



## **NEW TRIER HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMAN ADVENTURE PROGRAM**

The Freshman Adventure Program represents a team approach to initiating a successful high school experience for students entering New Trier. The combined efforts of New Trier High School and area junior high schools provide students with added support designed to make the transition to high school smooth and informed. The Adventure Program will operate in three phases:

1. Student/Parent Application and Interviews
2. Summer Adventure Trip
3. Fall Transition

The summer portion of the program involves a climbing/camping trip to Devil's Lake in Wisconsin from **July 30<sup>th</sup> – August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2012**.

**Students do not need to be experienced in the outdoors.**

### **GOALS FOR PROGRAM**

1. For students to meet and make new friends from other sender schools and establish new connections as they prepare for high school.
2. For students to be involved in positive experiences and to expand awareness of their potential for success and leadership.
3. For students to form relationships with high school staff members.
4. For students to be involved in activities that encourage age-appropriate behavior emphasizing cooperation and decision-making skills.
5. To have fun while fostering all of the goals above.

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