



2019 Camper Transportation Quick Facts

Have travel questions? Contact our staff at:
transportation@ramahoutdoors.org or (303) 261-8214 x0

Remember to complete the online Transportation Survey form so we know how your camper will be arriving and departing camp, and whether a seat is needed on the Ramah in the Rockies shuttles. Shuttle buses travel to/from Denver International Airport (DEN) OR to/from Hebrew Educational Alliance (HEA), a local synagogue in Denver.

We will reserve a space on our airport shuttles for all families completing the Transportation Survey forms by **June 1, 2019**. Changes made after this date will be accommodated if there is room. Private shuttles between camp and either the airport or HEA are available for \$200-\$250.

Plane

Most of our out-of-state campers fly to/from camp; Denver International Airport is the airport we use. The fee for the camp shuttle to/from the airport is \$25.

On ARRIVAL days, campers' flights must arrive before 11:30 am; Ramah staff meet flights between 9:00am and 11:30.

Ramah staff meet all flights arriving between 9:00 am and 11:30 am at the gates, then escort campers to baggage claim, before boarding the shuttle to camp. Campers arriving before 9:00 am should wait at their gate areas for Ramah staff.

On DEPARTURE days, campers' flights must depart between 10:15 am and 3:00 pm.

Ramah staff help campers to check bags and print their boarding passes, then escort campers through security and to their departure gates for all flights departing between 10:15 am and 3:00 pm. Staff members remain in the general gate area until flights have departed.

If parents cannot find flights with arrival or departure times within camp's travel windows, they must contact transportation@ramahoutdoors.org before purchasing tickets and may need to make other travel arrangements.

Unaccompanied Minors:

Any young camper flying as an official "unaccompanied minor", for which the family pays the airline an additional fee, must arrive on either a United Airlines or a Southwest Airlines flight AND arrive before 11:30 am. Both United and Southwest Airlines have special waiting rooms at Denver International Airport where campers will be comfortable and supervised until met by Ramah staff.

Please use the following information to complete the airline's Unaccompanied Minor form:

Designated Pickup Person	First name: Camp Last name: Ramah
Camp Name	Ramah in the Rockies
Address	26601 Stoney Pass Road, Sedalia CO 80135
Camp Phone	(303) 261-8214
Secondary Contact, if necessary	Rabbi Eliav Bock, same address, same phone

Plane, cont.

Things to Know:

First Day of Camp

- All campers arriving on flights between 9:00 am and 11:30 am are met at their gate by Ramah in the Rockies staff. While our staff do their best to be at each gate on time, there are many flights arriving very closely together and our staff may just be a few gates down. Please have your child wait at their gate.
- Campers flying as unaccompanied minors (UM) must use either United or Southwest Airlines.
- We highly recommend that campers arriving before 9:00 am fly as unaccompanied minors. Campers arriving before 9:00 am are not met until after 9:00 am by Ramah airport staff.
- Our airport shuttles depart for camp in waves, with the last one leaving promptly at 12:00pm.
- A box lunch is provided on the shuttle.
- Parents must make prior arrangements for alternate transportation to camp for flights arriving after 11:30 am. Private shuttles typically cost \$200-\$250.

Last Day of Camp

- All campers are helped with checking bags, getting boarding passes, and navigating security.
- Campers on flights departing between 10:15 am and 3:00 pm are escorted to their gates.
- For the safety of our staff returning to camp, Ramah staff CAN NOT stay with campers whose flights depart after 3:00 pm. In the event of delayed flights, a local parent is on call to assist at the airport or house campers.
- Our staff will attempt to help campers check bags for flights departing after 3:00 pm, but airline policies may prevent this. Campers are then responsible for checking their own bag(s).
- Airport shuttles depart camp in three waves; campers are placed and waves finalized based upon flight times.
- A box breakfast or lunch is provided.
- Parents must make prior arrangements for alternate transportation for flights departing before 10:15 am. Private shuttles typically cost \$200-\$250.

Bus

Ramah in the Rockies has a shuttle bus for Denver area campers. The drop off/pick up point is main parking lot of the Hebrew Educational Alliance (HEA) synagogue: 3600 South Ivanhoe Street, Denver CO 80237

Things to Know:

First Day of Camp

- Parents should meet Ramah staff at the HEA parking lot between 9:00 am and 9:30 am.
- The HEA shuttle departs for camp promptly at 10:00 am.
- Campers arrive at camp in time for lunch.

Last Day of Camp

- Parents should plan to pick up their campers between 10:30 am and 11:00 am in the HEA parking lot.
- The HEA shuttle departs from camp at 9:00 am.
- Lunch is NOT provided.

Car

Families are welcome to drive their children to/from camp. Camp is approximately 1 ½ to 2 hours from Denver. For driving directions, please contact: office@ramahoutdoors.org or (303) 261-8214 x0.

Things to Know:

First Day of Camp

- Parents should drop off their campers at camp between 11:30 am and 1:00 pm.
- To ensure proper care of your child, we are unable to welcome your camper before 11:30 am.
- Camp tours are available at 12:00 pm and 12:30 pm. No tours are available after 12:30 pm.
- Parents MUST leave by 1:00 pm to ensure their safety and the safety of our shuttles on the dirt road to camp.

Last Day of Camp

- Parents MUST pick up their campers between 9:30 am and 11:00 am.
- Parents not picking up their campers by 11:00 am will be charged an additional service fee.
- Parents may NOT pick up their campers earlier than 9:30 am for the safety of all traveling the dirt road from camp.