



APPLICATION FOR C.I.T.

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Camp Westminster's Counselor-in-Training program is designed to challenge and equip teenagers interested in becoming effective leaders, positive role models, and lifetime disciples. Through daily Bible studies and intensive team-building activities, CIT's will connect with a group of peers unified in the pursuit of spiritual formation. Through experiential learning, CIT's will gain new insights and skills. Though not a part of the Camp Staff, CIT's will have the opportunity to engage all aspects of the summer camping programming, including daily activities, evening cabin programs, and regular work responsibilities. CIT's should be 15 years old, desire to work with young children, and be committed to a high standard of conduct and character. Applicants are encouraged, though not required, to attend our *Senior Blast* session.

Name: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Social Security #: _____

Home Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Emergency Contact & Phone #: _____

Driver's License # if applicable: _____ Issuing State: _____

Gender: _____	Age: _____	Shirt Size: _____	Have you been a CIT before? _____
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Have you ever been a camper at Camp Westminster? If so, when? _____

Are there any reasons you may have difficulty in performing any of the essential functions of the job?

Yes No If yes, please explain: _____

Church you attend: _____ Yrs. at Church: _____

High School: _____

Address: _____

Organizations, both Christian and non-Christian, you are involved with: _____

Background

You must complete all the following questions to be considered.

Has your driver's license ever been suspended or revoked? Yes No

Have you ever used illegal drugs? Yes No

Have you been convicted of a criminal offense or do you have criminal charges pending? Yes No

Have you ever been charged with neglect, abuse, or assault? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted or accused of mistreatment, neglect, abuse, or attempted or actual sexual molestation of a minor? Yes No

Have you ever been disciplined, discharged or asked to resign from any job for misconduct, immoral behavior, or violation of work standards? Yes No

If you responded "yes" to any of these questions, please use a separate sheet of paper to describe the circumstances in detail.

Activities Survey

Do you have any of the following...

A. A Lifeguarding certification? Yes No Expires? _____

B. Any nursing, first aid, CPR training? Yes No What? _____

C. Any outdoor education skills and/or scouting experience? Yes No Rank achieved? _____

D. Any ropes course / rock climbing experience/training? Yes No Expires? _____

E. Any experience or certifications in horsemanship? Yes No Expires? _____

F. Any other certifications? Yes No What? _____

Would you be willing to attend a certification course if necessary? Yes No

Please attach photocopies of all certifications.

Activities Inventory

Please indicate any interest and/or ability in the following activities according to the following scale:

1= Highly Skilled: could organize, coach, and teach without assistance. **2= Moderately Skilled:** basic knowledge, could assist with teaching. **3= Recreational:** minimal knowledge, but interested in learning

___ Canoeing/Kayaking

___ Arts & Crafts pottery, painting, leather, etc.)

___ Dance: type _____

___ Fishing

___ Horsemanship

___ Music/Instruments: which _____

___ Journalism/Newspaper

___ Paintball

___ Drama & Skits

___ Singing/Leading Singing

___ Ropes Course (High, Low, Climbing Tower)

___ Sign Language

___ Group Games

___ Lifeguarding

___ Swimming

___ Outdoor Skills/Orienteering/Backpacking

___ Photography

___ Cooking

___ Basketball

___ Volleyball

___ Soccer

___ Archery

Questionnaire

(Please be thoughtful and specific in your answers.)

Why do you want to participate in the CIT program? _____

What do you consider to be your strongest qualities? Weakest qualities? _____

How would you describe your ability to work with other people? _____

What is your view of how people should relate to those in authority over them? How have you lived this out, specifically with regard to your parents, teachers, supervisors, or spiritual leaders? _____

Do you enjoy working with children? What sort of experiences in this area have you had? _____

Describe your experience with Jesus Christ and how you came to faith in him. _____

In a few words, describe your understanding of the following subjects.

God: _____

Jesus Christ: _____

Holy Spirit: _____

Bible: _____

Sin: _____

Essentials for Salvation: _____

Statement of Faith

1. The Bible is the inspired Word of God, absolute in its authority, complete in its revelation, final in its content, and without any errors in its teaching; the supreme authority in all matters of faith and conduct. The sixty six books of the Old and New Testaments comprise the entire Holy Scriptures.
2. God is a Spirit, infinite, eternal, and unchangeable, in his being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth. God is One God, Who reveals Himself in three Persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit
3. All men in their natural state are lost, alienated from God, spiritually dead and subject to God's wrath and condemnation.
4. Salvation is only by grace, a free gift of God, through faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, who died for our sins according to the Scriptures. His sacrificial death was a substitutionary atonement for the sins of all who receive him, providing redemption from the guilt, penalty and power of sin.
5. Jesus Christ is the Son of God and Son of man, was born of a virgin, and is Himself very God. He lived a sinless life, was crucified, died and was buried. The third day He arose from the dead and ascended into heaven. Jesus Christ will come again to earth the second time, personally, bodily and visibly.
6. The Scriptures declare the deity and personality of the Holy Spirit, who indwells and works in the believer.
7. The Holy Trinity - consisting of God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit - is the only divine being, and therefore the only one worthy of our praise, worship, and devotion.
8. There is one holy, universal church, which is the body of Christ, and to which all true believers belong. The local visible church is the means through which believers serve and are nourished through teaching and the sacraments.
9. Our Lord Jesus rose from the dead in the same body that was laid to rest in the tomb. The bodies of all believers who die will be raised from the dead and they will receive an incorruptible body and dwell with God in everlasting joy.
10. Christians, born of the Spirit, are to live the new life in the present power of the Spirit. The Christian's responsibility, and his normal attitude of life, is to yield himself to God, trusting God to keep him.

Personal Statement

Recognizing that Christian camping, while exceedingly enjoyable and fun, involves serious responsibilities, I hereby promise that, if accepted to participate in the Counselor-in-Training program, I will conduct myself at all times as a true representative of Jesus Christ (see Colossians 3:17). I will cheerfully carry out, to the best of my ability, all duties assigned to me by my leaders, will be punctual, and at all times seek to promote and heighten the physical, mental, and spiritual well-being of each camper, CIT, and counselor.

By God's grace it shall be my chief end at Camp Westminster to glorify Him alone. It is my earnest desire to be instrumental in pointing and leading young people to the Person of the Lord Jesus Christ, who alone is mighty to save!

I understand that, if accepted, much of my day will be spent serving others. I understand I will be staying in rustic accommodations. I understand I must be at least 15 years old as of June 1, 2009 in order to participate in the CIT program. I have read and agree with the above Statement of Faith in its entirety and am willing to live and speak in accordance with it. In addition, the facts I have given in this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge

(Participant Signature)

(Date)

(Parent/Guardian Signature)

(Date)