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## PRESS RELEASE

## **EARLY HEAD START INVITES FATHERS TO 'CAMP CROCKETT'**

Let's go camping.

Crockett Early Head Start is inviting fathers to come "camp" with their children at Camp Crockett on April 23 from 6 - 7:30 p.m.

Fathers will join their children in activities such as an outside scavenger hunt, reading stories by flashlight in a tent, digging for worms and many more. A member of the Crockett staff will also speak to participants about the important role they play in their children's lives.

According to Georgiana Reagan, Director of Early Head Start, the goal for Camp Crockett is to host a night focused on food, fun and family, and to promote deeper bonds and great memories from father to child.

"Decades of research and hundreds of studies have proven that the more involved a dad is, the more successful his children will be," Reagan said. "A dad's influence can determine a child's social life, grades at school and future achievements."

