

Camp Webegee 2019 - Webster Groves Parks and Recreation Counselor-in-Training (C.I.T.) Information/Application

Thank you for your interest in the Camp Webegee C.I.T. program.

We are looking for C.I.T.'s who are 13 - 15 years of age or who will turn 13 by June 3, 2019.

Camp meets in Blackburn Park for all nine weeks of camp. Campers are offered a variety of activities, including sports, games, arts and crafts, swimming, field trips and special events.

Camp runs June 3 – August 2. Camp hours are 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The C.I.T. program is a volunteer work experience designed to give youth the opportunity to work in a camp setting. It is expected of C.I.T.'s to take full advantage of the experience they have been given to gain the knowledge needed to become a camp counselor. Positions are limited.

C.I.T. Eligibility:

1. Applicant must be 13 - 15 years of age by June 3.
2. Applicant must be available for at least two weeks of camp. C.I.T.'s will be accepted on a part-time basis and must volunteer everyday in which campers meet with the exception of illness or emergencies. All C.I.T.'s must report to work each day by 9:45 a.m. and will be dismissed approximately at 3:15 p.m.
3. Applicants must complete the attached application. Application is due no later than May 3rd
4. More applicants apply than there are positions available. *If hired, you must attend the CIT meeting; there will be staff meeting on May 28 at 5 p.m. at the Webster Groves Recreation Complex.* The staff manual and counselor expectations will be reviewed.
5. The C.I.T. program costs \$40 per week for Residents and \$45 per week for Non Residents, which helps cover expenses associated with the program. Once hired, you may work as many weeks as your schedule allows. Payment is due at time of sign up. You will get an email confirming your acceptance letting you know that you can now register for weeks.

C.I.T. Responsibilities:

1. Assist counselor in supervising, planning and implementing camp activities.
2. Assist counselors in maintaining a safe and fun environment for campers.
3. Assist counselors in supervision on off-site field trips, and at the pool.
4. Provide ideas and suggestions to better the camp program.

Applicants and parents must understand that this program does not exist as a day care program.

Those that are hired into the program will be treated as camp staff and are expected to act as such. C.I.T.'s that do not follow the staff rules and behave as campers will be immediately dismissed from the program with NO refund.

You will be contacted in Mid-May if you have been chosen into to the program. **DO NOT call before May 8th** as we will not know who is selected until then.

For more information, contact Alison Edwards, Recreation Supervisor, at (314) 963-5650.

Return to:
Alison Edwards, Recreation Supervisor
33 E. Glendale Rd.
Webster Groves, MO 63119

2019 Camp Webegee C.I.T. Application

Please write clearly.

Date: _____ Phone (home or cell) #: _____ C.I.T. Email: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City State Zip Code

Parent Email: _____

Which method above is the best way to contact you: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Current Age: _____ Age on June 3, 2019: _____

*Must be 13 yrs old by June 3.

Best time to contact you at home is: ____:____ a.m. p.m.

Person to be notified in case of emergency during camp:

Name: _____ Relationship to you _____

Phone #: _____

***Only a limited number of C.I.T.'s are selected each week.**

How did you learn about the Camp Webegee C.I.T. program?

Have you worked at Camp Webegee as a C.I.T. before? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, what year(s): _____

Have you ever applied to be a C.I.T. with us before? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, when: _____

What school do you attend? _____ Grade entering in the fall: _____

Why do you want to be a C.I.T. at Camp Webegee?

List any former or current employment experience.

****Turn over and complete BOTH sides of this application****

Describe any qualifications, specialized training, skills, extra-curricular activities, etc.

Available weeks to work (please circle at least two):

June 3-7, June 10-14, June 17-21, June 24-28, July 1-5 (no camp 4th of July),

July 8-12, July 15-19, July 22-26, July 29- August 2

References – such as teachers, clergy, former employers, etc. Do not list relatives.

1. Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Years Known _____

2. Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Years Known _____

3. Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Years Known _____

I, the undersigned, certify that all answers given are true and complete. I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application to be a CIT as may be necessary in arriving at a decision. In the event I am chosen as a CIT, I understand that false or misleading information given in this application may result in discharge with no refund. I also understand that I am required to abide by all rules and regulations of the City of Webster Groves.

Signature of Applicant

Date