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2012 YMCA Camp Jones Gulch Counselor in Training (CIT) Application

CIT Applicant's Name

Family Information

1. Who do you live with (name, age and relationship to you)?

School and Community Involvement

2. List any clubs, groups or programs with which you are involved.

3. List any leadership experiences you have had.

Employment and Volunteer Experience

4. List any previous jobs that you have held. Include company name, employer name, phone number, your position and reason for leaving.

5. List any experience you have had working with children.

6. List any service projects in which you have been involved.

7. Have you ever worked or volunteered at a YMCA before? If so, where and what were your duties?

8. Have you ever attended resident camp before? If so, describe.

9. List any other skills you have that you feel would be beneficial in a camping environment.
10. Name one personal reference (not a relative):
Name

Relationship to You

Home Phone #

Work Phone #

General Questions

11. Why do you want to be a CIT? Why do you want to come back to YMCA Camp Jones Gulch? (100 words).
12. What leadership skills have you demonstrated in the past?
13. How would you describe yourself?
14. What can you bring to a group? What are your strengths in working with a group?
15. What do you expect to get out of the program? What skills do you expect to learn?
16. What is your goal for the summer?
17. What do you do in your leisure time? What are your hobbies? Interests?
18. Who do you respect or admire? Why?
19. Describe your ideal counselor.
20. If you were granted one magical power, what would it be and why?
21. Rate your energy level on a scale from 1 to 10 (10 being highest). Explain.

Additional Questions

22. How would you respond if a camper called someone by a negative name?
23. Is there anything else we should know about you? Any special training or skills?
Questions?

24. **For returning 2011 LIT's only:** How would you improve on your Camp Experience last summer?

Important Instructions

- ❖ We can accept a limited number of applicants per CIT session. Register early!
- ❖ Return this completed application with your completed camper registration form and at least the minimum deposit of \$100.
- ❖ We will notify you, usually within 3 weeks, of your acceptance status.
- ❖ If you have any further questions about the CIT program, please contact camp's main office.