



2012 CIT Application

CAMP WINDHOVER
Summer Camp for Youths
2092 SIX MILE ROAD
CRYSTAL SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI 39059
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I apply to serve as a Counselor in Training (CIT) for the session(s) indicated below. In summer 2012, I will have completed the 9th, 10th, or 11th grade, as indicated below. I have read, and I agree to, the terms of enrollment and regulations of the camp as stated in the Camp Policies.

On my honor, in the spirit of Camp Windhover, I promise to be trustworthy, helpful, honest, and true and to encourage others to be likewise. I also have read and agree to abide by the rules and regulations of Camp Windhover. I understand that use of tobacco, alcohol, non-prescription drugs, or socially inappropriate behavior will result in my immediate removal from the camp community.

CIT Applicant's Signature

Date

I give permission for my CIT to participate in all camp activities, except as noted by me in this application. I give permission for photographs/video of my CIT to be used by the camp for promotional purposes. In the event that I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the Camp Director to hospitalize and/or treat my child.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

CIT Applicant Name

Address

City State Zip

Date of Birth Sex Age at camp time Grade (before camp)

Social Security # Cell No.

E-mail

Hobbies/Interests/Activities/Qualifications (please indicate if you are a lifeguard or are qualified to help with guitar, drums, photography, horseback, art, crafts, dance, or other activity):

Blank lines for hobbies/interests/activities/qualifications.

Camp Experience:

Date Camp
Blank lines for camp experience details.

Parents/Guardians:

Home address

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mother's Cell # _____ Office # _____ Home # _____

Father's Cell # _____ Office # _____ Home # _____

Parents' e-mail address(es):

CITs are 15-17 and have finished the 9th-11th grades. All CITs attend for one week, and some 2nd and 3rd year CITs may be asked to attend a second week, depending on the camp's needs and the CIT's experience and qualifications. Dates of attendance will be assigned, taking into account the CIT's preferences to the extent possible. All CITs attend the training retreat on Thursday, June 7, to Saturday, June 9. **CIT fees are \$225 per week, payable after acceptance but not later than June 1, 2012. All CITs are paid a stipend.**

Please indicate 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice:

- ___ **Session One** (1 week) – June 10- 16
- ___ **Session Two** (1 week) – June 17- 23
- ___ **Session Three** (1 week) – June 24- 30
(No camp – July 1-7)
- ___ **Session Four** (1 week) – July 8- 14
- ___ **Session Five** (1 week) – July 15- 21

T-shirt size:

- ___ Youth small ___ Adult small
- ___ Youth medium ___ Adult medium
- ___ Youth large ___ Adult large
- ___ Adult X-large

If you will be a 2nd or 3rd year CIT, would you be interested in attending a second week? _____ Available sessions: _____

First-year CIT applicants, please answer the following questions:

1. Going to camp brings up all kinds of thoughts and feelings. What do you most look forward to? What are you most concerned about?

2. Why do you want to be a CIT at Windhover? What thoughts or concerns do you have about being a CIT?

3. Have you ever taken care of children? Explain.

4. When was the last time you had to maintain a high level of energy when you were exhausted? How did you stay up for the moment?

5. Which activities do you look forward to trying out?

6. Which activities would you like to help teach?

7. We pray before meals and have devotional moments, and yet we welcome campers, CITs, and counselors from all religious backgrounds. How do you feel about this?

8. Describe your idea of the “nightmare camper” and the situation s/he would place you in.

9. In the final analysis, what do you hope to be remembered for as an individual?

10. What are you passionate about?

11. Have you ever experienced homesickness? What do you think you might do to help a homesick camper feel better?

Second- and Third-Year CIT Applicants, please answer the following questions:

Why do you wish to serve as a CIT again? What do you personally hope to accomplish, and how can camp help you accomplish your personal goals, based on your previous year(s)'s perspective?

First-year CIT Applicants: Return this application with (1) a photo, (2) a letter of recommendation, and (3) a brief parent/guardian's letter about their desire for you to attend camp as a CIT. The letter of recommendation should be written by someone other than a friend or relative (e.g., a teacher, coach, or youth leader) and should address your skills, ability and willingness to work with others, and character.

Second- and Third-Year Applicants: All you need to do is return this application.

EARLY APPLICATION IS ENCOURAGED, AS SPACE IS LIMITED. THANK YOU!