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CHILDREN LEARN RESPONSIBILITY AT ZIMMER'S SUMMER CAMP *Sessions Explore Different Perspectives of the Idea of Responsibility and Understanding*

LOS ANGELES, CALIF. (June 19, 2012) – It's time for Summer Camp at the Zimmer Children's Museum! Camp at the Zimmer offers an in-depth hands-on opportunity to explore the BIG IDEAS of community responsibility, cultural sensitivity and global understanding. This year, the museum offers 3 distinct week-long, half-day summer sessions that, through the power of play, will examine a unique perspective of the idea of responsibility:

session 1: Responsibility to Self

Monday, June 25, 2012 - Friday, June 29, 2012, 9:00am - 12:00pm

Understanding one's self is at the core of being a responsible person. Campers will engage in individual and group activities to offer them opportunities and skills to better express themselves, build personal confidence, foster group cooperation, and more!

session 2: Responsibility to Each Other

Monday, July 9, 2012 - Friday, July 13, 2012, 9:00am - 12:00pm

A successful community is made of people who feel a sense of responsibility to one another. Campers will use their imaginations to explore the roles of being a doctor, a firefighter, a teacher, and other members in their community to discover the importance of helping others.

session 3: Responsibility to Planet Earth

Monday, July 23, 2012 - Friday, July 26, 2012, 9:00am - 12:00pm

We're digging deep and planting the seeds of understanding the importance of taking care of planet earth. Campers will explore nature and learn ways to recycle, reduce, and reuse through natural art materials, hands-on activities, and more!

Registration is open now: http://zimmermuseum.org/camp_zimmer.html

About the Zimmer Children's Museum

The **Zimmer Children's Museum** is a nonprofit cultural institution located on Museum Row in Los Angeles, featuring hands-on exhibits for children ages 0-8 to explore BIG IDEAS in creative and inspiring settings. The Zimmer is also the only museum dedicated specifically to kids and families in Los Angeles.

The **Zimmer Children's Museum** is dedicated to teaching people about the BIG IDEAS of global citizenship, community responsibility, and cultural sensitivity. Our mission is to promote values that help make a better society through interactive learning, creative self-expression and art experiences for children. For more details about the museum and its programs and events, please visit <http://www.zimmermuseum.org>.