

# Payment Plan Agreement – Explorers & Junior MAC



Mountaineers Explorers and Junior MAC are co-ed clubs designed for youth ages 10-11 and 12-13, offered by The Mountaineers. Both clubs are designed to provide youth with a variety of positive outdoor experiences, an appreciation and connection to the outdoors, and an engaging sense of community. Members learn and practice outdoor skills under the guidance of skilled adult mentors.



The Mountaineers

7700 Sand Point Way NE

Seattle, Washington 98115

2023-2024

## Explorers & JrMAC Payment Agreement 2023-2024

PLEASE PRINT

ONE MEMBER PER FORM

(206) 521-6014 PHONE

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|----------------------|----------------|--------|-----|
| Youth Last Name      | First          | Middle |     |
| Mailing Address      | City           | State  | Zip |
| Birthdate (MM/DD/YY) | Home Telephone | Email  |     |

**The direct cost of a full year is \$1,400 per child.** These dollars cover the cost of staff time, transportation, gear replacement and repair costs, facility use, camping and permits, insurance, and other administrative costs. **By request and upon submittal of this form, an installment plan may be set up allowing payment of the program fee in four parts on: October 1, 2023; January 1, 2024; April 1, 2024; and July 1, 2024. Instructions will be sent via email on the 1<sup>st</sup> of each of these months or nearest business day.**

By signing and returning this form, you agree to pay for the installments within 5 days of receiving instructions during each of the windows mentioned above. If you fail to pay, your child may not be able to participate in Mountaineers activities and you will be charged a late fee. If, at any time, you need to cancel/change payment, please let a Mountaineers staff know as soon as possible.

**Cancellation Policy:** If at any point in the year you decide that this is not the right program for your family, you may cancel in writing. Youth who cancel will be eligible to rejoin during the next open enrollment window. Cancellations must be received in writing by the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month in order to avoid being charged the next month. Written cancellations must either be in hard copy form with both the parent *and* youth signature OR in an email to [alvaroj@mountaineers.org](mailto:alvaroj@mountaineers.org). **It is not possible to receive any refunds for any reason.**

We recognize that families have different abilities to pay and have developed a voluntary three-tier fee structure to best meet everyone's needs. Please select the tier appropriate for your family's budget. Further subsidy is available through our Scholarship Program, which you can apply for at [www.mountaineers.org/membership/scholarship-financial-assistance](http://www.mountaineers.org/membership/scholarship-financial-assistance).

"I hereby choose the following tier (check one)

\_\_\_\_\_ Tier 1: \$1,540 annually / \$385.00 per installment – Covers the costs associated with The Mountaineers mission, including the direct costs of Explorers/Jr. MAC, our ability to provide subsidy, and our commitment to conservation advocacy.

\_\_\_\_\_ Tier 2: \$1,400 annually / \$350.00 per installment – Covers the true direct costs associated with Explorers/Jr. MAC.

\_\_\_\_\_ Tier 3: \$1,260 annually / \$315.00 per installment – A partially subsidized rate for those with a lean budget.

I agree to pay each installment within 5 days of receiving instructions\*: \_\_\_\_\_

A note on payment method: The Mountaineers website does not have the capability to automatically process *installments* of course fees. Typically, course fees are collected all at once. For your security, we will not store your written credit card information. You will receive instructions to enter your card information in our secure payment processing service through our website each installment period. Please do your absolute best to immediately follow the instructions to complete payment for the installments.

\*A 10% late fee will be charged if an installment payment is more than 5 days late. Further participation will be suspended until paid.