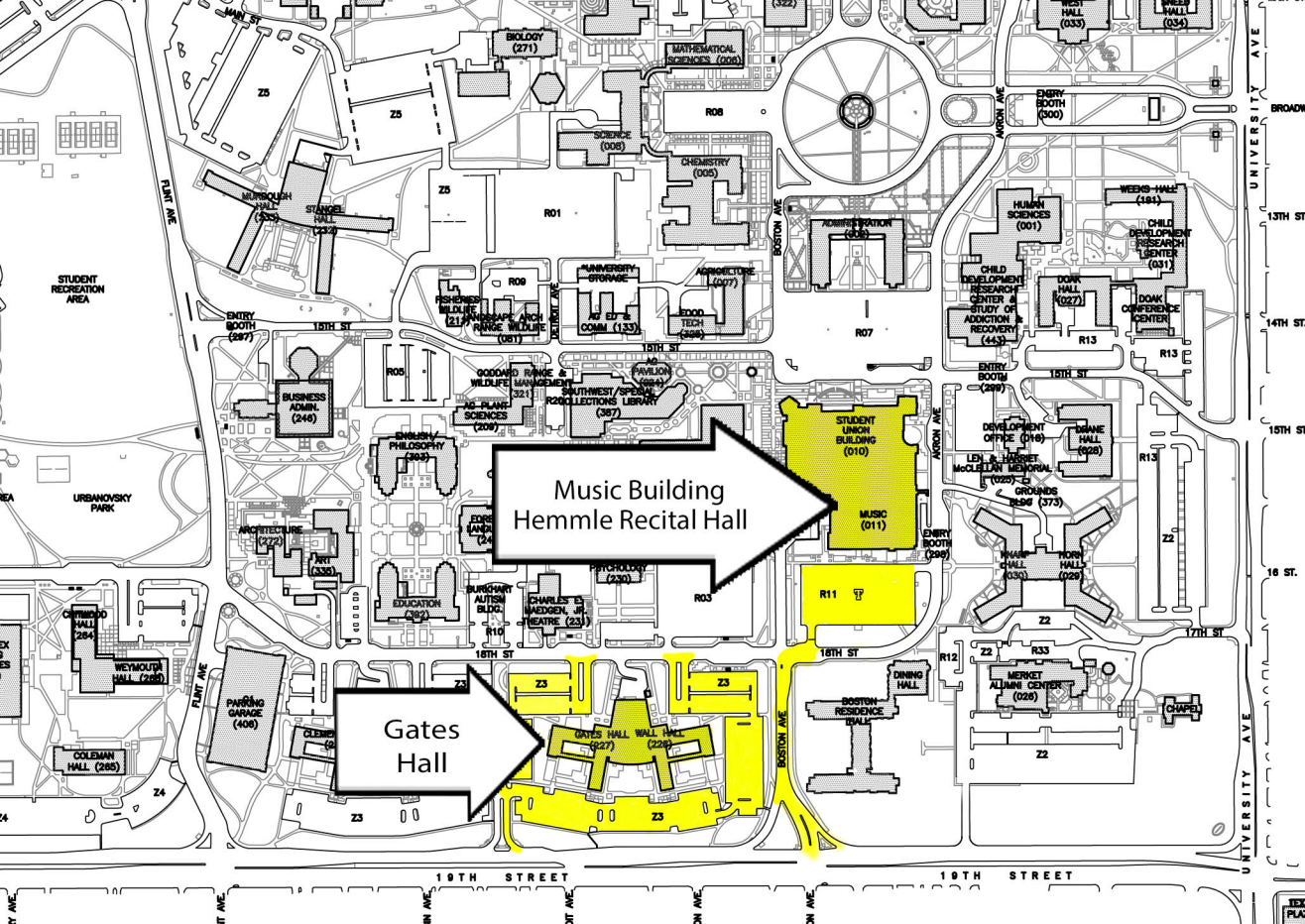
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