

VerShare Community Camp

Counselors-In-Training

Duties:

- During morning and afternoon tent time
 - work with counselors to plan and lead activities for a group of 6 to 10 children
 - supervise campers during lunch time and on the playground
- During morning and afternoon activities
 - assist Activity Leaders and Counselors
 - lead activities and games during down time and transitions
 - help lead instructor(s) prepare for and clean up after activities
 - be a role model to campers and other CITs

Expectations:

- Be versatile.
- Take direction from the lead instructors.
- Be a role model to the children & other CITs
- Interact professionally with campers and other staff.
- Support camp policies and rules.
- Volunteer for jobs willingly and participate in activities as a model camper.
- Be willing to try new things with the children.
- Come to work on time, healthy and well rested.
- follow all health and safety protocols

CITs must:

- **Be 13 – 15 years of age**
- **Be available for the whole program INCLUDING Counselor/CIT Training**
- **Be willing to work hard (8:00 am – 4:00 pm each day Mon. through Fri.)**
- **Enjoy working with children and being outdoors**
- **Be able to lead activities and games for a group of children**

Typical Camp Day

- 8:00 Morning Staff Meeting (*Arrive at 7:30 am on Mon. Light breakfast foods provided.*)
- 8:30 Tent Time (help counselors by reading stories, leading games and activities)
- 9:00 Morning Circle Time - whole camp gathers for announcements, songs, and activities
- bring tent group to circle, help children to stay focused, model good camper behavior
- 9:30 Morning activities – get water bottles & snacks, assist Activity Leaders as needed
- help organize snack time, lead activities/games during down time
- 11:30 Chipmunks Lunch
- 12:00 Bobcats Lunch- bring group to lunch, supervise hand-washing, lunch-line, eating, manners
- 12:30 Tent & Chore Time - help children do their chore, read books, play games
- 1:00 Afternoon Circle Time
- 1:30 Afternoon Activities – different groups, same routine as for morning activities
- 3:30 Tent Time – read books, play games, chores (if needed)
- 3:30 Parents pick children up
- 3:45 Last children leave, brief staff meeting
- 4:00 Go home!

**Friday afternoon is the end-of-camp celebration for campers & families from 4:00 – 6:00.
Counselors and CITs are encouraged to come to this event.
Cleanup will be from 6:30 – 8:30pm, with adult volunteer assistance.**

**For more info, please contact the Camp Coordinator -
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