

## **Young Scientists Summer Camp Readiness Statements 3 & 4 Year Olds-Cadets**

We are excited that you are considering a drop-off summer camp program for your 3 or 4 year old! Please read through the following statements to see if your child is ready for the *Cadets* drop-off camp at Adler Planetarium. We recognize that all children grow and develop at their own pace; these are guidelines to help ensure a good experience for all campers in the program. If you have questions, please contact us: [summercamp@adlerplanetarium.org](mailto:summercamp@adlerplanetarium.org).

### **My child cognitively:**

- understands most questions and conversations initiated by adults and is understandable in conversations.
- speaks in complete sentences of three to five words.

### **My child physically:**

- can use the potty on his/her own and is able to dress/undress self to use the potty.
- copies basic shapes with a pencil or crayon.
- attempts to use scissors.

### **My child socially and emotionally:**

- separates easily from parent or caregiver.
- is able to transition to other activities without tantrums when given timed warnings.
- attempts to take turns, share, and cooperate with others.
- shows interest in new experiences.
- attempts to negotiate solutions to conflicts.